SOCIETY NEWS

Division News—Nominated for Office

New officers for the 2003-2005 term have been nominated for the following Divisions, to be voted upon during the Divisional business meetings held during the spring 2003 Society meeting in Paris, France.



Chairman Noel Buckley **Thomas Shaffner** Vice-Chairman Yue Kuo Jerzy Ruzyllo Secretary Albert Baca Treasurer Rose Kopf Members-at-Large Cammy R. Albernathy Helmut Baumgart Marilyn Bennett Werner Bergholz Gerard M. Blom Andrzej Buczkowski W. Murray Bullis George Celler Winston K. Chan P.-C. Chang Sung-Nee (George) Chu Cor Claeys Sorin Cristoloveanu Clenn W. Cullen Bruce E. Deal Jamal M. Deen Manfred Engelhardt Laszlo Fabry Richard Fair Petra Feichtinger Stephen J. Fonash Ulrich M. Gösele Fernando Gonzalez Hiroyuki Harada Takeshi Hattori Dennis W. Hess Howard H. Huff Hiroshi Iwai C. Jagadish Vik. J. Kapoor Bernd Kolbesen Hisham Massoud C. S. Murthy Gerard Oleszek Carlton M. Osburn Stella W. Pang S. J. Pearton Prosenjitt Rai-Choudhury Stanley I. Raider Arnold Reisman Fan Ren **Rodney Ridley** Fred Roozeboom

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Anne Clementson Celebrates Ten Years with ECS

ANNE CLEMENTSON has been on the ECS publications staff since July 1992. With a background in medical journals, a broad liberal arts education that included basic sciences, four years of Latin study in high school, a tenacious curiosity, a passion for the English language, and a compulsion to "get it right," Anne was especially suited to styling manuscripts for the journals.

In 1994 Anne began fulltime proofreading of the *Journal* and in 1998, the separate *Letters* journal was added to her load. Now that AIP (American Institute of Physics) is fully responsible for sharing proofreading with the authors, Anne has returned to copyediting manuscripts.

When a copyeditor receives an accepted manuscript, she checks references, tables, figures, captions, equations, reactions, e-mail address, membership, submission and revised version dates, page charge acceptance, copyright transfer, spelling, grammar, and consistency. She removes unnecessary material and superfluous phrases in the text, and adds material to references that are too brief.

Changes have been added to the copyediting process over the years—in online editions, adding codes to references so that they may be hyperlinked, using computers for databases and communicating with authors, and gathering reference works for the many confirmations that are necessary for our articles.

Anne has been married to Bill Clementson for more than 30 years. They live in Pennington, NJ, and have four grown children. Her interests include church, community volunteerism, and patriotic service. She enjoys cooking, swimming year-round, and reading.

The Society congratulates Anne for her help in maintaining the excellence of the ECS journals.

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Call for Nominations for the Position of **Editor**

Electrochemical and Solid-State Letters

The Electrochemical Society (ECS) is seeking to fill the position of Editor of *Electrochemical and Solid-State Letters*, the first rapid-publication, international, electronic journal for electrochemical and solid-state science and technology. This peer-reviewed journal is dedicated to short, rapid communications—manuscripts containing important scientific and technological breakthroughs. Over the past few years, growth in the *Journal of The Electrochemical Society* and in *Electrochemical and Solid-State Letters* (ESL) makes it now desirable to establish separate editorial boards and editors for each publication.

Nominees should have qualities of leadership, technical breadth, time commitment, creativity, motivation, and international reputation. The Editor of *Electrochemical and Solid-State Letters* will be responsible for the technical content, quality, and editorial operations of ESL. The Editor oversees and participates in the review and disposition of manuscripts and appoints associate editors of ESL. These responsibilities are carried out with the Society publications staff and an Editorial Board. A yearly honorarium is offered by the Society.

The Editor serves at the pleasure of the Publication Committee for a five-year term. The Search Committee will recommend a name for approval by the Publication Committee. If approved, the name will be recommended to the Board of Directors for approval at the Society's fall meeting in Orlando, Florida, in October 2003.

In addition to self-nominations, ECS members are encouraged to submit names of other possible candidates. Those interested should indicate their qualifications for the position and send a onepage resume and cover letter stating why they are interested in the position, their previous experience with publications, and the availability of their time to fulfill the duties of this position. The material should be sent to the Chairman of the ESL Editor Search Committee. Send all suggestions and nominations, preferably in electronic form, no later than April 10, 2003 to:

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Annual Society Luncheon and Business Meeting

Tuesday, April 29, 2003 Paris, France (See Program Section page PS-3)

Contributing Members News

PERMASCAND AB, a subsidiary of Eka Chemicals, is the latest sustaining organization to join The Electrochemical Society's Contributing Membership program. Permascand develops, manufactures, and markets electrodes that lead to cost reductions in their customer's chlorate, chloralkali, and other electrochemical processes.

The following companies all have upgraded their membership from sustaining to sponsoring membership recently.

BAE SYSTEMS BATTERY TECHNOLOGY **CENTER** offers battery manufacturers and users a comprehensive independent resource for battery testing and evaluation, research and development, applications engineering, and comprehensive consulting services. TDK is heavily involved in manufacturing electronic materials and components, and is also a major supplier of such materials as ferrite magnets, transformer and inductor cores, and multiplayer chip capacitors. Other components include voltage-controlled oscillators and noise reduction filters, as well as a variety of semiconductors. YUASA CORP. is one of the world's largest manufacturers of storage batteries and related products, including batteries for the automotive, industrial, and consumer markets. Non-automotive batteries, power supplies, and rectifiers account for over 80% of sales. The TOYOTA CENTRAL RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT LABS. INC. was established in 1960 and is involved in the fundamental technical research for the Toyota Group—Japan's largest and the world's #4 carmaker by sales. Recently, much of the research activities within Toyota have dealt with manufacturing more environmentally safe vehicles.

For more information about the Contributing Membership program, or to learn about the upgraded benefits, please contact Troy M. Miller at troy.miller@electrochem.org, or call 609.737.1902, ext. 126.