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## Calendar

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**19–21 March 2001**

**Gulf Hotel, Bahrain**

**9th Middle East Corrosion Conference and Exhibition**

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**4–5 April 2001**

**Southampton, England**

**The Development of Electrolytic Processes-Laboratory Studies and Pilot Scale Experience: a Short Course**

- Understanding electrode reactions
- Electrochemical engineering and cell design
- Mass transport
- Electrocatalysis
- Using voltammetry to aid rapid process design
- Selecting electrode materials and form
- Membranes and other separators
- Parallel plate reactors
- Modern trends in cell design
- Quantitative figures of merit and drivers for process improvement
- Case studies: synthesis, effluent treatment and materials recycling

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**22–25 April 2001**

**University of Salford, UK**

**New Directions in Electroanalysis**

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**25–27 April 2001**

**Saint-Etienne, France**

**3rd International Colloquium on Hard & Decorative Chromium Plating:  
The Challenge of the 21st Century**

- Bath control
- Deposit characterisation
- Process improvement
- Recycling and environmental issues
- New chromium plating processes
- Electrochemical, electroless and other alternative deposition strategies
- Industrial experience

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**4–8 June 2001**

**Moscow, Russia**

**Electrochemistry and Surface Technology**

**200th Birthday of Professor Moritz Jakobi (1801–1874)  
International Conference and Exhibition**

- Electroplating and surface technology
- Fundamental problems of electrocrystallisation

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**5–8 June 2001**

**Hotel Atlas, Marrakech, Morocco**

**Journées d'Electrochimie 2001 (JE2001)**

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**17–22 June 2001**

**Marilleva (Trento), Italy**

**5th International Symposium on Impedance Spectroscopy (EIS 2000)**

- Science and applications
- Corrosion and electrodeposition
- Electrochemical kinetics
- Electronically- and ionically conducting polymers
- Semiconductors
- Batteries and fuel cells

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**20–22 June 2001**

**Seville, Spain**

**Fifth International Conference on Surface Treatment: Computer Methods and Experimental Measurements for Surface Treatment Effects (Including electrochemical processes)**

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**26–28 June 2001**

**Nuremberg, Germany**

**Electrochemical Applications of Membranes**

(As part of ECCE3 Meeting)

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**26–28 June 2001**

**Nuremberg, Germany**

**ECCE3: 3rd European Congress of Chemical Engineering**

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**02–06 July 2001**

**Lucerne, Switzerland**

**The Fuel Cell Home: Residential Applications of Fuel Cells**

PO Box 99  
CH-5452  
Oberrohrdorf  
Switzerland

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**02–04 July 2001**

**University of Newcastle, UK**

**Short Course on Electrochemical Process Engineering**

- Principles of electrochemical engineering
- Reactor modelling and design
- Laboratory workshops

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**8–13 July 2001**

**University of Southampton, UK**

**Summer School 2001: Instrumental Methods in Electrochemistry**

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**9–13 July 2001**

**Montreal, Canada**

**Fourth International Symposium on New Materials for Electrochemical Systems**

- Fuel cells
- Supercapacitors

- Advanced batteries
- Sensors
- Materials synthesis and characterisation
- Systems integration and commercial aspects

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### 25–30 August 2001

Toronto, Ontario, Canada

#### Electrometallurgy 2001 31st Annual Hydrometallurgy Meeting International symposium on fundamental and applied advances in the electrometallurgy of Co, Ni, Zn, Cu and Pb

- Plant practice
- Cell design
- Anodes for electrowinning
- Electrode kinetics
- Mathematical modelling
- Molten salt electrowinning and electrorefining

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### 2–6 September 2001

Montpellier, France

#### Polymers in the Third Millennium

- Polymer synthesis and modification
- Polymers in the living environment
- Polymers in electrical and electromagnetic environments
- Structure and characterisation of polymers

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### 2–7 September 2001

San Francisco, USA

#### 52nd ISE Meeting and 22th Meeting of the Electrochemical Society

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### 17–19 September 2001

Loughborough University, UK

#### Electrochem 2001

- Biomedical electrochemistry
- Electroanalytical and electrochemical sensors
- Electrochemical education
- Electrochemical materials for power sources
- Electrochemical surface treatment of metals
- Electrochemistry of nanoparticulate systems
- Environmental electrochemical engineering and technology
- Electrochemistry under extreme conditions
- General electrochemistry
- Interdisciplinary electrochemistry
- Postgraduate research student session

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### 18–20 September 2001

Edinburgh, Scotland

#### 2001, A Corrosion Odyssey (NACE-Institute of Corrosion Joint Conference and Exhibition)

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### 20–22 February 2002

New Delhi, India

#### GLOCORR 2002: International Conference on Emerging Corrosion Control Strategies for the New Millenium

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**15–17 April 2002**

**Fritz-Haber Institute, Berlin, Germany**

**The Dynamic Electrode Surface**

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**23–28 June 2002**

**Monterey Conference Centre, Monterey, California, USA**

**11th International Meeting on Lithium Batteries (IMLB 11)**

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**01–05 July 2002**

**Lucerne, Switzerland**

**5th European SOFC Forum**

European Fuel Cell Symposium  
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**15–20 September 2002**

**Dusseldorf, Germany**

**53rd ISE Meeting**

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**22–25 September 2002**

**Como, Italy**

**ECS '02: 4th International Symposium on Electrocatalysis'**

**From Theory to Industrial Applications  
(Satellite meeting of the 53rd ISE Meeting)**

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**31 August–5 September 2003**

**Florianopolis, Brazil**

**54th ISE Meeting**

**September 2004**

**Thessaloniki, Greece**

**55th ISE Meeting**

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