The 2001 Shot Peening and Blast Cleaning Workshop

San Antonio, Texas was a beautiful, fun location for our 11th annual shot peening and blast cleaning workshop. We welcomed 102 attendees from 16 countries. Fourteen industry leaders had booths at the trade show.

According to Jack Champaigne, president of Electronics Inc. and the organizer of the workshop, "Attendance was down this year due to the terrorist attacks but traffic at the trade show was better than ever and the students that attended were highly qualified and motivated to get the most out of the program."

During the three-day workshop, participants could choose from over 50 classes in four basic categories including Shot Peening, Blast Cleaning, Turbine/Wheel Machines and Air Blast Machines.

Level I, II and III shot peening exams were held on November 2nd. Twenty-nine students passed the Level I exam, ten passed Level II and two passed Level III.

We've included a list of attendees and instructors in this newsletter plus lots of photos. More photos are at our website (www.shotpeener.com). The photos really tell the whole story of the workshop—it is a unique opportunity to learn and socialize with people from around the world that share your interest in shot peening and blast cleaning.

If you haven't been to a workshop, make plans to join us in 2002. We are planning to hold Workshop 2002 in Anaheim, California. Watch for more information at the web site.