


**POWDER METALLURGY PARTS ASSOCIATION**  
**2009 Spring Management Meeting**  
**June 29–30, 2009**  
**The Mirage Hotel, Las Vegas**

**"Dealing With Marketplace Challenges"**

	<p>This PMPA management meeting is being conducted during the PowderMet2009, June 28–July 1, also at the Mirage Hotel in Las Vegas.</p>
	<p>The exhibit and Tuesday PM Design Excellence Awards Luncheon are included in the PMPA meeting fee.</p>
	<p>PMPA members are encouraged to attend other conference activities Sunday through Wednesday by registering for the conference. Refer to the conference promotional program for details or visit <a href="http://www.mpif.org">www.mpif.org</a>. Full conference registrants may register for the PMPA meeting at no additional charge.</p>

**MONDAY, JUNE 29**

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| 9:45–Noon      | Exhibit Open   |
| 10:15–11:45 am | <b>PMPA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING</b>                                 |
| 1:45–4:00 pm   | <b>PMPA MEMBERSHIP MEETING</b><br><i>(see separate meeting agenda)</i> |

**TUESDAY, JUNE 30**

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| 7:30–8:00 am   | Continental Breakfast   |
| 8:00–9:00 am   | <b>"Competition Affecting Powder Metallurgy Part Manufacturing"</b><br><i>Rose M. Baker, Director, Center for Regional Economic &amp; Workforce Analysis &amp; David L. Passmore, Director, Institute for Research in Training &amp; Development Penn State University's Workforce Education &amp; Development Initiative</i> |
| 9:00–9:45 am   | <b>"Strategic and Financial Options to Survive and Thrive in Today's Turbulent Times"</b><br><i>Michael D. Benson, Managing Director, Investment Banking Stout Risius Ross Advisors, LLC</i>  |
| 9:45–10:15 am  | Refreshment Break (Exhibit Hall Coffee Break)   |
| 10:15–11:00 am | <b>DOC/ITA Export Market Development</b><br><b>"Tools and Resources for Doing Business Globally"</b><br><i>Andrew Edelfsen, Director, Las Vegas Export Assistance Center</i>  |
| 12:30–2:00 pm  | PM Design Excellence Awards Luncheon  |
| 2:00–5:00 pm   | Exhibit Open  |

**PMPA Program Committee**

David R. Connelly	Precision Powdered Metal Parts, Inc.
Thomas M. Zwitter, PMT	Webster-Hoff Corporation
John W. von Arx	NetShape Technologies, Inc.
James R. Dale	MPIF

# REGISTRATION AND HOTEL RESERVATION FORM

## 2009 PMPA SPRING MANAGEMENT MEETING – June 29–30 “Dealing with Marketplace Challenges”

**RETURN BY  
May 15**



*This meeting will take place during PowderMet2009*

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name for Badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ ext \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Meeting Registration

	<u>Before May 15</u>	<u>After May 15</u>	<u>On site</u>	
_____ Register me for the PMPA Spring Management Meeting Only	<b>\$450.00</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>	<b>\$600.00</b>	\$ _____
_____ I have already registered for a full 3-day registration at PowderMet2009. No additional PMPA Management Meeting fee required.				
_____ Payment enclosed (check payable to MPIF)				
_____ Charge registration fees to credit card used for hotel below or specify if another card should be charged.				

If you wish to attend other PowderMet2009 activities such as the Sunday APMI Golf Outing, etc., please refer to the conference registration form in the promotional program or visit [www.mpif.org](http://www.mpif.org) for online registration.

### Hotel Reservation

Room reservations at the Mirage Hotel must be processed through MPIF using this printed registration form or through online conference registration. The hotel will not accept reservations directly. Room reservations will be acknowledged by e-mail. Reservation requests received after May 15 are subject to availability.

**Hotel rates:** Single (one person) or Double (two persons) \$95 + tax before May 15 — \$135 + tax after May 15

**Hotel reservation changes or cancellations:** You can log in and access your reservation and make the appropriate changes up until June 24. Thereafter, contact the hotel directly.

**Hotel deposit & cancellation policy:** Credit card information **must** be provided in order to process your reservation. Your card will be charged the first night's room and tax on or after June 5 as a deposit. This deposit is refundable for cancellations received at least 48 hours (2 days) prior to your confirmed arrival date.

*(See General Information Section for additional information)*

Hotel Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ American Express \_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_ MasterCard

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_ (Visa/MC 3 digits on back of card, AMEX 4 digits on front of card)

\*Name on credit card and/or full billing address, if different from above: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions for Hotel: \_\_\_\_\_

### Return By May 15 To:

Metal Powder Industries Federation, 105 College Road East · Princeton, NJ 08540  
Attn: Susan Wright · [swright@mpif.org](mailto:swright@mpif.org) or Fax: 609-987-8523

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## 2009 PMPA SPRING MANAGEMENT MEETING

### *“Dealing With Marketplace Challenges”*

#### MEETING DATES

Monday, June 29–Tuesday, June 30

#### MEETING LOCATION

##### ***The Mirage Hotel***

3400 South Las Vegas Boulevard

Las Vegas, NV 89109 USA

(702) 791-7111

[www.mirage.com](http://www.mirage.com)

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**Check-In Time:** 3:00 p.m. (15:00)

**Check-Out Time:** Noon (12:00)

**Taxes:** Current occupancy tax is 9%.

**Parking:** Self and valet parking are complimentary at the Mirage.

#### ATTENDANCE RESTRICTION

Meeting attendance is limited to members of the Powder Metallurgy Parts Association, invited speakers and guests.

#### SUGGESTED DRESS

Dress is business or business casual.

#### REGISTRATION

Register using the Registration Form provided before May 15 to guarantee availability of rooms.

Registrations received after this date are subject to space availability.

#### REGISTRATION FEES

\$450.00 before May 15; \$500.00 after May 15; \$600 On site

*(includes exhibit Monday and Tuesday, continental breakfast and Design Excellence Awards luncheon on Tuesday)*

**Note: No additional PMPA fee required for those taking a full registration at the PowderMet2009.**

If you wish to take advantage of other PowderMet2009 activities such as the Sunday APMI Golf Outing, etc., please refer to the general information section and conference registration form in the promotional program or visit [www.mpif.org](http://www.mpif.org) for online registration.

#### CANCELLATIONS

PMPA Meeting fees will be refunded if MPIF is notified in writing prior to June 19, 2009. Attendees who do not inform MPIF about cancellations before this date and are unable to attend the meeting will be subject to the full registration fees.

#### REGISTRATION DESK

Registration material can be picked up at the PowderMet2009 Registration Desk.

#### AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION

McCarran International Airport is approximately 4 miles from the hotel. The taxi cost is approximately \$20 one way. Taxicabs are available at baggage claim, outside door exits 1–4. *Please note:* Most taxis will not accept credit card payments. The maximum number of passengers allowed in any taxi is five. A variety of shuttle/limousine services are available at McCarran, and are located outside door exits 7–13. Please note that there are both group shuttle and "for-hire" stretch limousine services. For a list of participating shuttle companies and rates go to:

[www.mccarran.com/03\\_shuttles\\_01.asp](http://www.mccarran.com/03_shuttles_01.asp)

#### DISCOUNT CAR RENTAL

Hertz has been appointed the official car rental company for the conference. Special discounted rates with unlimited mileage have been negotiated and are available from the week prior to through the week after the conference. Advance reservations are recommended. Reservations can be made online at [www.hertz.com](http://www.hertz.com) or call 1-800-654-2240 and identify yourself with the conference and meeting #**CV 01CB0019**.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Susan Wright, Registration Coordinator  
Metal Powder Industries Federation  
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Telephone: 609-452-7700, ext. 113  
Fax: 609-987-8523  
Email: [swright@mpif.org](mailto:swright@mpif.org)