

REPORT

of the SID Russia Chapter

(May 2002 – September 2002)

1. May – September 2002. Growth of the Russia Chapter geography. New members from different Russian regions, which were not present in the SID, entered the Society, namely Togliatti (Samara Region), Cheboksary (Republic of Chuvashiya), Yaroslavl.
2. September 2002. A special material in a Russian magazine ELEKTRONNYYE KOMPONENTY (ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS) devoted to the 40th Anniversary of the SID (the article is in an addendum). It was a mutual project of the SID and the SID Russia Chapter. Information on the SID history, SID Presidents, their opinions on displays within their President term, their role in establishment of the Russian Chapter and cooperation with it are described.
3. July 15-19, 2002. Saratov. The 4th International Conference on Vacuum Sources of the Electrons with reports on cathodeluminescence display technologies. Attendance of 10 SID members.
4. May – September 2002. Technical meetings of the Organizing and Program Committees of 12th International Symposium "Advanced Display Technologies" and Conference FLOWERS OF RUSSIA 2003 to be held in the City of Korolev, Moscow Region. Organizing, Program, International, Local Committees have been formed. The text of the 1st Information Letter, Dead-Lines of the Symposium, Registration Fees, Symposium Budgets have been approved.
5. June – September 2002. Publishing of papers on the SID activity and display technologies in Russian magazines ELEKTRONIKA: NAUKA, TEKHNIKA, BUSINES (ELECTRONICS: SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, BUSINES), ELEKTRONNYYE KOMPONENTY (ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS), KOMPONENTY I TEKHNOLOGUII (COMPONENTS & TECHNOLOGIES) by members of the Russian SID Chapter.

6. 2002 (permanently). An interactive site (www.parent.fio) on problems of computer safety. The author Prof. *Igor Litvak* answers the questions of many users.
7. June 6-7, 2002. Moscow. A meeting of Hong-Kong Chapter Director Prof. H. Kwok with Russian Chapter Officers and attendance of leading Russian display institutions – Physical Lebedev Institute of the Russian Academy of Sciences (RAS), Shubnikov Crystallography Institute of the RAS, Froumkin Electrochemistry Institute of the RAS, State Scientific Center of Chemistry and Technology of Elemento-Organic Compounds, R&D Institute of Fine Chemical Synthesis.
8. September 8-12, 2002. Yalta, Ukraine. Participating the 11th International Symposium “Advanced Display Technologies”. A travel-grant program of the Russian Chapter to support participants from the Chapter. 10 reports from the Russian Chapter.
9. May-September 2002. Moscow and regions. Reestablishing the functioning of the Coordination Council on Display Devices of the Ministry of Industry, Science and Technology to inform the Russian display community on recent achievements and coordinate displays development and production.

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