

Announcement

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON 'CONFORMATIONAL STUDIES OF OLIGOSACCHARIDES, POLYSACCHARIDES AND GLYCOCONJUGATES'

29 June-2 July, 1992, Le Croisic, France.

The workshop is sponsored by the Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique. It will be held in Le Croisic from 29 June to 2 July, 1992. The aim of the workshop is to provide a forum for the elucidation and characterization of conformations of oligosaccharides, polysaccharides and glycoconjugates in solid-state and in solution. The official language will be English.

Location and accommodation

Le Croisic is in Brittany, in the vicinity of Nantes. It can easily be reached by train from Paris by TGV. With a top speed of 300 km/hr, the TGV Atlantique will take you to Le Croisic in three hours.

The workshop centre at Port-aux-Rocs, in Le Croisic, is very well suited to accomodate approximately 100 delegates based on double occupancy of bedrooms. Because of the limited capacity, the Secretariat will deal with room reservations on a first come-first served basis. A limited amount of accomodation can be arranged in hotels in the vicinity. Camping sites in the vicinity of Port-aux-Rocs are also available.

Programme

The programme will consist of invited lectures and oral presentations. Posters are also welcome and adequate time will be scheduled for viewing and discussion of posters. It is anticipated that the programme will cover conformational studies of oligosaccharides, polysaccharides and glycoconjugates. Protein/oligosaccharide interactions will be covered as well as the latest methodological developments in the field of spectroscopy and molecular modelling.

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