

Division and Group News

Electronics Division



The Division held its election of officers at the Spring Meeting in Seattle. The following members were elected for the 1999-2001 term:

Chairman

Janet L. Benton

First and Second Vice-Chairmen

Cor L. Claeys

Yue Kuo

Secretary

Gerald M. Oleszek

Treasurer

D. Noel Buckley

Members-at-Large

C. Abernathy

W. Bailey

G. Barna

H. Baumgart

M. Bennett

W. Bergholz

G. Blom

A. Buczkowski

M. Bullis

G. Celler

G. Chu

S. Cristoloveanu

G. Cullen

B. Deal

D. Deal

D. DeCoster

E. Dermiriloglu

M. Engelhardt

L. Fabry

R. Fair

S. Fonash

U. Gosele

F. Gonzalez

H. Harada

T. Hattori

D. Hess

H. Huff

R. Jaccodine

V. Kapoor

B. Kolbesen

H. Massoud

S. Nelson

C. Osburn

S. Pang

C. Pearce

S. Pearton

P. Rai-Choudhury

S. Raider

R. Reif

A. Reisman

F. Ren

G. Rozgonyi

J. Ruzyllo

B. Schwartz

T. Shaffner

G. Srinivasan

P. Stallhofer

V. Starov

O. Ueda

M. Watanabe

J. Zolper

Energy Technology Division



The Division held its election of officers at the Spring Meeting in Seattle. The following members were elected for the 1999-2001 term:

Chairman

Margaret A. Ryan

Vice-Chairman

Robert Swaroop

Secretary

Thomas Fuller

Treasurer

Robert McConnell

Organic and Biological Electrochemistry Division



The Division held its election of officers at the Spring Meeting in Seattle. The following members were elected for the 1999-2001 term:

Chairman

Jean Lessard

Vice-Chairman

Katsumi Niki

Secretary-Treasurer

Dennis Peters

Physical Electrochemistry Division



The Division held its election of officers at the Spring Meeting in Seattle. The following members were elected for the 1999-2001 term:

Chairman

Andrzej Wieckowski

Vice-Chairman

Johna Leddy

Secretary-Treasurer

Viola Birss

Members-at-Large

Gessie Brisard

Daniel Buttry

Zoltan Nagy

Marc Porter



Society Welcomes New Staff Member

Andrea Guenzel has joined the ECS staff as a part-time Publications Clerk. Her primary responsibility is for the new journal, *Electrochemical and Solid-State Letters*, although *Journal* authors will also be helped by Andrea's presence. One of her first jobs at the Society has been to help implement a new manuscript tracking system for the technical serial publications.

Andrea graduated from Rider College in New Jersey, with a degree in Marketing Education. She and her husband Hans have a one-year old son, Hunter, and they enjoy traveling, biking, and ice hockey games. In her spare time, Andrea enjoys gardening, reading, and painting.

"We're delighted to have Andrea join the staff," said Mary Yess, ECS Director of Publications. "With her background in teaching and personnel, she is just the person to train the other staff members on the new software!" Please join us in welcoming Andrea to ECS.

New Officers

New Society officers assumed their duties on May 8, 1999: Dale E. Hall as 1999-2000 president, and Karl E. Spear as the Society's third vice-president.

Looking ahead, the following names were approved for the next Society slate of nominations: Charles L. Hussey and Bruno Scrosati, for vice-president; and Paul Natishan and Thomas F. Soules, for secretary. Ballots will be sent to all members in January 2000.

Welcome to New ECS Affiliates

The Society welcomes two new Sponsoring Members to the Contributing Membership program, a part of ECS Affiliates.

SelfCHARGE designs and manufactures portable power supply solutions for medium to large OEM electronic manufacturers. It provides the medical industry with contract design and manufacturing of battery packs and chargers. SelfCHARGE focuses on optimizing the tradeoffs between charge time, capacity, and cost for packs of cell chemistries including NiCAD, NiMH, Li-ION, SLA, and RAM. Please visit the company's Web site at: www.selfcharge.com.

SRI International researchers, scientists, technologists and business consultants excel at creating, applying and bringing new discoveries to market. The SRI research engine continually creates, develops and spins off new technologies and businesses for government and commercial clients worldwide. SRI International is organized around key fields embracing the sciences, key technologies and applications. SRI also works closely with its subsidiaries - SRI Consulting and the Sarnoff Corporation to clients with a rare combination of business insights and technology know-how. Learn more about SRI through a visit to their Web site: www.sri.com.

Two other companies have joined the list of Contributing Members through the ECS Affiliates program: **Arbin Instruments** (www.arbin.com) and **Molecular Imaging** (www.molec.com). Arbin Instruments is a hi-tech developer and manufacturer of voltaic testing equipment. Molecular Imaging provides unique scanning probe microscopes for both the serious research scientist and users of industrial tools. The ECS Affiliates program allows Affiliates to take advantage of new opportunities of special advertising and exhibiting offers. Learn more about the program at: <http://www.electrochem.org/affiliates.html>, or call Barbara Baggott, ECS Affiliates Coordinator at 609.737.1902, ext.15.

ECS Journals Announce New Associate Editor

Cor L. Claeys has been appointed as a new Associate Editor for the Society's technical journals, as of May. Dr. Claeys is a staff member at IMEC, Leuven, Belgium, where he is the head of the research group on radiation effects, cryogenic electronics, and noise studies; he is also responsible for technology business development. In addition, he is a professor of materials science at the Catholic University of Leuven. Since 1985, he has been a project manager for a large variety of both European and bilateral research projects related to silicon technology and device physics.

Dr. Claeys is the author and co-author of more than 370 international publications, three book chapters, and more than 330 contributions to international conferences. He has been the editor or co-editor of many conference proceedings volumes, including ECS volumes. He is very active in the Society, serving as vice-chairman of the European Local Section, as a member of the Honors and Awards Committee, secretary for the Electronics Division, and as a member of the New Technology Subcommittee.

The Society's trustees were pleased to confirm the reappointment of **D. Noel Buckley** and **Frank McLarnon** to the editorial board for the Society's journals. The Society would like to thank Stanley I. Raider, who has completed his term as an Associate Editor for the Society. Dr. Raider will continue to remain active with the Society, and is currently a member of the Solid-State Monograph Committee.



"INyerFACE"—The Society extended a sincere, but light-hearted thank you to Jan Talbot for her recently-completed service as Interface Editor. In an early editorial ("In Your Face," Spring 1996), Talbot noted that although her style of interaction was more collaborative, the time had come for the Editor to get "in your face," i.e. the "faces" of the members, about the publication of their magazine. The former Editor having a great sense of humor, we took the liberty of presenting her with a very special award—a special edition of the temporarily-renamed "Inyerface" magazine, with Talbot herself pictured on the "cover." No less a wit himself, President Blom presented the award to Talbot with some good-natured banter. The titles of the featured "articles" are all a play on Talbot's editorials over the years. Here's what the "cover" said:

The Electromigration of Jan Talbot

Special Interactive Issue—

You Choose Where the INYERFACE Editor Really Went:

- Editor Finishes Successful Tour of Duty. On to the Front as ECS V. P.
- Lab Time. It's Fusion Technology! It's Metal Hydrides! It's Electrochemistry! No, It's Three Experiments in One!
- Coming to Her Sensors at 10,700 Ft. in the High Sierras. Says, "The Idiot Light Came On!"
- INYERFACE Editor Moves to Silver Screen. Stars with Moore in "Electrons Are Forever."
- Talbot Never Sleeps: Caught in Mathematical Modeling of Writing Quarterly Magazine Columns.

New! ECS Journals on CD-ROM

ECS members, and other readers of the Society's journals, will soon have the opportunity to access this valuable technical material on CD-ROM. ECS is happy to announce that it will be offering a year-end CD-ROM. As previously announced, the disc will contain the 1999 issues of the *Journal*, and, as an added feature, will contain the 1998 and 1999 issues of *Letters*. All material on the disc will be available in PDF format, an easy-to-use format already familiar to readers of the ECS journals online. The CD-ROM will be fully searchable, readable, and printable. Full-text and fielded searching will be available for the articles, and the product will run on any platform. The CD-ROM, with all this material and functionality, will be available to members for just \$20.00. Look for a special mailing coming this summer!