

May 6–9—AISTech 2019 Pittsburgh, PA. This event will feature technologies from all over the world that help steel producers to compete more effectively in today's global market. AISTech is a can't-miss event for anyone involved at any level of today's steel marketplace, providing perspective on the technology and engineering expertise necessary to power a sustainable steel industry. More than 8,000 people are expected to attend AISTech 2019. Along with over 500 exhibiting companies, AISTech 2019 allows attendees to meet face-to-face with key individuals involved in the production and processing of iron and steel. The AIST Conference programs are developed by technology committee members representing iron and steel producers, their allied suppliers and related academia. Committees focus on ironmaking, steelmaking, finishing processes, and various engineering and equipment technologies. For more information, visit www.aist.org.

May 6–9—OTC 2019 Houston, Texas. The Offshore Technology Conference (OTC) is where energy professionals meet to exchange ideas and opinions to advance scientific and technical knowledge for offshore resources and environmental matters. Celebrating 50 years since 1969, OTC's flagship conference is held annually at NRG Park (formerly Reliant Park) in Houston. OTC has expanded technically and globally with the Arctic Technology Conference, OTC Brasil, and OTC Asia. OTC gives you access to leading-edge technical information, the industry's largest equipment exhibition, and valuable new professional contacts from around the world. Its large international participation provides excellent opportunities for global sharing of technology, expertise, products, and best practices. OTC brings together industry leaders, investors, buyers, and entrepreneurs to develop markets and business partnerships. For more information, visit 2019.otcnet.org.

May 13–16—CTI Symposium USA Novi, Michigan. The CTI Symposium USA is the International Congress and Expo for Automotive Transmissions, HEV and EV Drives. The event features a two-day introductory seminar, a transmission expo, evening networking party and test drives for the latest development cars. Participants include automotive suppliers, transmission manufacturers, OEMs, metal processing, mechanical engineering and others from North America, Europe and Asia. Topics include powertrain technologies, hybrid transmissions, future considerations, commercial vehicles, starting devices, manufacturing and more. Autonomous driving, NVH, tools and performance forecasting will also be discussed. Speakers this year include Dave Filipe, vice president, global powertrain engineering, Ford, Mayank Agochiya, managing director at FEV Consulting, Inc., Mamatha Chamathi, CDO at ZF, Stephan Tarnutzer, president, AVL Powertrain Engineering, Inc. and many more. **Gear Technology** and **Power Transmission Engineering** are co-sponsoring this event. For more information, visit www.transmission-symposium.com/usa.

May 13–15—SAE Fundamentals of Modern Vehicle Transmissions Seminar

Jacksonville, Florida. Starting with a look at the transmission's primary function -- to couple the engine to the driveline and provide torque ratios between the two -- this updated and expanded seminar covers the latest transmission systems designed to achieve the most efficient engine operation. Current designs, the components and sub-systems used, their functional modes, how they operate, and the interrelationships will be discussed. This seminar is intended for anyone not familiar with the operational theories or functional principles of modern vehicle transmission systems. As the material covered is targeted at a number of design and engineering disciplines, attendees should have a minimum of two years design experience in the automotive powertrain field, or preferably a B.S. in engineering or related field. For more information, visit www.sae.org/learn/content/99018/.

May 14–16—Eastec 2019 West Springfield, Massachusetts. With more than 500 exhibitors, complimentary conference sessions, industry keynotes and much more, Eastec is an event dedicated to keeping northeast manufacturers competitive. It's where manufacturing ideas, processes and products that make an impact in the northeast region, are highlighted through exhibits, education and networking events. The event offers a unique chance to connect with resources that can solve your company's most pressing problems, improve productivity and increase profits. This year's show includes in-depth workshops that explore several management topics as well as information on additive manufacturing. The Smart Manufacturing Hub examines IIoT, 3D printing, and the latest automation technologies. Keynote speakers include Alan Beaulieu (ITR Economics), Denise Ball (Tooling-U-SME), Mary Ann Pacelli (MEP) and Michael Munday (Arwood Machine Corporation). For more information, visit www.easteconline.com.

May 20–23—AWEA Windpower 2019 Houston, Texas. Windpower 2019 is the wind industry's premier North American event with wind energy professionals from all over the world gathering in one place. It's the most effective way for attendees to expand their knowledge base and business network. With competitive pricing and stable policy in place, the wind industry is booming. Now the industry can focus on the future and the other drivers that will propel the industry forward through the 2020s. The program will feature speakers with "disruptive" and innovative ideas that will continue to strengthen wind energy's value proposition and challenge the current way we do business. Attendees will hear about how technology advances will continue to lower LCOE, and learn lessons from other industries that are more mature or have experienced similar rapid growth. They will also receive updates on: state policy support, transmission infrastructure efforts, and emerging and growing offtake trends. For more information, visit www.awea.org.