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To: MSA-Announce List

Subject: Nov-Dec 2008 Am Min online, Siberian Diamonds, meetings

Dear MSA Member,

[1] The Nov-Dec 2008 (v. 93 n. 11-12) American Mineralogist is online. The issue contains a review paper by Hazen et al. on "Mineral Evolution". Interested in how mineral complexity evolves from pre-stellar through geologic time by physical, chemical, and biologic processes? This paper is for you.

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[2] "Diamonds of Siberia: Photographic Evidence for Their Origin" by Z.V. Spetsius and L.A. Taylor is available through MSA. Description, TOC, and ordering at http://www.minsocam.org/MSA/tranquilitybasepress.html.

[3] The science program for Goldschmidt2009 (June 21-26 Davos, Switzerland), is finalized $\frac{\text{http://www.goldschmidt2009.org/themes}}{\text{abstract submissions on 2009-01-01 through 2009-02-22.}}$

[4] Interested in gem materials? The 2009 Gemological Research Conference, 21-23 August 2009 now has a website for information, abstract submission, and registration http://www.grc2009.gia.edu/.

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