



## **Industrial Advisory Committee Bylaws**

### **Purpose Statement**

The Industrial Advisory Committee is charged with implementing accelerating industrial engagement. More specifically, the committee will work toward increasing the engagement of industrial members and companies in TMS (both current and prospective members and companies), so that members and companies can more fully benefit from and participate in TMS activities, more industrial professionals will consider joining and participating in TMS, and TMS as a whole can better serve industry throughout the world. The committee will develop, coordinate, and help implement society activities including:

- Coordinate with the Programming Committee, Technical Divisions and Committees, and TMS Staff regarding opportunities for both programming and the exhibition at the TMS Annual Meeting and Exhibition.
- Coordinate with the Technical Divisions and Committee, and TMS Staff regarding opportunities for Specialty Conferences.
- Coordinate with the Content Committee, Technical Divisions and Committees, and TMS Staff regarding opportunities for TMS publications.
- Coordinate with the Professional Development Committee, Technical Divisions and Committees, and TMS Staff regarding opportunities for TMS professional development courses.

### **Structure**

#### *Committee Membership:*

This standing committee will consist of a Chair, a Vice Chair, and 10-15 members, including 5 technical division representatives, one from each division, as chosen by the division councils, and at least 5 at-large members appointed by the TMS Vice President.

The *ex officio* committee members are:

- TMS Past President (who serves at the committee's liaison to the TMS Board of Directors)

#### *Reporting Relationship:*

The committee will report to the TMS Board of Directors through the TMS Past President.

### **Terms of Office**

- The Chair and Vice Chair of the committee will serve for a two year term.
- *Ex officio* members of the committee will serve for the time period during which they hold the office.
- Technical Division Representatives and At-large members will serve three-year terms

### **Meeting Schedule**

At a minimum, the committee will meet twice yearly. Additional meetings may be called as required at the discretion of the Chair. One of these meetings shall be held at the TMS Annual Meeting and Exhibition. Other meetings may be held at MS&T, via teleconference, or at agreed upon locations.