AWARD OF THE KUHN MEDAL OF HONOR TO PROFESSOR DR.-ING. BERND ISECKE

The general assembly of the fkks Fachverband Kathodischer Korrosionsschutz e.V., Esslingen awarded the Kuhn Medal of Honor to Professor Dr.-Ing. Bernd Isecke at forum kks 2021 on January 15, 2021. With this highest award, the association honors outstanding pioneers in the field of cathodic corrosion protection for their life’s work.

Professor Dr.-Ing. Bernd Isecke was born in Dortmund on February 27, 1948. After studying metallurgy and materials science at the Technical University of Berlin, he obtained his doctorate there in 1977 with a dissertation in the field of electrochemical thermodynamics.

At the beginning of 1978, he joined the BAM Federal Institute for Materials Research and Testing, Berlin, as a research associate and held various management positions there until his retirement in 2013, most recently as head of the department "Materials Protection and Surface Technology" with 180 employees.

His areas of work in research and development included corrosion and corrosion protection of materials and protective systems in various industrial applications with a focus on civil engineering and plant construction. Other focal points of his research were the repair of corrosion-damaged structures and hydrogen-induced stress corrosion cracking of high-strength prestressing steels, as well as the modelling and simulation of corrosion processes and methods of electrochemical corrosion investigation and testing.

Cathodic corrosion protection formed one of his main fields of work, and it was always a particular concern of his to create a bridging function between scientific research and technical application. This is reflected, among other things, by his chairmanship of the CEN Committee TC 219, which was decisive for cathodic protection, for more than 20 years, from 1990 to 2010. During this time, the standards that had previously existed exclusively as national regulations were completely converted into international CEN standards.

In addition to the above-mentioned activities in international standardization, Professor Dr.-Ing. Bernd Isecke has been appointed to many honorary positions in research institutions and committees of scientific self-government, including as long-time Chairman of the Society for Corrosion Protection (GfKorr) Frankfurt, Chairman of the Advisory Board of the Max Planck Institute for Iron Research (MPIE) in Düsseldorf, Member and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Karl Winnacker Institute of DECHEMA, Member of the Board of the Scientific Council of the German Federation of Industrial Research Associations (AiF), Past President of the European Federation of Corrosion (EFC), Member of the Board of Administrators and Scientific Advisory Committee of the EFC, German delegate to the International Corrosion Council (ICC), President of CEN TC 219 "Cathodic Protection", Chairman of CEN TC 219 WG 2 "Cathodic Protection of Steel Reinforcement in Concrete", Chairman of DIN NMP 171 "Corrosion and Corrosion Protection", Chairman of the Expert Committee "Prestressing Steels" of the German Institute for Structural Engineering DIBt, Berlin, Chairman of the Technical Committee "Potential Measurements" of the German Society for Non-Destructive Testing DGZfP, to name but a few. The results of his research have been published in about 190 papers and are widely cited in the international corrosion literature. In
addition, he has given more than 330 presentations at conferences and other technical-scientific events.

Since 1990, he has been editor of the journal "Materials and Corrosion", which is one of the leading international journals in the field of corrosion and corrosion protection and is published by Wiley-VCH, Weinheim Berlin. In 2014, GfKorr Gesellschaft für Korrosionsschutz e.V., Frankfurt awarded him honorary membership. Since 2014, he has been Chairman of the fkks Fachverband Kathodischer Korrosionsschutz e.V. (Association for Cathodic Corrosion Protection), Esslingen.
# Calendar of Events

Due to the Corona virus a couple of events are cancelled, postponed or will be held online. Please refer to the website provided.

| **July 2021** |  |
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| **5. – 9.7.** | 7th US-Japan NDT Symposium<br>Waikoloa, (USA) | American Society for Nondestructive Testing customersupport@asnt.org |
| **20. – 23.7.** | 21st International Corrosion Congress & the 8th International Corrosion Meeting<br>São Paulo (Brazil) | ABRACO – Events Department<br>eventos@abraco.org.br<br>eventos@abraco.org.br |

| **August 2021** |  |
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| **8. – 13.8.** | 26th International Conference on Structural Mechanics in Reactor Technology<br>Berlin (Germany) | German Society for Non-Destructive Testing (DGZfP e.V.)
Berlin
Germany
tagungen@dgzfp.de
www.smirt26.com/ |
| **29.8. – 3.9.** | Electrochemistry from Fundamentals to Products<br>Jeju Island (Korea) | International Society of Electrochemistry info@ise-online.org
www.annual72.ise-online.org |

| **September 2021** |  |
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| **1. – 3.9.** | AfriCORR 2021 — African Corrosion Conference (AfriCORR) 2021<br>Johannesburg (South Africa) | NACE International and Corrosion Institute of Southern Africa (CorrISA)
admin@corrisa.org.za
www.corrosioninstitute.org.za/ |
| **5. – 8.9.** | Advances in Corrosion Protection by Organic Coatings – ACPOC EFC Event No. 451<br>Cambridge (United Kingdom) | Stuart Lyon
AkzoNobel Professor of Corrosion Control
University of Manchester,
Stuart.Lyon@manchester.ac.uk
www.acpocconference.org |
| **5 – 10.9.** | 7th World Tribology Congress (WTC 2021)<br>Lyon (France) | LaMCoS - INSA
LTDS - Ecole Centrale de Lyon
contact@wtc2021.org
registration@wtc2021.org
http://www.insight-outside.fr
www.lamcos.insa-lyon.fr
www.ltls.ec-lyon.fr |
| Date         | Location                  | Event Title                                                                 | Organizer/Contact Information                                                                 |
|--------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 5. – 9.9.    | Milan (Italy)             | 6th International Conference on Steels in Cars and Trucks SCT 2021           | TEMA Technologie Marketing AG Aachen Germany info@sct-2021.com www.sct-2021.com                |
| 12. – 16.9.  | Graz (Austria)            | EUROMAT 2021                                                                 | The Austrian Society for Metallurgy and Materials (ASMET) Leoben Austria euromat2021@asmet.a www.euromat2021.com |
| 13. – 17.9.  | Aachen (Germany)          | 9th European Oxygen Steelmaking Conference (EOCS) and 6th Clean Technologies in the Steel Industry (CTSI) | Steel Institute VDEh Dr.-Ing. Hans Bodo Lüngen Düsseldorf Germany info@eoscc-ctsi-2021.com www.eoscc-ctsi-2021.com |
| 14. – 15.9.  | St. Louis, Missouri (USA) | Cold Spray 2021                                                              | ASM World Headquarters Materials Park, OH USA memberservicecenter@asminternational.org www.asminternational.org |
| 19. – 23.9.  | Budapest (Hungary)        | EUROCORR 2021                                                                | European Federation of Corrosion c/o DEHEMA e.V. Frankfurt am Main Germany info@efcweb.org www.eurocorr2021.org |
| 20. – 23.9.  | Virtual                   | 13th European Congress of Chemical Engineering and 6th European Congress of Applied Biotechnology | European Society of Biochemical Engineering Sciences: office@esbesweb.org https://ecce-ecab2021.eu/ |
| 27. – 30.9.  | Tomsk (Russia)            | VI International Conference on Innovations in Non-Destructive Testing SibTest-2021 | Tomsk Polytechnic University with the Russian Society for Non-Destructive Testing and Technical Diagnostics sibtest@list.ru http://ndtst.tpu.ru/sibtest2021_eng |
| October 2021 |                           |                                                                              |                                                                                                |
| 4. – 8.10.   | Prague (Czech Republic)   | 2nd European NDT&CM                                                          | GUARANT International Prague Czech Republic endtcm21@guarant.cz www.endtcm21.com             |
| 6. + 7.10.   | Hannover (Germany)        | LightCon                                                                     | Deutsche Messe Hannover info@messe.de www.messe.de                                           |
| 6. – 8.10.   | Williamsburg, (USA)       | 13th International Symposium on NDT in Aerospace 2021                        | ARCTOS Technology Solutions jill.jennewine@arctos-us.com http://www.ndt2021.utcdayton.com/     |
| 6. – 8.10.   | Bardolino (Italy)         | 11th European Stainless Steel Conference Science & Market and the 7th European Duplex Stainless Steel | Siderweb The Italian Steel Company Flero (Brescia) Italy aim@aimnet.it) www.aimnet.it          |
| Date       | Event                                                                 | Location/Details                                                                 |
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| 6. – 9.10. | 3rd International Conference on Materials “MTECH 2021”                | Croatian Society for Materials Protection                                        |
|            |                                                                       | mtech@fsb.hr                                                                      |
|            |                                                                       | https://mtech-conf.hr/                                                            |
| 7. + 8.10. | Failure Analysis and Corrosion Management: Microbially Influenced      | ATV-SEMAPP                                                                        |
|            | Corrosion (MIC)                                                       | atv-semapp@mek.dtu.dk                                                             |
|            |                                                                       | https://atv-semapp.dk/biocorrosion/                                               |
| 10 – 14.10.| 240th ECS Meeting                                                    | The Electrochemical Society,                                                      |
|            |                                                                       | 65 South Main Street, Building D                                                 |
|            |                                                                       | Pennington, New Jersey 08534-2839, USA                                           |
|            |                                                                       | www.electrochem.org/contact-ecs                                                    |
| 12. – 14.10.| V2021 – Vakuum & Plasma                                              | Europäische Forschungsgesellschaft Dünne                                         |
|            |                                                                       | Schichten e.V.                                                                    |
|            |                                                                       | 01217 Dresden                                                                    |
|            |                                                                       | kotschenreuther@efds.org                                                          |
|            |                                                                       | https://www.efds.org/die-v/                                                       |
| 17. – 20.10.| Euro PM2021                                                          | European Powder Metallurgy Association (EPMA)                                     |
|            |                                                                       | Chantilly                                                                        |
|            |                                                                       | France                                                                            |
|            |                                                                       | www.epma.com                                                                      |
| 20. – 22.10.| ECCC2020 10th European Continuous Casting Conference                 | ECCC Organising Secretariat AIM – Associazione                                    |
|            |                                                                       | Italiana di Metallurgia                                                           |
|            |                                                                       | 20121 Milan                                                                       |
|            |                                                                       | Italy                                                                             |
|            |                                                                       | aim@aimnet.it                                                                     |
|            |                                                                       | www.aimnet.it                                                                    |
| November 2021|                                                                 |                                                                      |
| 2. – 4.11. | LightMAT 2021 4th International Conference on Light Materials -      | DGM - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Materialkunde e.V.                                |
|            | Science and Technology                                               | Sankt Augustin                                                                    |
|            |                                                                       | Germany                                                                           |
|            |                                                                       | lightmat@dgm.de                                                                   |
|            |                                                                       | www.dgm.de                                                                        |
|            |                                                                       | https://dgm.de/lightmat/                                                           |
| 3. + 4.11. | Advanced Engineering 2021                                             | easyfairs                                                                         |
|            |                                                                       | https://www.easyfairs.com                                                          |
| 3. – 5.11. | MAMC 2021 "Metal Additive Manufacturing Conference"                 | ASMET | Austrian Society for Metallurgy and Materials                                    |
|            |                                                                       | mamc2021@asmet.at                                                                 |
|            |                                                                       | www.mamc2021.org/                                                                 |
| 17. + 18.11.| 3rd Water JPI Conference                                            | IWW Water Centre                                                                  |
|            |                                                                       | info@waterjpi-conference-muelheim.com                                             |
|            |                                                                       | www.waterjpi-conference-muelheim.com                                              |
| 18. + 19.11.| Friction 2021 European Symposium on Friction, Wear and Wear          | DGM - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Materialkunde e.V.                                |
|            | Protection                                                           | Sankt Augustin                                                                    |
|            |                                                                       | Germany                                                                           |
|            |                                                                       | friction@dgm.de                                                                   |
|            |                                                                       | https://dgm.de/friction/                                                           |
| 21. – 24.11.| Electrochemical Deposition for Semiconductor and Green Energy      | International Society of Electrochemistry                                          |
|            |                                                                       | info@ise-online.org                                                               |
|            |                                                                       | www.topical30.ise-online.org                                                      |
| Month      | Date       | Event Name                                      | Location                          | Contact Information                                                                 |
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| December   | 11. + 2.12.| ALD for Industry                                | Dresden (Germany)                 | Europäische Forschungsgesellschaft Dünne Schichten e.V. 01217 Dresden<br>kotschenreuther@efds.org<br>https://www.efds.org/event/ald2021/ |
|            | 13. – 16.12.| Coatings+                                       | Phoenix (USA)                     | NACE International Houston, Texas USA<br>meghan.leyva@nace.org<br>https://sspc.org/coatings-2021/ |
| January    | 22. – 30.1. | Boot Düsseldorf                                 | Düsseldorf (Germany)               | Messe Düsseldorf<br>info@messe-duesseldorf.de<br>www.boot.de                         |
| February   | 8. – 11.2.  | 11th Conference on Industrial Computed Tomography (iCT) 2022 | Wels (Austria)                    | FH OÖ Forschungs & Entwicklungs GmbH<br>Campus Wels, CT-Gruppe<br>Wels Austria<br>Sascha.Senck@fh-wels.at<br>https://www.3dct.at/cms2/index.php/en/welcome2022 |
|            | 28.2. – 4.3.| WCNDT 2020 - 20th World Conference on Non-Destructive Testing | Incheon (Korea)                   | The Korean Society for Nondestructive Testing<br>Korea<br>conference@wcndt2020.com<br>https://20thwcndt.com/ |
| March      | 6. – 10.3.  | CORROSION 2022                                  | San Antonio, TX (USA)              | NACE International Houston, Texas USA<br>meghan.leyva@nace.org<br>www.nace.org       |
| April      | 4. – 8.4.   | ACHHEMA 2022                                    | Frankfurt (Germany)               | DEHEMA<br>Frankfurt Germany<br>https://www.achema.de/                               |
|            | 26. – 28.   | International Conference on NDE 4.0             | Munich (Germany)                  | German Society for Nondestructive Testing<br>(DGZfP)<br>Berlin Germany<br>mail@dgzfp.de |
| May        | 17. – 20.5. | GRINDING HUB                                    | Stuttgart (Germany)               | Landesmesse Stuttgat<br>Stuttgart Germany<br>info@messe-stuttgart.de<br>https://www.messe-stuttgart.de/grindinghub/ |