

Announcements

XIIth INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ORGANOMETALLIC CHEMISTRY

Vienna, September 8–13, 1985

The XIIth International Conference on Organometallic Chemistry will be held from Monday, September 2nd to Friday, September 6th, 1985 at the Congress Center Hofburg in Vienna, Austria.

The historical castle Hofburg is located right in the center of Vienna in walking distance of most of the city's beautiful and historical sites. The Congress Center unites technical perfection with the atmosphere of an Imperial Palace.

Topics of the conference will include the whole field of organometallic chemistry. Contributions will be presented in plenary and section lectures as well as in short communications (both oral and posters) in parallel sessions.

A technical exhibition is planned at the Congress Center. Participation is open to all companies, the products of which are connected with the general topic of the conference.

For further information please write to:

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1985 BIENNIAL INORGANIC CHEMISTRY SYMPOSIUM: "THE CHEMISTRY OF EXCITED STATES AND REACTIVE INTERMEDIATES"

York University, Toronto, Canada, Wednesday June 5th–Saturday June 8th, 1985

(Co-sponsored by the Divisions of Inorganic Chemistry of the American Chemical Society, and the Chemical Institute of Canada.)

This is the next Symposium in the BICS series which have been successfully held in previous years in Bloomington, Guelph, etc. The emphasis is on

informality with a group of keynote speakers, poster sessions and much time for formal and informal discussion.

Scope. Excited State (inorganic) chemistry includes studies of the reactions of molecules in their excited states—photochemistry, solar energy conversion, detection of excited states, cryogenic and ambient temperature matrix photochemistry, excited state geometry, etc. Reactive Intermediates, synthesis, catalysis, kinetics and mechanisms, molecular rearrangements, etc.

The Symposium immediately follows the National Meeting of the Chemical Institute of Canada being held in Kingston, Ontario, and participants are encouraged to attend both meetings.

The first circular will be available in due course and will be distributed to members of both the ACS and CIC Inorganic Divisions. The Symposium will be co-chaired by Professor A.B.P. Lever (York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M3J 1P3) and Professor P.C. Ford (University of California at Santa Barbara, CA 93106, U.S.A.) from whom further information can be obtained.