

# TECHNICAL CALENDAR

March 11-14 SME — Flexible Manufacturing Systems Show Dallas, Texas

March 19-21 SME — Metalworking Coolants Boston, MA

March 26-27 SME — Buff, Brush & Polish Techniques Orlando, FL

March 28-29 SME — Unique Processes of Deburring Orlando, FL

April 2-3 SME — Production of Holes Itasca, IL

April 9-11 SME — Tool & Manufacturing Engineering Conference & Exposition Hartford, Connecticut

April 22-25 SME — Superabrasives '85 Rosemont, IL

May 7-8 SME — Machining Centers Detroit, MI

May 21-23 SME — Conventional & Wire EDM Chicago, IL

June 2-5 AGMA Annual Meeting The Homestead Hot Springs, VA

AGMA's 1985 Fall Technical Meeting will be held October 14-16, 1985 in San Francisco.

AGMA is soliciting papers for this year's meeting now, to allow time for careful preparation and review.

The schedule for submission and review of papers is:

Submission of abstracts to Headquarters February 14, 1985.  
First draft of paper to Headquarters April 19, 1985.  
Review complete June 3, 1985.  
Complete revision of draft and return to Headquarters July 3, 1985.  
Camera-ready copy to Headquarters August 16, 1985.

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## ... AND FROM THE INDUSTRY

### SEIREG ELECTED PRESIDENT GEAR RESEARCH INSTITUTE

The Gear Research Institute (GRI) reelected Dr. Ali Seireg to serve as President of this organization at their November meeting in Naperville, IL. Dr. Seireg, a Professor at the University of Wisconsin, is known around the world for his expertise in gear technology. He has published over 150 papers in the field. He is best known for his interest in computer utilization, vibrations and gear dynamics. Dr. Seireg is author of the book, **Mechanical Systems Analysis**, and has edited and contributed to other books and published on facets of automation, dynamic systems, friction, lubrication and wear, design optimization and biomedical engineering.

To serve with Dr. Seireg, all previous incumbents were reelected. They are Dr. Herbert Chen, Vice President; Mr. John Graham, Treasurer; Mr. Dale Breen, Secretary. At the same meeting, the following were elected to serve as trustees: Walter F. Craig, Morris E. Fine, John Graham, Philip R. Visser, Kenneth F. Packer and Dale Breen. Mr. Breen is also the director of GRI. GRI is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to supporting industry through the development of new, useful technologies. For further information on this organization, contact Dale Breen, GRI, N. Washington at E.W. Tollway, Box 353, Naperville, IL 60566. (312) 355-4200.

### SPLINE GAUGES, LTD., ACQUIRED BY ACME-CLEVELAND

Spline Gauges, Limited, a leading manufacturer of master gears, spline and thread gauges in England, has been acquired by Acme-Cleveland Corporation, Cleveland, Ohio.

S.G.L. has the only gauge laboratory in England approved by British Calibration Service and National Physics Lab for calibration and certification of master gears and splines traceable to the United States Bureau of Standards.

Beginning March 1985, S.G.L. products will be marketed in this country through M & M Precision Systems of West Carrollton, Ohio (also an Acme-Cleveland owned company).

### SME NAMES MARVIN F. DEVRIES PRESIDENT-ELECT FOR 1985-86

Dr. Marvin F. DeVries, Professor of the Mechanical Engineering Department, University of Wisconsin-Madison, is the 1985-86 President-Elect of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME). Dr. DeVries will be installed at SME's 1985 International Manufacturing Engineering Conference and Exposition in Detroit, May 6-9.

An SME member since 1960, Dr. DeVries has served on numerous international administrative and technical committees. In addition to serving with SME, Dr. DeVries has been elected to three honorary societies and is listed in five Who's Who directories. He is a longtime member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, serving in several capacities.

In 1983 he was selected as Director of the Master of Science degree program in Manufacturing Systems Engineering. In 1979 he was named to a Fulbright-Hayes lectureship and spent a year as Visiting Professor at the Cranfield Institute of Technology, England.

SME sponsors a broad spectrum of continuing education programs to benefit manufacturing engineers and technologists including Certification and the Manufacturing Engineering Education Foundation.