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## Fiber Optic Glass Processing for Photonic **Component Fabrication**

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Special photonics components may be required for sensors (as used in the oil and gas industry) and for applications in various fields such as cutting-edge telecommunication systems, bio-medical use, and industrial applications such as fiber lasers. Many of these components may be fabricated based on optical fibers by using glass processing technics. This presentation will outline a number of photonic components and assemblies that can be fabricated including lenses, multi-core fan-outs, tapered devices, and over-cladding. In addition, extremely specialized component splicing will be discussed, including splicing of low-melting point glass as well as Photonic Crystal and Photonic Band-gap fibers.

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Over his impressive 20+ year tenure at AFL, Doug has authored and presented numerous technical papers relating to fusion splicing technology for a variety of technical conferences. He has also conducted advanced splicing seminars concentrating on advanced splicing technology and applications and authored several patents concerning a variety of aspects related to fusion splicing.

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