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WELCOME TO AMSTERDAM

The Dutch biochemical community takes pleasure in extending to you a cordial invitation to participate in the 13th International Congress of Biochemistry, to be held at the "Internationaal Congrescentrum RAI", Amsterdam, The Netherlands, on August 25–30, 1985.

SOCIAL EVENTS

The social programme will include, amongst other events, an informal get-together, a reception offered by the Minister of Education and Science and the Burgomaster and Aldermen of Amsterdam, a concert by the "Concertgebouw Orchestra" and a farewell evening "In touch with the Dutch". A choice of daily excursions will be offered to participants' companions.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

The scientific programme will include a daily plenary lecture, symposia with invited speakers, colloquia and poster sessions. The colloquium speakers will be selected from the contributors to the poster sessions. Symposia and colloquia will cover topics within the following areas:

1. The genome: structural organization and replication
2. Gene expression and transcriptional controls
3. Nucleic acid-protein interactions, including protein synthesis
4. Protein structure and function, including enzymology
5. Metabolic regulation
6. Membrane structure and functions
7. Bioenergetics
8. Cellular growth, differentiation and transformation
9. Hormones
10. Molecular and cellular immunology
11. Molecular mechanisms of disease
12. Applied biochemistry, including biotechnology, biochemistry in agriculture, environmental biochemistry, and biological production of industrial chemicals and fuels.

SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT AND CORRESPONDENCE

The second announcement, containing full details of the congress and of satellite meetings, will be distributed in October 1984, and can be obtained only upon request. Please give clearly your full name and title, postal address, telephone number, and the number of accompanying persons. Please also state whether you intend to present a poster, and give an indication of which numbered subject area(s) (see left) you are interested in. Please send this pre-registration letter to:

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