

October 2006 STLE Monthly Update

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 8. Renew, update or join STLE on www.stle.org. Look for the buttons on the bottom of the home page.
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1. Register now for the 2006 International Joint Tribology Conference (IJTC)

October 23-25 – San Antonio, Texas (USA)

Hyatt Regency San Antonio on the Riverwalk
 123 Losoya Street
 San Antonio, TX 78205
 1-888-421-1442 or 402-592-6464

Registration is \$495 until Oct 2 for STLE and ASME members and \$600 for individuals who do not belong to either society. Onsite registration begins Sunday afternoon, October 22. After Oct. 2 add \$100 to the IJTC registration fee. For more information and to register using a faxable form, log on to the IJTC logo on www.stle.org.

Hotel reservation deadline is September 30. It's easy to make your hotel reservation at the Hyatt Regency San Antonio. The conference rate is \$165 per night (US government rate rooms are available on first come basis). . To make hotel reservations by phone, call: toll-free at 1-888-421-1442 or 402-592-6464.

View detailed conference time schedule and program information at
<http://www.asmeconferences.org/IJTC06/ConferenceSchedule.cfm>

2. Abstracts are due October 1, 2006 for the 2007 Annual Meeting, May 6-10 at Philadelphia Marriott Hotel, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (USA).

Be part of the technical program:

If you are interested in presenting at the 2007 meeting, you must submit a 100-150 word abstract of the presentation through the STLE website at www.stle.org. Abstracts are due October 1, 2006. Notification of acceptance will be sent in December 2006. You do not need to prepare a full

manuscript to be included on the Annual Meeting program. However, you are invited and encouraged to submit a manuscript for review and possible publication in the STLE journal Tribology Transactions.

STLE-sponsored meetings are a respected venue for presentation of the latest technical information and for professional development and business networking opportunities. The Annual Meeting showcases more than 300 technical presentations, application-based case studies and best practice reports, and discussion panels on technical or market trends. Education courses support professional development needs and prepare people for one of STLE's three certification programs. Exhibits and commercial presentations spotlight the latest products and services of interest to lubrication professionals. Typical attendance is 1500 people.

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3. STLE-SME METALWORKING FLUIDS CERTIFICATE PROGRAM will be offered November 13-15, 2006.

Covering fundamental to advanced applications, this program includes interactive exercises and case studies with problem solving for both end users and providers. Some MWF topics covered include: microbiology, tankside additives, factors affecting mist generation, microbe health effects, condition monitoring and industrial hygiene. This comprehensive program will be offered in Florence KY, near Cincinnati. A tour of the MAZAK National Technology Center, the host facility is being offered. A metalworking Fluids DVD is also being provided with registration to all STLE and SME members, even if you join with meeting registration. This is valued at \$280.

Further information can be found at the bottom of the homepage of www.stle.org.

4. Career Center.

Is your job posted online with STLE? Some candidates review job listings but don't post a resume. Find a qualified candidate in the industry with an online posting to a targeted audience of experienced lubrication experts. It is \$200 for a 60 day posting.

The most recent job posting was placed Sept 25 Lubricants Technical Manager. There were 11 job postings listed in the last 2 months, from companies including Shell, Chevron, Arch, USDA and Citgo. These jobs are located in Houston TX, Richmond CA, St. Louis MO, Peoria IL, E. Chicago IN, and Chicago. There are also 85 resumes posted.

5. Two STLE best seller books for sale on the STLE website publication center.

Handbook of Lubrication and Tribology: Volume 1: Application and Maintenance, Second Edition
George E. Totten, Ph.D, FASM, 1,068 pages (hard cover)
\$225 member price; \$249.95 non member price.

Metalworking Fluids, Second Edition

Jerry P. Byers, Milacron, Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio USA 2006, 480 pages
\$125 member price; \$140 non member price.

Order from the STLE publication center at www.stle.org.

6. The Time to book your Commercial Marketing Forum slot is now!

Is your company planning on making a Commercial Marketing Forum (CMF) presentation at STLE's 2007 Annual Meeting & Exhibition, May 6-10 in Philadelphia? If so, you better register quickly. A third of the 30-minute time slots already have been reserved.

The CMF is a format that allows companies to pitch their products and services to a captive audience in a commercial environment. Commercialism is strictly prohibited at the meeting's other technical sessions. CMF sessions usually draw anywhere from 20 to 70 attendees.

Company representatives typically speak for 20 minutes and then accept audience questions for 10 minutes. Many companies also elect to have their presentations printed in CMF Plus, a special section in TLT magazine that reaches some 7,000 lubrication professionals.

To reserve your CMF time slot, log on to www.stle.org and then click on the annual meeting page. Credit card payment must accompany your online registration.

Stay tuned for information about reserving booth space for the meeting's annual trade show. The 2007 Exhibitor Prospectus will be posted online within the next two weeks.

For more information about the CMF, CMF Plus or the exhibition, contact Tracy Nicholas VanEe at 630-922-3459, tnicholas@stle.org.

7. If the STLE monthly update email is getting blocked by your company's spam checking software, please contact your IT department, and have them release the emails sent from stle.org.

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