

## News Items

DECHEMA Deutsche Gesellschaft für Chemisches Apparatewesen, Chemische Technik und Biotechnologie e.V. is for the third time announcing the foundation of the

### Hellmuth Fischer Medal

This medal is preferentially dedicated to younger scientists for contributions having led to an enlargement of the fundamentals of electrochemistry, corrosion, corrosion protection or to their industrial applications.

Nominations of candidates should be accompanied by a curriculum vitae, reprints of important publications, a list of publications and a short (about 1 page) statement of arguments. Self-nominations will not be accepted.

Nominations should be sent by 31 December 1993 to:

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DECHEMA e.V.  
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Theodor-Heuss-Allee 25  
D-60061 Frankfurt am Main  
Germany

The final decision will be taken by an expert committee consisting of six distinguished scientists. The medal will be awarded on the occasion of the 6th International Fischer Symposium on Nanotechniques in Electrochemistry, 13–16 June 1994, University of Karlsruhe.

### CALL FOR PAPERS

Third European Symposium on Electrochemical Engineering

**Electrochemical Engineering and Energy**

**23–25 March 1994**

#### Introduction

This meeting is organised at the École Nationale Supérieure des Industries Chimiques, Nancy, France, in conjunction with the:

Groupe Français de Génie des Procédés  
International Society of Electrochemistry  
The Electrochemical Technology Group of the Society of Chemical Industry  
Dechema, and  
E.F.Ch.E. Working Party on Electrochemical Engineering.

This meeting continues the successful precedent set by earlier electrochemical engineering symposia held in Loughborough in 1989 and 1992 and in Frankfurt in 1990.

#### Aims

The meeting will be devoted to the role of electro-

chemical engineering in the general issue of energy. Its aim is to present the most significant results obtained recently in this area, and to stimulate fruitful discussions on the future role of electrochemical engineering.

The programme will include plenary lectures and oral communications. Papers of a genuinely electrochemical type will be presented on the following topics:

- i) energy conversion
- ii) technological improvements of electrochemical processes
- iii) improved modelling and design.

#### Language

The working language will be English.

#### Proceedings

The papers will be published in a bound volume by the Groupe Français de Génie des Procédés in the series 'Récents Progrès en Génie des Procédés'. After selection on the basis of a one-page abstract, the full manuscript will be reviewed before final acceptance. Delegate fees include a copy of the pre-print volume which will be issued at the symposium.

#### Submission of papers

Participants wishing to submit a paper are requested to send an abstract of one page not later than 30th June 1993 to:

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F-54001 Nancy  
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#### Organizing Secretary

Accommodation in hotels can be booked by the organizing secretary:

Centre de Perfectionnement des Industries Chimiques, ENSIC  
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F-54001 Nancy  
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#### Registration

The registration fees include the book of proceedings, lunches and coffee breaks:

Delegates 1600 FF  
Students 1100 FF

An evening banquet and a cultural visit to the Abbaye

des Prémontrés, at Pont-à-Mousson, will be organised on March 24th. It was there that the first university of Lorraine was established before the thirty year war. Evening banquet 500 FF

**Location**

The meeting will be held at the École Nationale Supérieure des Industries Chimique, Nancy. This institute is located ten minutes walk from the city centre and the

railway station. Nancy has a large university covering many disciplines and has a well-recognized position in engineering sciences in France and in Europe. The city is located in the eastern part of France and has convenient connections from Paris, Germany and Benelux. Metz-Nancy airport is 40 km away and provides contact with other European airports. In addition, Luxemburg international airport is one hour's drive from Nancy.