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AWS and RWMA Issue Call for Papers on Advances in Resistance Welding

MIAMI, Fla., October 7, 2013 – The American Welding Society (AWS) and Resistance Welding Manufacturing' Alliance (RWMA) is now accepting papers for its first-ever International Symposium on Advances in Resistance Welding to be held on April 28 – 30, 2014 in Atlanta, Ga.

Industry researchers, engineers, scientists, and academics involved in various resistance welding fields from all over the world are invited to present and publish high-quality technical papers. Papers will be selected for technical quality, appropriateness, and significance.

Authors are solicited to contribute to the symposium by submitting technical abstracts that illustrate research results, projects, and industrial experiences that describe significant advances in resistance welding technology.

The call for papers is open through January 7, 2014 and categories may include, but are not limited to:

- Advances in resistance welding of steels (especially AHSS and coatings)
- Resistance welding of light materials (aluminum, magnesium)
- Advances in resistance welding electrode materials
- Resistance and forge welding of dissimilar materials

- Methods for monitoring and controls
- Solid-state welding process (high-frequency, flash, projection, etc)
- Tubular structures
- Practical application studies
- New resistance welding processes

To download the authors application form or submit it online, visit www.aws.org/rwma

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About AWS

The American Welding Society (AWS) was founded in 1919 as a multifaceted, nonprofit organization with a mission to advance the science, technology and application of welding and allied joining and cutting processes worldwide, including brazing, soldering, and thermal spraying. Headquartered in Doral, Florida, and led by a volunteer organization of officers and directors, AWS serves over 67,000 members worldwide and is composed of 22 Districts with 250 Sections and student chapters. For more information, visit the society's website at www.aws.org and click on "Pressroom."

About RWMA

The Resistance Welding Manufacturing Alliance (RWMA) is a Standing Committee of AWS that represents manufacturers making products for resistance welding process and application. The committee is dedicated to providing a common voice to the resistance welding industry, government bodies, and technical organizations worldwide. For more information, visit www.aws.org/rwma .

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