

PacRim 9 "The 9th International Meeting of Pacific Rim Ceramic Societies"

Incorporating: AUSTCERAM 2011 "The Biennial Meeting of the Australian Ceramic Society" and AFPG-9 "The 9th International Conference on Advances in the Fusion and Processing of Glass"

10th - 14th July 2011

Cairns Convention Centre

Cairns, North Queensland, Australia

The [Australian Ceramic Society](#) in partnership with [Materials Australia](#), Australia's peak materials technology body, to operate PacRim 9, (<http://www.materialsaustralia.com.au/scripts/cgiip.exe/WService=MA/ccms.r?pageid=2013>) for the conference home page. PacRim 9 offers an opportunity for scientific and process equipment manufacturers, service providers and other commercial organisations, to exhibit their products and services to leading researchers brought together at a single venue. Check website for Exhibition and sponsorship opportunities. You are invited to come to Australia, and attend PacRim9, Austceram 2011 present your work, in [Symposium 17 Microwave and RF Processing](#) (<http://www.materialsaustralia.com.au/scripts/cgiip.exe/WService=MA/ccms.r?pageid=20167#seventeen>) network with leading world experts, visit the technical exhibition and enjoy the spectacular scenery around Cairns.

*The Chair for Symposium 17, Prof. C. Leonelli has arranged the publication of papers contributed to this symposium at the PACRIM 2011 from the Microwave and Radio Frequency Processing of Ceramics in a **Special Issue of the IMPI's journal, Journal of Microwave Power and Electromagnetic Energy (JMPEE).***

Abstracts and Papers must be submitted through the conference home page, (<http://www.materialsaustralia.com.au/scripts/cgiip.exe/WService=MA/ccms.r?pageid=20164>) to go to the conference home page for deadlines and program detail.

Further information may be obtained by contacting [Prof. Cristina Leonelli](#) (cristina.leonelli@unimore.it) (Chair and Guest editor) or [Michael La Robina](#) (Guest editor) (m.la.robina@tpg.com.au) of the Symposium 17 Organising committee.

AMPERE members working in the fields of ceramics and glass are invited to become LIFE members of the [Australian Ceramic Society](#) for a once only fee of AU\$50.00.

Go to the "Membership" page and download the application form (<http://www.austceram.com/Membership.asp>). If one becomes a member then the ACS discount to the PacRim9 fee will apply. Students can join ACS FREE. Clearly, future ACS discounts will apply for any event that ACS is involved in and a discount to its members is offered.