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In conjunction with the 6th European Coke and Ironmaking Congress, the Steel Institute VDEh would like to invite you as a plant manufacturer and plant supplier in the field of coke and iron making to actively participate in our Congress.

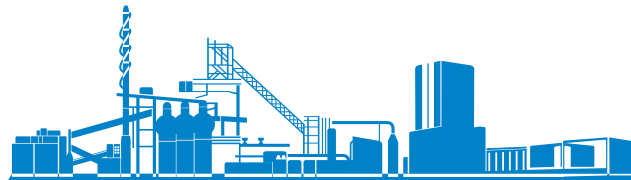
We estimate that many experts in the coke or iron making industry from all over the world will participate in the Congress. Your contribution and participation will help us, and you, make the Congress a successful event.

You should not miss this unique opportunity to promote new products, outline services and highlight key achievements to delegates of the METEC. This is an excellent opportunity to do business and maintain key contacts with customers and suppliers.

CONTACT FOR SPONSORS

The detailed sponsor packages will be available by the fourth quarter of 2009.

Companies interested in becoming a sponsor are kindly requested to visit the website www.ecic2011.com or to send an email to the Congress secretariat (ecic@tema.de).



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6th European Coke and Ironmaking Congress

27 June – 1 July 2011

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BACKGROUND

Following the success of two independent congresses – the International Cokemaking Congress (ICMC) and the European Ironmaking Congress (EIC) – the European Coke and Ironmaking Congress (ECIC) will seamlessly combine both worlds of coke and ironmaking. After taking place in Aachen (1st EIC 1986), Essen (1st ICMC 1987), Glasgow (2nd EIC 1991), London (2nd ICMC 1992), Gent (3rd ECIC 1996), Paris (4th ECIC 2000) and Stockholm (5th ECIC 2005), now Düsseldorf will be the location of this outstanding event.

Düsseldorf, the capital of North Rhine-Westphalia, the most populated province of Germany, is also home of the Steel Institute VDEh. Düsseldorf has strong connections to the coke, iron and steel industries thanks to the adjacent Ruhr region, the traditional home to coke, iron and steel making facilities. Taking all of this into account, ECIC 2011 is guaranteed to be an impressive gathering of experts. ECIC is a part of the METEC InSteelCon 2011.

METEC TRADE FAIR & METEC InSTEELCON 2011 — AT THE SAME PLACE AND TIME

All new developments from the world of steel, at a single time and place – that is the reach of METEC InSteelCon 2011. It unites four international conferences under one roof: the 6th European Coke and Ironmaking Congress (ECIC), the 7th European Continuous Casting Conference (ECCC), the 4th International Conference on Modelling and Simulation of Metallurgical Processes in Steel-making (STEELSIM) and the 1st International Conference on Energy Efficiency and CO₂ Reduction in the Steel Industry (EECRsteel).

These events take place as accompanying congresses and conferences to the leading metallurgical trade fair METEC and the trade fairs GIFA, THERMPROCESS and NEWCAST. More than 70,000 visitors are expected. All participants at the ECIC have free entrance to the 4 big trade fairs!

SCOPE AND TOPICS

The Congress will bring together a wide range of experts, coming from plant operation, plant suppliers and research institutes, who share expertise in:

- Coke making
- Iron ore production and handling
- Sintering
- Pelletising
- Blast furnace iron making
- Direct reduction

- Smelting reduction
- Environmental control in iron making
- CO₂ reduction and energy saving
- Recycling of in-plant residues

The Congress will provide a forum for best practice and state-of-the-art technology. It will also take a look at developments in the foreseeable future.

TECHNICAL PROGRAM

Joint sessions at the beginning of the Congress will deal with common topics such as general papers, keynote addresses, the global situation at the present time, future prospects and innovation in the 21st century.

PLANT VISITS

Day visits to coke oven, sinter and blast furnace plants in the wider Düsseldorf area will be planned and arranged for Friday, 1 July 2011. All necessary details will be provided at a later date.

SOCIAL EVENT

On Wednesday evening, 29 June 2011, an informal, relaxed networking opportunity for delegates is planned. All necessary details will be provided at a later date.

CONGRESS LANGUAGE – PROCEEDINGS

English is the official language of the Congress.

The full text from all papers, including tables and figures, will be published and distributed to all delegates during the Congress.

SUMMARIZED PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE

27 June – 1 July 2011

Monday Early Congress registration | Get-together

Tuesday Opening/plenary session | Technical sessions

Wednesday Technical sessions | Social event

Thursday Technical sessions

Friday Plant visits

Exhibition

TECHNICAL FOCUS

The Congress will focus on recent developments in the following areas:

- Coke making
- Future supply of coal
- Usage of cheap carbon sources to produce coke
- Stock yard operation
- Coal preparation practice
- Coke plant operation, instrumentation and automation
- Coke quality for blast furnaces
- Coke oven repair techniques and life prolongation
- New coke making technologies
- Iron ore production and handling
- Iron ore beneficiation technologies
- Materials transportation and handling logistics
- Sintering
- Sinter plant operation and automation
- Sinter quality
- Pelletising
- Pellet plant operation and automation
- Pellet quality
- Blast furnace iron making
- Efficient blast furnace operation: high productivity, low coke rate
- Life extension of blast furnaces
- Blast furnace liquid management and casting practice
- Future developments in hot metal and slag quality
- Future slag composition: answers to changing raw materials
- New blast furnaces
- Modern blast furnace design including refractories, cooling and tuyeres
- Plating, casting and granulating of hot metal
- Hot stoves and energy saving
- Blast furnace charging technologies
- Recovery of blast furnaces from abnormal production situations
- Injection coal preparation and grinding
- Process safety
- Direct reduction: production and use of DRI
- Smelting reduction: commercial and emerging processes
- Environmental control in iron making
- CO₂ reduction and energy saving
- Recycling of in-plant waste and residual materials

