

**The Manufacturing Division Mission Statement:** *The Manufacturing Division of the American Ceramic Society is dedicated to addressing the needs of the ceramics manufacturing industry and to support the production of all ceramic components and products. Our membership includes ceramic component and product manufacturers, raw material suppliers, producers of forming, kilns, furnaces, and finishing equipment, quality control instrumentation, and all other devices used in the production of ceramics. The Manufacturing Division will strive to provide quality technical programming for industrial participants, promote the recruitment and hiring of ceramic engineers into ceramic manufacturing companies, develop short courses and workshops to facilitate the education of industrial personnel in the field of ceramics, and provide support for the manufacturers and suppliers of ceramic materials.*