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### DECEMBER 1997

**1-5 MRS Fall Meeting, Boston, MA.** Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 412-779-3003; fax 412-779-8313; <http://www.mrs.org/>. **MRS.**

**9-10 14th Annual Flat Information Displays Conf., Monterey, CA.** L. Barretto, Stanford Resources, Inc., 3150 Almaden Expwy., Ste. 255, San Jose, CA 95118; 408-448-4440; fax 408-448-4445; e-mail stanford.resources@internetmci.com; <http://www.stanfordresources.com>

**13-17 Intl. Conf. on Molecular Electronics—Science and Technology, Humacao, PR.** Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail [engfnd@aol.com](mailto:engfnd@aol.com); <http://www.engfnd.org>.

**16-20 9th Intl. Workshop on Physics of Semiconductor Devices, Delhi, India.** S.K. Agarwal, Secretary, IWPSD-97, Solid State Physics Lab., Lucknow Rd., Timarpur, Delhi-110054, India; 91-11-238739; fax 91-11-2913609; e-mail [ska@drsspl.ren.nic.in](mailto:ska@drsspl.ren.nic.in).

### JANUARY 1998

**6-9 7th Joint MMM-Intermag Magnetism Conf., San Francisco, CA.** D. Suiters, Conf. Coordinator, 655 15th St. N.W., Ste. 300, Washington, DC 20005; 202-639-5088; fax 202-347-6109; e-mail [magnetism@courtesy.assoc.com](mailto:magnetism@courtesy.assoc.com).

**11-16 Surface Characterization of Adsorption and Interfacial Reactions II, Kona, HI.** Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail [engfnd@aol.com](mailto:engfnd@aol.com); <http://www.engfnd.org>.

**14-16 Natl. Seminar on Performance Enhancement of Cements and Concretes by Use of Flyash, Slag, Silica Fume, and Chemical Admixtures, New Delhi, India.** Natl. Council for Cement and Building Materials, 34 KM Stone, Delhi-Mathura Rd. (NH-2), Ballabgarh 121 004, India; 91-129-242051; fax 91-129-242100; e-mail [nccbm@giadsl01.vsnl.net.in](mailto:nccbm@giadsl01.vsnl.net.in).

**18-21 PCSI-25: 25th Conference on the Physics and Chemistry of Semiconductor Interfaces, Salt Lake City, UT.** J.D. Dow, 6031 East Cholla Lane, Scottsdale, AZ 85253; fax 602-423-5183; e-mail [feenstra@andrew.cmu.edu](mailto:feenstra@andrew.cmu.edu); <http://stm1.phys.cmu.edu/pcsi/>.

**20-24 ACerS Engineering Ceramics Division 22nd Conf. on Composites, Advanced Ceramics, Materials, and Structures, Cocoa Beach, FL.** American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-794-5890; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail [customersrvc@acers.org](mailto:customersrvc@acers.org); <http://www.acers.org>.

### FEBRUARY 1998

**2-4 Advanced Solid State Lasers; Radiative Processes and Dephasing in Semiconductors, Coeur D'Alene, ID.** Optical Society of America, OSA Conf. Services, 202-416-1980; fax 202-416-6100; e-mail [confserv@osa.org](mailto:confserv@osa.org).

**15-19 127th TMS Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX.** Customer Service Dept., TMS, 420 Commonwealth Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086; 412-776-9000; fax 412-776-3770; e-mail [csc@tms.org](mailto:csc@tms.org); <http://www.tms.org/meetings/meeting.html>.

**22-27 High-Temperature Electronic Materials, Devices and Sensors, San Diego, CA.** Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., Ste., 303, New York, NY 10017-2375; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail [engfnd@aol.com](mailto:engfnd@aol.com); <http://www.engfnd.org/>.

**22-27 Microolithography Conf., Santa Clara, CA.** SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

**23-26 SAE Intl. Congress, Detroit, MI.** Meetings & Exhibits Dept., Society of Automotive Engineers, 400 Commonwealth Dr., Warrendale, PA 15096-0001; 412-776-4841; fax 412-776-1830; e-mail [tim@sae.org](mailto:tim@sae.org).

**27 Microscopy of Interfaces—Joint EMAG/RMS Meeting, London, UK.** Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1865-248-768; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail [info@rms.org.uk](mailto:info@rms.org.uk); <http://www.rms.org.uk>.

### MARCH 1998

**1-4 10th Intl. Symposium on Integrated Ferroelectrics, Monterey, CA.** A. Miller, ISIF-98 Conf. Coordinator, Intl. Symposium on Integrated Ferroelectrics, Univ. of Colorado at Colorado Springs, P.O. Box 7150, Colorado Springs, CO 80933-7150; 719-262-3488; fax 719-594-4257; e-mail [asmiller@vlsi.uccs.edu](mailto:asmiller@vlsi.uccs.edu).

**1-5 Smart Structures and Materials Conf., San Diego, CA.** SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

**1-6 Pittcon'98—A Kaleidoscope of Chemistry, New Orleans, LA.** The Pittsburgh Conf., Dept. CFP, 300 Penn Center Blvd., Ste. 332, Pittsburgh, PA 15235-5503; 412-825-3220; fax 412-825-3224; e-mail [pittconinfo@pittcon.org](mailto:pittconinfo@pittcon.org).

**12-13 JFCC Intl. Workshop in Fine Ceramics '98—Ceramic Material Systems with Composite Structure, Nagoya, Japan, N.** Kosuge, c/o JFCC, 2-4-1 Mutsuno, Atsuta, Nagoya 456, Japan; 81-52-871-3500; fax 81-52-871-3599.

**16-20 Intl. Conf. on Porous Semiconductors—Science and Technology, Mallorca, Spain.** V. Parkhutik, Dept. of Applied Thermodynamics, Technical Univ. of Valencia, Camino de Vera s/n, 46071 Valencia, Spain; 34-6-387-7328; fax 34-6-387-7329; e-mail [psst-98@upvnet.upv.es](mailto:psst-98@upvnet.upv.es); [http://www.upv.es/psst\\_98](http://www.upv.es/psst_98).

**18-20 6th Intl. Symposium on Trends and Applications of Thin Films, Regensburg, Germany.** H. Hoffmann, Inst. für Experimentelle und Angewandte Physik, Univ. Regensburg, Universitätsstrasse 31, D-93040 Regensburg, Germany; 49-941-943-2621; fax 49-941-943-4544; e-mail [horst.hoffmann@physik.uni-regensburg.de](mailto:horst.hoffmann@physik.uni-regensburg.de).

**22-27 53rd Annual Corrosion Conf., San Diego, CA.** NACE Intl., P.O. Box 218340, Houston, TX 77218-8340; 281-228-6223; fax 281-492-8254; e-mail [conference@mail.nace.org](mailto:conference@mail.nace.org); <http://www.nace.org>.

**23-27 9th Asia-Pacific Conf. on Nondestructive Testing, Spring Conf., and 7th Annual Research Symposium, Anaheim, CA.** American Society for Nondestructive Testing, Inc., 1711 Arlington Lane, P.O. Box 28518, Columbus, OH 43228-0518; 800-222-2768 or 614-274-6003; fax 614-274-6899; <http://www.asnt.org>.

**24-29 Intl. Workshop on High Temperature Superconductors and Novel Inorganic Materials Engineering, Moscow, Russia.** A.I. D'yachenko, MSU-HTSC V Secretariat, Dept. of Chemistry, Moscow State Univ., Moscow 119899, Russia; 7-95-939-3490; fax 7-95-939-4788; e-mail [dyachenko@inorg.chem.mus.su](mailto:dyachenko@inorg.chem.mus.su).

**29-3 Symposium on Applications of Spectroscopy to Superconducting Materials—215th Spring National American Chemical Society Meeting, Dallas, TX.** E. Faulques, Inst. Matériaux, LPC, 2 rue de la Houssinière, BP 32229, F-44322 Nantes Cedex 3, France; 33-2-40-373972; fax 33-2-40-373991; e-mail [faulques@cnrs-imn.fr](mailto:faulques@cnrs-imn.fr); <http://www.acs.org>.

**30-3 Nondestructive Evaluation of Aging Infrastructure and Manufacturing, San Antonio, TX.** SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

### APRIL 1998

**6-8 Microscopy of Composite Materials—Materials Congress 98, Cirencester, UK.** Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1865-248-768; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail [info@rms.org.uk](mailto:info@rms.org.uk); <http://www.rms.org.uk>.

**13-17 MRS Spring Meeting, San Francisco, CA.** Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 412-779-3003; fax 412-779-8313; <http://www.mrs.org/>. **MRS.**

**14-18 Focus on Multidimensional Microscopy, Sydney, UK.** Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1865-248-768; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail [info@rms.org.uk](mailto:info@rms.org.uk); <http://www.rms.org.uk>.

**20-24 Spring School in Electron Microscopy, Sheffield, UK.** Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1865-248-768; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail [info@rms.org.uk](mailto:info@rms.org.uk); <http://www.rms.org.uk>.

**20-25 7th Conf. on Frontiers of Electron Microscopy in Materials Science, Irsee, Germany.** Kloster Irsee, Schwaebisches Tagungs- und Bildungszentrum, Klosterring 4, 87660 Irsee, Germany; 49-8341-906-00; fax 49-8341-742-78.

**26-1 44th Annual Technical Meeting of the Inst. of Environmental Sciences, Phoenix, AZ.** Inst. of Environmental Sciences, 940 E. Northwest Hwy., Mt. Prospect, IL 60056; 847-255-1561; 847-255-1699; e-mail [istenvsci@aol.com](mailto:istenvsci@aol.com).

**26-1 Nonstoichiometric Ceramics and Intermetallics, Kona, HI.** Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail [engfnd@aol.com](mailto:engfnd@aol.com); <http://www.engfnd.org>.

**27-1 The 25th International Conference on Metallurgical Coatings and Thin Films ICMCTF 98, San Diego, CA.** Mary S. Gray, Suite 1366, 14011-F Saint Germain Drive, Centreville, VA 20121; fax 703-968 8877; e-mail [104673.1235@compuserve.com](mailto:104673.1235@compuserve.com).

**28-30 Intl. Conf. on Magnesium Alloys and Their Applications, Wolfsburg, Germany.** P. Geis, Conf. Secretariat, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Materialkunde e.V., Hamburger Allee 26, D-60486 Frankfurt, Germany; 49-69-7917-758; fax 49-69-7917-733.

### MAY 1998

**3-6 100th ACerS Annual Meeting, Cincinnati, OH.** American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-794-5890; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail [customersrvc@acers.org](mailto:customersrvc@acers.org); <http://www.acers.org>.

**3-8 Conf. on Lasers and Electro-Optics; Intl. Quantum Electronics Conf., San Francisco, CA.** Optical Society of America, OSA Conf. Services, 202-416-1980; fax 202-416-6100; e-mail [confserv@osa.org](mailto:confserv@osa.org).

**3-8** ▼ Fullerenes: Chemistry, Physics, and New Directions XI, 193rd Meeting of the Electrochemical Society, *San Diego, CA*. V. Buntar, Atominstut der Oesterreichischen, Universitaeten, Schuettelstr. 115, A-1020, Vienna, Austria; 43-1-727-01296; fax 43-1-728-9220; e-mail buntar@ati.ac.at.

**10-13** ▼ Optical Data Storage Topical Meeting, *Aspen, CO*. Optical Society of America, OSA Conf. Services, 202-416-1980; fax 202-416-6100; e-mail confserv@osa.org.

**17-22** Fluidization IX, *Tamarron, CO*. Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail engfnd@aol.com; http://www.engfnd.org.

**22-1** ▼ Advanced Technologies Based on Wave and Beam Generated Plasmas, *Sozopol, Bulgaria*. H. Schlüter, Ruhr-Univ. Bochum, Inst. f. Experimentalphysik II, NB 5/67, 44780 Bochum, Germany; 49-234-700-3670; fax 49-234-7094-643; e-mail hs@plasma.ep2.ruhr-uni-bochum.de.

**26-29** High Temperature Structural Silicides, *Cape Cod, MA*. Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail engfnd@aol.com; http://www.engfnd.org.

## JUNE 1998

**1-5** 6th Intl. Symposium on Acoustic Emission from Composite Materials, *San Antonio, TX*. American Society for Nondestructive Testing, Inc., 1711 Arlinggate Lane, P.O. Box 28518, Columbus, OH 43228-0518; 800-222-2768 or 614-274-6003; fax 614-274-6899; http://www.asnt.org.

**2-5** 3rd European Solid Oxide Fuel Cell Forum, *Nantes, France*. 3rd European SOFC Forum Secretariat, c/o EDF, Dept. CIMA, Attn. Ph. Stevens, Les Renardières, F-77818 Morét sur Loing, France; fax 33-1-60-73-67-21; e-mail Philippe.Stevens@der.edf.gdf.fr.

**3-5** ▼ 3rd Intl. Symposium on Plasma Process-Induced Damage, *Honolulu, HI*. Northern Calif. Chapter—American Vacuum Society, 150 W. Iowa Ave., Ste. 104, Sunnyvale, CA 94086; 408-737-0767; fax 408-737-2403; e-mail nccavs@technicalmarketing.com; http://www.vacuum.org/nccavs/p2id.html.

**7-12** Modeling of Casting, Welding, and Advanced Solidification Processes VIII, *San Diego, CA*. Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail engfnd@aol.com; http://www.engfnd.org.

**8-10** 5th Intl. Conf. on Computer Aided Assessment and Control of Localized Damage, *Bologna, Italy*. L. Kerr, Localized Damage 98 Conf. Secretariat, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-1703-293223; fax 44-1703-292853; e-mail li@wessex.ac.uk; http://www.wessex.ac.uk.

**8-10** ▼ 8th Intl. Conf. on Tribology, *Ebeltoft, Denmark*. D. Larsen, NORTRIB'98, Danish Technological Inst. Tribologiceenter, Teknologiparken, DK-8000 Aarhus C, Denmark; 45-8943-8399; fax 45-8943-8310; e-mail doris.larsen@dti.dk.

**14-19** ▼ 3rd Intl. Conf. on Grain Growth, *Pittsburgh, PA*. Customer Service Dept., TMS, 420 Commonwealth Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086; 412-776-9000; fax 412-776-3770; e-mail csc@tms.org; http://www.tms.org/meetings/meeting.html. **MRS**.

**14-19** 9th World Ceramics Congress and Forum on New Materials, *Florence, Italy*. CIMTEC '98, P.O. Box 174, 48018 Faenza, Italy; 39-546-663362; fax 39-546-664138; http://www.dinamica.it/cimtec.

**14-19** Small Fatigue Cracks: Mechanics and Mechanisms, *Snowbird, UT*. Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail engfnd@aol.com; http://www.engfnd.org.

**22-24** ▼ 4th Intl. Workshop on Expert Evaluation and Control of Compound Semiconductor Materials and Technologies, *Cardiff, Wales, UK*. C. Summers, EXMATEC 98 Secretariat, Cardiff School of Engineering, P.O. Box 917, Newport Rd., Cardiff, Wales CF2 1XH, UK; 44-1222-874000; fax 44-1222-874421; e-mail summersc@cardiff.ac.uk.

**22-26** 12th Intl. Conf. on Ion Implantation Technology, *Kyoto, Japan*. I. Yamada, Ion Beam Engineering Experimental Lab, Kyoto Univ., Sakyo, Kyoto 606-01, Japan; 81-75-753-5951; fax 81-75-751-6774; e-mail iit98@nishiki.kuee.kyoto-u.ac.jp; http://nishiki.kuee.kyoto-u.ac.jp/IIT98.

**24-26** ▼ 5th Intl. Conf. on Structures Under Shock and Impact, *Thessaloniki, Greece*. L. Kerr, SUSI 98 Conf. Secretariat, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-1703-293-223; fax 44-1703-292-853; e-mail li@wessex.ac.uk; http://www.wessex.ac.uk.

**28-2** 3rd Oxford Conf. on Spectrometry, *Egham, Surrey, UK*. A. Springsteen, 3rd Oxford Conf., c/o Labsphere, Inc., P.O. Box 70, Shaker St., North Sutton, NH 03260; 603-927-4266; fax 603-927-4694; e-mail art\_spring@labsphere.com.

**29-3** 3rd Intl. Conf. on Electric Charge in Solid Insulators, *Tours, France*. Société Française du Vide, Div. Diélectriques, 19 rue du Renard, 75004 Paris, France; 33-1-53-01-90-30; fax 33-1-42-78-63-20; e-mail svf@club-internet.fr.

## JULY 1998

**5-10** Advances in Cement and Concrete, *Banff, Alberta, Canada*. Engineering Foundation, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017; 212-705-7836; fax 212-705-7441; e-mail engfnd@aol.com; http://www.engfnd.org.

**5-10** Intl. Congress on Glass '98, *San Francisco, CA*. American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-794-5890; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail customersvc@acers.org; http://www.acers.org.

**6-9** ▼ 9th Intl. Conf. on Intergranular and Interphase Boundaries in Materials, *Prague, Czech Republic*. V. Paidar, Inst. of Physics, AS CR, Na Slovance 2, 180 40 Praha 8, Czech Republic; fax 42-2-82-1227; e-mail metal@fzu.cz; http://www.fzu.cz/conferences/iib98.htm.

**7-9** Micro 98, *Hammersmith, London, UK*. Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1-865-248768; 44-1-865-791237; e-mail meetings@rms.org.uk; http://www.rms.org.uk.

**12-16** 3rd Pacific Rim Intl. Conf. on Advanced Materials and Processing, *Honolulu, HI*. P. Weiss, PRICM 3 Program Coordinator, TMS, 420 Commonwealth Dr., Warrendale, PA 15086-7514; 412-776-9000, ext. 227; fax 412-776-3770; e-mail weissp@tms.org.

**12-17** ▼ Gordon Research Conf. on Point and Line Defects in Semiconductors, *New London, NH*. C. Van de Walle, Xerox PARC, 3333 Coyote Hill Rd., Palo Alto, CA 94304; 650-812-4163; fax 650-812-4140; e-mail vandewalle@parc.xerox.com; http://www.parc.xerox.com/eml/projects/gordon.

**19-24** SPIE Annual Meeting and Optical Instrumentation Show, *San Diego, CA*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail spie@spie.org; http://www.spie.org.

**20-24** ▼ Light Microscopy Summer School, Principles and Applications, *Leeds, UK*. Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1865-248-768; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail info@rms.org.uk; http://www.rms.org.uk.

**26-30** ▼ ASME Pressure Vessels and Piping Conf., *San Diego, CA*. H. Levine, Weidinger Associates, Inc., 4410 El Camino Real, Ste. 110, Los Altos, CA 94022; 650-949-3011; fax 650-949-5735; e-mail levine@ca.wai.com.

**27-31** ▼ Light Microscopy Summer School, Principles and Applications, *Liverpool, UK*. Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, UK; 44-1865-248-768; fax 44-1865-791237; e-mail info@rms.org.uk; http://www.rms.org.uk.

## AUGUST 1998

**19-21** ▼ 20th Intl. Conf. on Boundary Element Methods, *Orlando, FL*. L. Kerr, Wessex Inst. of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK; 44-1703-293-223; fax 44-1703-292-853; e-mail li@wessex.ac.uk; http://www.wessex.ac.uk.

**23-26** Ceramic Manufacturing Council's Manufacturing Workshops, *Lexington, KY*. American Ceramic Society, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-6136; 614-794-5890; fax 614-899-6109; e-mail customersvc@acers.org; http://www.acers.org.

**24-27** Electroceramics VI, 11th Intl. Symposium on Applications of Ferroelectrics, and 4th European Conf. on Applications of Polar Dielectrics, *Montreux, Switzerland*. ECAPD & ISAF, Electroceramics VI, LC-DMX-EPFL, CH-1015 Lausanne, Switzerland; e-mail electro@lc.dmx.epfl.ch; http://dmxwww.epfl.ch/lc/electro/home.html.

**26-31** 12th Intl. Conf. on Crystal Growth, *Jerusalem, Israel*. ICCG 12, c/o Intl. Travel & Congresses Ltd., P.O. Box 29313, Tel Aviv 61292, Israel; 972-3-5102538; fax 972-3-5160604.

**30-3** 15th Intl. Workshop on Rare-Earth Magnets and Their Applications, *Dresden, Germany*. Deutsche Gesellschaft für Materialkunde e.V., Hamburger Allee 26, D-60486 Frankfurt, Germany; 49-69-7917-758; fax 49-69-7917-733.

**31-4** 11th Intl. Conf. on Ion Beam Modification of Materials, *Amsterdam, The Netherlands*. A. Polman, Chairman, 31-20-6081234; fax 31-20-6684106; e-mail ibmm98@amolf.nl; http://www.amolf.nl/ibmm98.

## SEPTEMBER 1998

**2-9** ▼ IV Intl. Seminar on Defect Structures Evolution in Condensed Matters, *Barnaul, Russia*. Orgcommittee, General Physics Dept., Altai State Technical Univ., 46 Lenin St., Barnaul, Russia 656099; e-mail pva@agtu.altai.su.

**4** 10th Intl. Symposium on Magnetic Anisotropy and Coercivity in Rare-Earth Transition Metal Alloys, *Dresden, Germany*. Deutsche Gesellschaft für Materialkunde e.V., Hamburger Allee 26, D-60486 Frankfurt, Germany; 49-69-7917-758; fax 49-69-7917-733.

**13-17** Europhysics Conf. on Macromolecular Physics: Electro-Optical Properties of Polymers and Related Phenomena, *Varenna, Lake of Como, Italy*. A. Bolognesi, Istituto di Chimica delle Macromolecole, Via E. Bassini 15, 20133 Milano, Italy; 39-2-236-9373; fax 39-2-236-2946; e-mail lb@icm.mi.cnr.it.

**13-18** Applied Superconductivity Conf., *Palm Desert, CA*. Centennial Conferences, 303-499-2299; fax 303-499-2599; e-mail centennial@orci.com.

**15-19** 4th Intl. Conf. on Computer Simulation of Radiation Effects in Solids, *Okayama, Japan*. Y. Yamamura, Okayama Univ. of Science, Ridai-cho, Okayama 700, Japan; 81-86-252-3161; fax 81-86-255-7700; e-mail yama@dap11.ous.ac.jp.

## OCTOBER 1998

**18-22** Powder Metallurgy World Congress, *Granada, Spain*. PM98 Secretariat, European Powder Metallurgy Assoc., Old Bank Bldgs., Bellstone, Shrewsbury SY1 1HU, UK; 44-1743-248899; fax 44-1743-362968; e-mail pm98@epma.com; http://www.epma.com.

**19-23** Fall Conf. and Quality Testing Show, *Nashville, TN*. American Society for Nondestructive Testing, Inc., 1711 Arlington Lane, P.O. Box 28518, Columbus, OH 43228-0518; 800-222-2768 or 614-274-6003; fax 614-274-6899; <http://www.asnt.org>.

**25-30** Intl. Rare Earths Conf., *Fremantle, Western Australia*. Secretariat, Materials Inst. of Western Australia, 133 Salvado Rd., Wembley, Western Australia 6014; 61-9-387-9590; fax 61-9-383-9639; e-mail RE98@miwa.org.au; <http://www.miwa.org.au/IREC98>.

**26-29** 5th Intl. Symposium on Functionally Graded Materials, *Dresden, Germany*. FGM 09 Secretariat, Conf. Svc., TU Dresden GmbH, Lufthansa City Ctr., Frau Deckert/Frau Wolf, Georg Baehr Strasse 8, 01069 Dresden, Germany; or K.J. Bowman, Purdue Univ., West Lafayette, IN 47907; 765-494-4096.

**26-29** ▼ 20th Space Simulation Conf., *Annapolis, MD*. Inst. of Environmental Sciences, 940 E. Northwest Hwy., Mt. Prospect, IL 60056; 847-255-1561; fax 847-255-1699.

**30-4** **MRS Fall Meeting**, *Boston, MA*. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 412-779-3003; fax 412-779-8313; <http://www.mrs.org/>. **MRS**.

## NOVEMBER 1998

**1-6** Photonics East and Electronic Imaging Intl. Exhibition, *Boston, MA*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

## DECEMBER 1998

**8-11** 2nd Asian Meeting on Ferroelectrics, Intl., *Singapore*. AMF-2 Secretariat, CCE, Nanyang Tech. Univ., Singapore 639798; 65-799-4723; fax 65-793-0997; e-mail [amf2@ntu.edu.sg](mailto:amf2@ntu.edu.sg).

## FEBRUARY 1999

**6-12** Photonics West, *San Jose, CA*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

## MARCH 1999

**14-19** Microlithography Conf., *Santa Clara, CA*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

**14-19** Smart Structures and Materials Conf., *San Diego, CA*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

## APRIL 1999

**5-9** **MRS Spring Meeting**, *San Francisco, CA*. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 412-779-3003; fax 412-779-8313; <http://www.mrs.org/>. **MRS**.

## JULY 1999

**18-23** SPIE Annual Meeting and Optical Instrumentation Show, *Denver, CO*. SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98227-0010; 360-676-3290; fax 360-647-1445; e-mail [spie@spie.org](mailto:spie@spie.org); <http://www.spie.org>.

**26-30** 6th Intl. Conf. on the Structure of Surfaces, *Vancouver, Canada*. K.A.R. Mitchell, Dept. of Chemistry, Univ. of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC, Canada V6T 1Z1; 604-822-3266; fax 604-822-2847.

## AUGUST 1999

**23-27** 10th Intl. Conf. on Rapidly Quenched and Metastable Materials, *Bangalore, India*. S. Ranganathan, Dept. of Metallurgy, Indian Inst. of Science, Bangalore 560012, India; 91-80-309-2678; fax 91-80-331-2991; e-mail [rq10@metalrg.iisc.ernet.in](mailto:rq10@metalrg.iisc.ernet.in); <http://www.metalrg.iisc.ernet.in/~rqten>.

## OCTOBER 1999

**4-8** 8th European Conf. on Applications of Surface and Interface Analysis, *Sevilla, Spain*. ECASIA99, Dept. Física Aplicada, C-XII, Facultad de Ciencias, Univ. Autónoma de Madrid, Cantoblanco E 28049, Madrid, Spain; fax 34-1-397-3969; e-mail [josem.sanz@uam.es](mailto:josem.sanz@uam.es); <http://www.uam.es/fa/ecasia99.html>.

## NOVEMBER 1999

**29-3** ▼ **MRS Fall Meeting**, *Boston, MA*. Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573; 412-779-3003; fax 412-779-8313; <http://www.mrs.org/>. **MRS**. □

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