

## **Applied Surface Science Division Committee**

### **Chairman's Report**

### **1998-2001 Triennium**

#### **Workshops:**

During the 1998-2001 triennium, the Division sponsored two Workshops and co-sponsored two more. One of the Workshops ( the 34<sup>th</sup> ) will be held next year.

22<sup>nd</sup> IUVESTA Workshop, "X-Ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy: From Physics to Data", April 1999, Hortobagy, Hungary. This workshop was approved in the previous triennium. A summary scientific report was published in Surface and Interface Analysis, Volume: 29(10), 671-716 (2000).

25<sup>th</sup> IUVESTA Workshop, "Gas-Surface Interactions: Electronic Structure, Dynamics and Reactivity", September 1999, Leibnitz, Austria. (Sponsored jointly with the Surface Science Division).

28<sup>th</sup> IUVESTA Workshop, "Ion Beam Techniques for the Analysis of Composition and Structure with Atomic Layer Resolution", June 2000, Abingdon, U.K. (Sponsored jointly with the Surface Science Division).

34<sup>th</sup> IUVESTA Workshop, "XPS: From Spectra to Results – Towards an Expert System", to be held in April 2002, Saint-Malo, France.

#### **Seminar:**

On behalf of the Division, the Chairman spoke on "Databases and Dataprocessing for X-ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy" at the IUVESTA Highlight Seminars that was held in conjunction with ECM-85 in March/April 2000, in Namur, Belgium.

#### **IVC/ICSS San Francisco:**

The ASSD Program Committee worked very well together, and put together a very impressive program. The ASSD has 9 oral sessions, plus 4 joint oral sessions and a poster session. Aleksander Jablonski (Poland) was our Program Chair.

**ASSD Statutes:**

During the triennium, the ASSD approved revisions to our statutes. The new statutes include provisions for ballots by e-mail.

**ASSD Elections:**

The ballot was conducted by e-mail, with the results as follows:

John Grant	15	(chair, 1998-2001)
Dave Sykes	13	(secretary, 1998-2001)
Birgit Hagenhoff	10	
Shingo Ichimura	10	
Alain Roche	8	
H. Jörg Mathieu	8	
Monika Jenko	7	
Mariano Anderle	7	

After the election, Dave Sykes disqualified himself, as he has served two full terms on the Committee. The officers will be elected at this meeting.

**Thanks:**

I would like to thank the ASSD Committee for their support over the past three years.

Respectfully submitted, October 2001  
John T. Grant  
ASSD Chairman