



Alireza Akbari

Professor

College: Faculty of Material Engineering

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## Research Interests

Surface Engineering: Superhard Nanocomposites, Nanocomposite Coatings With ED Process, Thin Film Deposition via PVD, CVD Processes, Surface Engineering via Plasma and High-Temperature Gas Nitriding Processes, Deposition of Thermal Barrier Coatings via APS And EPD Processes

Structural and Residual Stresses Analysis: By X-Ray Diffraction

Mechanical Properties of Advanced Materials and Alloys: Mechanical Properties of Bulk and Nanostructured Materials, High Nitrogen Steels, Mechanical Alloying, and High Entropy Alloys.

## Research Experiences

Thin Film Deposition: Reactive Ion Beam Sputtering and Reactive magnetron sputtering

Plasma Nitriding and High-Temperature Gas Nitriding: stainless steels, titanium alloys, tool steels, and high-strength steels

X-Ray Diffraction: Phase composition, Structural Analysis, Texture Analysis, and Residual Stress Analysis

Surface Chemical Composition Analysis: EDS, XPS, RBS, GDOES and Simulation of Results

Tribology: Pin-on-disk Wear testing, Three-Dimensional Surface Profilometry

Mechanical properties: Tensile, Compression, Impact, Hardness, Toughness, Wear, Scratch, And Nanoindentation Testing

Mechanical alloying:

#### Employment Information

Faculty/Department	Position/Rank	Employment Type	Cooperation Type	Grade
Faculty of Materials Engineering	Academic Staff	Tenured	Full Time	

#### Work Experience

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Vice-Chancellor of the Faculty of Materials Engineering  
(2008-2009)

Dean of the Faculty of Materials Engineering (2009-2014)

#### Awards

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European materials research society (E-MRS) Graduate Student (Young Scientist) Award, E-MRS Spring Meeting 2005, 31 May-3 Jun Strasbourg, France.

#### Subjects Taught

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Undergraduate:

Mechanical Properties Material (Fracture, Fatigue and Creep)

Undergraduate:

Fracture Mechanics

Theory of Dislocation

Mechanical Properties of Nanostructured Material

Thin Films

Nanothermodynamics

## Course Topics

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Mechanical Properties of Material

Surface Engineering

Journal Membership

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### Papers in Journals

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11. Ramazan Sobhanverdi, Alireza Akbari, Porosity and microstructural features of plasma sprayed Yttria stabilized Zirconia thermal barrier coatings, *Ceramics International*, Vol. 41, pp. 14517–14528, 2015, JCR.
12. Alireza Akbari, Roghayeh Mohammadzadeh, Effect of Grain Refinement on the Mechanical Properties of a Nickel- and Manganese-Free High Nitrogen Austenitic Stainless Steel, *Metallurgical and Materials Transactions A*, Vol. 46, pp. 1570-1579, 2015, JCR.