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### Gabor Szasz-Prize for clinical enzymology 1983

The Deutsche Gesellschaft für Klinische Chemie awards the second Gabor Szasz-prize in 1983.

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Secretary: Prof. Dr G. Gundlach, Biochemisches Institut der Justus Liebig-Universität, Friedrichstrasse 24, D-63 Giessen, Federal Republic of Germany.

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- haploid cell fusion (fertilization);
- protoplast (plant and bacterial) fusion;
- hybridomas;
- cell fusion other than hybridomas;
- plant cell fusion;
- monoclonal antibodies.

For information please contact: Dr Edward G. Bassett, Miles Laboratories, Inc., P.O. Box 40, Elkhart, Indiana 46515, USA.

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Bucharest, 6-11 September 1982

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For further information please contact: Prof. V. Vasilescu, President of the Romanian Biophysical Society, c/o Union of Medical Societies, str. Progresului no. 10, R-70754 Bucharest, Romania.

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