

MICROSCOPY TODAY

Greetings!

The first proper issue of this new newsletter will be mailed to all on our mailing list in March, 1992. This initial issue, to all on our list, is intended as an introduction to the newsletter.

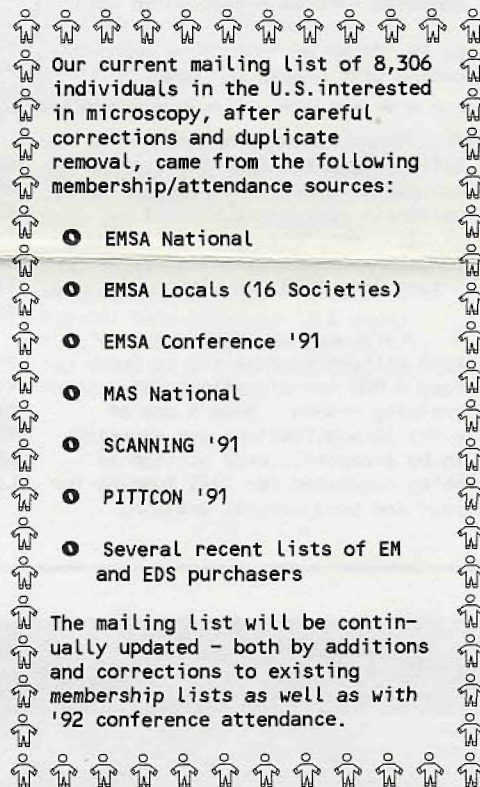
The basic concept of the newsletter will be to provide news of real value to those interested in microscopy in the U.S. - at no cost. Our hope is to cover the costs of this activity by paid advertising in all but the following first two sections. Advertising rates are available through FAX request - (608)836-1969.

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We would also appreciate being advised should others in your organization be interested in receiving a copy. We would particularly appreciate being advised of those in your organization that are involved in the hiring process so that they may have a copy.

Don Grimes, Editor



Our current mailing list of 8,306 individuals in the U.S. interested in microscopy, after careful corrections and duplicate removal, came from the following membership/attendance sources:

- EMSA National
- EMSA Locals (16 Societies)
- EMSA Conference '91
- MAS National
- SCANNING '91
- PITTCO '91
- Several recent lists of EM and EDS purchasers

The mailing list will be continually updated - both by additions and corrections to existing membership lists as well as with '92 conference attendance.

INDUSTRY NEWS

Our objective is to publish information from within the industry; developments, accomplishments or any topic of interest to those in the microscopy community. The real value of this publication is dependent upon YOUR individual assistance - in submitting "news" items of interest for the publication. Again, our FAX number is (608) 836-1969.

● Dr. Barry Carter, recently at Cornell, has accepted the 3M Heltzer Chair of Materials Processing at the University of Minnesota. He will also be the Director of their High Resolution Microscopy Center.

● Bausch & Lomb Rochester advises that, with their new automated EDS system, a half hour set up time is required for the analysis of incoming metallic audits. Combined quantitative EDS and wavelength (with current beam monitoring) analysis is then accomplished overnight. When analysis is complete, the system shuts itself

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