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**PLANT VISIT AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**Wednesday, April 21, 2004**

**Sulzer Metco (US) Inc.**  
1101 Prospect Ave  
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Doors open … 6:00 pm  Welcome by the President, Sulzer Metco (US) … 6:15 pm  
Dinner (hot) … 6:20 pm  Introductory talk (Andrew Nicoll and Matthew Gold) … 7:15 pm  
Tour … 7:30 pm  Annual General Meeting, election of Officers and Executive Board … 8:15 pm  
Technical presentation … 8:30 pm

Please be considerate of our generous hosts. Let us know you are coming so they can plan appropriately. Limit 35 attendees.

R.S.V.P to Biays, (631-344-2946, or bowerman@bnl.gov) by Noon, Monday. April 19

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**DIRECTIONS TO SULZER METCO (via LIE)**

Take the LIE (495) to Exit 41, Rte 106/107 South (Hicksville). Stay on Rte. 106 until just before the LIRR overpass and make a right to go west on West John Street. Continue for a little more than a mile. Sulzer Metco is on the right, after BOCES. The New York Blood Center is on the left. Please take the first right (onto Bridge Street) and park near the side entrance. If you have problems, call 516-334-1300.
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**THE TOUR AND PRESENTATION**

**Sulzer Metco – A Surface Engineering Company in a Challenging Business Environment**

The last several years have seen plenty of expansion, consolidation, and change in the global surface engineering sector. The presentation will briefly describe the present global business of Sulzer Metco in different areas of surface engineering. Sulzer Metco specializes in thermal spray applications to support the production of equipment and materials. Research at the facility focuses on improving application and material development processes. Members of the tour will hear about aspects of this research and be able to see at first hand how it is implemented.

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**LI ASM Chapter Annual General Meeting**

The Annual General Meeting is held to inform members of the progress made during the past year, including the accomplishments and changes, and the current status, including the financial standing. The AGM also finalizes the election of Officers and members of the Executive Committee for the 2004-2005 year. In accordance with this, the following members have been nominated to serve in the various positions that, under the Constitution, automatically become vacant at the end of the 2003-2004 year:

- Chairperson (two-year term) – Ken Trelewicz
- Vice Chair (two-year term) – 
- Treasurer (two-year term) – Peter Indrigo
- Executive Committee (three-year term) – Chris Berndt, Biays Bowerman, John Coyle

Nominations will also be accepted from the floor at the meeting - please come out and vote!!
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The Electronic Metallagram

The Metallagram is also available in PDF format. If you would like to have future issues emailed directly to you (thereby saving the Chapter the cost and effort of regular mailing), please contact Biays Bowerman (email bowerman@bnl.gov or phone (631) 344-2946).

JOHN R. WEEKS SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications for the 2004 John R. Weeks scholarship program have been mailed to all high school principals in Suffolk and Nassau counties. The two awards, available for students entering college with an intention of majoring in a materials science or engineering subject, are each worth $500 per year, renewable for up to four years. If you know of any potential candidates, please bring this to their attention. For more information and additional application forms, please contact the Scholarship Chairman, Biays Bowerman.

Job Openings

Materials-related job openings are posted on the Career Center at the ASM-International website. One that may be of interest to members of the Long Island Chapter is for a position at the Copper Development Association in Manhattan. Details at: http://www.asm-intl.org.Template.cfm?Section=JobSeekers&NavMenuID=401&Template=/Jobbank/JobProfileForm.cfm&JobID=284

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Metro NY-NJ Chapter
(contact Rich Lynch @ 201-891-8399)

4/21/04 L’Affaire Restaurant, Mountainside, NJ
Speaker: Oleg Sherby
Topic: Ancient Blacksmiths, Damascus Swords, and Modern Metallurgy

5/11/04 L’Affaire Restaurant, Mountainside, NJ
“Entrepreneur’s Fair” – short presentations on the problems in starting a new business, given by the founders of a number of metals-related New Jersey companies

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