

May 7-11—AGMA Training School for Gear Manufacturing: Basic Course. Richard J. Daley College, Chicago, IL. Classroom and hands-on training in gear nomenclature, principles of inspection, gear manufacturing methods and the basics of hobbing and shaping. \$650 for AGMA members, \$775 for non-members. Contact Susan Fentress by telephone at (703) 684-0211 or by e-mail at fentress@agma.org.

May 16-18—PC Applications in Parallel Axis Gear System Design & Analysis. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee's Center for Continuing Engineering Education, Milwaukee, WI. Course for engineers and other people who specify, use or design gears or gear drives. Provides an understanding of parallel axis gear design and uses the computer program *PowerGear* for analyzing parameters. \$1,195. Contact Richard Albers,

program director, by telephone at (414) 227-3125 or by e-mail at rgalbers@uwm.edu.

May 21-23—Koeper Fundamentals of Parallel Axis Gear Manufacturing. Pheasant Run Inn and Resort, St. Charles, IL. Seminar for entry-level gear-manufacturing personnel, covering gear nomenclature, basic mathematics and information on gear hobbing, shaping, inspection and other manufacturing topics. \$650. Contact Koeper America L.L.C. by telephone at (847) 931-4121 or by fax at (847) 931-4192.

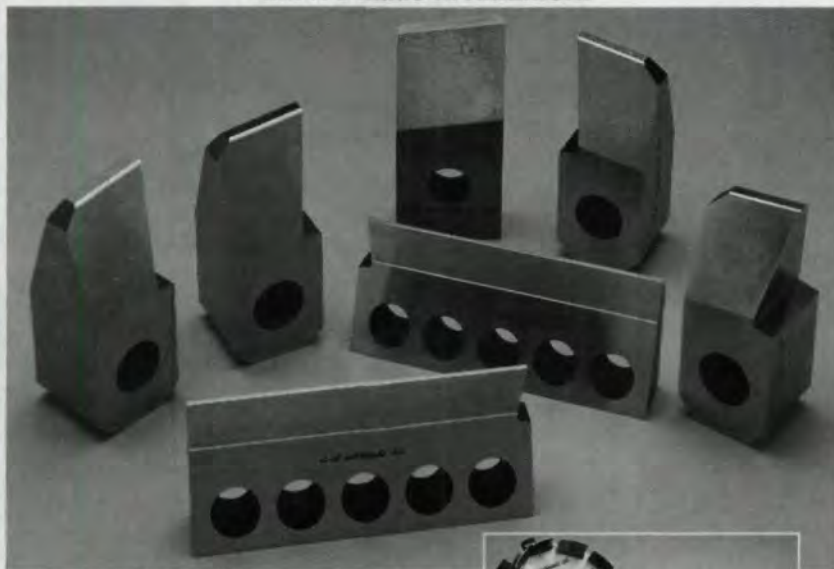
May 21-24—Gleason Basic Gear Fundamentals. Gleason Cutting Tools Corp., Loves Park, IL. A four-day series of lectures for people seeking a basic understanding of gear geometry, nomenclature, manufacturing and inspection. \$895. Call (815) 877-8900, visit www.gleason.com or send e-mail to gctc@gleason.com.

June 6-9—Machine Parts 2001. Shanghaiexpo, Shanghai, China. Exhibition will include new specialized pavilion for gears: Gear China 2001, the International Gear Technology Exhibition for China. Exhibition will present machine parts, including chains, fasteners, springs and powder metallurgical products. Contact Business & Industrial Trade Fairs Ltd. by mail at Unit 1223, HITEC, 1 Trademart Drive, Kowloon Bay, Hong Kong; by telephone at (852) 2865-2633; by fax at (852) 2866-1770 or (852) 2866-2076; or by e-mail at enquiry@bitf.com.hk.

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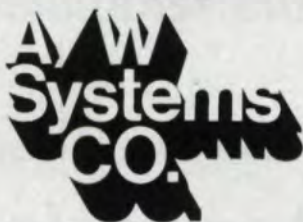
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