## Meetings\_

# ISF/AOCS World Congress

### ISF/AOCS to hear more than 500 papers

Speakers from three dozen nations will present approximately 550 technical papers on all aspects of fats and oils research during the ISF/AOCS World Congress to be held April 27-May 1, 1980, at the New York Hilton.

Between 1,000 and 1,500 persons are expected to attend, making it one of the largest meetings in recent years devoted to fats and oils. Topics will range from new processing methods through analytical techniques to soaps and detergents. Several sessions will be devoted to the role of fats and oils in the diet. The technical program is published in this section of JAOCS. Approximately half the papers will be presented by speakers from outside the United States.

Meeting registration forms are included in this issue. The housing card is for use by persons outside Europe who plan to attend. Europeans planning to attend, or persons who will be traveling from Europe to the meeting, are advised to use special travel plans arranged by Convention Travel International B.V. These packages include round trip airfare, ground transfers, and housing at a less expensive cost than is available to individual travelers. For details, write to Convention Travel International B.V., Churchillplein 10, PO Box 82170, 2508 ED, The Hague, The Netherlands.

Registration for the meeting will open at noon Sunday, April 27, 1980, in the New York Hilton. The International Society for Fat Research (ISF) and the American Oil Chemists' Society (AOCS) will each hold business meetings that afternoon, preceding the gala opening mixer on Sunday evening. Other all-Congress social events will include a breakfast on Monday morning, a breakfast on Wednesday morning, and a banquet on Wednesday evening. An attractive program for spouses has been planned to include a tour of the city, visits to New York's famous museums, special programs at the headquarters hotel and lots of free time for shopping, theater-going or other activity. Meeting organizers hope to arrange an optional theater party for Monday evening and an optional sightseeing cruise for Tuesday night.

The recipient of the AOCS Award in Lipid Chemistry will speak at a plenary session on Monday morning; the recipient of the ISF Kaufmann Award will speak to a plenary session Tuesday morning. Other AOCS award recipients will be cited during the Wednesday breakfast, including the Smalley Award winners, Honored Students, Bond Award recipient and Award of Merit recipient. New

officers for AOCS also will be installed Wednesday morning.

Three special tours have been scheduled for Friday, May 2. The first will be a cultural tour to New York's Hudson Valley communities such as Sleepy Hollow. These areas have been preserved and restored to reflect life as it was in the 18th century. Two half-day industrial tours to Hoffmann-LaRoche and to Nabisco also have been arranged. Full details will be available in the registration area at the meeting.

The exposition accompanying the Congress will be the largest such exhibit ever at a domestic AOCS meeting. Approximately 50 persons will participate.

The New York Hilton at Rockefeller Center, site of the meeting, is virtually a city in itself, with fine restaurants, cocktail lounges and shops. The hotel is located in midtown Manhattan, close to Fifth Avenue's famous shops, several renowned museums and the Broadway theater district.

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### Attention: Housing, Travel for Europeans

Special travel packages to the ISF/AOCS World Congress are available at a cost cheaper than would be available to individual travelers. Packages include round trip airfare, ground transfers, baggage handling and housing. Details are available from AOCS, ISF or Convention Travel International B.V., Churchillplein 10, PO Box 82170, 2508 ED The Hague, The Netherlands. Contact the travel agency also for housing at the New York Hilton; do not use the housing reservation card in this JAOCS.

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Registration forms for the ISF/AOCS World Congress can be found following page 200A of this issue.

#### Honored Students selected

Six graduate students in the United States and one in Sweden have been selected as the ISF/AOCS World Congress Honored Students.

Each student will present a paper during the Congress and will attend the meeting with financial support from the AOCS. Abstracts for the Honored Students' papers are printed in the technical program elsewhere in this issue of IAOCS.

The students, and the professors who nominated them, are: John M. Black, University of Tennessee, nominated by Sharon Melton; Paul C. Browne, The City College of the City University of New York, nominated by Thomas N. Haines; James T. Carlin, Rutgers State University, nominated by Stephen S. Chang; Janet L. DeHoff, University of Pennsylvania, nominated by David Kritchevsky; Ali H. El-Hamdy, University of Illinois, nominated by E.G. Perkins; Robert J. Gould, University of Iowa, nominated by Arthur A. Spector; and Gunnar N. Hall, Swedish Food Institute, nominated by Caj Eriksson.

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