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PROPOSED NEW SECRETARY AND TREASURER FOR IFHTSE

At the Executive Committee meeting held in Beijing on 10 October, the President was pleased to confirm that very satisfactory responses had been received to the appeal for candidates for these positions in succession to Robert Wood and Zoltán Kolozsváry (see Bulletin 2014/7, 1 September). The Committee is now in process of asking members for formal approval of these candidates:

Secretary

Stefan Hock



Citizenship: German
Resident: Padova, Italy
Age now: 62

Main employment now
Director of Advanced Engineering,
ZF Marine Group
(Hock was also President of IFHTSE
member AWT 2007-11)

PhD: Physical metallurgy, University of
Stuttgart, Germany 1988

Main language capability
German, English, Italian, French
(Spanish and Portuguese)

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Treasurer

Imre Felde



Citizenship: Hungarian
Resident: Budapest, Hungary
Age now: 41

Main employment now
Vice Dean, Informatics Faculty
Óbuda University Budapest (main
Hungarian University for Applied
Sciences)

PhD: Materials science, University of
Miskolc, Hungary 2007

Main language capability
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AWARD FOR EVA TROELL

We are very pleased to report that at the latest in the HartereiTechnik series (HK 2014 in Cologne Germany), Eva Troell of IVF/SWERA Sweden (a member of the IFHTSE Executive Committee), received the Karl-Wilhelm-Burgdorf Award worth EUR 5000.

Burgdorf annually proposes candidates to the Board of (IFHTSE member) AWT for selection.

2nd International Conference on Energy and the Future of Heat Treatment and Surface Engineering Xiangshan Hotel North West Beijing China, 11-12 October 2014



Some of the 2nd Energy Conference delegates visit the Olympic Park in Beijing after the Conference

This event was attended by about 100 people from 8 countries; it had the support of several Chinese authorities and included a range of invited papers. A selection of the papers is being reviewed for publication by IFHTSE.

Discussions on the already wide range of topics covered by this series yielded the suggestion that future conferences should also cover environmental issues of heat treatment and surface engineering. Proposals for no. 3 in the series will be welcome from IFHTSE member bodies – as will suggestions for a comprehensive but comprehensible re-titling!

IFHTSE Executive Committee meeting 10 October 2014: The meeting of the IFHTSE Executive Committee held the day before the Conference handled a very full agenda including the matter of replacing the Secretary and Treasurer (see page 1). The Committee had been tasked with

finding replacements for the current holders of the posts by the 43rd Assembly of the Governing Council held in Munich Germany last May. Assuming the formal approval by members of the Committee's successful efforts, Dr Hock will become Secretary on 1 January 2015 and Dr Felde will take over the Treasury with effect from the completion of the financial report and audit for the 2014 operating year at the 44th Assembly of the Governing Council scheduled for Venice/Mestre Italy in May 2015 at the time of the 21st IFHTSE Congress.

Before the meeting of the Committee, its members held a detailed discussion with representatives of Chinese Heat Treatment Society and Shanghai Jiao Tong University on the immediate and longer-term future of the Journal *International Heat Treatment and Surface Engineering*, now in its 8th volume. More details in future issues of this *Bulletin*.



Journal meeting in Beijing 10 October 2014; IFHTSE, CHTS and SJTU representatives, including Joint Editors Jin Nengyun and Paul Stratton; For IFHTSE, the President, Vice President, immediate Past President, Treasurer and Secretary were all there

NEW PUBLICATION ON THERMOCHEMICAL SURFACE ENGINEERING

Thermochemical Surface Engineering of Steels Improving Materials Performance

Edited by: Eric J. Mittemeijer Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems and Institute for Materials Science, University of Stuttgart, Germany and Marcel A. J. Somers Technical University of Denmark, Denmark

'Thermochemical Surface Engineering of Steels' provides a comprehensive overview of the principles and techniques involved in thermochemical surface engineering, including thermodynamics, kinetics, and process technologies for steels. This book:

- Reviews the fundamentals of surface treatments and current performance of improved materials
- Covers nitriding, nitrocarburizing and carburizing of iron and iron carbon alloys
- Examines how different thermochemical surface engineering methods can help against corrosion



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Events diary

2014 NOV	25-27	25th National Conference on Heat Treatment with International Participation [languages: Czech, Slovak, English]	Jihlava	Czech Republic	www.htconference.cz	
2015 MAY	20-22	IFHTSE 22nd Congress / European Conference on Heat Treatment	Venice/Mestre	Italy	www.aimnet.it/ht2015.htm	
2015 JUN	03-04	A3TS Conference [French language]	St Etienne	France	www.a3ts.org	
2015 SEP	23-25	International Conference on Distortion Engineering	Bremen	Germany	www.distortion-engineering.de	
2015 OCT	20-22	ASM Heat Treatment Society Conference and Exposition	Detroit MI	USA	www.asminternational.org/	
2015 OCT	28-30	HK 2015 [languages: German/English]	Cologne	Germany	www.awt-online.org	
2015 NOV	05-06	Heat treatment and surface engineering for tribological performance	Tallinn	Estonia	www.ttu.ee/baltmatrib2015	
2016 APR	18-22	23rd Congress	Savannah?	USA	smackenzie@houghtonint.com	
2016 MAY	11-13	3rd International Conference on Heat Treatment and Surface Engineering in Automotive Applications /European Conference on Heat	Prague	Czech Republic	www.htconference-prague2016.cz	
2016 SEP	26-28	3rd Mediterranean Conference on Heat Treatment and Surface Engineering	Portorož	Slovenia		
2016 OCT	26-28	HK 2016 [languages: German/English]	Cologne?	Germany	www.awt-online.org	
2017 JUN	26-29	IFHTSE Congress / European Conference on Heat Treatment	Nice	France	www.a3ts.org	



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Conference website: www.aimnet.it/ht2015.htm

Exhibition enquiries: marketing@aimnet.it

