Division of Organic Chemistry

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Members of the Division of Organic Chemistry You are invited to attend the meetings and to submit a paper for presentation before the Division of Organic Chemistry at the 192nd National ACS Meeting in Anaheim, September 7-12, 1986. Requests for hotel reservations should be withheld until publication of the preliminary program in Chemical and Engineering News (non-North American Members please see Information below).

Instructions for submission of papers are contained on page three (3) inside this letter entitled "Information for Authors of Papers." Please read them carefully. The deadline for RECEIPT of papers is May 2, 1986.

There will be a divisional meeting on Sunday, Sept. 7th, at 8:00 p.m. at a location to be announced in C & E News. It will be followed by a divisional social hour and poster session.

The Divisional Program in Anaheim will feature:

Poster Session

Sunday evening in conjunction with the social hours. The SINGLE Poster Session will continue through Monday noon. There will be only one other session scheduled on Monday morning. Participants will be required to post their paper by 8:30 p.m. Sunday evening and to spend one hour on Monday morning at their posters. Please check the appropriate box on the Abstract Form if you wish to participate. Some posters may be moved to an oral paper session in the interest of better topical grouping of papers.

Award Symposium

Arthur C. Cope Award to Duilio Arigoni-Tuesday a.m. and p.m.

The award address will be proceeded by a lecture from each of the Cope Scholar Awardees: A.G.M. Barrett, J.I. Brauman, J.P. Collman, S. Danishefsky, P.B. Dervan, P.G. Gassman, H. Rapoport, S.L. Schreiber, K.B. Sharpless, and K.B. Wiberg.

Symposium on "Controlled Carbometallation and Related Reactions as a New Synthetic Methodology" organized by E. Negishi, Monday and Wednesday.

Symposium on "Azide Photochemistry," organized by M. Platz, Wednesday.

Symposium on "Electronic Structure of the Transition State", Tuesday p.m. through Thursday a.m., organized by E.R. Davidson, cosponsored with the Division of Physical Chemistry.

Other Division Symposia of Interest

Symposium on High Energy Processes in Organometallic Chemistry, sponsored by Division of Inorganic Chemistry.

Future Divisional Programs

The 30th National Organic Chemistry symposium will be held in June, 1987. The Symposium Executive Officer is Paul A. Bartlett.

The Spring 1987 ACS meeting in Denver will celebrate the 100th year of the discovery of hydrazine. One or two general sessions will be devoted to organic applications of hydrazine chemistry.

March 1986

Other Meetings of Interest

June 1-5, 1986. Bowling Green, OH. 18th ACS Central Regional Meeting Symposia in honor of Paul Block Jr., R. Bruce Merrifield, and Charles Overberger. Speakers at the Paul Block Jr. symposium include: S. Danishefsky, K. Nakanishi, L.A. Paquette, M.S. Newman, K. Shea, J. Fry, and D.C. Neckers. Organizer: J. Fry, Department of Chemistry, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH 43606.

June 22-26, 1986. 21st Reaction Mechanisms Conference, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas 78712. Organized by: K.N. Houk, L.M. Stephenson, and J.J. Gajewski. Speakers include: E.M. Arnett, J.I. Brauman, R. Breslow, B.K. Carpenter, G.L. Closs, W.R. Dolbier, Jr., P. Deslongchamps, D.A. Dougherty, R.H. Grubbs, W.L. Jorgensen, J.K. Kochi, G.A. Olah, J. Rebek, Jr., W.C. Still. Local co-organizers are M.A. Fox and J.C. Gilbert who should be contacted for further information.

September 22-26, 1986. 5th International Symposium on Homogeneous Catalysis, Kobe, Japan. Organized by: Kinki Chemical Society. Contact person: Professor Akira Nakamura (Chairman), Dept. Macromolecular Science, Faculty of Science, Osaka University, Toyonaka, Osaka 560, Japan.

July 26-30, 1987. Fourth IUPAC Symposium on Organometallic Chemistry Directed Towards Organic Synthesis (OMCOS-IV), University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada. Write Professor Gary H. Posner, Dept. of Chemistry, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD 21218 for details.

Proposals for ACS Meetings Symposia

The executive committee encourages submission of proposals for symposia at National ACS meetings on topics of current and general interest to the organic chemistry community. Symposia selected are supported to the extent of \$1250/half-day session with additional matching funds of 1/2 of all non-ACS (except for PRF) funding up to a maximum of \$2000 in matching funds.

Elections of Divisional Officers

Enclosed with this letter is the 1986 Nominating Committee Report, a ballot, and a return envelope for the marked ballot (a ballot and a return envelope are not sent to Affiliates since under the Bylaws they do not have voting privileges). The results of the ballot shall be determined by those votes returned to the Secretary by May 31, 1986. Please use a number 2 pencil to completely fill in the boxes corresponding to your votes.

The Chairman has received petitions suggesting changes in the nominating procedures. The Bylaws of the Division are currently under revision, and the suggested changes will be considered at the New York City Executive Committee Meeting.

Division of Organic Chemistry Fellowships

Eight fellowships for Ph.D. students to be held during their third or fourth year of study will be awarded for the 1986-87 academic year. The sponsors of these fellowships are: Dow Chemical Company Foundation, Eastman Kodak Company, Eli Lilly and Company, Merck Sharp & Dohme Research Laboratories, Monsanto, Co., Pfizer, Inc., Proctor & Gamble Co., and Rohm & Haas Co. Applications should consist of a brief covering letter and a resume' giving personal data, education, professional experience, honors and awards, and a list of publications (reprints are not necessary but preprints of unpublished papers should be included). The application should be supported by two letters of reference sent directly from the correspondents. Letters of reference should comment on the academic record, productivity, and career potential of the applicant. Evidence of research accomplishment will be an important factor in the selection of the fellowship holders. Applicants should be U.S. citizens or permanent resident visa holders. All application material must be received by Professor Marye Anne Fox, Chairman, ACS Organic Division Fellowship Selection Committee, Department of Chemistry, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas 78712-1167 by May 31, 1986. Announcement of the awards will be made by July 8, 1986. The Division Officers thank Paul G. Gassman for originating and administering the Fellowship Program.

Annual Volumes of Organic Syntheses

The second free copy (Vol. 63, edited by G. Saucy) was sent to members last spring. Volume 64, edited by A.S. Kende, was sent to members in January. Organic Syntheses is providing these copies and the Division is paying for their distribution. This program will continue by agreement between Organic Syntheses and the Organic Division at the Fall ACS Meeting. The Division Officers thank Organic Syntheses for its generosity and efforts in promoting the science. Apologies to G. Saucy who was not cited as editor of Vol. 63 in previous Division Newsletters.

Abstracts

The abstracts of papers presented before the Organic Division will be lithographed and distributed to the members of the Division. Complete sets of the abstracts of all papers presented at the Spring 1986 National ACS Meeting may be obtained from ACS Distribution Service. Be sure to indicate Divisional Membership when ordering. A limited number of copies of the abstracts of papers previously presented before the Division are available from the Secretary's office upon receipt of a self-addressed, stamped envelope (at least 8" x 11") and remission of \$1.50 per abstract of National meetings (6 ounces), or \$2.00 per abstract of National Organic Symposia (11 ounces).

Notice to Division Members Living Outside the U.S., Canada, and Mexico:

C&E News Information:

Because the Anaheim Meeting Information is announced only in C&E News and because C&E News is shipped seamail to non-North American ACS members, the Organic Division will airmail the C&E News Anaheim Meeting information to all foreign members of the Division who request it by writing the Secretary by May 31, 1986.

Abstracts:

Because the mailing costs for divisional members living outside the U.S., Canada, and Mexico exceed, by a substantial amount, the dues paid by these members, the Executive Committee has decided to send the divisional abstracts for national meetings to these members by surface instead of air. Some of these members may not receive the abstracts before the meeting. Members who attend the meeting and have not received divisional abstracts may obtain a set of abstracts free of charge from the ACS Operations Office at the meeting.

This Newsletter:

The Executive Committee long ago decided that this newsletter was to be mailed 1st class airmail to non North American members so that deadlines could be met. If you have not received this newsletter by April 15, 1986 please write to the Secretary so that our mail services can be appraised of difficulties.

Book Discount

Coupons which provide substantial discounts on the purchase of books from Academic Press, Holden Day, John Wiley & Sons, Marcel Dekker, Pergamon, Plenum, University Science Books, and Verlag Chemie Publishing companies are included in this mailing. To obtain the discount, sign the coupon and include it with prepayment (use U.S. currency) in an order to the publisher's address as indicated. Discounts and publishers included are: Academic Press, Inc., 25% discount. Orders must be directed to Cindy Porter, 4th Floor, Academic Press, Inc., Commercial Sales, Orlando, Fla. 32887-0019.

Holden Day, Inc., 25% discount. Holden Day, Inc., 500 Sandsome St., San Francisco, Calif. 94111.

John Wiley & sons, 25% discounts on Wiley-Interscience books, excluding text books.

John Wiley & Sons, Eastern Distribution Center, 1 Wiley Drive, Somerset, N.J. 08873.

Marcel Dekker, Inc., 30% discount. Marcel Dekker, Inc., 270 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10011.

Pergamon Press, Inc., 25% discount. Orders must be directed to Ms. J. Rudosky, Perg. Pr., Inc., Maxwell House, Fairview Park, Elmsford, NY 10523.

Plenum Press, Inc., 25% discount. Plenum Publishing Company, 227 W. 17th St., New York, NY 10011.

University Science Books, 25% discount. 20 Edgehill Road, Mill Valley, CA 94941.

Verlag Chemie International, Inc., 25% discount. Verlag Chemie Intl., Inc., Plaza Centre, Suite E, 1020 N.W. 6th St., Deerfield Beach, FL 33441.

Free Public Affairs Consulting Service Available to ACS Members and Local Sections

To obtain a copy of the Public Affairs Kit, which contains the "Emerging Issues for Involvement" brochure, or to discuss public affairs activities, contact: Michele M. Boisse, Office of Legislative Programs, American Chemical Society, 1155 Sixteenth St., N.W., Washington, DC 20036, (202) 872-4391.

New ACS Publications

"Biotechnology," "Informing Workers of Chemical Hazards," "Hazard Communication: Worker Right-to-Know," and "Issues in Peer Review of the Scientific Basis for Regulatory Decisions" can be ordered by calling (202) 872-8725, or write to the ACS Office of Federal Regulatory Programs, 1155 Sixteenth Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036. "Instrumentation Funding Fact Sheets" can be obtained by calling (202) 872-4384, or writing ACS Office of Science Policy Analysis, 1155 Sixteenth St., N.W., Washington, DC 20036.

Forums on "Hazard Communication: Worker Right-to-Know"

Forums are held during ACS Regional Meetings. The next forums are scheduled for: June 2, 1986, during the Great Lakes Regional Meeting in Milwaukee, Wisconsin; June 4, 1986, during the Central Regional Meeting in Bowling Green, Ohio; and, June 25, 1986, during the Northeast Regional Meeting in Binghampton, New York. Sincerely,

Joseph J. Gajewski, Secretary-Treasurer

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American Chemical Society-Division of Organic Chemistry Information for Authors of Papers

I. ACS Requirements

The Bylaws of the American Chemical Society place the following requirements on paper that are presented at National ACS Meetings.

1. ACS MembershipAt least one author of each paper must be a member of the American Chemical Society, unless all the authors are not chemists or engineers residing in the United States.

II. Organic Division Requirements and Policies

The Organic Division has the following Bylaws and policies pertaining to papers and posters submitted for presentation at National ACS Meetings.

1. Under no circumstances should a paper appear in print in a journal other than as a communication to the editor before the oral presentation.

Responsibility for ensuring that this policy not be violated rests solely with the author(s). If a manuscript is accepted for publication prior to or shortly after submission of the paper for presentation at a Meeting, the author(s) should specifically request the editor to arrange publication in an issue that is circulated after the ACS Meeting.

2. Short Abstracts. Four identical copies of a 150 word (or equivalent) abstract are required. The original must be typed on the new abstract form and submitted with three Xerox or carbon copies on at least 16 lb. bond paper. The abstract itself must be kept within a 7-1/2" X 3-1/8" area. The preparation of a short abstract demands care and attention since direct photoreproduction will be used.

3. Long AbstractsOne copy of a long abstract (at least 1,000 words) of the paper to be presented which contains a detailed description of the experimental work upon which the paper is based must be submitted. A copy of the manuscript in a form to be submitted for publication constitutes an ideal long abstract. No paper can be accepted for the meeting program unless it is accompanied by a long abstract. After the long abstract has been reviewed in preparation for the program, the long abstract of each paper accepted will be sent to the chairman of the session in which the paper is to be presented. The presiding officer will either serve as discussion leader for each of the papers in his session or will appoint some other person to serve as discussion leader. The long abstract cannot be returned. Manuscripts for publication should be sent to the editors of the journals and not the Secretary of the Division.

4. Deadline for Receipt

The original and three copies of the 150-word abstract and one copy of the 1,000-word abstract should reach the office of the Secretary **no later than May 2, 1986.** Since the program is arranged and the 150-word abstracts mailed to Washington immediately after this date, no papers can be accepted, withdrawn, or changed after May 2, 1986. Please be certain of your plans before submitting a paper.

5. Scheduling of Papers

Insofar as possible, the papers are arranged according to subject matter. Please do not request the scheduling of a paper at a specific time unless a conflict makes it impossible for you to attend on certain days. However, if such a conflict exists, please advise the Secretary no later than May 2, 1986. If the author is presenting a paper before one of the other divisions during the same meeting and there is a time conflict, please advise the secretary as soon as possible.

6. Notification of Acceptance

The author presenting the paper will be notified of the date and time when the paper has been scheduled **approximately five weeks after the Secretary's deadline**. If a paper cannot be accepted, the author will be notified of thi fact **approximately four weeks after the Secretary's deadline**, and all of the abstracts will be returned.

7. Acknowledgment of Receipt

Any author desiring acknowledgment of receipt of a submitted paper should include a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

III. Slides and Oral Presentation

Each meeting room will be equipped with a blackboard and with projection facilities for 2" x 2" slides and overhead transparencies. Authors should be sure their slides are legible and present a reasonable amount of data on each slide. Manuscripts should not be read verbatim. The Executive Committee recommends strongly that each paper be presented by the senior author. However, whether the paper is presented by a junior or senior author, the presentation should be carefully prepared so that it is properly timed and of high quality. Since the time allotted to each oral presentation is only fifteen minutes it is suggested that no more than ten slides be used in the presentation.

IV. Poster Session

Boards $(4' \times 8')$ will be available for each Poster paper. Plan to use large letters for the title, authors, and affiliation. Do not use pica or smaller fonts for figures or text. Minimize text and maximize the number of figures, schemes, and structures.

Joseph J. Gajewski Secretary-Treasurer Division of Organic Chemistry Department of Chemistry Indiana University Bloomington, IN 47405

Deadline for Receipt of Abstracts of General Papers for Division of Organic Chemistry

Meeting: 192nd ACS (Anaheim, September 7-12, 1986)

193rd ACS

(Denver, April 5-10, 1987)

Four copies of 150-word abstract (original on ACS abstract form provided) and one copy of 1000-word abstract must be returned by the deadline date. Deadline: May 2, 1986

October 31, 1986

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