

## Division and Group News— Election Results

The following Divisions held their election of officers at the Fall Meeting in San Francisco. The following members were elected for the 2002-2004 term:



### Electrodeposition

*Chairman*

D. Schwartz

*Vice-Chairman*

J. L. Stickney

*Secretary*

W. Schwarzacher

*Treasurer*

G. R. Stafford



### High Temperature Materials

*Chairman*

F. Garzon

*Vice-Chairman*

E. J. Opila

*Jr. Vice-Chairman*

T. M. Gur

*Secretary/Treasurer*

E. Wachsman



### Luminescence and Display Materials

*Chairman*

D. J. Lockwood

*Vice-Chairman*

L. Shea-Rohwer

*Secretary/Treasurer*

A. Setlur

*Members-at-Large*

M. R. Royce

T. F. Soules

A. M. Srivastava

C. W. Struck

T. Welker

H. Yamamoto

W. M. Yen



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## Recent Education Committee Activities



One of the unsung activities of the **ECS EDUCATION COMMITTEE** has been the *General Society Student Poster Session*. Begun in 1993, the program's judges choose a number of *Winners* and *Honorable Mentions* each meeting (see p. XX for the winners from the San Francisco meeting). **PETER FEDKIW**, current chairman of the Education Committee, has been one of the program's champions and long-time organizers. Shown above (left), Fedkiw has passed the baton to **JIM FENTON** (center), who will take over the program beginning with the Philadelphia meeting next May. Many thanks to Peter for his hard work in making the program a success.

Also pictured (above right) is **MARK ORAZEM**, who participated in another program under the direction of the Education Committee, namely the *Short Courses*. Orazem delivered a well-attended short course in San Francisco entitled, "Impedance Spectroscopy: Theory and Applications."

The most recent contribution of the Education Committee has been the well-received "XYZ for the Rest of Us" series of informal talks on Sunday evening. The second of these, entitled "Fuel Cells for the Rest of Us," was given at the San Francisco meeting by Professor Ulrich Stimming of the Technische Universitaet Muenchen. The talk drew over 300 enthusiastic attendees.

## ECS Affiliates News

**GAIA AKKUMULATORENWERKE GMBH** recently joined the Affiliates program as a Contributing Member at the Sustaining level. GAIA develops and produces lithium ion polymer batteries. The company's technology is based on a unique and innovative extrusion process for battery electrodes and battery laminates, enabling the production of form-flexible batteries with high energy and high power density at low cost. The batteries are used in consumer, industrial, automotive, mili-

tary/space, and renewable energy applications. Visit the company at [www.gaia-akku.com](http://www.gaia-akku.com).

The ECS Affiliates program allows Affiliates to take advantage of new opportunities of special advertising and exhibiting offers. Learn more about the program on the Web: [www.electrochem.org/membership/affiliates.htm](http://www.electrochem.org/membership/affiliates.htm), or call Barbara Baggott, ECS Affiliates Coordinator at 609.737.1902, ext.103. ■