

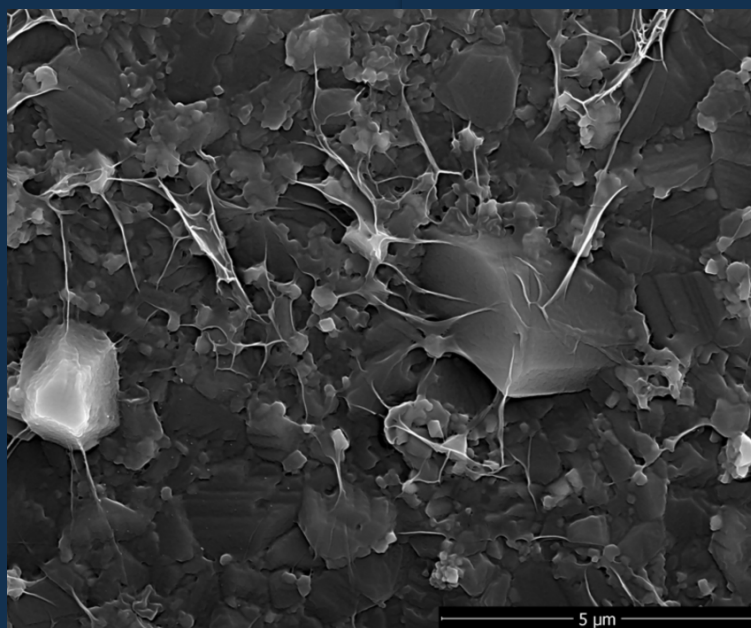
# PCSA Ceramics-in-Writing Competition

Don't miss the chance to be published in the June/July issue of the *ACerS Bulletin* and to win an ACerS logo gift set!

## Contest Rules:

Submit an original work of creative writing, prose or poetry inspired by the provided inspiration micrograph to [ceramicsinwriting@ceramics.org](mailto:ceramicsinwriting@ceramics.org). Entries must be 250 words or less and are due by March 31, 2014, at 5pm PST.

- ❖ Contest is open to full-time university-level students (graduate or undergraduate) of all majors.
- ❖ All forms of creative writing will be considered
- ❖ All entries must be original works written by the submitter
- ❖ Entries will be chosen based on originality, style, creativity and execution
- ❖ One winner will be chosen by the PCSA for publication in the June/July *ACerS Bulletin* and will win an ACerS logo gift set.
- ❖ By submitting an entry, the author agrees to allow the PCSA and The American Ceramic Society to publish and distribute the entry



## Inspiration Image

Scanning electron micrograph of the surface of polycrystalline  $\alpha$ - $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  containing Ni metal particles exposed to a water vapor rich environment at high temperatures. Weblike structures believed to be  $\text{NiAl}_2\text{O}_4$  that formed during oxidation. Jesse P. Angle, Department of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science, University of California, Irvine.

## What is the PCSA?

The President's Council of Student Advisors (PCSA) is the student-led committee of The American Ceramic Society (ACerS) composed of ceramic-focused university students. The mission of PCSA is to engage students as active and long-term leaders in the ceramics community and to increase participation in ACerS at the local and national levels.

For more information, contact [ceramicsinwriting@ceramics.org](mailto:ceramicsinwriting@ceramics.org)

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