Upcoming: March 17–20 16th Intl. Conf. on Microscopy of Semiconducting Materials, Endorsed; April 13–17 MRS Spring Meeting, MRS; May 6–9 HTC 2009, Endorsed.

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FEBRUARY 2009

- 4-6 ▼ 18th Inkjet Conf., San Francisco, CA. Information Management Inst., 1106 Valley Crossing, Carrabassett Valley, ME 04947; 207-235-2226; e-mail imi@imiconf.com; www.imiconf.com
- 15–19 The Minerals, Metals and Materials Society (TMS) 2009: Linking Science and Technology for Global Solutions, *San Francisco, CA.* TMS Meetings Services, 184 Thorn Hill Rd., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-776-9000 x243; fax 724-776-3770; e-mail mtgserv@tms.org; www.tms.org/annualmeeting.html.
- **18–20** ▼ NanoTech 2009, *Tokyo, Japan.* Sumitomo Corporation, Secretariat NanoTech, Jimbocho Bldg., 3-24 Kanda-Nishikicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan, 81-3-3219-3567; fax 81-3-3292-1813; e-mail nanotech@ics-inc.co.jp; www.nanotechexpo.jp/en.
- 25–27 Smart Coatings Symp. 2009, Orlando, FL. J. Baghdachi, Eastern Michigan University; 734-487-3192; e-mail jbaghdachi@emich.edu; www.emich.edu/public/coatings_research/smartcoatings.
- 26–28 Ceramics and Ceramic Technologies (CCT) 2009, *Mumbai, India.* Services Intl., Secretariat Delhi, D-4, A Block, LSC, Naraina Vihar, Ring Rd., New Delhi-110028, India; 91-11-45055500; fax 91-11-257/8876; e-mail cct@servintonline.com; www.ctindiaexpo.com.

MARCH 2009

- 9–10 ▼ Colloids, Grains and Dense Suspensions: Under Flow and Under Arrest, *London, UK.* The Royal Society, London, UK; e-mail www.royalsociety.org; www.royalsociety.org/events.
- **16–20** APS March Meeting 2009, *Pittsburgh*, *PA*. APS, www.aps.org/meet.
- 17–20 ▼ 16th Intl. Conf. on Microscopy of Semiconducting Materials, Oxford, UK. Victoria Lee, Keble College, UK; 44-1865-254760; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail victoria@rms.org.uk. Endorsed.
- 29–3 Engineering Confs. Intl. (ECI): Advances in Boundary Lubrication and Boundary Surface Films, Seville, Spain. ECI, 6 Metro Technology, 1979–198. The 260-3743; fax 718-260-3754; e-mail info@engconfintl.org; www.engconfintl.org.

APRIL 2009

- 13–17 2009 MRS Spring Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-779-3003; fax 724-779-8313; e-mail info@mrs.org; www.mrs.org. MRS.
- **18–22** ▼ Experimental Biology 2009 Annual Meeting, *New Orleans*, *LA*. Jean Lash, FASEB/OSMC, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814; 301-634-7009; fax 301-634-7014; e-mail jlash@taseb.org; www.faseb.org/meetings.
- 20–23 ▼ Particles 2009, Westmont, IL. Craig Schwandt, McCrone, 850 Pasquinelli Dr., Westmont, IL 60559-5539; 630-887-7100; e-mail cschwandt@mccrone.com; www.microbeamanalysis.org/meetings/topical/Particles2009/index.htm.
- 22–25 ▼ Society for Biomaterials (SFB 2009) Annual Meeting and Exposition, San Antonio, TX. Society for Biomaterials, 15000 Commerce Parkway, Ste. C, Mt. Laurel; 856-439-0826; fax 856-439-0525; e-mail info@biomaterials.org; biomaterials.org; biomaterials.org/Meetings/09AnnualMeeting.
- **24–26** ▼ Chemical BioPhysics Symp., *Toronto, Canada*. James Li, e-mail jli@chem.utoronto.ca.

27–1 Intl. Conf. on Metallurgical Coatings and Thin Films (ICMCTF) 2009, *San Diego, CA*. American Vacuum Society, 110 Yellowstone Dr., Ste. 120, Chico, CA 95973; 530-896-0477; fax 530-896-0487; e-mail della@avs.org; www.avs.org/meetings.aspx.

MAY 2009

- **2–5** APS April Meeting 2009, *Denver, CO.* APS, www.aps.org/meet/calendar.cfm.
- 3–7 ▼ Intl. Conf. on Neutron Scattering (ICNS 2009), Knoxville, TN. Knoxville Convention Center, www.mrs.org/s_mrs/sec.asp?CID=16316&DID=215968&SID=1. Endorsed.
- 6–9 6th Intl. Conf. on High Temperature Capillarity (HTC 2009), Athens, Greece. Simeon Agathopoulos, Materials Science and Engineering Department, University of Ioannina, GR-451 10, Ioannina, Greece; 30-265109-7381; fax 30-265109-7074; e-mail sagat@cc.uoi.gr; www.htc2009. ord. Endorsed.
- 11-15 ACHEMA 2009, Frankfurt, Germany. E-mail janik@ dechema.de; www.achema. de/en/ACHEMA.html.
- 17–22 ▼ 6th Intl. Conf. on Silicon Epitaxy and Heterostructures (ICSI-6), Los Angeles, CA. Matthias Bauer, ASM America, Inc., 3440 East University Dr., Phoenix, AZ 85034; matthias.bauer@asm.com. Endorsed.
- 24–29 Electrochemical Society Meeting Spring 2009 (ECS), San Francisco, CA. ECS, 65 S. Main St., Bldg. D, Pennington, NJ, 08534-2839; 609-737-1092; fax 609-737-2743; e-mail ecs@electrochem.org; www.electrochem.org/meetings/ biannual/fut_mtgs.htm.
- **31–2** NICOM 3: Nanotechnology in Construction, *Prague, Czech Republic.* Jiri Nemecek, e-mail jn@cml.fsv.cvut.cz; www.conference.cz/nicom3.

JUNE 2009

- 7–11 ▼ New Diamond and Nano Carbons Conf. (NDNC 2009),
 Traverse City, MI. www.mrs.org/
 s_mrs/sec.asp?CID=16207&DID=
 215644. Endorsed.
- 7-12 21st North American Catalysis Society Meeting (NAM), San Francisco, CA. E-mail nam21-info@pnl.gov; www.21nam.org.

- 7–12 XXII Intl. Conf. on Coordination and Bioinorganic Chemistry, *Smolenice, Slovak Republic.* Slovak Technical University, Milan Melník, Bratislava, Slovak Republic; 421-2-52495257; fax 421-2-52493198; e-mail iccbic@ stuba.sk; www.iccbic.stuba.sk.
- 7–12 ▼ Sub-Micron and Nanostructured Ceramics, *Colorado Springs*, *CO*. Engineering Conf. Intern, 6 MetroTech Ctr., Brooklyn, NY 11201; 718-260-3743; fax 718-260-3754; e-mail info@engconfintl.org; www.engconfintl.org/9ac.html.
- 8–12 ▼ E-MRS 2009 Spring Meeting, Strasbourg, France. European Materials Research Society, 23 Rue du Loess, BP 20 67037 Strasbourg Cedex 2, Strasbourg, France; 33-3-88-10-63-72; fax 33-3-88-10-63-43; e-mail emrs@emrs-strasbourg.com; www.emrs-strasbourg.com. E-MRS.
- 16–18 ▼ Magnetics and Optics Research Intl. Symp. for New Storage Technology (MORIS 2009), Hyogo, Japan. MORIS 2009 Secretariat, Proactive Inc., Bay-wing Kobe 10F, 85-1, Edo-cho, Chuo-ku, Kobe 650-0033, Japan; 81-78-332-2505; e-mail moris2009@pac.ne.jp. Endorsed.
- 28–1 ▼ 2nd Intl. Conf. on Self-Healing Materials (ICSHM), Chicago, IL. Conf. Secretariat, ICS, PO Box 14645, 1001 LC Amsterdam, The Netherlands; 31-20-679-32-18; fax 31-20-675-82-36; e-mail selfhealingmaterials@ ics-online.nl; http://conferences. beckman.uiuc.edu/ICSHM2009.
- 28–3 ▼ 17th Intl. Conf. on Solid State Ionics, Toronto, Canada. Marlene Wightman, NYS College of Ceramics at Alfred University, 2 Pine St., Alfred, NY 14802-1296; 607-871-2425; fax 607-871-2392; e-mail wightman@alfred.edu; www.ssi-17.net. Endorsed.
- 28–3 ▼ Intl. Conf. on Materials for Advanced Technologies (ICMAT) 2009, Singapore. MRS Singapore, ICMAT Secretariat, 3 Research Link, Singapore; 65-6874-1975; fax 65-6777-2393; e-mail mrs-singapore@mrs.org.sg; www.mrs.org.sg. MRS-S.
- 29–1 ▼ Insulating Films on Semiconductors, 16th Bi-annual Conf., Cambridge, UK. John Robertson, Cambridge University, Cambridge, UK; e-mail jr@eng.cam. ac.uk; www.INFOS2009.org.

29-2 3rd Intl. Exhibition of the Plastics Industry (PLASTICOS '09), Buenos Aires, Argentina.
E-mail info@banpaku.com.ar; www.banpaku.com.ar/banpaku_en.htm.

JULY 2009

- 6–9 ▼ Organic Microelectronics and Optoelectronics V, San Francisco, CA. www. organicmicroelectronics.org. MRS.
- 9-10 23rd Intl. Activated Carbon Conf., Johannesburg, South Africa. PACS Inc., 409 Meade Dr., Coraopolis, PA 15108; 724-457-6576; fax 724-457-1214; e-mail Barb@pacslabs. com; pacslabs.com/conferences/ index.php.
- 26–30 ▼ Microscopy and Microanalysis 2009, *Richmond*, *VA*. Nicole Guy; e-mail nicoleguy@ conferencemanagers.com; www. microscopy.org/MMMeetings/MM09.

AUGUST 2009

- 2-7 ▼ 42nd IUPAC Congress: Chemistry Solutions, Glasgow, Scotland. Ruth Bircham, Conference Assistant, Royal Society for Chemistry, Thomas Graham House, Milton Rd., Science Park, Cambridge CB4 0WF, UK; 44-1223-432361; fax 44-1223-423623; www. iupac2009.org. Endorsed.
- 9–14 ▼ 17th American Conf. on Crystal Growth and Epitaxy (ACCGE-17), Lake Geneva, WI. Simon Watkins, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, BC; 778-782-5763: fax 778-782-3592.
- **16–20** ▼ XVIII Intl. Materials Research Congress 2009, *Cancun, Mexico.* M-MRS.
- 23–28 23rd Intl. Conf. on Amorphous and Nanocrystalline Semiconductors (ICANS), *Utrecht, Netherlands.* ICANS 21 Campus da Caparica, 2829–516 Caparica, Portugal; 351–212-948-524/62; fax 351–212-941-365; e-mail icans21@ fct.unl.pt; www.icans23.org.
- 31–4 ▼ YUCOMAT 2009, Herceg Novi, Yugoslavia. Aleksandra Stojicic, e-mail yumrs@ith.sanu.ac.yu.; www.yumrs.org.yu.

SEPTEMBER 2009

13–18 XIV Intl. Conf. on Small-Angle Scattering (SAS-2009), Oxford, UK. E-mail s.m.king@rl.ac.uk; www.isis.rl.ac.uk/largescale/loq/SAS2009/SAS2009.htm.

20–25 SBPMat Brazil-MRS, IUMRS-ICAM, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. E-mail sbpmat@sbpmat.org.br; www.sbpmat.org.br. IUMRS, B-MRS.

OCTOBER 2009

4–9 Electrochemical Society
Meeting Fall 2009 (ECS), Vienna,
Austria. ECS, 65 S. Main St., Bldg.
D, Pennington, NJ, 08534-2839;
609-737-1092; fax 609-737-2743;
e-mail ecs@electrochem.org;
www.electrochem.org/meetings/
biannual/fut_mtgs.htm.

8-9 24th Intl. Activated Carbon Conf., *Pittsburgh, PA*. PACS Inc., 409 Meade Dr., Coraopolis, PA 15108; 724-457-6576; fax 724-457-1214; e-mail Barb@pacslabs.com; pacslabs.com/conferences/index.php.

13–15 ▼ Second World Materials Summit, Shanghai, China. Yafang Han, C-MRS, e-mail yfhan@buaa.edu.cn. IUMRS, MRS, C-MRS, E-MRS.

18–22 The Federation of Analytical Chemistry and Spectroscopy Societies (FACSS) 2009, *Louisville, KY*. E-mail rfacss@facss.org.

26–29 Magnesium 2009, 8th Intl. Conf. on Magnesium Alloys and Their Applications, *Weimar, Germany.* Anja Mangold, DGM, Senckenberganlage 10, D-60325, Frankfurt, Germany; 49-69-75306-747; fax 49-69-75306-733; e-mail magnesium@dgm.de; www.dgm.de/magnesium.

NOVEMBER 2009

2–6 APS Annual DPP Meeting, *Atlanta, GA.* APS, www.aps.org/meet/calendar.cfm.

30–4 2009 MRS Fall Meeting, Boston, MA. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-779-3003; fax 724-779-8313; e-mail info@mrs.org; www.mrs. org. MRS.

MARCH 2010

15–19 APS March Meeting 2010, *Portland, OR.* www.aps. org/meet/calendar.cfm.



APRIL 2010

5-9 2010 MRS Spring Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086; 724-779-3003; fax 724-779-8313; e-mail info@mrs.org; www.mrs.org. MRS.

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