ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meetings

15-16 June, Safety and Loss Prevention, York (Mrs G.M. Nelson, IChemE, George E. Davis Building, 165-171 Railway Terrace, Rugby, UK).

16-17 June, The Immune System, Basel (Basel Institute for Immunology, Hochhaus, Bau 52, Switzerland).

16-18 June, Space Shuttle, Wembley (The Institute of Measurement and Control, 20 Peel St, London W8, UK).

18-19 June, Chromatography in Biochemistry, Medicine and Environmental Research and Mass Spectrometry in Biochemistry, Medicine and Environmental Research, Venice (Dr A. Frigerio, Via Eritrea 62, 20157 Milano, Italy).

23-24 June, Food and Health — a Perspective for the 80's, London (The British Nutrition Foundation, 15 Belgrave Square, London SW1, UK).

24-25 June, Biotechnology: A Briefing for Scottish Industry, Strathclyde, (Dr J. Aitchison, University of Strathclyde, Royal College, 204 George St, Glasgow, UK).

22-25 June, Erosion and Sediment Transport Measurement, Florence (Dr P. Tacconi, Istituto de Ingegneria Civile, Via S. Marta 3, 50139 Firenze, Italy).

25-26 June, Genetic Engineering in Food and Agriculture, Virginia (R. Nash, The Energy Bureau Inc, 41 East 42nd St, New York, New York 10017, USA).

30 June-10 July, Mechanical and Thermal Behaviour of Metallic Materials, Varenna (Societa Italiana di Fisica, Via L. Degli Andalo, 2, 40124 Bogna, Italy).

2 July, Health Hazards of VDUs?, Loughborough (B. Pierce, HUSAT Research Group, Dept of Human Sciences, Loughborough University of Technology, Leicestershire, UK).

3 July, Developments in Current Polymer Research, Aberdeen (Prof. P. Meares, Dept of Chemistry, University of Aberdeen, Meston Walk, Old Aberdeen, UK). 6-10 July, An Introductory Course in Tropical Hygiene, London (Ross Institute of Tropical Hygiene, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel St, London WC1, UK).

6-10 July, Mixing in the Process Industries, Bradford (Dr N. Harnby, Dept of Chemical Engineering, University of Bradford, West Yorkshire, UK).

6-10 July, Process Safety—Theory and Practice, Durham (Mrs M. Findlay, Dept of Chemical Engineering, Teesside Polytechnic, Borough Rd, Middlesbrough, Cleveland, UK).

7-9 July, Light Microscopy '81, London (Administrator, Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St Clements, Oxford, UK). 29 June-10 July, Summer School in Health Physics, London (Dr H.D. Evans, Imperial College, London SW7, UK).

9-10 July, Cost Savings in Distillation, Leeds (Prof. G.G. Haselden, Dept of Chemical Engineering, University of Leeds, Leeds, UK).

13-16 July, The Technology of Fibrereinforced Plastics Composite Materials, Guildford (Mr M.G. Bader, Dept of Metallurgy and Materials Technology, University of Surrey, Guildford, UK).

13-18 July, Applied Rock Mechanics, Davis (Garrett Jones, University Extension, University of California, Davis, California 95616, USA).

14-16 July, Inter/Micro — 81, Cambridge (McCrone Research Institute Ltd, 2 McCrone Mews, Belsize Lane, London NW3, UK).

14-24 July, **Positrons in Solids**, Varenna (Societa Italiana di Fisica, Via L. Degli Andalo, 40124 Bologna, Italy).

16-17 July, Breeding Legumes for Nutritional Value, Southampton (Nutrition Society, Dr M.I. Gurr, Shinfield, Reading, UK).

19-24 July, Chemistry of Platinum Group Metals, Bristol (Dr J.F. Gibson, The Royal Society of Chemistry, Burlington House, London W1, UK).

21-23 July, Synthesis in Organic Chemistry, Oxford (Dr J.F. Gibson, The Royal Society of Chemistry, Burlington House, London W1, UK).

22-24 July, HPLC Beginners Course, Cheshire (HPLC Technology Ltd, 4 Charlotte St, West Macclesfield, Cheshire, LIV)

28 July-2 August, **Data Acquisition in High Energy Physics**, Varenna (Società Italiana di Fisica, Via L. Delgi Andalò, 2, 40124 Bologna, Italy).

17-21 August, Earth Tides, New York (Prof. J.T. Kuo, 828 S.W. Mudd, Columbia University, New York, New York 10027, USA).

17-21 August, Soil Morphology, London (Dr P. Bullock, Rothamsted Experimental Research Station, Harpenden, Herts, UK). 23-28 August, Solar World Forum, Brighton (UK-ISES, 19 Albemarle St, London W1, UK).

28 August-1 September, 9th International Congress of ISDB, Basel (A.A. Moscona, University of Chicago, Dept of Biology, Chicago, Illinois 60637, USA).

28 August-9 September, Arc Volcanism, Tokyo (Prof. D. Shimozuro, Earthquake Research Institute, University of Tokyo, Bunkyo-Ku, Tokyo 113, Japan).

30 August-4 September, Regulatory Peptides: Functional and Pharmacological Aspects, Brescia (M. Trabucchi, Dept of Pharmacology and Therapeutics, Via Valsabbina, 19-25100 Brescia, Italy).

30 August-4 September, Optics in Biomedical Sciences, Graz (Medizinische Ausstellungs und Werbegesellschaft, M. Rodler & Co. A-1014 Wien I, Freyung 6, Postfach 155, Austria).

31 August-4 September, BAAS, York (BA, Fortress House, 23 Savile Row, London W1, UK).

1-5 September, Central Nervous System Regeneration, Catania (Dr A.M. Giuffrida Stella, Istituto di Chimica Biologica, Universita di Catania, Viale Andrea Doria, 6, 95125 Catania, Italy).

2-4 September, Environment and Safety, Wembley (IE & S Exhibition and Conferences, Newgate, Sandpit Lane, St Albans, Herts, UK).

31 August — 11 September, Eighth UICC Training Course in Cancer Research, Heidelberg (Prof Dr G. Sauer, Grman Cancer Research Center, Im Neuenheimer Feld, 6900 Heidelberg, FRG).

1-4 September, 2nd Australian National Laser Conference, Canberra (The Secretary, 2nd Australian National Laser Conference, Dept of Engineering Physics, Research School of Physical Sciences, PO Box 4, Canberra, ACT, 2600, Australia). 2-4 September, Modern Aspects of Phase Equilibria, Teesside (Mrs M. Findlay, Dept of Chemial Engineering, Teeside Polytechnic, Borough Rd, Middlesbrough, Cleveland, UK).

5-10 September, Precision and Speed in Close Range Photogrammetry, York (K.B. Atkinson, Dept of Photogrammetry and Surveying, University College London, Gower St, London WC1, UK).

7-11 September, Particle Size Measurement, Bradford (Secretary, School of Powder Technology, University of Bradford, Bradford, West Yorkshire, UK).

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7-11 September, Modelling and Simulation of Dynamical Chemical Engineering Processes, Bradford (Dr J. Ingham, School of Chemical Engineering, University of Bradford, Bradford, West Yorkshire, UK).

8-11 September, **Down to Earth Management**, Winnipeg (7th Canadian Symposium on Remote Sensing, PO Box 1106, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R3C 2X4).

10-11 September, Molecular Beams in Chemical Physics, Birmingham (Dr A.R. Burgess, Dept of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering, University College London, Torrington Place, London WC1, UK).

13-18 September, 15th International Congress of the International Society for Chronobiology, Minneapolis (ISC XV Conference, College of Pharmacy, 5-110 HS Unit f, 308 Harvard St SE, Mpls, Minnesota 55455, USA).

17-20 September, British Veterinary Association's Annual Congress, Exeter (BVA, 7 Mansfield St, London W1, UK).