

TECHNICAL CALENDAR

MARCH 7-9

AGMA's 80th Annual Meeting. Marriott's Harbor Beach Resort, Fort Lauderdale, FL. This year's theme will be "The Pressures of Reality—Manufacturing in a Changing World." Call AGMA Headquarters, 703-684-0211 or fax 703-684-0242 for more information.

MARCH 12

SME course in Fundamentals of Coating for Cutting Tools, Charlotte, NC. Contact Susan Mihalik at SME Headquarters, 313-271-1500 or fax 313-271-2861 for more information.

MARCH 17-18

ASM Heat Treating Courses. Cincinnati Convention Center, Cincinnati, OH: Basics of Induction Heating, Nitriding Processes Technology, FEA in Heat Treat Applications, Laser Transformation Hardening, Practical Guide to Improving Performance of Precision Tooling & Component Wear Parts. Call ASM at 216-338-5151 for more information.

MARCH 19-21

ASM's 16th Heat Treating Society Conference & Exposition, The Cincinnati Convention Center, Cincinnati, OH. For more information, call ASM International at 216-338-5151 or fax 216-338-4634.

MARCH 26-27, APRIL 2-3

SME conference on Implementing the QS 9000 Automotive Standards. Contact Susan Mihalik at SME Headquarters 313-271-1500 or fax 313-271-2861 for more information.

APRIL 22-24

Verein Deutscher Ingenieure (VDI) First International Conference on Gears. Hilton Hotel, Dresden, Germany. Co-sponsored by AGMA and other international gear organizations. For more information, contact the Organizing Secretariate in Düsseldorf by phone at 49-211-6214-501 or by fax at 49-211-6214-575.

APRIL 22-26

ASM Seminar, The Principles of Heat Treating. Materials Park, OH. Week-long conference covering basic heat treating metallurgy. For engineers, technicians and management. Contact ASM at 1-800-336-5152 x300 or fax 216-338-4634.

APRIL 23-24

SME course on Designing and Manufacturing Plastic Gears in Chicago, IL. Contact Susan Mihalik at SME headquarters 313-271-1500 or fax 313-271-2861 for more information.

APRIL 29-MAY 1

University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee Seminar on Plastic Gear Manufacture, Application & Design. University Center for Continuing Education, Milwaukee, WI. Contact Roger Hirons at 414-227-3105 or fax 414-227-3119 for more information.

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