## **Announcements**

## EUCHEM CONFERENCE ON "INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS OF IMMOBILIZED BIOCATALYSTS AND HETEROGENIZED METALLIC COMPLEXES"

Jaca, Spain, September 7–12, 1986: Lectures and discussions will be devoted to analogies and differences between the two facets of heterogeneization and to detect research areas of major common interest. Emphasis will be placed on the present and future state of industrial applications of these catalysts. Information can be obtained from: Prof. J. Blanco, Instituto de Catálisis y Petroleoquímica del C.S.I.C., c/Serrano 119, 28006 Madrid, Spain.

## MODERN ASPECTS OF DYE-PROTEIN INTERACTIONS

August 19–22, 1986, Institute of Biochemistry, Karl-Marx-University, Leipzig, East Germany. A FEBS advanced course covering the following topics;

- (1) The chemical basis of dye-protein interaction.
- (2) Methodological aspects.
- (3) Application in the purification of biopolymers.

In addition, laboratory experiments in small scale are planned. For more information, contact: Prof. G. Kopperschlager, Institute of Biochemistry, Karl-Marx-University of Leipzig, Liebigstrasse 16, GDR-7010 Leipzig, East Germany.