

CALENDAR

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▼ identifies a new or revised entry this month.

See the November 2002 MRS BULLETIN for January 2003 Calendar entries.

FEBRUARY 2003

1–5 Lab Automation Conf., Palm Springs, CA. Assoc. for Lab. Automation, Box 572 HSC, Charlottesville, VA 22908; 858-552-8585; fax 804-924-5718; e-mail office@labautomation.org; http://labautomation.org.

2–5 ▼ Conf. on Advanced Solid-State Photonics, San Antonio, TX. Optical Society of America, 2010 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036-1023; 202-223-8130; fax 202-223-1096; e-mail info@osa.org; www.osa.org/meetings.

3–6 ▼ Conf. on Fourier Transform Spectroscopy, Quebec City, Quebec, Canada. Optical Society of America, 2010 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036-1023; 202-223-8130; fax 202-223-1096; e-mail info@osa.org; www.osa.org/meetings.

4–5 MicroTech Conf. and Electronics World Exposition, London, UK. N. Sinnadurai, IMAPS-UK, Bligh Manor, The Ferry, Felixstowe IP11 9RZ, UK; 44-7074-488-488; fax 44-7074-588-588; e-mail sinnadurai@aol.com; www.imaps.org.

13–15 ▼ 4th WSEAS Intl. Conf. on Neural Networks and Applications, Fuzzy Sets and Fuzzy Systems, and Evolutionary Computation, Canary Islands, Spain. e-mail canaries2003@wseas.org; www.wseas.org.

17–19 2nd Intl. Brazing and Soldering Conf., San Diego, CA. American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd., Miami, FL 33126; 305-443-9353; fax 305-443-7559; e-mail info@aws.org; www.aws.org.

19–20 SPE Conf. on Additives and Colors Europe, Antwerp, Belgium. Conf. Secretariat, Society of Plastics Engineers, European Member Bureau, 44 Bistkapellei, BE-2180 Antwerpen, Belgium; 32-3-541-7755; fax 32-3-541-8425; e-mail spe.europe@pi.be; www.4spe.org/sectionsdivisions/sigs/sig017.

MARCH 2003

2–6 TMS Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA. Programming Dept., The Minerals, Metals & Materials Society, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000; fax 724-776-3770; e-mail ckobert@tms.org; www.tms.org.

3–5 ▼ 5th Intl. Flat Panel Display Conf., San Francisco, CA. P. Kinzer, Intertech Corp., 19 Northbrook Dr., Portland, ME 04105; 207-781-9800; fax 207-781-2150; e-mail pkinzer@intertechusa.com; www.intertechusa.com.

3–6 ▼ 4th AVS Intl. Conf. on Microelectronics and Interfaces, Santa Clara, CA. American Vacuum Society, 120 Wall St., 32nd Floor, New York, NY 10005; 212-248-0200; fax 212-248-0245; e-mail avsnyc@avs.org; www.avs.org.

4–6 Chemtex and Corrosion Middle East Conf., Dubai, United Arab Emirates. Intl. Expo-Consults, P.O. Box 50006, Dubai, U.A.E.; 97-14-343-5777; fax 97-14-343-6115.

9–12 European Workshop on Materials for Advanced Metallization, Aix-Marseille, France. MAM2003, Case 151, Faculté des Sciences et Techniques de St. Jérôme, 13397 Marseille Cedex 20, France; 33-491-288-738; fax 33-491-288-775; e-mail mam2003@univ.u-3mrs.fr; www.umr-tecsen.com/mam2003.

9–13 42nd Annual Meeting of the Society of Toxicology, Salt Lake City, UT. Society of Toxicology, 1767 Business Center Dr., Ste. 302, Reston, VA 20190-5332; 703-438-3115; fax 703-438-3113; e-mail sothq@toxicology.org; www.toxicology.org.

9–14 54th Pittsburgh Conf., Orlando, FL. The Pittsburgh Conf., 300 Penn Center Blvd., Ste. 332, Pittsburgh, PA 15235-5503; 412-825-3320; fax 412-825-3324; e-mail pittconinfo@pittcon.org; www.pittcon.org.

11–13 6th Intl. Conf. on Computer Methods and Experimental Measurements for Surface Treatment Effects, Crete, Greece. Conf. Secretariat, Surface Treatment 2003, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail shobbs@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences/2003/surface03.

11–13 ▼ IMAPS Advanced Technology Workshop on Advanced 3D Packaging, Baltimore, MD. IMAPS, 611 2nd St., N.E., Washington, DC 20002; 202-548-4001; fax 202-548-6115; www.imaps.org.

12–14 6th Intl. Conf. on Computational Methods and Experimental Measurements in Contact Mechanics, Crete, Greece. Conf. Secretariat, Contact Mechanics 2003, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail shobbs@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences/2003/contact03.

17–20 13th West Coast Conf. on Contaminated Soils, Sediments, and Water, San Diego, CA. Assoc. for Environmental Health & Sciences, 150 Fearing St., Ste. 21, Amherst, MA 01002; 413-549-5170; fax 413-549-0579; e-mail brenna@aehs.com; www.aehs.com.

19–21 ▼ Display and Lighting Phosphor Conf., Scottsdale, AZ. H. Olmstead, Intertech Corp., 19 Northbrook Dr., Portland, ME 04105; 207-781-9800; fax 207-781-2150; e-mail olmstead@intertechusa.com; www.intertechusa.com.

24–28 Intl. Conf. on Characterization and Metrology for ULSI Technology, Austin, TX. D.G. Seiler, 301-975-2074; fax 301-975-6021; e-mail david.seiler@nist.gov; www.eeel.nist.gov/812/conference. Endorsed.

30–3 ▼ Conf. on Wear of Materials, Washington, DC. S. Wilkinson, WOM 2003 Conf. Secretariat, Elsevier Science Ltd., The Boulevard, Langford Lane, Kidlington, Oxford OX5 1GB, UK; 44-1865-843691; fax 44-1865-843958; e-mail sm.wilkinson@elsevier.com; www.elsevier.com/locate/wom.

31–2 2nd Intl. Conf. on Thermal Process Modeling and Computer Simulation, Nancy, France. Conf. Secretariat, SF2M, Société Française de Métallurgie et de Matériaux, Les Fontenelles, 1 rue de Craiova, F 92024 Nanterre Cedex, France; 33-1-41-02-03-90; e-mail sfmm@wanadoo.fr.

31–3 13th Intl. Conf. on Microscopy of Semiconducting Materials, Cambridge, UK. The Inst. of Physics, 76 Portland Place, London W1B 1NT, UK; 44-207-470-4800; e-mail conferences@iop.org. Endorsed.

31–3 Government Microcircuit Applications and Critical Technology Conf.: Countering Asymmetric Threats, Tampa, FL. E.D. Adler, Conf. Chair, Army Research Lab.; 301-394-0933; e-mail eadler@arl.army.mil; www.gomactech.net.

APRIL 2003

2–4 5th Intl. Conf. on Simulations in Biomedicine, Ljubljana, Slovenia. Conf. Secretariat, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail enquiries@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk.

5–8 ▼ 2nd Intl. Conf. on New Biomedical Materials, Cardiff, Wales, UK. P.I. Haris, School of Molecular Sciences, De Montfort Univ., The Gateway, Leicester LE1 9BH, UK; 44-116-250-6306; fax 44-116-257-7287; e-mail pharis@dmu.ac.uk; www.appsci.dmu.ac.uk/biomat/MainPage.htm.

7–10 12th Intl. Conf. on Deformation, Yield, and Fracture of Polymers, Cambridge, UK. M. Boyce, Conf. and Events, IOM Communications; 44-20-7451-7303; fax 44-20-7839-2289.

8–10 84th AWS Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI. D. Gonzalez, ASW Professional Program Coordinator, American Welding Society, 550 N.W. LeJeune Rd., Miami, FL 33126; 305-443-9353; fax 305-443-7559; e-mail dorcas@aws.org; www.aws.org.

9–11 ▼ Intl. Workshop on Hard Synchrotron X-Rays for Texture and Strain Analysis, Hamburg, Germany. J. Homeyer, Industrial Servicegroup, Hamburger Synchrotronstrahlungslabor, Deutsches Elektronen-Synchrotron, D-22603 Hamburg, Germany; 49-40-8998-1715; fax 49-40-8998-4475; e-mail jens.homeyer@desy.de; www.hasylab.desy.de/conferences/workshop.

16–18 ▼ 10th Symposium on Photomask and NGL Mask Technology, Kanagawa, Japan. Photomask Japan Secretariat, c/o Business Ctr. for Academic Societies Japan, 5-16-9 Honkomagome, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113-8622, Japan; 81-3-5814-5800; fax 81-3-5814-5823; e-mail pmj@bcasj.or.jp; www.bcasj.or.jp/pmj.

16–18 ▼ Intl. Conf. on Electronic Packaging, Tokyo, Japan. IMAPS, 611 2nd St., N.E., Washington, DC 20002; 202-548-4001; fax 202-548-6115; www.imaps.org.

21–25 MRS Spring Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 724-779-3003; fax 724-779-8313; e-mail info@mrs.org; www.mrs.org. MRS.

27–30 105th ACerS Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN. Customer Service Dept., American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-794-5890; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail customersvc@acers.org; www.ceramics.org.

27–30 ISS Technical Conf., Indianapolis, IN. D. Kanagy, Iron & Steel Society, 186 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-1535; fax 724-776-5111; www.isstech.info.

27–1 STLE Annual Meeting, New York, NY. Society of Tribologists and Lubrication Engineers, 840 Busse Hwy., Park Ridge, IL 60068-2376; 847-825-5536; fax 847-825-1456; www.stle.org.

27–2 14th European Conf. on Chemical Vapor Deposition, Paris, France. M. Swihart, 716-645-2911; fax 716-645-3822; e-mail swihart@eng.buffalo.edu. Endorsed.

27–2 ▼ 203rd Meeting of the Electrochemical Society, Paris, France. The Electrochemical Society, 65 S. Main St., Bldg. D, Pennington, NJ 08534-2839; 609-737-1902; fax 609-737-2743; e-mail ecs@electrochem.org; www.electrochem.org/meetings/meetings.htm.

28–2 Intl. Conf. on Metallurgical Coatings and Thin Films, San Diego, CA. M.S. Gray, ICMCTF-2003, Ste. 136, 14001-C St. Germain Dr., Centerville, VA 20121; 703-266-3287; fax 703-968-8877; e-mail icmctf@mindspring.com; www.avs.org/icmctf/icmctf.html.

MAY 2003

3–8 46th Annual SVC Technical Conf., San Francisco, CA. Society of Vacuum Coaters, 71 Pinon Hill Place, N.E., Albuquerque, NM 87122-1914; 505-856-7188; fax 505-856-6716; e-mail svcinfo@svc.org; www.svc.org.

11–15 SAMPE 2003, Long Beach, CA. D. Weaver, SAMPE Business Office, P.O. Box 2459, Covina, CA 91722; 626-331-0616; fax 626-332-8929; e-mail dweaveribo@cs.com; www.sampe.org.

12-14 ▼ 11th Intl. Conf. on Computational Methods and Experimental Measurements, *Halkidiki, Greece*. Conf. Secretariat, CMEM 2003, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton, SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail conferences@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences.

13-15 11th Intl. SENSOR Trade Fair and Conf., *Nuremberg, Germany*. AMA Service GmbH, Von-Münchhausen-Strasse 49, 31515 Wunstorf, Germany; 49-5033-9639-0; fax 49-5033-1056; e-mail info@sensorfairs.de; www.sensorfairs.de.

18-22 3rd Intl. Symposium on Aluminum Surface Science and Technology, *Bonn, Germany*. B. Kernig, VAW Research and Development, P.O. Box 2468, 53014 Bonn, Germany; 49-228-552-2639; fax 49-228-552-2446.

18-23 ▼ Gordon Research Conf. on Organic Thin Films, *Il Ciocco, Italy*. Gero Decher, Institute Charles Sadron (CRM-EAHP), CNRS & ULP, 6 Rue Boussingault, Strasbourg, Cedex F-67083, France; e-mail decher@ics.u-strasbg.fr; www.grc.org.

18-23 Society for Information Display 2003 (SID 2003), *Baltimore, MD*. Society for Information Display Headquarters, 610 S. 2nd Street, San Jose, CA 95112-4006, USA; tel. 408-977-1013; fax 408-977-1531; e-mail conferences@sid.org; www.sid.org.

19-21 ▼ SPIE Intl. Symposium on Microtechnologies for the New Millennium 2003, *Gran Canaria, Spain*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail spie@spie.org; www.spie.org/info/emt.

25-29 9th Intl. Conf. on the Mechanical Behavior of Materials, *Geneva, Switzerland*. Conf. Secretariat, ICM9, P.O. Box 50006, Tel Aviv 61500, Israel; 972-3-514-0014; fax 972-3-514-0077; e-mail icm9@kenes.com; www.kenes.com/icm9.

25-30 5th Intl. Conf. on Nitride Semiconductors, *Nara, Japan*. K. Hiramatsu, Dept. of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mie Univ., 1515 Kamihama, Tsu 514-8507, Mie, Japan; phone and fax 81-59-231-9694; e-mail hiramatsu@elec.mie-u.ac.jp.

25-30 ▼ 7th Intl. Conf. on Materials and Mechanisms of Superconductivity and High Temperature Superconductors, *Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*. Conf. Secretariat, Congrex do Brasil Ltda., Av. Presidente Wilson, 164 9th Floor, 20030-020, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brasil; 55-21-3974-2001; fax 55-21-2509-1492; e-mail m2srrio@congrex.com.br; www.m2srrio.cbpf.br.

26-29 4th Intl. Conf. on Physical and Numerical Simulation of Materials Processing, *Shanghai, China*. J. Niu, Box 436, School of Materials Science and Engineering, Harbin Inst. of Technology, Harbin 150001, P.R. China; 86-451-641-4279; fax 86-451-622-1048.

27-30 4th Intl. Conf. on Conveying and Handling of Particulate Solids, *Budapest, Hungary*. 4th CHoPS Secretariat, KE Research Inst. of Chemical and Process Engineering, Veszprém, P.O. Box 125, H-8021 Hungary; 36-88-425-206; fax 36-88-424-424; e-mail szep@mukki.rchem.hu; www.parconf2003.hu.

28-30 5th Intl. Conf. on Marine Technology and Transportation, *Szczecin, Poland*. Conf. Secretariat, Marine 2003, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton, SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail shobbs@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences/2003/marine03.

JUNE 2003

1-4 49th Intl. Conf. on Analytical Sciences and Spectroscopy, *Ottawa, Ontario, Canada*. N. De Silva, Dept. of Chemistry, Carleton Univ., Ottawa, ON K1S 4B6, Canada; 613-520-2600; fax 613-520-3749; e-mail ndsilva@ccs.carleton.ca.

1-6 ▼ Conf. on Lasers and Electro-Optics/Quantum Electronics and Laser Science, *Baltimore, MD*. CLEO/QELS Conf. Mgr., c/o Optical Society of America, 2010 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036; 202-416-1907; fax 202-416-6100; e-mail cust.serv@osa.org; www.osa.org/CLEO.

5-11 ▼ 5th Intl. Workshop on Neutrino Factories and Superbeams, *New York, NY*. K. Tuohy, NuFact03, Physics Dept., Bldg. 901A, Brookhaven Natl. Lab., Upton, NY 11973; e-mail tuohy@bnl.gov; www.cap.bnl.gov/nufact03.

8-12 51st ASMS Conf. on Mass Spectrometry, *Montreal, Quebec, Canada*. American Society for Mass Spectroscopy, 1201 Don Diego Ave., Santa Fe, NM 87505; 505-989-4517; fax 505-989-1073; e-mail asms@asms.org; www.asms.org.

8-12 Powder Metallurgy and Particulate Materials World Congress, *Las Vegas, NV*. Metal Powder Industries Federation, 105 College Rd. East, Princeton, NJ 08540-6692; 609-452-7700; fax 609-987-8523; e-mail info@mpif.org; www.mpi.org.

10-13 **E-MRS Spring Meeting**, *Strasbourg, France*. E-MRS, 23 rue du Loess, B.P. 20, 67037 Strasbourg Cedex 02, France; 33-3-8810-6372; fax 33-3-8810-6343; e-mail emrs@phase.c-strasbourg.fr; www.emrs.c-strasbourg.fr. **E-MRS.**

11-13 ▼ 7th Intl. Symposium on Sputtering and Plasma Processes, *Kanazawa, Japan*. E. Kusano, Vice Chair, ISSP 2003 Committee, Advanced Materials Science Ctr., Kanazawa Inst. of Technology, 3-1 Yatsukaho Matto, Ishikawa 924-0838, Japan; 81-76-274-9250; fax 81-76-274-9251; e-mail issp@www.kanazawa-it.ac.jp; www.kanazawa-it.ac.jp/ISSP.

15-18 27th Conf. on Scientific Basis for Nuclear Waste Management, *Kalmar, Sweden*. L. Werme, SKB, Box 5864, SE-102 40 Stockholm, Sweden; 46-8-459-8525; e-mail lars.werme@skb.se; www.skb.se/mrs2003.

15-19 7th Intl. Conf. on the Biogeochemistry of Trace Elements, *Uppsala, Sweden*. Conf. Secretariat, SLU Conf., Swedish Univ. of Agricultural Sciences, P.O. Box 7059, SE-75007 Uppsala, Sweden; fax 46-18-67-3530; e-mail 7thicobte@slu.se; www-conference.slu.se/7thicobte.

16-18 ▼ Flip Chip Conf., *Austin, TX*. IMAPS, 611 2nd St., N.E., Washington, DC 20002; 202-548-4001; fax 202-548-6115; www.imaps.org.

22-25 2nd Intl. Conf. on Spray Deposition and Melt Atomization, and 5th Intl. Conf. on Spray Forming, *Bremen, Germany*. Univ. Bremen, SFB 372-SDMA 2003/ICSF V, Badgasteiner Str. 1, 28359 Bremen, Germany; e-mail sdma2003@iwt.uni-bremen.de; sfb372.iwt.uni-bremen.de/sdma2003.html.

22-25 ▼ European Conf. on Biomedical Optics, *Munich, Germany*. Optical Society of America, 2010 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036-1023; 202-223-8130; fax 202-223-1096; e-mail info@osa.org; www.osa.org/meetings.

22-27 14th Intl. Conf. on Solid State Ionics, *Monterey, CA*. e-mail turgut@stanford.edu; www.ssi-14.net.

22-27 ▼ Gordon Research Conf. on Thin Film and Crystal Growth Mechanisms, *South Hadley, MA*. D.G. Cahill, Dept. of Materials Science, Univ. of Illinois, 1101 W. Springfield Ave., Urbana, IL 61801; 217-333-6753; e-mail d-cahill@uiuc.edu; www.chem.cornell.edu/ThinFilm.

23-25 ▼ 3rd Intl. Conf. on Cellular Metals and Metal Foaming Technology, *Berlin, Germany*. MetFoam 2003 Conf. Secretariat, Hahn-Meitner-Inst. Berlin, Glienicker Str. 100, D-14109 Berlin, Germany; 49-30-8062-2766; fax 49-30-8062-3059; e-mail metfoam@hmi.de; www.hmi.de/events/MetFoam03.

23-25 14th European Microelectronics and Packaging Conf., *Friedrichshafen, Germany*. Intl. Microelectronics and Packaging Society, 611 2nd St., N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002; 202-548-4001; fax 202-548-6115; www.empc2003.de.

23-25 Device Research Conf., *Salt Lake City, UT*. TMS Meetings Services, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000, fax 724-776-3770; e-mail mtgserv@tms.org; www.tms.org.

23-25 ▼ NanoEngineering World Summit, *Boston, MA*. Intl. Engineering Consortium; 888-372-1997; www.iec.org.

25-27 Electronic Materials Conf., *Salt Lake City, UT*. TMS Meetings Services, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000, fax 724-776-3770; e-mail mtgserv@tms.org.

29-4 **16th Intl. Conf. on Ion Beam Analysis**, *Albuquerque, NM*. Ms. Karen Sloan, Conference Secretary, Sandia National Laboratories, PO Box 5800, M/S 1056, Albuquerque, NM 87185, USA; 505-844-2394; fax 505-844-7775; e-mail iba2003@sandia.gov; http://iba2003.sandia.gov. **Endorsed.**

29-4 ▼ **Intl. Conf. on Materials for Advanced Technologies, and IUMRS Intl. Conf. in Asia**, *Singapore*. ICMAT 2003 Secretariat, Materials Research Society (Singapore), Institute of Materials Research & Engineering, 3 Research Link, Singapore 117602; 65-6874-1975; fax 65-6777-2393; e-mail icmat@mrs.org.sg; www.mrs.org.sg/icmat2003. **IUMRS/MRS-S.**

JULY 2003

3-4 4th Intl. Conf. on Barkhausen Noise and Micromagnetic Testing, *Brescia, Italy*. A.S. Wojtas, Stresstech Group, Postbus 448, NL-2600 AK Delft, Netherlands; 31-65-324-0331; fax 31-15-262-1663.

6-11 3rd Intl. Conf. on Spectroscopic Ellipsometry, *Vienna, Austria*. PROFACOR Produktionsforschungs GmbH, Wehrgrabengasse 1-5, A-4400 Steyr, Austria; e-mail Kurt.Hingerl@profactor.at; www.profactor.at/veranstaltungen/icese-3/index.html.

7-11 Thermec Intl. Conf., *Madrid, Spain*. Thermec'2003 Secretariat; CONGREGA; Fundacion Univ. Carlos III, Avda. Universidad 30, 28911 Leganés, Madrid, Spain; 34-91-624-9142; fax 34-91-624-9147; e-mail thermec@fund.uc3m.es; www.uc3m.es/thermec.

13-18 10th World Conf. on Titanium, *Hamburg, Germany*. P. von der Bey, DGM; fax 49-69-7917-733; www.ti-2003.dgm.de.

14-16 Intl. Conf. on Fatigue Damage of Materials, *Toronto, Canada*. Conf. Secretariat, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail enquiries@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk.

27-30 7th Intl. Conf. on Advances in Fusion and Processing of Glass, *Rochester, NY*. M. Wightman, NYS College of Ceramics at Alfred Univ., 2 Pine St., Alfred, NY 14802-1296; 607-871-2425; fax 607-871-2392; e-mail wightman@alfred.edu; www.alfred.edu/conferences/Fusion.

27-1 Intl. Conf. on Magnetism, *Rome, Italy*. Secretariat, ISM-CNR Area della Ricerca, P.O. Box 10, 0016, Monterotondo Scalo (RM), Italy, 39-06-9067-2285; e-mail icm2003@mliib.cnr.it; www.icm203.mliib.cnr.it.

28-30 8th Intl. Conf. on Superplasticity in Advanced Materials, *Oxford, UK*. L. Bromley, Conf. and Events, IOM Communications; 44-20-7451-7302; fax 44-20-7839-2289; e-mail lisa_bromley@materials.org.uk.

AUGUST 2003

3-7 Intl. Conf. on Electroceramics (ICE-2003), *Cambridge, MA*. Conference Coordinator, ICE-2003, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Room 13-3118, 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139; e-mail ice-2003@mit.edu; http://ice-2003.mit.edu.

8-10 25th World Conf. on Boundary Element Methods, *Split, Croatia*. Conf. Secretariat, BEM 25, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton, SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail gcossutta@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences/2003/bem25.

10-12 6th Intl. Conf. on Computational Methods for Solution of Electrical and Electromagnetic Engineering Problems, *Split, Croatia*. Conf. Secretariat, ELCTROCOMP 03, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton, SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail gcossutta@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences/2003/electrocomp03.

14-18 6th European Conf. on Applied Superconductivity, *Napoli, Italy*. Fax 39-081-239-1821; e-mail eucas2003@unina.it; www.eucas2003.it.

18-22 11th Canadian Semiconductor Technology Conf., *Ottawa, Ontario, Canada*. P. Lamoureux, Conf. Mgr., 11th Canadian Semiconductor Technology Conf., Natl. Research Council of Canada, 1200 Montreal Rd., Bldg. M-19, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1A 0R6; 613-993-9431; fax 613-993-7250; e-mail semi2003@nrc.ca; www.nrc.gc.ca/ims/semi2003.

24-27 5th Intl. Symposium on Hydrometallurgy, *Vancouver, Canada*. C.G. Anderson; 406-496-4794.

31-5 16th Intl. Mass Spectrometry Society Conf., *Edinburgh, Scotland*. A. Upton, Secretary to the 16th IMSC Organizing Committee, Orchard House, 172 High Street Yelling, St. Neots, PE19 6SD, UK; 44-1480-88-0069; fax 44-1480-88-059; e-mail imscEdinburgh@btinternet.com; www.imsc-edinburgh2003.com.

SEPTEMBER 2003

1-3 Conf. on Bragg Gratings, Photosenitivity, and Poling in Glass Waveguides, *Monterey, CA*. Optical Society of America, 2010 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036-1023; 202-223-8130; fax 202-223-1096; e-mail info@osa.org; www.osa.org/meetings.

1-5 European Congress on Advanced Materials and Processes, *Lausanne, Switzerland*. Euromat 2003 Congress Office, c/o Deutsche Gesellschaft für Materialkunde, Hamburger Allee 26, 60486 Frankfurt, Germany; 49-69-7917-747; fax 49-69-7917-733; e-mail euromat@fems.org; www.euromat2003.fems.org.

8-10 Materials and Processes for Medical Devices Conf., *Anaheim, CA*. ASM Intl., Conf. Administrator, Medical Devices Event, Materials Park, OH 44073-0002; 440-338-5151; fax 440-338-4634; e-mail cust-srv@asminternational.org; www.asminternational.org/meddevices.

12-14 Conf. on Controlled Polymer Architectures—From Micro to Meso Scale, *Durham, UK*. Royal Society of Chemistry, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London W1J 0BA, UK; 44-20-7437-8656; fax 44-20-7734-1227; e-mail conferences@rsc.org; www.rsc.org/lap/conf/confshome.htm.

14-18 6th European Conf. on Applied Superconductivity EUCAS, *Sorrento, Italy*. Fax 39-81-239-1821; e-mail eucas2003@unina.it; www.eucas2003.it/index.php.

16-19 European Metallurgical Conf., *Hanover, Germany*. EMC Organizing Committee, GDMB, Paul-Ernst-Str. 10, D-38678 Clausthal-Zellerfeld, Germany; 49-5323-93790; fax 49-5323-937-937.

22-24 31st Annual NATAS Conf., *Albuquerque, NM*. T. Ramotowski, NATAS 2003 Conf. Technical Program Chair, North American Thermal Analysis Society, Naval Undersea Warfare Center (Code 2132), 1176 Howell St., Newport, RI 02841; 401-832-5111; fax 401-832-6401; e-mail ramotowskts@npt.nuwc.navy.mil; www.natasinfo.org.

22-25 Intl. Conf. on Erosive and Abrasive Wear II, *Cambridge, UK*. N. Woods, Elsevier Science Ltd., The Boulevard, Langford Lane, Kidlington, Oxford OX5 1GB, UK; 44-1865-843297; fax 44-1865-843958; e-mail n.woods@elsevier.com; www.iceaw.com.

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8-13 8th IUMRS International Conference on Advanced Materials, *Yokohama, Japan*. Prof. Atsushi Suzuki, and Ms. Kyoko Yoshimi, c/o Prof. A. Suzuki's Laboratory, Faculty of Environment and Information Sciences & Materials Science Department, Yokohama National University, 79-7 Tokiwadai, Hodogaya-ku, Yokohama 240-8501, Japan; tel./fax 81-45-339-4305; e-mail icam2003@ynu.ac.jp; www.mrs-j.org. IUMRS/MRS-J.

12-14 19th Annual Conf. of the Intl. Titanium Assoc., *Monterey, CA*. ITA, 350 Interlocken Blvd., Ste. 390, Broomfield, CO 80021-3485; 303-404-2221; fax 303-404-9111; e-mail conference@titanium.org; www.titanium.org.

12-17 204th Meeting of the Electrochemical Society, *Orlando, FL*. The Electrochemical Society, 65 S. Main St., Bldg. D, Pennington, NJ 08534-2839; 609-737-1902; fax 609-737-2743; e-mail ecs@electrochem.org; www.electrochem.org/meetings/meetings.htm.

15-18 Intl. Meeting on Applied Physics, *Badajoz, Spain*. www.formatex.org/aphys2003/aphys2003.htm.

19-22 55th Pacific Coast Regional and Basic Science Division Meeting of the ACeRS, *Oakland, CA*. Customer Service Dept., American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-794-5890; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail customersvc@acers.org; www.ceramics.org.

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3-7 50th AVS Intl. Symposium, *Baltimore, MD*. American Vacuum Society, 120 Wall St., 32nd Floor, New York, NY 10005; 212-248-0200; fax 212-248-0245; e-mail avsnyc@avs.org; www.avs.org.

3-8 3rd Intl. Symposium on Slow Dynamics in Complex Systems, *Sendai, Japan*. M. Tokuyama, Inst. of Fluid Science, Tohoku Univ., 2-1-1 Katahira, Aoba-ku, Sendai 980-8577, Japan; phone and fax 81-22-217-5327; e-mail tokuyama@ifs.tohoku.ac.jp; www.ifs.tohoku.ac.jp/slow-dynamics.

5-7 Intl. Conf. on Materials Characterization, *Santa Fe, NM*. Conf. Secretariat, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-238-029-3223; fax 44-238-029-2853; e-mail enquiries@wessex.ac.uk; www.wessex.ac.uk.

9-12 TMS Fall Meeting, *Chicago, IL*. TMS Meetings Services, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000; fax 724-776-3770; e-mail mtgserv@tms.org; www.tms.org.

16-20 7th Intl. Conf. on Atomically Controlled Surfaces, Interfaces, and Nanostructures, *Nara, Japan*. M. Katayama, Dept. of Electronic Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering, Osaka Univ., Ste. 565-0871, Osaka, Japan; 81-6-6879-7776; fax 81-6-6879-7780; e-mail acsin7@ele.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp; www.ele.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/acsin7.

18-20 Conf. on Magnesium Alloys and Their Applications, *Wolfsburg, Germany*. M. Schmieder, MatInfo GmbH, Hamburger Allee 26, 60486 Frankfurt, Germany; 49-69-7917-756; fax 49-69-7917-733; e-mail expo@dgm.de; www.dgm.de/magnesium.

30-3 Copper Conf., *Santiago, Chile*. G. Lagos, Pontificia Univ. Católica de Chile, Dept. de Ingeniería Química, Vicuna Mackenna 4860, Santiago 6904411, Chile; 56-2-686-5927; fax 56-2-686-5805; e-mail inf@cu2003.cl.

DECEMBER 2003

1-5 MRS Fall Meeting, *Boston, MA*. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 724-779-3003; fax 724-779-8313; e-mail info@mrs.org; www.mrs.org. MRS.

MARCH 2004

14-18 TMS Annual Meeting, *Charlotte, NC*. Programming Dept., The Minerals, Metals & Materials Society, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000; fax 724-776-3770; e-mail raabe@tms.org; www.tms.org.

APRIL 2004

12-16 MRS Spring Meeting, *San Francisco, CA*. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 724-779-3003; fax 724-779-8313; e-mail info@mrs.org; www.mrs.org. MRS.

18-21 106th ACeRS Meeting, *Indianapolis, IN*. The American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-890-4700; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail info@acers.org; www.acers.org.

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9-14 205th Meeting of the Electrochemical Society, *San Antonio, TX*. The Electrochemical Society, 65 S. Main St., Bldg. D, Pennington, NJ 08534-2839; 609-737-1902; fax 609-737-2743; e-mail ecs@electrochem.org; www.electrochem.org/meetings/meetings.htm.

24-28 E-MRS Spring Meeting, *Strasbourg, France*. European Materials Research Society, 23 rue du Loess, B.P. 20, 67037 Strasbourg Cedex 02, France; 33-3-88-10-6372; 33-3-88-10-6293; e-mail emrs@phase.c-strasbourg.fr; www-emrs.c-strasbourg.fr. E-MRS.

SEPTEMBER 2004

12-15 5th Intl. Conf. on High Temperature Ceramic Matrix Composites, *Seattle, WA*. The American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-890-4700; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail info@acers.org; www.acers.org.

19-23 10th Intl. Symposium on Superalloys, *Champion, PA*. TMS Meeting Services, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000; fax 724-776-3770; e-mail mtgserv@tms.org; www.tms.org/Meetings/Specialty/Superalloys2004/SuperalloysHome.html.

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14-16 37th IMAPS Annual Symposium on Microelectronics, *Long Beach, CA*. IMAPS, 611 2nd St., N.E., Washington, DC 20002; 202-548-4001; fax 202-548-6115; www.imaps.org.

15-19 51st AVS Intl. Symposium, *Anaheim, CA*. American Vacuum Society, 120 Wall St., 32nd Floor, New York, NY 10005; 212-248-0200; fax 212-248-0245; e-mail avsnyc@avs.org; www.avs.org.

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