



ADVANCING THE TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION, PROCESSING AND APPLICATION OF IRON AND STEEL

AIST Spring Meeting Notice / Agenda Oxygen Steelmaking Technology Committee

Date: 3-4 March 2026
Location: Hamilton, Ontario
Tour: Stelco, Inc.

Hotel Arrangements

Holiday Inn Burlington Conference Centre

3063 South Service Road, Building 2
Burlington, Ontario L7N 3E9 Canada

Reserve by 20 February for AIST Room Rate of 129 CAD
For reservations, book [online](#)

AIST technology committee members are asked to print out the latest revised meeting agenda from our website one week prior to this meeting.

Virtual Connection for European members: To Be Established

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| • <i>Gather at Hotel for Plant Tour</i> | 12:30pm |
| • <i>Depart Hotel for Stelco, Inc.</i> | 12:45pm |
| • <i>Arrive Stelco, Inc</i> | 1:30pm |
| • <i>Depart Stelco, Inc. for Hotel</i> | 4:30pm |

AIST Northern Member Chapter Dinner Event

Keynote Presenter

Allen C. Behr
Executive Vice President, Nucor Corp., and 2025-2026 AIST President

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| <i>Continental Breakfast</i> | 07:30am |
| 1. <i>Chair's opening remarks</i> | 08:00am |
| 2. <i>Appoint minute-taker</i> | |
| 3. <i>Antitrust guidelines</i> | |
| 4. <i>Membership and attendance</i> | |
| 5. <i>Review minutes of previous meeting</i> | |
| 6. <i>AIST Staff Announcements</i> | |
| 7. <i>AIST Steel Industry Safety Roundtable</i> | |
| a. <i>New in-plant Safety Procedures and Technology</i> | |
| b. <i>Recent Safety Incidents or Near Miss Incidents and resulting Safety Improvements</i> | |
| c. <i>All members are encouraged to bring any safety related improvements made at their facility for open discussion</i> | |
| 8. <i>Main agenda items</i> | |
| • <i>Technical Roundtable: BOF End Point Control</i> | |
| ▪ <i>Presenters:</i> | |



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- *Stelco, Inc.*
- *ArcelorMittal Dofasco*
- *Cleveland Cliffs*
- *U.S. Steel*
- *European Producer TBD*
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- **Nominations for committee officers**
 - **Current Officers:**
 - *Chair: Matt Wilson*
 - *Vice Chair: Fernando Guerra - Stelco*
 - *Papers Chair: Dave Runner – Opta Inc*
 - *Membership Chair: Aaron Strelbisky*
 - *Young Professional Chair*
- **Finalize AISTech sessions (Dave Runner)**
 - **Session Structure and Papers Confirmed**
 - *Identify vacancies*
 - *Author Registration deadline (1 March)*
 - *Presentation Draft Due in to AIST (15 March)*
 - *Role of Session Chair and Papers Chair*
- **Sendzimir Award Nominations** - The award shall be given to the individual or individuals who have advanced steelmaking through the invention, development or application of new manufacturing processes or equipment.
- **2026 Herty Award Winner (Fernando Guerra)**
- **Future Study Tour**
 - *India?*

9. Discussion items

- **Members bring topics for discussion by committee**

10. Next meeting

- **AISTech 2026 - Pittsburgh**
- **Fall 2026 –**
 - *European Location (AIST European Steel Forum location TBD)*
- **Winter 2025 –**
 - *USA/Canada?*
 - *Mexico? w/ ExpoAcero?*



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11. Chair conclusion

12. Adjourn

4:00pm



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- DON'T make announcements or statements about your own prices or those of competitors.
- DON'T talk about what individual companies plan to do in particular markets or with particular customers.
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