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4–7 February 1997

**Ramada Hotel, Gold Coast, Australia**

**10th Australasian Electrochemistry Conference 1997**

10 AEC Gold Coast 1977 – ‘Electrochemistry at the Edge’

- Industrial electrochemistry
- Biological electrochemistry
- Corrosion
- Redox active co-ordination compounds
- Mineral electrochemistry
- General session
- Education in electrochemistry
- Poster sessions

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14–18 April 1997

**Hotel Princesa Sofia, Barcelona, Spain**

**Fourth European Electrochemical Processing Conference Electrochemical Processing-The Versatile Solution**

- Tutorial lectures and seminars
- Electrosynthesis
- Environmental techniques and waste treatment
- Recovery and recycling of materials
- Electrochemistry and nuclear processing

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17–19 April 1997

**Dresden, Germany**

**3. Elektrochemisches Grundlagensymposium in Verbindung mit dem 2. Kurt-Schwabe-Symposium**

- Passivity and anodising
- Metallic coatings
- Inhibitors
- Langmuir–Blodgett films
- Organic coatings, including polymers
- Electrophoretic coatings
- Surface finishing – new methods and processes

Gesellschaft  
Deutscher Chemiker  
Abt. Tagungen  
Postfach 90 04 40  
D-60444 Frankfurt am Main  
Germany

21–23 April 1997

**Brighton Thistle Hotel, Brighton, UK**

**20th International Power Sources Symposium**

Call for papers

- Original work is sought related to research, development and use of non-mechanical power sources
- Primary, secondary and reserve batteries
- Fuel cells and solar cells
- Thermoelectric cells and thermionic generators
- Papers of not more than 5000 words are sought
- Selected papers will be published in the *Journal of Power Sources*
- Abstracts of 250 words maximum should be sent by 15 July 1996 to:

The Editor, Power Sources 16  
1 Oakley Drive, Fleet  
Hampshire GU13 9PP  
UK  
Tel/Fax: +44 1252 616068  
Further information on the symposium is available from:  
IPSS, P.O. Box 85  
Crowborough  
East Sussex TN6 1DW  
Tel/Fax: +44 1892 723408

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21–23 April 1997

**Maastricht Exposition & Congress Centre (MECC), The Netherlands**

**EUROMAT 97 – Materials, Functionality and Design**

Together with the 3rd Materials Engineering Exhibition.  
8 parallel symposia and 8 keynote lectures on:

- Metals and composites
- Polymers and composites
- Ceramic, glass and composites
- Surface engineering
- Functional materials
- Microstructural characterization
- Sustainable development
- Application of materials in relation to design and production

Abstracts of approximately 200 words before 1 July 1996 to:  
EUROMAT 97  
P.O. Box 390  
NL 3330 AJ Zwijndrecht  
Tel: +31 78 619 26 55  
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E-mail: bvm@metropolis.nl

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28–31 May 1997

**Montréal, Quebec, Canada**

**Journées d'Electrochimie**

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4–6 June 1997

**Gloucester Hotel, London, UK**

**International Chlorine Symposium 1997  
(Chlorine 97)**

- The public and chlorine
- Environmental legislation
- Technical reviews and advances
- Developments in electrodes, membranes and cell technology
- Chlorine handling, storage and transport
- Hypochlorite and chlorate
- Health and Safety

Chlorine 97  
SCI Conference Department  
14/15 Belgrave Square  
London SW1X 8PS  
Fax: 0171 235 7743  
Email: conferences@chemind.demon.co.uk

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9–14 June 1997

**Frankfurt am Main, Germany**

**ACHEMA 97  
25th International Meeting on Chemical Engineering,  
Environmental Protection and Biotechnology**

DECHEMA e. V.  
PO Box 15 01 04  
D-60061 Frankfurt am Main  
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Fax: + 49 69 7564 201  
Tel: + 49 69 7564 243

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15–17 June 1997

**University of Karlsruhe, Germany**

**7th International Fischer Symposium on "Scales in  
Electrochemical Systems – from Angstroms to Metres"**

- Atomic structure of surfaces and interfaces
- Small cluster and phase formation phenomena
- Micro and nano-structuring and modification of surfaces
- Microelectrodes and sensors
- Thin layers and compact deposits and coatings
- Electrocatalysts and fuel cells
- Electrochemical Engineering
- Industrial electrochemical processes

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6–10 July 1997

**Montréal, Quebec, Canada**

**The Second International Symposium on New  
Materials for Fuel Cell and Modern Battery Systems**

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15–17 July 1997

**Oxford, UK**

**Surface Treatment 97**

Computer Methods and Experimental Measurements for  
Surface Treatment

- Shot peening, rolling, grinding and polishing
- Surface coating and surface improvement
- Electrical and electrochemical processes
- Thermal, chemical and mechanical processes
- Residual stress and mechanical properties
- Corrosion and fatigue
- Wear mechanisms
- Laser surface treatment and laser cutting

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13–18 August 1997

**Apatity, Russia (Kola Science Centre)**

**NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Refractory  
Metals in Molten Salts – their chemistry,  
electrochemistry and technology**

A limited number of places are available to applicants.  
For further information and application forms:  
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