

**Belgian Society of
Mechanical and
Environmental
Engineering**



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BSMEE NEWS

PREFACE FROM THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE BSMEE

Dear Member,

The reissue of the European Journal of Mechanical and Environmental Engineering is a fact. Normally you have already received the first issue of 2008 in your letterbox. This issue of 36 pages gives you a brief history of the BSMEE and some original contributions.

The joint membership BSMEE-ASME is also a fact. Members of the BSMEE can become member of the ASME at reduced prize and can enjoy all the advantages of both associations. Some people already signed in and we are very pleased to collect new joint memberships.

2008 started with a renewed enthusiasm. Let's keep up this spirit and let's push on in the world of mechanical and environmental engineering.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE BOARD OF THE BSMEE

Due to the small attendance at our General Assembly of 23 April 2008, a questionnaire will be made in order to know the needs of our members.

BESTPRODUCT-TENEEST

BESTPRODUCT-TENEEST stands for "BEST PRODUCT Through an European Network on Environmental Engineering (EE) Sciences and Technology". The project has received the Eureka label E!3517 and is aiming at a durable integration of EE experts in a "European Network on Environmental Engineering Sciences and Technology" (ENEEST). This network is mainly focused on the stimulation or creation of communication channels, co-operation opportunities and joint research activities.

Across Europe several EE experts are working hard in numerous research and test centers to simulate in an appropriate manner various environmental influences (e.g.: vibration, shock, EMC, climate testing, ...). The scatter of knowledge, the squander of intellectual energy and the spread of the means are of that nature that the overall effectiveness could be highly improved. Indeed, a remarkable amount of individual knowledge of experts has been built up in the past and huge amounts of money were invested in test facilities which are almost not available because of a lack of information.

In conclusion there is an urgent need to merge in a network the knowledge of highly qualified specialists and the technical capabilities all over Europe and to use that expertise especially in the production of consumer products with the final aim to obtain a "bestproduct".

**THE SECOND PHASE OF THIS PROJECT HAS STARTED AND EVERYONE CAN STILL SIGN IN.
MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.ENEEST.EU.**

CALENDER OF EVENTS

WHAT	WHEN	WHERE	ADD INFO
19 th international Compressor engineering conference	14-18/07/2008	Purdue (USA)	
Non-equilibrium gas dynamics from physical models to hypersonic flights	8-12/09/08	VKI - Brussels (BE)	www.vki.ac.be
Energie: beleid en technieken (postuniversitaire opleidingen milieukunde)	Sep-Okt 08		www.pav.kuleuven-kortrijk.be
Airtec international aerospace supply fair	11-14/11/08	Exhibition Center Frankfurt/Main (GE)	
Industrial drying of heat sensitive materials	18-20/11/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Piping design, analysis and fabrication	17-19/11/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Gasification technology	17-18/11/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Process Plant start-up	10-13/11/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Fired process heaters	3-6/11/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Waste incineration and combustion process	23-30/10/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Refractories for industrial applications	20-22/10/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Introduction to natural gas processing	20-22/10/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com
Fluid flow and line sizing	25-26/09/08	Amsterdam (NL)	www.cfpa.com

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BOOKS

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NEW STANDARDS

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