



IPMI 43RD ANNUAL CONFERENCE JUNE 15-18, 2019

Technical Chairs Zachary Henneman and Eric Frueh

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DAY I SATURDAY JUNE 15, 2019

- 8:00-5:00pm Registration Sorrento 4
- 8:00am Start Golf Tournament Lobby 7 am
- 5:00-6:00pm Student Meet and Greet Sierra Top Floor
- 6:00-8:00pm Welcome Reception Tuscany D-F

Sponsored by Gannon and Scott

- 8:00-10:00pm Johnson Matthey Reception Naples 6-7
- **IPMI Lounge Sponsored by PGM of Texas** Lounge Located in Sorrento 3 **Registration Snacks**
Sponsored by Dillon Gage

DAY 2 SUNDAY JUNE 16, 2019

- **7:30-8:30 am** **Speakers Breakfast** **Bistro**
- **8:00-3:00pm** **Registration** **Sorrento 4**
- **8:00-4:00pm** **Exhibit Hall** **Capri 3-4**
- **9:00-12:00pm** **Member/BOD Meeting** **Capri 2**
- **9:30am-10:30** **Spouse Brunch** **Sierra Upper Level**
- **12:30-1:30pm** **Delegate Lunch** **Naples 1-5**

Coffee Break Sponsored by Brinks

Photo Booth open in Exhibit Hall 1:30-3:30pm

SESSION A THE WORLD OF METALS FINANCE
CAPRI 2 1:30-3:30PM
MODERATOR JONATHAN BUTLER

- **Keith Weiner** , How to Analyze the Fundamentals of the Gold and Silver Markets
- **Matt Keen** , Future of the Supply Chain: Why It's Time to embrace Blockchain
- **Neil Meader** , The Price Impact of Structural Changes in Silver's Fundamentals
- **Matt Watson** , Platinum Group Minor Metals & Palladium: Where the Action Is
- **Dr Jonathan Butler** , How to Solve a Problem Like Palladium
- **Panel Discussion -Palladium Discussion**

**EXPERT BEVERAGE BREAK PANEL
NAPLES I 3:30-4:30PM
MODERATED BY ZIBI MILKIEWICZ**

- **John Dourekas, Kitco Metals**
- **Jonathan Butler, Mitsubishi**
- **Mike Reiss, Materials Management**
- **Claudio Ferrini, Metallix Refining**

SUNDAY EVENING JUNE 16, 2019

- 5:00-6:00pm **Patron Member Social** **Sierra Top Floor**
- 6:00-8:00pm **Tanaka/Metalor Reception** **Tuscany D-F**
- 8:30-10:00pm **“Evening on the Edge”** **Edge Nightclub**

Evening on the Edge, -Abbacadabra-The Ultimate Abba Tribute Show

Dessert and Cocktails

DAY 3 MONDAY JUNE 17, 2019

- **7:30am-8:30am**
Floor **Speakers Breakfast** **Sierra Top**
- **8:00-1:00pm** **Registration** **Sorrento 4**
- **8:00am-4pm** **Exhibit Hall** **Capri 3-4**
- **8:30am-12:30pm** **Session B Special Sessions** **Capri 1**
- **8:30am-12:30pm** **Session C Jewelry Session** **Capri 2**

MONDAY JUNE 17 CONT'D

- 1:00-3:00pm **Session D New Horizons** **Capri 2**
- 1:00-3:00pm **Sampling Analytics/Petroleum Refining Councils**
Capri 1
- 3:00-5:00pm **Pool Party** **Pool**
Sponsored by Loomis
- 4:30-5:30pm **Ladies Happy Hour** **Sierra Top Floor**
Sponsored by Inspectorate

Morning Coffee Breaks Sponsored by BRM Services and PMRCC

Photo Booth open in Exhibit Hall 9:00am-12:00pm

SESSION B SPECIAL SESSIONS
SAMPLING AND MINING
830-1230 PM
CAPRI I
MODERATOR
MANOJ MOHANTY

- **Tyler Broden** , Flotation for Gold/Copper Ores at Newmont's Phoenix Mines
- **Carl Nesbitt** , Effects of Reduced Sulfur on the Recovery of Gold and Silver by Cyanide Leaching
- **Dan Kappes** , Technical Trends and Evolving Economics of the Global Gold Resources
- **Antti Vesin**, Value Proposition of Data Analytics to a Precious Metals Mine Backed Up With Real Life Data

SESSION B CONT'D

- **Alexey Kornienko** , Finding Effective Routes for non-precious Metals Removal from Precious Metals Refinery's Flowsheet with Big-data Analysis.
- **Francis Pitard** , Good Sampling Practice as an Insurance Policy for Precious Metals Refiners Against Financial Losses
- **Keith Peterson**, Sub Sampling in the Lab
- Ajanthia Gunaratnam and Andrew Siemon, A Study of Thiosulfate Leaching of Doulbe Refractory Ores,

SESSION C JEWELRY SESSION 830AM-1230PM
CAPRI 2
MODERATOR ZIBI MILKIEWICZ

- **Jenny Luker, PGI , Jewelry as an Important Demand Source for Platinum**
- **Zibi Milkiewicz, Krastsvetmet , Expanding Jewelry Supply Chain Decision Process**
- **Fabio De Vito ,Violi Macchine: Crushing Mills and Mixers - Technological Revolution**
- **Mark Hanna, US Gold Jewelry Market Evolution**
- **Ingo Wolf, Osmium Institute: Will Osmium be Girls' New Friend?**
- **Panel Discussion**

SESSION D NEW HORIZONS 1:00-3:00PM
CAPRI I
MODERATOR FEDERICO PADRONO MARTINI

- **Peter Jegou**, AGR Patent and Process
- **Federico Padrono Martini**, Advantages of Acidless Technology
- **Tyler Bazzoli**, Osmium: A Potential Alternative in PGM Applications
- **Charlie Fink**, iSense™: The Future of Advanced Diagnostics is Here
- **Dr Jonathan Butler**, PGMs in Hydrogen and Fuel Cells: progress and prospects
- **Steve Izatt**, Identification and Analysis of Platinum Group Value Chains in Europe and the United States

MONDAY EVENING JUNE 17, 2019

- **Sabin Metal Reception 6:00-8:00** **Tuscany**
- **Edge of Night Delegate Reception 8:00-10:00** **Edge Nightclub**

DAY 4 TUESDAY JUNE 18, 2019

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| • 7:30am-8:30am | Speakers Breakfast | Sierra Top Floor |
| • 7:30am-9:00am | Marketing Committee | Florence |
| • 8:00am-12pm | Registration | Sorrento 4 |
| • 8:00am-12pm | Exhibit Hall | Capri 3-4 |
| • 8:30am-11:00am | Session E Assaying,
Recovery and Melting of Metals | Capri 1 |

Coffee Break Sponsored by Dillon Gage

Photo Booth Open in Exhibit Hall 9am-12:00pm

DAY 4 JUNE 18 CONT'D

- **8:30am-10:00am** **Session F AML
and Compliant** **Capri 2**
- **10:30am-12:30pm** **Session G Responsible Sourcing
A Refining and Jewelry Perspective** **Capri 2**
- **12:30pm-1:30pm** **Student Lunch** **Sierra Top Floor**
- **1:30pm-4:30pm** **Session H Student Research** **Capri 1**

SESSION E ASSAYING, RECOVERY AND MELTING OF METALS
8:30-11:00AM
CAPRI I
MODERATED BY ZACH HENNEMAN

- **Charlie Fink**, History of Melting Technologies
- **Par Rosendahl**, History of Plasma Arc Technologies
- **KC Lam** , Review of ISO System and use in PM Industry
- **Thomas Kozikowski** “ICP for Beginner’s”
- **Algis Naujokas**, Sampling and Analytics Council Update

SESSION F AML AMD COMPLIANT

8:30 - 10:00AM

CAPRI 2

MODERATOR STEVE CROGAN

THIS SESSION IS CLOSED TO MEMBERS OF THE PRESS

- **Steven Crogan** , AML Compliance Update
- The Role of OFAC in Venezuelan Gold Sanctions
- **Brian Ledgerwood**, Precious Metals: Trade Policy Update and Global Market Briefing
- **Neil Harby**, LBMA Guidelines
- **Panel Discussion**

**SESSION G RESPONSIBLE SOURCING: A REFINING AND
JEWELRY PERSPECTIVE
10:30AM-12:30PM CAPRI 2
MODERATOR STEVE CROGAN**

- **Elan Farbiarz** , Metal Traceability: Responsible Sourcing and Ethical Practices
- **Brandee Dallow**, Responsible Jewellery Council: our mission to make the jewelry industry more responsible
- **Mark Hanna**, Trustability and Blockchain

- **Panel Discussion**

**SESSION H STUDENT RESEARCH
130PM-440PM
CAPRI I
MODERATOR JONATHAN JODRY**

Scheduled Participating Students

Tatsuya Higaki, Carnegie Mellon Institute

Gold on Sharp Transition: from Non-Metallic Au₂₄₆ to Metallic Au₂₇₉

Jaeyune Ryu, MIT

Exploring the Precious metal/water Interface under Electrochemical Polarization

SESSION H CON'TD

- **Jennifer Lee, University of Pennsylvania**

Tuning the Electrocatalytic Oxygen Reduction Reaction Activity of PtCo Nanocrystals by Cobalt Concentration with Atomic-Scale Understanding

- **Jingshan Du, Northwestern**

Accelerating Complex Nanomaterial Discovery Using A Combinatorial Polymer Nanoreactor Approach

Van Tran, Scrips Research Institute

Activation of Diverse Carbon–Heteroatom and Carbon–Carbon Bonds via Palladium(II)-Catalyzed β -X Elimination

SESSION H CONT'D

Po-Ni Lai, University of Houston

Design of Highly Efficient Yellow and Red Bis-cyclometalated Iridium Phosphors *via* Ancillary Ligand Modification

Liliang Huang, Northwestern University

Catalyst Design by Scanning Probe Block Copolymer Lithography

- **Joseph Dennis, MIT**
- Breaking the Base Barrier: Enabling the Use of Organic Bases in Palladium-Catalyzed Carbon-Nitrogen Cross-Coupling

TUESDAY EVENING JUNE 18, 2019

- **6:00-7:00pm** **President's Reception** **Tuscany Foyer**
Sponsored by Hensel Recycling
- **7:00-9:00pm** **Awards Banquet** **Tuscany E-F**
- **9:00-10:30pm** **Closing Reception** **Tuscany D**