News Items

DECHEMA Deutsche Gesellschaft für Chemisches Apparetewesen, 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

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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 Chimique, Nancy, France, in conjunction with the:

Groupe Français de Génie des Procédés International Society of Electrochemistry Society of Chemical Industry Dechema, and

The Electrochemical Technology Group of the 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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Organising Secretary

Accommodation in hotels can be booked by the organising secretary:

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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 NEWS 861

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.

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27 February-3 March 1994

San Francisco, California, USA

TMS Annual Meeting - Reactive Metals

Papers are solicited on all aspects of the extraction, separation, purification, preparation, production and application of metals, including alkali and alkali

earth metals, Group IVA, VA and VIA refractory metals (Ti, Zr, Hf, V, Nb, Ta, Cr, Mo, W), rare earths and Ga, Ge, As, Se, In, Sb, Te, Tl and Bi.

These papers will be presented in two sessions during the TMS Annual Meeting and will be published in 'Light Metals 1994', which will be available at the meeting. Abstracts are due 1 July 1993 and manuscripts by 1 Septempher 1993. Submit abstracts to:

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