TECHNICAL CALENDAR

November 17-19—Dimensioning and Tolerancing Principles for Gages and Fixtures. School of Continuing Education, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Milwaukee, WI. This course is suitable for professionals interested in learning ASME and ANSI practices for the newly approved standard Y14.43-2003 for the design, dimensioning and tolerancing of GO gages, NOGO gages, functional gages and fixtures. Course topics include setting master discs and rings, design constraints, coefficient of expansion, similiarities and differences between gages and fixtures. \$1,095. For more information, contact the School of Continuing Education by telephone at (414) 327-2121.

November 26—KISSsoft Shaft Analysis Seminar. Gauteng, South Africa. A day of information on KISSsoft covering shafts, gear optimization, and modeling of systems/powertrain. Free. For more information, contact KISSsoft AG on the Internet at www.kisssoft.ch.

December 7-9—Variable Drives Frequency Course. Best Western Inn, Kansas City, KS. Teaches attendees energy saving techniques, power transmission principles (speed, torque and horsepower), bypass systems, speed/torque control methods and power distribution considerations. This course is also being held December 14-16 in Omaha, NE, and January 14-16 in Minneapolis, MN. \$1,100. For more information, contact National Technology Transfer Inc. by e-mail at sales@nttinc.com or by telephone at (800) 922-2820.

December 13–16—Gear School 2004. Gleason Cutting Tools facility, Rockford, IL. Broken into sessions called Fundamentals, High Speed Steels and Coatings, Cutting the Gear, Gear Inspection and a tour of the Gleason plant. \$895. For more information, contact Gleason by telephone at (815) 877-8900 or on the Internet at www.gleason.com.

January 11-14—Shaft Gear Analysis, Theory and Calculation. Istanbul, Turkey. Day one introduces shaft bearing and calculation. An introduction to gears and their calculation and optimization are covered on the second and third days. The final day focuses on KISSsoft drive trials. The price is broken down by day, with the first and fourth days each at €25 and the middle days at €50 apiece. For more information, contact the sponsors at hanspeter.dinner@kisssoft.ch or oguz.kurt@baysangear.com.

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