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## 7th Annual LATINCORR 2010 a Huge Success!





The 7th annual NACE Latin America Corrosion Congress "LATINCORR 2010" was held in Quito, Ecuador August 31st-September 3rd and attracted attendees from South America, Central America, Mexico, and the United States. Cortec Corporation was present at the technical exhibition with a booth featuring all different product lines and contributed 3 papers presented in technical seminars. "The New Generation of Rust Preventative Products Based on Renewable Materials and Incorporating Vapor Corrosion Inhibitors" by Dario Dell'Orto, "Coatings with Vapor Phase Inhibitors" by Andrés Rigail, and "New Generation of Corrosion Inhibitors for Reinforced Concrete Structures" by Andrés Rigail.

Particularly prestigious was the invitation of LATINCORR 2010 President, Fabián Sánchez to Boris Miksic to give a speech at the Plenary Session on the first day of the Congress. The speech, "Nuts and Bolts of How to Built a Global Corrosion Protection Company", gave Boris the opportunity to share the origin, development, and success of today's state-of-the-art Cortec Corporation. Also, it was a wonderful occasion to highlight Boris' political career and his campaigning for President of his native country, Croatia, for a better understanding of the multiple interests of Mr. Miksic far beyond his entrepreneurial activities. Among the attendees at Boris' presentation were Cortec representatives: Josue Valero and Martha Liliana Castiblanco - Energia Integral Andina - COLOMBIA, Hans Stein - Ferrimex - CHILE, Edison Preima - Enessul- BRAZIL, Francisco Hidalgo, Andres Rigail, Fernando Cevallos, Alfonso Lopez - Codemet - ECUADOR. Following his speech, numerous attendees asked for Boris' autographed books and Boris gladly signed his autobiographies for them.

LATINCORR 2010 offered some entertaining moments with Andean folklore music and dances that were enjoyed by everyone.

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Muchísimas gracias a todos!