

The reunion of EMC, EMEC and EGEC will, again, be coinciding with the annual meeting of the organisation that supports the programs: FEMP (Federation of European Mineral Programmes) and its IAB (Industrial Advisory Board). Besides 52 students and some 25 alumni there are also expected representatives of 25 international companies as well as some 20 representatives of the academia. This ensures that the event will be an excellent opportunity to strengthen your network.

On Friday 25 and Saturday 26 November the **Deutsche Steinkohle AG (DSK)** will host the FEMP annual meeting and reunion on the BGT premises of the former mine Arenberg in Bottrop, Germany. On Friday morning the business meeting of the IAB will take place. Students and alumni of the three programs will join at lunchtime. In the afternoon a workshop will be organised by DSK with the theme: **“Resources, Vision 2020”**. Prior to the workshops Dr. Bernd Tönjes, CEO of DSK will give a presentation, followed by a session where the participating FEMP members will present itself. There will also be tables available for the alumni and industry for information, brochures, etc. from their company. After the workshop Wolfgang Traud, Manager of Production Control at Deutsche Steinkohle AG, will give a short presentation on DSK’s vision on technical strategy for the future.



The evening program includes a buffet dinner and drinks (compliments of DSK) in the former Locomotive shop of the Arenberg mine. Accommodation is available in nearby hotels. Budget accommodation will be organised for the participating students.



On Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November a program has been worked out with visits and activities at a/o a cokes-factory, waste rock



deposit and the trainings-mine Recklinghausen with some hands-on projects. Industry and Academic representatives are quite welcome to join the students and alumni this day

During these two days there will be many challenging opportunities to revive old friendships and make new ones. Some 140 participants are expected (students, alumni, industry and universities)



**FEMP / IAB meeting 2005 and EMC/EMEC/EGEC reunion**  
**25-26 November 2005**  
*Program*



**Thursday, 24th of November 2005**

19.00 BGT Bottrop EMC/EMEC/EGEC (FEMP) board meeting (academic representatives only)  
Porky and Beer Evening: students arrive after 20.00, opportunity to have a beer in "Porky and Beer". Guests who have arrived are also welcome.

**Friday, 25th of November 2005**

9.30 BGT Bottrop FEMP Industrial Advisory Board (IAB) meeting  
12.30 Sandwich lunch, students and alumni join  
13.30 German Coal Mining in times of shortage by  
dr. Dr. Bernd Tönjes (CEO DSK)  
14.00 Short presentations by Industrial FEMP members  
14.45 Coffee break  
15.15 Organising 9 groups for workshop "Resources, vision 2020"  
15.30 Group work  
16.45 Coffee break  
17.00 Summary and presentation results workshop  
18.00 Developments in Deutsche Steinkohle AG Longwall Mining Operations  
The Strategy of „Innovative High Performance Operations“ by Wolfgang  
Traud, Manager of Production Control at Deutsche Steinkohle AG  
18.30 Closing words  
19:00 Buffet, drinks + social evening offered by DSK

**Saturday, 26th of November 2005 (draft)**

08.00 Departure by busses  
09.00 Visit Cokes factory (EMEC)  
Visit waste treatment (EGEC)  
Activities the training mine (EMC + others)  
12.00 Lunch  
13.00 Activities on waste rock deposit hill and in the training mine  
17:00 Shower and change clothes  
18:00 Farewell meal  
21:00 End of program