

## Calendar

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*9-13 June, 1998*

**5th International workshop on biodegradable plastics and polymers**, Royal Institute of Technology Stockholm Sweden.

Contact: Professor Ann-Christine Albertsson, Department of Polymer Technology, Royal Institute of Technology Stockholm, Sweden KTH S-100 44.

*14-18 June, 1998*

**Proteases and protease inhibitors in cancer**, Nyborg Strand Conference Center, Fyn, Denmark.

Contact: American Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483, USA.  
Tel: +1 215 440 9300  
Fax: +1 215 440 9313  
e-mail: webmaster@aacr.org  
<http://www.aacr.org/confnc.htm>

*14-18 June, 1998*

**26th National Medicinal Chemistry Symposium**, Omni Hotel, Richmond, Virginia, USA.

Contact: Donald J Abraham, Department of Medicinal Chemistry, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA 23298-0540, USA.  
Tel: +1 215 440 9300  
Fax: +1 215 440 9313  
<http://www.phc.vcu.edu/26thNMCS/>

*14-19 June, 1998*

**Gordon research conference on bioorganic chemistry**, Proctor Academy, Andover, New Hampshire, USA.

Gordon Research Conferences, University of Rhode Island, PO Box 984, West Kingston, Rhode Island 02892-0984, USA.  
Tel: +1 401 783 4011  
Fax: +1 401 783 7644  
e-mail: grc@grcmail.grc.uri.edu  
<http://www.grc.uri.edu/98sched.htm>

*15-16 June, 1998*

**IBC's Fourth international symposium on natural products – drug discovery and development**, Annapolis, MD, USA.

Contact: IBC USA Conferences, Inc., 225 Turnpike Road, Southborough, MA 01772-1749, USA.  
Tel: +1 508 481-6400  
Fax: +1 508 481-7911  
e-mail: inq@ibcusa.com  
<http://www.ibcusa.com/conf/natural/index.html>

*22-25 June 1998*

**Strategic use of combinatorial chemistry. Techniques for identification of lead compounds**

Frankfurt, Germany.  
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*28 June-3 July, 1998*

**1998 Reaction mechanisms conference**, Asilomar Conference Center, Carmel, CA.

Contact: Angel Kim, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry UCLA, 405 Hilgard Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1569 USA.  
Tel: +1 310 206 1036  
Fax: +1 310 206 3722  
<http://www.chem.ucla.edu/conf/reaction.html>

*1-4 July, 1998*

**2nd European symposium on antimicrobial agents**, Hradec Kralove, Czech Republic.

Contact: Antimicrobial Symposium Secretariat, Department of Inorganic and Organic Chemistry, Faculty of Pharmacy, Charles University, Heyrovskeho 1203, Hradec Kralove, 500 05 Czech Republic.  
Tel: +420 49 5210002  
Fax: +420 49 5067343  
e-mail: palat@faf.cuni.cz  
<http://www.faf.cuni.cz/antimict/>

*4-9 July, 1998*

**EUCHEM Conference on organic free radicals**, Grottaferrata, Rome, Italy.

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*5-10 July, 1998*

**Gordon research conference on biocatalysis**, Kimball Union Academy, Meriden NH, USA.

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*5-10 July, 1998*

**1998 Gordon research conference on natural products chemistry**, New England College, Henniker, New Hampshire, USA.

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5–10 July, 1998

**Gordon research conference on proteolytic enzymes and their inhibitors**, Colby-Sayer College, New London NH, USA.

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8–10 July, 1998

**RSC International interdisciplinary conference – polyketides II: chemistry, biochemistry and molecular genetics**, Bristol, UK.

Contact: Professor TJ Simpson, School of Chemistry, University of Bristol, Cantock's Close, Bristol, BS8 1TS

Tel: +44 (0)117 9287656

Fax: +44 (0)117 9298611

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12–17 July, 1998

**Chemistry and biology of tetryapyrroles – Gordon research conference**, Newport, RI, USA.

Contact: Gordon Research Conferences, University of Rhode Island, P.O. Box 984, West Kingston, Rhode Island 02892-0984, USA.

Tel: +1 401 783-4011

Fax: +1 401 783-7644

e-mail: grc@grcmail.grc.uri.edu

<http://www.grc.uri.edu/progra-2/tetra.htm>

12–17 July, 1998

**IUPAC World polymer congress: 37th international symposium on macromolecules**, Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia.

Macro 98 Secretariat, Chemistry Department, The University of Queensland, Brisbane, Queensland 4072, Australia.

Fax: +61 7 3365 3628

Tel: +61 7 3365 3955

e-mail: Macro98@chemistry.uq.edu.au

19–22 July 1998

**4th Australian molecular modelling conference and workshop**, Sydney, Australia.

Contact: Dr Peter Karuso, School of Chemistry, Macquarie University, Sydney, NSW 2109, Australia.

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<http://www.chem.mq.edu.au/mm98>

20–25 July, 1998

**Fourth European biological inorganic chemistry conference**, Seville, Spain.

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25–29 July, 1998

**Twelfth symposium of the protein society**, San Diego, CA, USA.

Contact: Protein Symposium Office, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814-3998, USA.

Tel: +1 301-530-7010

Fax: +1 301-530-7014

e-mail: prot98mtg@faseb.org

<http://www.faseb.org/meetings/protein98/index.html>

9–14 August, 1998

**XIX International carbohydrate symposium**, San Diego, USA.

Contact: ICS 98 Symposium Secretariat, Department of Chemistry, 516 Physical Sciences 1, University of California, Irvine, CA 92697-2025, USA

Tel: +1 714 824 8976

Fax: +1 714 824 1372

e-mail: ics98@uci.edu

<http://www.ics98.uci.edu>

23–27 August, 1998

**216th American chemists society national meeting**, Boston, MA, USA.

Contact: American Chemical Society Meetings Department, 1155 Sixteenth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036, USA.

Tel: +1 202 872 4396

Fax: +1 202 872 6128

e-mail: natlmtgs@acs.org

5–9 September, 1998

**2nd cell biology symposium of the MDC on protein transport and stability**, Berlin, Germany.

Contact: Michaela Henselmann, Max Delbrück Center for Molecular Medicine (MDC), D-13122

Berlin-Buch Germany.

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6–10 September, 1998

**Thirteenth international round table: nucleosides, nucleotides and their biological applications**, Montpellier, France.

Contact: Drs Gilles Gosselin and Bernard Rayner, Université MontpellierII, Case courrier 008, Sciences et Techniques du Languedoc, Place Eugene Bataillon, 34095 Montpellier Cedex 5, France.

Tel: +33 04 67 14 38 55

Fax: +33 04 67 04 20 29

e-mail: irt@univ-montp2.fr

26 September–1 October, 1998

**European Research Conferences – Membrane dynamics in exocytosis: molecular mechanisms**, Giens, France.

Contact: J Hendovic, European Science Foundation, 1 quai Lezay-Marnésia, 67080 Strasbourg Cedex, France..

Fax: +33 388 3669 87

e-mail: euresco@esf.org

<http://www.esf.org/euresco>

26–27 October, 1998

**1998 Welch conference on chemical research: the new biochemistry: macromolecular machines**, Wyndam

Greenspoint Hotel, Houston, Texas

<http://www.welch1.org/confprog.htm>