# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### JUNE MEETINGS

June 2. Emerging Diagnostic Technologies. Munich. (Also on July 14 in Chicago, IL.) Info: Robert S. First, Inc., 707 West-chester Avenue, White Plains, NY 10604

June 3-6. Analytica 86. Munich, F.R.G. Info: Gerald G. Kallman, President, Kallman Associates, Five Maple Court, Ridgewood, NJ 07450-4431

June 5-6. Immunotechnology: Finance, Acquisitions, and Joint Ventures. Lake Tahoe, NV. Info: Ms. Mudd, UCLA Extension, Business & Management, 10995 Le Conte Ave., Room 515, Los Angeles, CA 90024

June 9–12. 30th Annual Meeting of the Wind River Conference on Genetic Exchange. Estes Park, CO. Info: Kenneth F. Bott, Dept. of Microbiology, 231 H, University of North Carolina Medical School, Chapel Hill, NC 27514

June 16–19. 3rd International Conference on Biotechnology in the Pulp and Paper Industry. Stockholm, Sweden. Info: K.-E. Eriksson, Svenska Traeforskningsinstitutet Box 5604, S-11486 Stockholm, Sweden

June 18-20. Molecular Biology in Medicine. London. Info: Macmillan Conferences and Exhibitions, 4 Little Essex St., London WC2R 3LF, U.K.

June 23–27. International Symposium on Immobilized Enzymes and Cells. Waterloo, Ont. Info: The Director, Industrial Biotechnology Centre, University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ont., Canada N2L 3G1

June 29. Society for General Microbiology Scottish Branch Symposium on Gene Isolaton and Structure in Eukaryotic Microbes. Info: Meetings Assistant, Society for General Microbiology, Harvest House, 62 London Road, Reading, Berks RG1 5AS, U.K.

## JULY MEETINGS

**July 8–9.** Society for General Microbiology Fermentation Group Symposium on Carbon Substrates in Biotechnology. Billingham, U.K. Info: See for June 29.

July 13–16. Microbial Metabolism and the Carbon Cycle. St. Paul, MN. Info: Sandra Becker, Head, Office of Special Programs, University of Minnesota, 405 Coffey Hall, 1420 Eckles Ave., St. Paul, MN 55108

July 21-23. International Conference on Biologically Engineered Polymers. Cambridge, U.K. Info: M. J. Miles, AFRC Food Research Institute, Colney Lane, Norwich NR4 7UA, U.K.

July 26. Pre-Clinical Safety of Biotechnology Products Intended for Human Use (Satellite Symposium of IV International Congress of Toxicology). Tokyo. Info: H. Giss, P.O. Box 44, Vienna, VA 22180, U.S.

July 27–31. 3rd International Symposium on the Molecular Genetics of Plant-Microbe Interactions. Montreal. Info: D. P. S. Verma, Director, Centre for Plant Molecular Biology, McGill University, 1205 Docteur Penfield Ave., Montreal, Quebec H3A 1B1, Canada

## **AUGUST MEETINGS**

Aug. 3-6. Membrane Protein Symposium. San Diego, CA. Info: Shirley E. Schlessinger, Symposium Manager, Membrane Protein Symposium, 400 E. Randolph St., Chicago, IL 60601

August 4–8. The New Biotechnology: Science Principles and Industrial Applications. University Park, PA. Info: Biotechnology Office, Box 672, University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, Rochester, NY 14642

Aug. 10-15. Annual Meeting of the Society for Industrial Microbiology. San Francisco, CA. Info: Ann Kulback, SIM Headquarters, P.O. Box 12534, Arlington, VA 22209-8534

Aug. 11–16. 5th International Symposium on Microbial Growth on C<sub>1</sub> Compounds. Haran, The Netherlands. Info: Symposium Secretariat, Dept. of Microbiology, University of Groningen, Kerklaan 30, 9751 NN Haren, The Netherlands

August 12–17. Macromolecules, Genes and Computers. Waterville, NH. Info: Temple F. Smith, MBCRR, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, 44 Binney St., Boston, MA 02115

August 18–21. 8th European Meeting on Genetic Transformation. Uppsala, Sweden. Info: Jan-Ingmar Flock, Dept. of Microbiology, Biomedical Center, Box 581, S-751 27 Uppsala, Sweden

Aug. 19-22. International Symposium on Food and Biotechnology. Quebec City. Info: Marcel Lefebvre, Centre de Recherche en Nutrition, Université Laval, Quebec G1K 7P4, Canada

Aug. 24–29. 4th International Symposium on Microbial Ecology. Ljubljana, Yugoslavia. Info: Cankarjev Dom, Congress and Cultural Centre, TRG Revolucije 2, Ljubljana, Yugoslavia

Aug. 25–28. 7th Australian Biotechnology Conference. Melbourne. Info: K. Kirby, CSIRO Division of Chemical and Wood Technology, Private Bag 10, Clayton, 3168, Victoria, Australia

### COURSES

June 2-6. Foreign DNA Expression in Eukaryote Cells. Springfield, VA. Info: Roland Nardonne, Director, Center for Advanced Training in Cell and Molecular Biology, The Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C. 20064 June 2-6. Fundamentals of Biochemistry and Genetic Engineering. East Brunswick, NJ. Info: The Center for Professional Advancement, P.O. Box 964, East Brunswick, NJ 08816-0964

June 11–13. Molecular Biology and Genetics of Streptomycetes. Piscataway, NJ. Info: Selma Gitterman, Director, Continuing Professional Education, Waksman Institute of Microbiology, P.O. Box 759, Piscataway, NJ 08854-0759

#### **EXECUTIVE CHANGES**

Apcel Ltd. (Slough, U.K.), the joint venture between Celltech Ltd. and Air Products Ltd., named Alan Thompson chief executive. He replaces Brian Street, who resumes his role as chairman of Air Products Ltd.

Intellicorp (Mountain View, CA) named Thomas P. Kehler chairman and chief executive officer. He succeeds Laurence H. Kedes. Also, Ralph E. Kromer, president, was named to the additional post of chief operating officer.

**BioTechnica Diagnostics** (Cambridge, MA), a subsidiary of BioTechnica International, appointed William G. Coll president and chief operating officer. Coll had been president of Boehringer Mannheim Diagnostics, Inc.

Eastman Kodak (Rochester, NY) realigned its research activities, as it named Edwin P. Przbylowicz chief technical officer, Jack C. Chang director of corporate research laboratories, and Robert F. Large director of research laboratories-life sciences

**Bio-Technical Resources** (Manitowoc, WI) appointed Nathan Kessler associate director.

**Damon Biotech** (Needham Heights, MA) promoted Joseph F. Lovett to executive vice president.

**Sterling Drug** (New York, NY) elected Lawrence W. Chakrin corporate vice president-research.

**Charles River Biotechnical Services** (Andover, MA) named Michael Chaffee director of marketing.

Pall Biomedical (Glen Cove, NY) promoted Samuel Wortham to president of its Pall Biomedical Products Corp. subsidiary, and named Craig M. Frederic general manager of its new biosupport division.

**Diagnostic, Inc.** (Minneapolis, MN) named James L. Suel director of finance, appointed Brian J. Kane director of marketing, and promoted Douglas W. Lavender to vice president of operations.

**Bioassay Systems** (Woburn, MA) named F. Howard Schneider chairman and president. He succeeds Timothy W. Devitt.