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Friction, Wear and Wear Protection

European Symposium on Friction, Wear, Wear Protection and Related Areas


Karlsruhe Convention Center
Karlsruhe, Germany
Conservation of energy and resources is one of the biggest challenges for society and industry. Modern tribology is one of the main cornerstones of reducing carbon emissions. However, friction and wear protection lacks a systematic approach based on elemental mechanisms from materials science, physics and chemistry; materials and technologies needed in the near future may not be a simple extension of one which is in our hand now.

Following the successful 2008 symposium in Aachen the 2011 conference belongs to a series of conferences held once every three years under the auspices of the technical committee "Materials aspects of tribology and machining" of the German Materials Society, DGM. The scope of the symposium covers all classes of materials, machining, production and lubrication technologies and targets at practitioners from industry as well as engineers and scientists.

The conference will take place in Karlsruhe, close to such beautiful landscapes as the Black Forest and the French Alsace. Karlsruhe is easily accessible via Frankfurt International Airport, one of Europe’s major international airports, which is just one hour away by direct train.

I am looking forward to seeing you!

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General Information

Conference Fees

Authors
Industry Speaker Euro 800,-
University Speaker Euro 600,-
PHD Speaker Euro 400,-

Participant
Industry Euro 900,-
University Euro 700,-
PHD Euro 450,-

Exhibition
An exhibition will demonstrate dedicated applications as well as measuring devices and characterisation methods. It will be run throughout the conference in the foyer adjacent to the lecture halls. Coffee breaks and poster sessions will be held close to the exhibition area. For further information please contact: MAT•Info GmbH
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Proceedings
The papers presented at the conference will be reviewed and published.

Conference Location
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A special session on “High performance sliding and friction systems based on advanced ceramics” will be structured by the Center of excellence in research (SFB) 483.

The symposium intends to have invited, oral and poster contributions on structural ceramics, bio ceramics, and electro ceramics related to the following topics:

- Sintering and grain growth
- Microstructure characterization
- Fracture Mechanics and reliability
- Materials and component design
- Tribology and wear
- Tailoring functionalities
- Simulation and modelling
- Applications

On Wednesday, participants of the symposium on Friction, Wear and Wear Protection will have the opportunities to attend both conferences without additional registration fees.

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