

PSE 2010 - Tutorial 2  
Sunday, September 12, 2010, 10:00 – 16:00

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**Intellectual Property (IP) and Patents on Plasma Surface Engineering**

In this tutorial, specialists of the Fraunhofer Society will give an introduction to legal and technical aspects of European patents focusing on plasma surface engineering. The tutorial will be chaired by Günter Bräuer, Fraunhofer-Institut für Schicht- und Oberflächentechnik, Braunschweig (GER).

10:00-10:15	<b>Welcome</b> Prof. Günter Bräuer
10:15-11:00	<b>IP Management</b> Dr. Pia Schoester
11:00-11:15	Coffee Break
11:15-12:00	<b>Practical Approach to Licensing Agreement</b> Gerhard Rall
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-13:45	<b>Patent Research Methodology</b> Dr. Berthold Rager
13:45-14:30	<b>Trends in Patenting Plasma Surface Technologies</b> Reinhold Bethke
14:30-14:40	Coffee Break
14:40-16:10	<b>Patent situation in HIPIMS technology</b> Prof. Günter Bräuer
16:10	<b>Individual Discussion</b> Prof. Bräuer / Dr. Schoester /Dr. Rager / Bethke / Rall