

Preparation of the IFIA president election – nomination process

Application for IFIA president candidate (period 2010-2014)

Candidate name: Adam RYLSKI

Date and place of birth: 21.06.1958; DUSZNIKI ZDROJ

Present nationality: POLISH

Education: Technical University of Lodz: Ph. D. Eng.
at present Academic Teacher

Invention and innovation activity (patents and projects):
specialization on material science and surface science

5 patented inventions

Awards received at International Exhibitions of Inventions:

- 6 - Gold Medals with Mention
- 19 - Gold Medals
- 12 - Silver Medals
- 5 - Bronze Medals
- 27 – Special Awards

15 – property researches financed by the Ministry of Science and Higher Education

3 – scientific projects financially supported by EU

Scientific activity: co-operation with Patent Office of the Republic of Poland, Polish Agency for Enterprise Development, Polish Chamber of Commerce, Centre of Excellence “NANODIAM”.

- lectures at scientific seminars and conferences:
Candidate is an author or co-author of 24 lectures and posters presented at the conferences in Poland and abroad i.e. in Germany, France, Great Britain, Australia, Italy, Portugal, Czech Republic and Slovakia.
- publications in scientific journals
- **in Poland:**
 - “ **Materiale Engineering** “
 - “ **Surface Engineering** “
 - “ **Electronics** “
 - “ **Crystallization Metals and Alloys** “
- **Abroad:**
 - “**Thin Solid Films**”
 - “ **Advanced Materials and Technologies**”
 - “**Diamond and Related Materials**”
 - “**Reviews on Advanced Materials Science**”
 - “**Surface and Coatings Technology**”
 - “**Journal of Chemical Vapour Deposition**”
 - “**Annales de Chemie et de Science Materiaux** “
 - “**Optical Materials** “

Distinctions for activity:

- Silver Cross of the Merit – Polish State decoration
- Award for Person of Merit for the inventors and innovators
- Honorary Medal of the Association of Polish Inventors and Rationalizers named after Tadeusz Sendzimir

Activity and results in national invention movement:

- President of the Association of Polish Inventors and Rationalizers (1.250 regular members and 90 enterprises, universities and scientific institutes as supporting members),
- Member of the Management Board of the Polish Federation of Engineering Associations – NOT
- Organizer of conferences and seminars concerning inventions, innovations and creativity
- Organizer of the international exhibitions of inventions such as: Innovations, Gdansk, International Warsaw Invention Show IWIS, the International Competitions “EKO” - for solutions in the field of environment protection.
- Member of the Polish Vacuum Society
- Member of the Association of Engineers (SIMP)

Activity and results in international invention movement:

- Popularization of Polish Inventors, inventions and innovations home and abroad
- Organizer of Polish stands such as: GENIUS-EUROPE- Budapest, Exhibitions in Geneva, IENA-Nuremberg, INPEX-Pittsburg, Hong-Kong EXPO, Brussels Eureka, exhibitions in Moscow, Russia, in Beijing, Shanghai and Suzhou, Damascus, Casablanca, Stockholm, SIIF and KIWIE exhibitions in Seoul, INST-Taipei, Malaysia Technology EXPO and ITEX-Kuala Lumpur, ARCA, Zagreb, 2 Exhibitions in Romania and Exhibition in Sevastopol, Ukraine.

Co-operation with Associations of inventors from: Hungary, Korea, Iran, Russia, Romania, Taiwan, Croatia, Germany, Ukraine, Moldova, Sweden.

Member of the International Jury at the following exhibitions: Innovations, IWIS, EKO, ARCA, Zagreb and ITEX, Kuala Lumpur.

- Member of IFIA ExCO
- Co-operation with World Intellectual Property Organization – WIPO in Geneva.
- Co-operation with KIPO, Seoul, Korea

Foreign Distinctions:

- International Order of Merite Invention IOMO – Officer
- Merite de l’ Invention – Knight, Officer, Commander
- Merite de European Innovation - Commander

The IFIA member is represented by the candidate: Adam Rylski