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## The way to the stars: ITSC in Düsseldorf

**Düsseldorf, March 23, 2017.** "Thermal Spray Paves the Way to the Stars!" will be the motto of this year's ITSC - International Thermal Spray Conference & Exposition. After six years, ITSC is once again stopping off in Germany. In Düsseldorf from June 7 to 9, 2017, this globally leading specialist event in the field of thermal spraying will focus on optimum tribological properties in engine technology, modern corrosion and wear protection in power station or offshore applications, improved thermal barrier coatings in turbine technology as well as a large number of other applications of surface technology. In over 400 specialist contributions, internationally leading experts will discuss current and future technological developments.

An accompanying trade exhibition will provide information about the current spectrum of installations and services. In an "Industrial Forum", exhibitors and companies will also present products and applications and invite the guests to enter into a dialogue close to practical needs. In total, around 50 exhibitors from twelve nations will introduce their solutions accomanying the conference. All the leading companies in the sector will be represented and thus show in an impressive way what high status ITSC has in the field of thermal spraying. For the umpteenth time, the organisation of the trade exhibition is in the hands of Messe Essen which has optimum contacts at its disposal because it has staged this event for many years.

The next generation in the sector will also be promoted by letting it speak in front of the international public. In the lecture series entitled "Young Professionals", up-and-coming scientists will report on their present work. The best speaker will be determined by the auditorium and honoured with the Oerlikon Metco Young Professionals Award.

Every year, ITSC is alternately staged on a different continent in the world. In this respect, this renowned international sectoral platform is organised by DVS and ASM-TSS (Thermal Spray Society ASM International). With the successful mixture of a conference and an exhibition, the expert world of thermal spraying is offered an exchange of knowledge with colleagues from all over the world.



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Participation on discounted conditions will still be possible until May 11. Information and registration at: www.dvs-ev.de/itsc2017

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