

Scope of the conference

This conference builds on the highly successful previous meetings, held in Bonn (2003, organized by Hydro), Manchester (2000, Alcan), Antwerp (1997, Hoogovens-Corus), bringing together industry, academia and research institutions. It has become recognized as the key event focusing on understanding the technology and current issues of aluminium surface critical products across all market sectors of aluminium and its alloys.

Existing and developing aspects of surface characterization, processing effects and product performance are within the scope of the symposium. Fields of interest include wet chemical processing, plasma technologies, rolling and extrusion processes, lubrication interactions, joining processes (FSW, laser, brazing), material deformation effects, corrosion and protection mechanisms and adhesion durability of products in applications as diverse as aerospace, automotive, architecture, electronics, lithography, packaging, vacuum systems and nanotechnology. In addition, the impact of process and product developments on the environment will be addressed.

The aluminium companies are well represented, as are surface treatment suppliers, industrial end users, instrument manufacturers and researchers from the international scientific community.

Publication of proceedings

Oral and poster papers will be published, after peer review, in the Symposium Proceedings.

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Conference venue

ASST 2006 will be held at the facilities of Palais des Congrès de Beaune (France) which is located near Dijon



Coming to Beaune

From Roissy CDG Airport: connection by TGV train from Paris Gare de Lyon

From Lyon Saint Exupery Airport: connection by train from Lyon La Part-Dieu or by hire-car

By car: Beaune is on the main highways
A6 from Paris or Lyon
A36 from Mulhouse
A31 from Nancy - Metz

ASST 2006 Deadlines

- **October 1, 2005 Abstract submission deadline**
- **December 10, 2005 Notification of abstract acceptance**
- **February 28, 2006 Last day for normal registration fee**
- **March 17, 2006 Provisional Programme**
- **March 31, 2006 Manuscript submission deadline**

Call for papers

Please submit your abstract on the web site
www.asst2006.com

Please note: abstracts sent via fax, or regular mail, will not be processed or acknowledged.

Social Programme

- **Sunday evening : Welcome reception**
- **Monday evening: Beaune discovery, Wine testing**
- **Wednesday evening: Conference dinner in a wine cellar**

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Registration fee

- Registration fees include:
- admission to the oral and poster sessions,
 - coffee-breaks, 4 lunches and cocktails,
 - book of abstracts, detailed program, list of participants,
 - book of proceedings,
 - conference dinner.

	Before February 1 st , 2006	After February 1 st , 2006
Regular participant	870 €	950 €
Student(1)	570 €	580 €
Accompanying person (2)	400 €	480 €

- (1) Please supply a copy of your student card - Registration fees do not include the book of proceedings and the conference dinner.
- (2) No formal programme – receptions, conference dinner and daily lunches included

Registration

**On-line Registration only
on www.asst2006.com**

Accommodation

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