

# FRAY

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**Subject:** [In-name Sponsorship Request](#)

Dear Mr. President:

An International Symposium is being organized to honor the very distinguished work and lifetime achievements of Prof. Derek Fray of University of Cambridge, UK. This symposium will be held in Cancun, Mexico, from 4-7 of December 2011.

As you may already know Prof. Fray is renowned in the last 45 years for his impact in extractive and synthetic metal and materials processing. His scientific activity covers various fields such as non-ferrous, ferrous and nano-scale materials processing; various processing routes such as pyrometallurgy, hydrometallurgy, electrochemistry, chemical vapor synthesis and processing, recycling, etc. and various investigation techniques such as experimental measurements and physical modeling and simulation. His almost **400 publications** and about **180 patents** in all over the world have dealt with a variety of topics in the above mentioned fields such as Fundamentals to Process Modeling and Analysis, Cu/Ni/Co, Pb/Zn, Light metals (Al/Mg) processing, Recycling, Energy production (Combustion/gasification), Value Addition and Advance Materials etc. You can check the details of this symposium at the following address: <http://www.flogen.com/FraySymposium>. Up to now, many worldwide professional societies have offered their co-sponsorship of the symposium as well as Independent Scientific Publishers. Recently many well known industrial companies have agreed to co-sponsor this symposium financially. This symposium will follow the path of a previous very successful Yazawa International Symposium <http://www.flogen.com/YazawaSymposium/> held in San Diego, California, USA in 2003 and Sohn International Symposium held also in San Diego, California USA, and is believed to be of the same magnitude.

The Organizing Committee of the Symposium Dr. Florian Kongoli (FLOGEN Technologies, Inc., Canada/USA Chair), Prof. Hongmin ZHU, University of Science and Technology Beijing China, Dr. Maurits Van Camp, Umicore Inc. , Belgium, Prof. R. Vasant Kumar, University of Cambridge, UK and, would like to formally ask you to "in-name" cosponsor this symposium. This does not means any financial sponsorship but only the advertisement of the symposium to your members through your periodical publications, mailing the symposium flyer with your regular correspondence to your members, advertisement in your Web site etc. In turn the name and logo of your society would be advertised in all relevant publications of the symposium including the Proceedings, Web Site of the symposium and in the Symposium announcement for these 3 years, etc. We will also include the publication of the sponsors of the symposium in the Proceedings of the Symposium.

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On behalf of the organizing committee



Respectfully  
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