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6-1. Symposium on Quality and Reliability of Electronic/Photonic Packaging

Quality and reliability are critical performance characteristics of electronic, photonic and MEMS packaging. Characterizing the fundamental failure mechanisms and developing models to predict product life is critical to the long term reliability of these devices. This symposium focuses on the development of new and innovative engineering sciences and practices for quality control and reliability analysis and testing. Topics include, but are not limited to, reliability issues and failure analysis under thermal and power cycling, vibration, shock/drop, moisture, harsh chemical contaminants and combined loading, in

- Lead-Free Electronic Assemblies
- MCM/SiP/SoP Technologies
- 3-D Interconnects and Packaging
- Underfill, Dielectric, and other polymer Applications in Advanced Packages
- Embedded Actives/Passives
- MEMS Devices
- Nano/Micro Composite Coatings

Papers are also invited on such quality and reliability activities as:

- Reliability Assessment and Accelerated Product Qualification Testing
- Material Characterization and Characterization Techniques
- Predictive Modeling for Product Performance and Design
- Advanced Modeling Techniques for Product Reliability

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6-2. Symposium on Modeling and Simulation in Electronic/Photonic Packaging

Modeling and simulation are critical activities in the design and development of complex electronic and photonic systems. Modeling aids in key activities such design for performance, manufacturability, quality, reliability, testability, maintainability, and affordability. Modeling in electronic/photonic systems requires multi-physics, multi-scale techniques. This symposium focuses on the development of new and innovative engineering sciences and practices for modeling and simulation in electronic systems. Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Modeling of complex properties of materials used in electronic/photonic assemblies
- Modeling of mechanical behavior and heat transfer in atomic scale
- Modeling of complex life cycle loading encountered in electromagnetic compatibility, thermal and power cycling, vibration, shock/drop, moisture, harsh chemical contaminants, and combined loading
- Modeling of complex architectures encountered in advanced packaging technologies
- Modeling of complex failure mechanisms encountered in advanced packaging
- Modeling tools commercially available in the electronics/photronics industry
- Modeling challenges at the microscale and nanoscale for electronic/photonic systems

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6-3. Symposium on Manufacturing, Materials & Processes

Packaging technology continues to increase in its complexity and integration while requiring lower cost, lighter weight, and importantly increased reliability. As application conditions become harsher, such as for portables, military, sensing, automotive and biomedical applications, packaging needs to be improved to a great extent from current stage. Advance in packaging manufacturing, materials & processes would offer innovative and disruptive solutions to the challenges in such needs. Further, without better understanding of materials and their microstructural developments, it is difficult to keep up with the most advanced concepts in electronics, MEMS, photonics and organic electronics. This symposium focuses on manufacturing and materials issues encountered in the assembly and packaging. Additionally, materials issues in low-k dielectrics will be included in this symposium due to its interface and interaction with the flip-chip and wire-bond packaging. Topics of special interests in this symposium include, but are not limited to manufacturing and materials issues in:

- low-k dielectrics
- electronic, MEMS, and photonic packaging
- OLED
- flexible substrates.
- Thin films, coatings and adhesives
- Interfacial phenomena
- microstructure-property relationships of packaging materials
- Integration of passive components and smart materials into packaging
- Nanoscale phenomena and its relation to packaging reliability
- Combined approaches through modeling and experimental work

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6-4. Symposium on Reliability/Durability of Defense, Aerospace, and Military Electronics

Compared to consumer products, electronics for defense, aerospace, and military applications require longer years of service. During service, they may be subject to very extreme thermal cycling and harsh vibration/shock environment. Coupling with COTS parts with lead-free solder, their reliability/durability become an important issue. This symposium dedicates to simulations and experiments of electronics for defense, aerospace, and military applications. Topic of interests may include, but not limited to,

- Durability/reliability of electronic products in electronic packaging for defense, aerospace, and military applications;
- Mitigation of lead free solder impact including mixed assembly;
- Correlation of solder joint durability and reliability;
- Low temperature fatigue;
- Failure mechanism and modeling and testing of solder interconnects under vibration/shock environment;
- Combination of vibration and temperature cycling.

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6-5. Symposium on Advanced Packaging, Power Electronics & Photonics

The fabrication, assembly and testing of advanced electronic and photonic device or packaging can involve complex interactions between physical phenomena such as temperature, moisture, fluid flow, electromagnetics, optics and stress.

Characterizing these multiphysics phenomena can have significant impact on the business profitability of electronics and photonics industries. This symposium is dedicated to multiphysics simulations and experiments in microelectronics, photonics, microsystems and power electronics. Topics of interest include:

- Coupled Electro-thermal-mechanical issues
- Coupled Thermo-Fluid-Structure Issues
- Coupled Thermo-Hygro-Mechanical Issues

This topic area will also host a *Mini-symposium on Power Electronics*, relevant in alternative energy sources and energy conservation, eg. in efficient conversion of the raw output of renewable sources like wind, solar, geothermal, into a form useful to the grid, as well as to conserve energy in hybrid or plug-in electric vehicles, HVAC, and commercial appliances. Operating reliably in such applications requires the latest materials & design solutions to manage electrical, thermal, mechanical & chemical stresses for better reliability. Areas of interest include:

- Packaging of SiC and GaN power devices
- Planar interconnection technologies for power electronic modules
- Advanced cooling technologies for high power devices and modules
- High temperature, lead-free attach technologies for power electronics
- Failure mechanisms in power electronic devices and packaging.

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6-6. Symposium on Emerging Technologies

This topic will span the design, process, and reliability issues in the research on developing eco-friendly electronics. Topics on emerging technologies that result in reduced impact on the environment will be covered. This may include but will not be limited to materials/processes/challenges in electronics used in energy harvesting, photovoltaic or other renewable energy applications, printable electronic approaches, 3 dimensional Integrated Circuits, stretchable and flexible electronics, RF switches, Micro/Nano-electro-mechanical systems (M/NEMS), GaN and GaAs based devices and energy efficient electronics. This symposium consists of the following topics:

- Novel Materials and Processes for Eco-electronics
- Minisymposium on “Quality and Reliability of Electronic Packages, Devices and Materials for Emerging Technologies” (co-sponsored with Materials and MEMS Divisions)
- Minisymposium on “Flexible and Stretchable Electronics” (co-sponsored with Applied Mechanics Div)

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6-7. General

Authors and presenters are invited to participate in this event to expand international cooperation, understanding and promotion of efforts and disciplines in the area of Electronics and Photonics focus. Dissemination of knowledge by presenting research results of a broad range of investigations related to the application of methods and engineering approaches to the analysis, design, manufacturing, and testing of microelectronics and photonics components, devices, equipment and systems will serve as the foundation upon which the conference program of this area will be developed.

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6-8. Workshop on Careers in Industry and Academia

The session will provide new and upcoming graduates with an insight to the careers in the Industry and Academia. Early career and established researchers will be invited to share their experience.

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6-9. Workshop on Lead Free Electronics Impact on DoD Programs

The implementation of lead-free electronics in industry has resulted in a number of challenges focused at addressing concerns with performance of new materials under harsh operating and other environmental conditions. DoD (and Aerospace/High Performance) systems have unique requirements which include: 1) High reliability and critical systems, 2) VERY long service life, 3) Extended temperature ranges, and 4) Repairable systems. DoD acquisition programs are increasingly dependent on *commercial* electronic parts and assemblies (COTS) and therefore, the influx of lead-free assemblies is imminent and real.

Primary lead-free impacts include

- Lead-free solder issues
- Tin whisker failures
- Availability of leaded solder and components
- Configuration control
- Repair/Rework

This workshop, will provide insight and training on specific issues, typical failures, risk mitigation strategies, available resources, and a summary of the present state of readiness. Specific topics for discussion include: typical failures, mitigation strategies, resources needed to manage the transition to Pb-free electronics, summary of the defense/aerospace industry readiness to adapt to lead-free technology.

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6-10. Student Posters

Papers with students as the lead authors are invited to be presented at the Electronic and Photonic Packaging Davison Student Poster session. Papers in all areas of electronic and photonic packaging are welcome. A committee of three experts will be formed to judge the posters. Three winners will be selected to receive the EPPD Best Students Poster Award at the EPPD Wine and Cheese Reception

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