

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Attendance at this strength workshop is encouraged for individuals who have a sincere interest in contributing their knowledge, experience, resources and enthusiasm to this global initiative to increase the usable strength of glass. Representatives from U.S. and non-U.S. glass companies, universities, research institutes, supplier organizations, glass associations, government agencies and individuals would be welcome.

REGISTRATION FEES

For complete registration details, visit :
<http://ceramics.org/gomd2010>

Attendees to the American Ceramic Society's Glass and Optical Material's Annual Meeting (GOMD) may attend the GMIC/DOE Glass Strength workshop without paying an additional fee. If GOMD attendees also wish to attend the Wednesday evening workshop dinner, an additional \$60.00 will be charged when you register for the GOMD, specifying your wish to 1) attend the workshop and 2) attend the dinner.

To attend only the GMIC/DOE workshop, the registration fee for the two-day program is specified below. (Register before April 16 to benefit from discount!)

All registration is to be completed through the link above.

	Before April 16, 2010	After April 16, 2010
GMIC/DOE Sponsored Glass Strength Workshop (<i>includes Wednesday's GMIC tour & dinner ticket and Thursday's workshop</i>)	\$395	\$495

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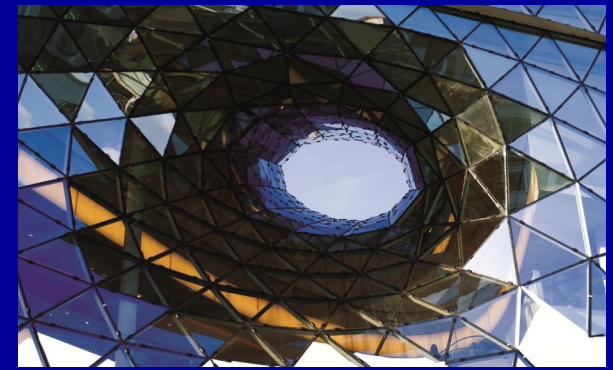
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USABLE GLASS STRENGTH FORMING A RESEARCH COALITION



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MAY 19-20, 2010

Radisson Hotel, Corning, NY



WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION

The program goal is to establish an industry/university/government coalition to support a multi-year glass strength research agenda to obtain a significant improvement in the usable strength of commercial glass products. The workshop outcome will be the identification of critical research areas, the assignment of participant roles, the alignment of research proposals with funding resources and setting the time line for execution of the research agenda.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 19 MAY

(Times not yet finalized – tentatively 1:00 – 9:30 PM)

PLANT TOUR (1:00 PM)

World Kitchen - maker of Correlle high strength glass tableware; **additional tours possible.**

DINNER (7:00 PM)

“Thin Strong Glass” Keynote Speaker: David L. Morse, Corning Incorporated, Senior Vice President – Science and Technology, and Director Corporate Research

THURSDAY 20 MAY

8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

MORNING SESSION

Introduction by GMIC Strategic Strength Team of a Draft Proposal to establish a research coalition for the purpose of increasing the usable strength of commercial glass. (Attendees' input encouraged)

LUNCHEON

“Open Innovation – The Radical Future of R&D” – across Corporate and National Boundaries” - Joseph Arcadi, Open Innovation Leader, Owens Corning

AFTERNOON SESSION

The GMIC Core Research Team will introduce a multi-year research vision for increasing usable strength of glass. Specifically, the team will recommend research strategies in a number of key areas including, coatings, fatigue, damage, modeling and chemistry.

Session will conclude with:

- Q&A - discussion
- Consensus on direction
- Identification of additional team members to “champion” each proposal strategy
- Setting timeline for action