

# ANNOUNCEMENTS/

## APRIL MEETINGS

**Apr. 5-7.** Feeding the World, Protecting the Earth. Annapolis, MD. Info: Barbara Rose, Rockefeller Foundation Media Seminar, Int'l. Food Policy Research Inst., 1776 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036. Tel: 202-862-8133.

**Apr. 5-10.** American Chemical Society 203rd National Meeting and Exposition. San Francisco, CA. Info: ACS, Meetings, P.O. Box 18598, 20th St. Station, Washington, DC 20036-8598.

**Apr. 21.** Canada/New York Biotech. Showcase. Buffalo, NY. Info: New York Biotechnology Assoc., 130 Life Sciences Bldg., Stony Brook, NY 11794-5208. Tel: 212-695-4077.

**Apr. 22-24.** Envirotech Vienna 1992. Vienna. Info: Int'l. Society for Environmental Protection (ISEP), A-1030 Vienna, Marxergasse 3/20, Austria. Tel: 43-1-715-28-29.

**Apr. 23-24.** Biotechnology: The Emerging Reality. Hershey, PA. Info: Pennsylvania Biotechnology Association, 519 Wartik Laboratory, University Park, PA 16802. Tel: 814-863-7020.

**Apr. 30.** Intellectual Property and Confidentiality in Biotechnology Research. London. Info: Royal Society of Chemistry, Dr. Andrew Webster, SATSU, Anglia Polytechnic, East Road, Cambridge CB1 1PT, U.K. Tel: 0223-63271 ext. 2232.

## MAY MEETINGS

**May 1-2a.** Bologna Symposium on Stem Cell Factor and Cytokines in Congenital Bone Marrow Dysplasias. Bologna, Italy. Info: Dr. Ann Murphy, Hipple Cancer Research Center, 4100 S. Kettering Blvd. Dayton, OH 45439-2092. Tel: 513-293-8508.

**May 1-2b.** 2nd Int'l. Symposium on Thrombolytic Therapy in Acute Ischemic Stroke. La Jolla, CA. Info: Dept. of Academic Affairs, Box 403C, Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation, 10666 N. Torrey Pines Rd., La Jolla, CA 92037. 619-554-8556.

**May 5-6.** Characterization and Quantification of Immunogens in Veterinary Biologics. Ames, IA. Info: Dr. Bunn, Nat'l. Veterinary Services Laboratories, P.O. Box 844, Ames, IA 50010. Tel: 515-239-8346.

**May 5-8.** 13th Int'l. Trade Fair for Biochemical and Instrumental Analysis. Munich. Info: Münchener Meesse- und Ausstellungsgesellschaft mbH, Postfach 12 10 09, D-8000 München 12. Tel: 89-5107-0.

**May 6-8a.** 16th Annual Associates of Clinical Pharmacology Meeting. Miami Beach, FL. Info: ACP, 2317 International Lane, Suite 210, Madison, WI 53704. Tel: 608-244-1600.

**May 6-8b.** 6th Annual Seminar on Analytical Biotechnology. Cambridge, MA. Info: Barr Enterprises, P.O. Box 279, Walkersville, MD 21793. Tel: 301-898-3772.

**May 11-12a.** Northeast Regional Section Meeting of the Association of Official Analytical Chemists. Nova Scotia, Canada. Info: Ben Harnish, Nova Scotia Dept. of Agriculture, Box 550, Truro, NS B2N 5B3 Canada. Tel: 902-893-6562.

**May 11-12b.** Mathematical Modeling of Pharmaceutical Data. Basel, Switzerland. Info: Programme Division, Technomic Publishing AG, Missionsstrasse 44, CH-4055 Basel, Switzerland. Tel: 061-43-52-26.

**May 13-14.** Nasal Drug Delivery. Boston, MA. Info: Pharmaceutical Division, Technomic Publishing, 851 New Holland Ave., Box 3535, Lancaster, PA 17604. Tel: 800-233-9936.

**May 13-15.** 1992 Int'l. Congress on Technology and Technology Exchange. Evry, France. Info: Janet Weisgerber or Ruby Glasgow, Int'l. Technology Inst., 7125 Saltsburg Rd., Pittsburgh, PA 15235-2297. Tel: 412-391-2913 or 412-795-5300.

**May 14-15.** Essentials of Process Validation. Basel, Switzerland. Info: see for **May 11-12b**.

## COURSES AND WORKSHOPS

**Apr. 6-7.** Statistical Process Control for Testing Labs. Pittsburgh, PA. Info: Professional Analytical and Consulting Services, 409 Meade Dr., Coraopolis, PA 15108. Tel: 412-457-6576.

**Apr. 8-9.** Quality Assurance of Chemical Measurements. Pittsburgh, PA. Info: see for **Apr. 6-7**.

**Apr. 13-14.** Normal & Reverse Phase HPLC Training. Wilmington, DE. Also **Apr. 15-16**, Edison, NJ. Info: Chromatography Inst., HPLC Training Dept., 1 Penobscot St., Medfield, MA 02052. Tel: 508-359-8747.

**Apr. 13-15.** Basics of Packed and Capillary GC. Pittsburgh, PA. Info: see for **Apr. 6-7**.

**Apr. 14-15.** Designing an Integrated Biopharmaceutical Facility. Madison, WI. Info: Program Director, The Wisconsin Center, 702 Langdon St., Madison, WI 53706. Tel: 608-262-2101 or 800-462-0876.

**Apr. 27-28.** 10th Annual Biotechnology Patent Conference. Rockville, MD. Info: American Type Culture Collection Workshops, 12301 Parklawn Dr., Rockville, MD 20852. Tel: 301-231-5566.

**Apr. 29-30.** Crossflow Membrane Filtration. Minnetonka, MN. Also **Oct. 14-15**. Info: Bette Nelson, Travel & Seminar Coordinator, Osmonics, 5951 Clearwater Dr., Minnetonka, MN 55343-8990. Tel: 612-933-2277.

**May 4-8.** ISPE Expo '92. Philadelphia, PA. Also **May 6-8**. Info: Int'l. Society for Pharmaceutical Engineering, 3816 W. Linebaugh Ave., Suite 412, Tampa, FL 33624. Tel: 813-960-2105.

**May 6-9.** Site-Directed Mutagenesis. Washington, DC. Info: CATCMB, 103 McCort-Ward

Bldg., Catholic University of America, Washington, DC 20064. Tel: 202-319-6161.

**May 11-13.** PCR Techniques. Washington, DC. Info: see for **May 6-9**.

**May 11-15.** Immunocytochemistry. Washington, DC. Info: see for **May 6-9**.

**May 12-14.** Process Chromatography Techniques Theory and Practice I. New Jersey. Info: Purification Center, Pharmacia LKB Biotechnology, 800 Centennial Ave., Piscataway, NJ 08854. Tel: 908-457-8470.

**May 12-15.** Mammalian Cell Culture Methods. University Park, PA. Also **Nov. 10-13**. Info: Dr. K. Rashid or Ms. P. Phillips, Penn State Biotechnology Inst., 519 Wartik Laboratory, Pennsylvania State Univ., University Park, PA 16802. Tel: 800-833-5533.

**May 13-15a.** Microscopy/Photomicrography. Rockville, MD. Info: see for **Apr. 29-30**.

**May 13-15b.** Second Workshop and Exhibition on Controlled Delivery in Consumer Products. Secaucus, NJ. Info: Controlled Release Society Administrative Office, 1020 Milwaukee, Suite 235, Deerfield, IL 60015. Tel: 708-808-7073.

**May 13-16.** DNA Sequencing. Washington, DC. Info: see for **May 6-9**.

## EXECUTIVE CHANGES

**CytoTherapeutics** (Providence, RI) appointed Thomas Wiggins chief operating officer.

**SmithKline Beecham** (Philadelphia, PA) named Harry Groome chairman of consumer brands.

**Carl Zeiss** (Thornwood, NY) named Virginia Bayer senior applications specialist for transmission electron microscopes in its electron optics division.

**Vapex Environmental Technologies** (Canton, MA) promoted Michael Marley vice president—technology, and Peter Nangeroni vice president—operations.

**Department of Energy** (Washington, DC) named James Bickford director of the new office of emergency planning and operations.

**Genta** (San Diego, CA) named Howard Sampson vice president, controller, and Donald Picker senior vice president, research and development.

**Promega** (Madison, WI) appointed Kim Davis chief operating officer.

**T Cell Sciences** (Cambridge, MA) named Alan Tuck president and chief executive officer.

**Gliatech** (Cleveland, OH) named Stanley Rose vice president—business development.