



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

AIST AISTech Meeting Notice / Agenda Rolls Technology Committee

Date: 4 May 2026

**Location: David L. Lawrence Convention Center
Pittsburgh, PA
Room 326**

1. *Chair's opening remarks—Mike Reidy* <Noon>
2. *Appoint minute-taker—Reidy*
3. *Membership and attendance—Ken Landau*
4. *Review & approve minutes of previous meeting—Dan Grenough*
5. *AIST Staff Announcements--Landau*
6. *Main agenda items—Reidy*
 - **Present Technology Committee awards**
 - **Rolls TC Best Paper Award**
 - “Microstructural Evolution in HSS Work Rolls During Thermal Processing”; Michael Aigner, ESW; Thomas Trickl, ESW; Maximilian Reiter, ESW; Niko Kremsmair, ESW; Armin Paar, ESW; Martin Krobath, Materials Center Leoben Forschung GmbH; Petri Prevedel, Materials Center Leoben Forschung GmbH
 - **Review and approve or amend mission statement**
 - To improve the understanding of all aspects of rolls, including roll usage, roll metallurgy, roll manufacturing, roll shop operations and safety, roll preparation and roll inspection by organizing seminars, symposia and tours, creating literature and providing a forum for discussion and networking.
 - **Develop committee objectives for next year**
 - Meeting Locations
 - 29-30 September 2026, Middletown, OH at Cleveland Cliffs – Middletown Works
 - Technical Topic to be discussed and possible presenters
 - **Elect New Officers**
 - Chair – Mike Reidy
 - Vice Chair – Dan Grenough
 - Papers Chair – Liz Abreu
 - Membership Chair – Lydia Stromei
 - YP Chair – Josh Sims
 - Digitalization Liaison – Mike Perry
 - Decarb Liaison – Johnny Medina
 - **Dan Grenough to present Chair Plaque to Mike Reidy for his year of service to the committee**

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7. Discussion items

- a. Any other items to discuss please contact the committee chair Mike Reidy

8. Next meeting

9. Chair conclusion

10. Adjourn

<1:30pm>



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