

2025 TechCon Tutorial Schedule

updated February 21, 2025

Saturday, May 17, 2025

C-103	An Introduction to Physical Vapor Deposition (PVD) Processes <i>Morse</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-205	Introduction to Optical Coating Design <i>Sargent</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-310	Sputtering <i>Bandorf</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-333	Practice and Applications of High Power Impulse Magnetron Sputtering <i>Ehiasarian/Gerdes</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
VT-201	Vacuum Systems, Materials, and Operation <i>O'Hanlon</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	

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Sunday, May 18, 2025

C-212	Troubleshooting for Thin Film Deposition Processes – Session 1 <i>Miller</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-218	Advanced Design of Optical Thin Films <i>Willey (Pre-recorded tutorial)</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-323	Fundamentals of High Power Impulse Magnetron Sputtering (HIPIMS) <i>Ehiasarian</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-329	Properties and Applications of Tribological Coatings <i>Doll/Matthews</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-338	Application of Reactive Sputtering <i>Bandorf/Gerdes</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
M-240	Basics and Applications of Electron Beam Technology for Manufacturing Processes <i>Saager</i> PM	2:00PM – 5:30PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
VT-203	Understanding and Using Residual Gas Analyzers <i>O'Hanlon</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	

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Monday, May 19, 2025

C-110	Materials for PVD Applications <i>Pernagidis/Ghailane</i> New!	9:30AM – 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	
C-220	Introduction to Two-Dimensional Materials <i>Muratore</i> AM	9:30AM - 1:00PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
M-110	Introduction to X-Ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy <i>Linford</i> AM New!	9:30AM - 1:00PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
M-140	Mass Flow Controllers: Fundamentals, Troubleshooting, and Calibration <i>Lewey</i> AM	9:30AM - 1:00PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
M-201	Flexible Electronics <i>Muratore</i> PM	2:00PM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
M-210	Introduction to Solid-State Thin Film Batteries <i>Gaines</i> PM	2:00PM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
M-250	Deposition Process Simulation <i>Gerdes</i> PM	2:00PM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	
VT-240	Practical Elements of Leak Detection <i>Deluca</i>	9:30AM - 5:30PM
	Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	

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Tuesday, May 20, 2025

C-210	Introduction to Plasma Processing Technology Baránková/Bárdos AM Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	9:30AM - 1:00PM
C-214	Thin Film Debugging and Optimization Willey (Pre-recorded tutorial) AM Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	9:30AM - 1:00PM
C-230	Processing of Plastics for Better Protection, Reflection, and Decoration Soper/Vergason AM Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	9:30AM - 1:00PM
C-306	Non-Conventional Plasma Sources and Methods in Processing Technology Baránková/Bárdos PM Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	2:00PM - 5:30PM
C-337	ITO and Alternative TCO: From Fundamentals to Controlling Properties Bright Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	9:30AM - 5:30PM
M-102	Introduction to Ellipsometry Hilfiker PM Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180	2:00PM - 5:30PM
VT-230	Design and Specification of Vacuum Deposition Systems Belan Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280	9:30AM - 5:30PM

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Wednesday, May 21, 2025

- C-204 [Basics of Vacuum Web Coating](#) *Simmons* **AM** 9:30AM - 1:00PM
Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180
- C-217 [Practical Production of Optical Thin Films](#) *Willey (Pre-recorded tutorial)* 9:30AM - 5:30PM
Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280
- C-316 [Introduction to Atomic Layer Deposition \(ALD\) Processes, Chemistries, and Applications](#) *Biyikli* 9:30AM - 5:30PM
Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280
- C-320 [Diamond-Like Carbon Coatings – From Basics to Industrial Realization](#) 2:00PM - 5:30PM
Savva/Haubold/Keunecke/Stein/Petzold **PM**
Professional: \$470 or Student/Young Member: \$180

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Thursday, May 22, 2025

- C-212 [Troubleshooting for Thin Film Deposition Processes – Session 2](#) *Miller* 9:30AM - 5:30PM
Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280
- C-322 [Characterization of Thick Films, Thin Films and Surfaces](#) *Christensen* 9:30AM - 5:30PM
Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280
- M-120 [Design of Experiments for R&D](#) *Grace* 9:30AM - 5:30PM
Professional: \$690 or Student/Young Member: \$280