

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARCH MEETINGS

Mar. 19-22. From Clone to Clinic. Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Info: Secretarial Office, TNO Corporate Communication Dept., PO Box 297, 2501 BD, The Hague, The Netherlands.

Mar. 26. Chromexpo '90. Washington, DC. Info: Janet Cunningham, Barr Enterprises, PO Box 279, Walkersville, MD 21793.

Mar. 26-28. International Biotechnology Conference on Applications to Medical Devices. Bethesda, MD. Info: International Biotechnology Conference, c/o 7101 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 610, Bethesda, MD.

APRIL MEETINGS

Apr. 1-5. 1990 FASEB Annual Meeting. Washington, DC. Info: Office of Scientific Meetings, Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814.

Apr. 2. The French Presence in Biotechnology Worldwide. Los Angeles, CA. Info: Barbara Hearn, French-American Chamber of Commerce Los Angeles, Inc., 6380 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1608, Los Angeles, CA 90048.

Apr. 3-5. Opportunities in Biotransformations. Cambridge, U.K. Info: Conference Secretariat, Society of Chemical Industry, 14/15 Belgrave Sq., London SW1X 8PS, U.K.

Apr. 3-6. 634th Meeting of the Biochemical Society. Bath, U.K. Info: Meetings Officer, The Biochemical Society, 7 Warwick Ct., High Holborn, London WC1R 5DP, U.K.

Apr. 4-6. Venture Forum Europe '90. Paris, France. Info: Venture Economics, 75 Second Ave., Needham, MA 02194.

Apr. 6. West Coast AAAS R&D Colloquium. Palo Alto, CA. Info: AAAS Annual Meeting Registration, PO Box 23320, Alexandria, VA 22304-9330.

Apr. 12-13. AAAS Colloquium on Science and Technology Policy. Washington, DC. Info: See for Apr. 6.

Apr. 22-25. Asia-Pacific Biochemical Engineering Conference '90. Kyungju & Seoul, Korea. Info: Secretariat APBioChEC '90 c/o Prof. Ho Nam Chang, Dept. of Chemical Engineering, KAIST, PO Box 131, Cheongryang, Seoul 130-650, Korea.

Apr. 22-27. 199th American Chemical Society National Meeting & Exposition. Boston, MA. Info: Paula Groves, ACS Meetings, 1155 Sixteenth St. NW, Washington, DC 20036.

Apr. 23-27. Novel Strategies in Production and Recovery of Biologicals from Recombinant Microorganisms and Animal Cells. Eilat, Israel. Info: Secretariat, OHOLO Biological Conference, PO Box 19, Ness-Ziona 70450, Israel.

Apr. 27-28. Commercializing Biotechnology in the Global Economy. Austin, TX. Info: RKG Foundation, 2815 San Gabriel, Austin, TX 78705-0245.

Apr. 29-May 1. International Glycobiology Symposium; Current Analytical Methods. Bethesda, MD. Info: Nancy Jensen, Dionex Corp., PO Box 3603, Sunnyvale, CA 94088-3603.

Apr. 30-May 1. Fourth Annual Conference on Commercialization of Biotechnology. Lansing, MI. Info: Michigan Biotechnology Institute, PO Box 27609, Lansing, MI 48909.

MAY MEETINGS

May 2-3. Frontiers in Rare Disease Research: 2nd Biennial Conference on Rare Diseases and Orphan Products. Washington, DC. Info: A. Shea, PMA, 1100 15th St. NW, Suite 900, Washington, DC 20005.

May 3-4. Commercial Diagnostic Technology in Animal Health Monitoring. Ames, IA. Info: T.O. Bunn, Nat'l. Veterinary Services Laboratories, PO Box 844, Ames, IA 50010.

May 13-18. International Symposium on High Resolution and Microcolumn Chromatography Techniques. Monterey, CA. Info: Stuart Cram, Hewlett-Packard, 3000 Hanover St. (MS 20BAE), Palo Alto, CA 94304.

May 14-16. Osteoporosis/Bone Growth Factors Conferences. Boston, MA. Info: Technology Management Group, 25 Science Park, New Haven, CT 06511.

May 14-17. Eleventh International Symposium on Capillary Chromatography. Monterey, CA. Info: Pat Sandra, Laboratory of Organic Chemistry, Univ. of Ghent, Krijgslaan 281(S4), B-9000 Ghent, Belgium.

May 20-25. Fourteenth International Symposium on Column Liquid Chromatography. Boston, MA. Info: Shirley Schlessinger, Symposium Mgr., HPLC '90, 400 E. Randolph Dr., Suite 1015, Chicago, IL 60601.

May 20-26. Eighth International Congress on Nitrogen Fixation. Knoxville, TN. Info: Univ. of Tennessee Conferences, PO Box 2648, Knoxville, TN 37901.

May 23-25. Fourth International ABC Biotechnology Meeting. Toronto, Canada. Info: Jean Mills, Dir. of Meetings, ABC Headquarters, 1120 Vermont Ave., Suite 601, Washington, DC 20005-3523.

May 27-31. Fourteenth Int'l. Symposium on Quantitative Luminescence Spectrometry in Biomedical Sciences. Ghent, Belgium. Info: Willy Baeyens, Symposium Chairman, State Univ. of Ghent, Pharmaceutical Institute, Harelbekestraat 72, B-9000, Ghent, Belgium.

JUNE MEETINGS

June 3-7. American Society for Biochemistry & Molecular Biology/American Association of Immunologists Joint Meeting. New Orleans, LA. Info: Office of Scientific Meetings, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814.

June 3-8. Progress in Recombinant DNA Technology and Applications. Potosi, MO. Info: Rudolf Yacyshyn, Engineering Foundation Conferences, 345 E. 47th St., New York, NY 10017.

June 10-14. Tissue Culture Association 1990 Annual Meeting: Frontiers in Cell Biotechnology. Houston, TX. Info: Tissue Culture Assn., 19110 Montgomery Village Ave., Suite 300, Gaithersburg, MD 20879.

June 11-12. First Annual Conference for the Biopharmaceutical Industry. San Francisco, CA. Info: B.K. Krewson, Conf. Mgr., BioPharm Conf., PO Box 10460, Eugene, OR 97440.

June 11-14. 4th Annual Seminar on Analytical Biotechnology. Arlington, VA. Info: See for Mar. 26.

June 13-14. Regional FDA Review & Update. Princeton, NJ. Info: HIMA Meetings Dept., 1030 Fifteenth St. NW, Washington, DC 20005.

EXECUTIVE CHANGES

Somatix (Cambridge, MA) has named Eric Tomlinson its new president and CEO.

Embrex (Research Triangle Park, NC) has elected Randall Marcuson president and CEO.

DeKalb Genetics (DeKalb, IL) has promoted Richard Ryan, formerly VP and CFO, to president. Alan Skourby will be the new CFO.

DNA Plant Technology (Cinnaminson, NJ) has announced that David Evans now will be VP, business development. Also, Robert Whitaker has been named managing director of research for the company.

IDEC Pharmaceuticals (La Jolla, CA) new VP, research and pre-clinical development is Nabil Hanna.

Biogen (Cambridge, MA) has named David Dennen VP, operations.

Biocryst (Birmingham, AL) has named Frederick Dechow executive director of development.

Life Technologies (Gaithersburg, MD) new director of marketing is Henry Swope.

Argus Pharmaceuticals (The Woodlands, TX) announced the appointment of Robert Parker Lenk as director, R&D.

MicroProbe (Bothell, WA) has named Paul Rust CEO.