FEBS ADVANCED COURSE No. 43

THE BASIC ROLE OF ORGANELLES IN THE CHEMICAL MODIFICATION OF THE PRIMARY TRANSLATION PRODUCTS OF SECRETORY PROTEINS

London, England, 20 - 23 September 1976

The Course, organized by Professor P.N. Campbell and Dr G. Blobel, will consist of lectures and discussions. The following subjects will be considered:

The Basic Secretory Pathway

Early events. G. Blobel (Rockefeller University, New York)

Events in membrane systems and exocytosis.

J.D. Jamieson (Yale University, New Haven)

Glycosylation of immunoglobulins. F. Melchers (Basel Institute for Immunology, Basel)

Endocrine Systems

Pituitary — the synthesis of polypeptide hormones. Endocrine pancreas — the synthesis of insulin and

glucagon. D.F. Steiner (Chicago University)

Thyroid — the synthesis and degradation of thyroglobulin.

Parathyroid hormone — biosynthesis of parathyroid hormone as analyzed in heterologous cell-free systems and in the intact parathyroid cell.

J.F. Habener (Harvard University, Boston)

Chemical characterization of pre-proparathyroid hormone. J.T. Potts Jr. (Harvard University, Boston)

Exocrine Systems

Exocrine pancreas — the synthesis of zymogens.

G. Blobel (Rockefeller University, New York)

Mammary gland. P.N. Campbell (Courtauld Institute, London)

The synthesis of mellitin in the bee. G. Kreil (Institute for Molecular Biology, Vienna)

Fibroblasts

The synthesis of collagen. M. Grant (Manchester University)

The Hepatocyte

The synthesis of vitellogenin. M. Gruber (Groningen University, The Netherlands)

The synthesis of serum albumin. J.D. Judah
(University College Hospital Medical School,
London)

The Course will be held at the Middlesex Hospital Medical School, Cleveland Street, London, WIP 5PR, England.

Accommodation will be provided at the adjoining Astor College in Charlotte Street. A fee of £25 will be required to cover the cost of accommodation and main meals.

Applications together with a brief curriculum vitae from those who would like to participate either as speakers or students should be sent to:

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as soon as possible.