METAL TREATMENT FOR ALUMINUM INGOT CASTING WORKSHOP

SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 2018 • 8:30 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M.

This workshop will cover the removal of hydrogen, alkalis, and inclusions from molten aluminum alloys during ingot casting. It will include both the theory and the practice of furnace treatment, in-line degassing, filtration, and other processes that are used to improve metal quality. The impacts of the various impurities on metal quality and methods of measuring impurities will be discussed. Several vendors of metal treatment equipment will summarize their technologies to provide an overview of the equipment that is available.

Topics to be addressed include:

- · What is aluminum molten metal quality?
- · Impurities, sources, effects, measurement
- Theory, modeling, and practices
- Trace element removal vaporization, crucible, salts, furnace fluxing, in-line fluxing
- Hydrogen removal vacuum, furnace fluxing, in-line degassing
- Inclusion removal sedimentation, flotation, filtration
- · Developing technologies
- · Ultrasound, advanced filtration systems

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