- Galendar of Events

April 1996

1-3 Colmar, France

5th International Symposium on TRENDS AND NEW APPLICATIONS IN THIN FILMS: HARD COATINGS

Sponsors: International Union for Vacuum Science, Technique and Application, Deutsch Vacuum Gesellschaft, Societe Française du Vide

Contact: Societe Française du Vide, 19, rue du Renard - 75004, Paris França. Tel (+33) 1 42 78 15 82 Fax (+33) 1 42 78 63 20

14-19 Chicago, IL, USA

American Welding Society Annual Meeting & WELDING Show

Sponsor: American Welding Society

Contact: American Welding Society, PO Box 351040, 550 NW LeJeune Road, Miami, FL 33135 United States. Tel (305) 443 9353 Fax (305) 443 7559 Tx 519245

22-26 San Francisco, CA, USA

Materials Research Society Spring Meeting

22-26, San Diego, CA, USA

International Conference on Metallurgical Coatings and Thin Films, ICMCTF 96

23-25 Chicago, IL, USA

American WELDING Society Annual Meeting

25-28 Las Vegas, NV, USA

International Thermal Spray Association Spring Meeting

Sponsor: International Thermal Spray Association Contact: Gary Ritchie, 2150 East 37th Street, Vernon, CA 90058, USA. Tel (213) 232 2372 Fax (213) 232 6456

May 1996

14-17 Newcastle-upon-Tyne, United Kingdom 4th International Conference on ADVANCES IN SURFACE ENGINEERING

14-17, Beijing, China

CHT'96 - International Exhibition on HEAT TREATING

Topics: Technology and Equipments

Sponsor: Chinese Mechanical Engineering Society Heat

Treatment Institution (CMES HTI)

Contact: Mr. Chen Zailing, Mr. Ge Jingjing, CHT'96 Office, P.O. Box 707, Beijing 100083 China. Tel (86-010) 2017078 Fax

(86-010) 2017108 Tx 222573 RIMET CN

16-18 London, United Kingdom

7th European Conference on COMPOSITE MATERIALS

20-24 Les Embiez, France

4th International Symposium on HIGH TEMPERATURE CORROSION AND PROTECTION OF MATERIALS - 207th Event of the EFC

Sponsors: Centre Français de l'Anticorrosion CEFRACOR, Université de Provence, Electric Power Research Institute,

European Federation of Corrosion

Contact: Centre Français de l'Anticorrosion CEFRACOR, 28 rue Saint Dominique, 75007, Paris France. Tel (33) 1 47 05 39 26 Fax (33) 1 45 55 90 74

Language: English and French

27-29 Stockholm, Sweden

European Conference on Advances in HARD MATERIALS PRODUCTION

Sponsor: European Powder Metallurgy Association **Contact:** European Powder Metallurgy Association, Old Bank Buildings, Bellstone, Shrewsbury SY1 1HU United Kingdom. Tel (0) 1743 248 899 Fax (0) 1743 362 968

June 1996

Lyon, France

International Conference on INTELLIGENT MATERIALS 1996

5-8 Dayton, OH, USA

AEROMAT'96: 7th ADVANCED AEROSPACE MATERIALS & PROCESSES Conference

Topics: The materials needs of the aerospace industry; structures & propulsion applications, now & in the future; properties; processing; design; nondestructive inspection; manufacturing; repair & maintenance; supportability & reliability; comparison of materials & processes for airframe & engine applications

Sponsor: ASM International

Contact: AeroMat '96, Member Services Center, ASM International, Materials Park, OH 44073 United States. Tel (216) 338 5151 Fax (216) 338 4634 Internet

Mem-Serv@po.ASM-Intl.org

10-13 Kyongju, South Korea

Third KSME-JSME THERMAL ENGINEERING Conference

Contact: S.C. Lee, Yeungnam University, Dept of Mechanical Engineering, Gyongsan 712-749 South Korea. Tel +82 53 810 2453 Fax +82 53 813 3703

10-13 Birmingham, United Kingdom

ASME Turbo Expo '96 - LAND, SEA, AND AIR

Topics: Materials; manufacturing and component fabrication; structural ceramics; fracture, fatigue and life prediction **Sponsor:** American Society of Mechanical Engineers **Contact:** Conference Dept, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, 345 East 47th Street, New York, NY 10017 United States. Tel (212) 705 7722 Fax (212) 705 7674

12-15, Singapore

International Exhibition for SURFACE ENGINEERING

16-21 Washington, DC, USA POWDER METALLURGY World Congress

16-21 Washington, DC, USA

METAL POWDER Industries Federation POWDER METALLURGY Exhibition

17-20 Cleveland, OH, USA

AESF SUR/FIN '96 Conference & Exhibition

July 1996

FL, USA

3rd International Conference on NANOSTRUCTURED MATERIALS

1-3 Glasgow, Scotland, United Kingdom

POLYMERS IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY

Sponsor: Institute of Materials

Contact: Lisa Davies, Conference Department, Institute of Materials, 1 Carlton House Terrace, London SW1Y 5DB United Kingdom. Tel 0171 235 1391 Fax 0171 823 1638

1-5 Hong Kong, Hong Kong

6th Asia-Pacific ELECTRON MICROSCOPY Conference

Contact: Dr E.C.Chen, Department of Anatomy, Chinese University of Hong Kong, New Territories Hong Kong. Tel 609 6845 Fax 603 5031

2-4 London, United Kingdom

MICRO'96 - International MICROSCOPY Conference and Exhibition

Topics: Life sciences; materials sciences; technical lectures by exhibitors

Contact: Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St Clements, Oxford OX1 1AJ UK. Tel 01865 248768 Fax 01865 791237 Internet rms@vax.ox.ac.uk.

9-12 Brisbane, QLD, Australia

MATERIALS RESEARCH '96 - an IMMA Research Conference

Sponsor: Institute of Metals and Materials Australasia Contact: Institute of Metals and Materials Australasia, PO Box 19, Parkville, Vic 3052 Australia. Tel (03) 326 7266 Fax (03) 326 7272

15-17 Cairns, Australia

PacRim2, 2nd International Meeting of Pacific Rim Ceramic Societies

August 1996

28-31 Leuven, Belgium

10th Conference of the European Society of BIOMECHANICS

Sponsor: European Society of Biomechanics

Contact: Dr J. Vander Sloten, Executive Secretary, 10th Conference of the European Society of Biomechanics, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Div of Biomechanics and Engineering Design, Celestijnenlaan 200A, B-3001, Heverlee Belgium. Tel +32 16 32 70 96 Fax +32 16 29 27 16 Internet: jos. vandersloten@mech.kuleuven.ac.be

September 1996

Chicago, IL, United States

IMTS: International MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY Show

Sponsor: Association for Manufacturing Technology Contact: Association for Manufacturing Technology, 7901 Westpark Dr, McLean, VA 22102 USA. Tel (703) 893 2900

2-4 Singapore, Singapore

SMT-10 10th International Conference on SURFACE MODIFICATION TECHNOLOGIES

Topics: Coating materials & techniques for tribological applications; advanced surface analysis techniques; testing of surface coatings; prediction of coating failure; laser processing; physical & chemical vapor coating; wear behaviour; high temperature coatings; characterization of coatings

Sponsor: Nanyang Technological University, Institute of Materials, Minerals, Metals and Materials Society (TMS)

Contact: The Secretariat, Nanyang Technological University, Centre for Continuing Education, Nanyang Avenue, Singapore 2263 Singapore. Tel (65) 799 5243 Fax (65) 791 6178

Language: English

16-18 Cambridge, United Kingdom

3rd International Conference on MICROSCOPY OF OXIDATION

Sponsor: Institute of Materials

Contact: T. Davies, Conference Department, Institute of Materials, 1 Carlton House Terrace, London SWIY 5DB United

Kingdom. Tel 0171 839 4071 Fax 0171 839 3576

October 1996

Albuquerque, NM, USA

ASME/STLE TRIBOLOGY Conference

Sponsor: Society of Tribologists and Lubrication Engineers **Contact:** STLE, 840 Busse Hwy, Park Ridge, IL 60068 United States. Tel (708) 825 5536 Fax (708) 825 1456

6-10 Cincinnati, OH, USA ASM MATERIALS Week

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NTSC'96: 9th National THERMAL SPRAY Conference & Exposition

Sponsor: ASM International

Contact: Member Services Center, ASM International, Materials Park, OH 44073 United States. Tel (216) 338 5151 Fax (216) 338 4634 Internet Mem-Serv@po.ASM-Intl.org

November 1996

15 - 21 Charlotte, NC, USA

SSPC 96 - Annual Meeting of the STEEL STRUCTURES PAINTING Council

Sponsor: Steel Structures Painting Council

Contact: SSPC, 4516 Henry St, Suite 301, Pittsburgh, PA 15213-3728 United States. Tel (412) 687 1113 Fax (412) 268

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December 1996

2-6 Boston, MA, USA

Materials Research Society Fall Meeting 1996

Contact: Mary E. Kaufold, Materials Research Society, Suite 327, 9800 Mcknight Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15237-6006 USA. Tel (412) 367 3036 Fax (412) 367 4373

12-13 London, United Kingdom

BASIC CORROSION ENGINEERING: Short Course

Sponsor: Welding Institute

Contact: Jenny Edwards, Training Services, TWI, Abington Hall, Abington, Cambridge CB1 6AL United Kingdom. Tel 0223 891 162 Fax 0223 892 588 Tx 81183

February 1997

9-13 Orlando, FL, USA

ADVANCES IN COATINGS TECHNOLOGIES. II: Symposia at the 1997 TMS Annual Meeting

Sponsor: Minerals, Metals and Materials Society (TMS) Contact: Ms. Barbara J. Kamperman, TMS - The Minerals, Metals & Material Society, 420 Commonwealth Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7514 USA. Tel (412) 776-9050 Fax (412) 776-3770