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# Chicago '83: three meetings in nine days

AOCS will be holding three meetings in nine days this May in the Chicago area.

There will be two simultaneous short courses from May 4-7, 1983, at the Americana resort at Lake Geneva, less than two hours from Chicago. The 74th annual meeting of the AOCS will begin May 8, 1983, at the Chicago Marriott Hotel and run through May 12.

Some details about each of these events follows. The registration form included in this issue of *JAOCS* may be used to register for any or all of these meetings.

### 'Technology and Business'



Arthur W. Woelfle

"Technology and Business—The Growing Partnership" will be the topic for the keynote speech by Arthur W. Woelfle, chairman of Kraft Inc., during the 1983 AOCS annual meeting in Chicago.

Woelfle will speak during the opening plenary breakfast on Monday, May 9, in the Chicago Marriott, where the meeting is being held. In addition to being chairman of Kraft Inc., Woelfle is vice chairman and a director of Dart & Kraft Inc.

To permit more time for technical sessions, the Chicago organizers have decided to hold only one plenary breakfast, on Monday, rather than two, on Monday and Wednesday, as has been the practice at recent AOCS annual meetings. Thus the Monday breakfast will also be the venue for AOCS award presentations, business meeting and officer reports.

Woelfle was secretary-treasurer of Bedford Products of Dunkirk, New York, when Kraft acquired that firm in 1955. In 1966, Woelfle became chief executive officer of Kraft Foods in West Germany, responsible for operations in our European nations; and later became chairman and managing director for Kraft Foods Ltd. in the United Kingdom and Scandanavia. He returned to the United States in 1973 as vice chairman and director of Kraft, then later that year was elected president and chief operating officer. He was named chairman of Kraft on Nov. 1, 1982, and vice chairman of Dart and Kraft Inc. on March 1, 1983.

More than 1,200 persons are expected to participate in the May meeting. The tentative technical program published in the January *JAOCS* listed more than 300 technical presentations. Abstracts will be published in the April *JAOCS*, which will also be distributed to all technical program registrants in Chicago.

More than four dozen organizations will participate in the accompanying exposition which will occupy 70 exhibit booth spaces, the largest exhibit area for any AOCS national meeting.

The AOCS Placement Service also will be open, seeking to bring together employers with jobs available and those who are seeking new positions.

Social events will include a mixer on Sunday evening, the plenary breakfast on Monday, and a 1920s party on Wednesday evening. The party replaces the more usual banquet and will permit more mingling during the evening. Food and entertainment will be included in the evening.

An optional social event, a reception at Chicago's famed Art Institute, will be held Monday evening.

Technical and administrative AOCS committees will be meeting throughout the week. A tentative schedule will be published in the April JAOCS.

### 11 speakers listed

Eleven speakers have been named to the faculty for the AOCS Short Course "Edible Oil: From Seed to Supermarket" to be held May 5-7, 1983, at the Americana resort at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. The course is the latest in such short courses on processing and quality control of edible oils.

Short course chairman is Frank Norris, a former AOCS president and now a consultant since his retirement from the Kraft Inc. research and development facility in Glenview, Illinois.

Topics and speakers for the Thursday, May 5, session will be: Solvent Extraction, Larry Johnson, Texas A&M University; Refining and Degumming, Guilliaum Bastiaens, Cargill Inc.; Bleaching, Werner Zschau, Sud Chemie A.G.; Hydrogenation and Winterization, John Ray, Best Foods

Inc.; and Deodorizer Distillate, Soapstock and Spent Bleaching Clay, Jack Suriano, EMI Corporation.

Topics and speakers on Friday, May 6: Lecithin, Frank Orthoefer, A.E. Staley Manufacturing Co.; Deodorization and Physical Refining, Calvin T. Zehnder, Chemetron Process Equipment Inc.; Shortening, J. Roy Wynne, Humko Products; and Margarine, Michael M. Chrysam, Standard Brands Inc.

Topics and speakers for the half-day session on Saturday, May 7, will be: Bulk Oil Handling, David R. Erickson, American Soybean Association; and Packaging, Daniel A. Leo, Anderson Clayton Foods.

Registration fee is \$200 through April 8, \$220 after that date. The registration form in this issue of JAOCS may be used; additional forms are available from AOCS Headquarters, 508 S. Sixth St., Champaign, IL 61820, USA. The same form may be used to register for the 74th Annual Meeting of the AOCS, which will be held May 8-12, 1983, at the Chicago Marriott Hotel.

Golfers and tennis players participating in the short course may also wish to take part in AOCS golf and tennis tournaments to be held the afternoon of Saturday, May 7, 1983, following the conclusion of the short course. The same registration form may be used.

# Meet us at the Speakeasy

(Bring your violin)



A.O.C.S. 1920s Chicago-Style Party

Wednesday, May 11th

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### Cancer: A Molecular Event

Simultaneously with the processing and quality control short course, AOCS will sponsor a short course entitled "Cancer: A Molecular Event-Lipid Oxidation, Autoxidants, Selenium and the Etiology of Cancer."

The course will be divided into three sections: Normal Intakes; Lipid Oxidation; and Lipids, Antioxidants and Selenium, followed by a summary. Short course chairman is John Milner of the Department of Food Science at the University of Illinois.

Speakers and topics, by session, will be:

Normal Intakes: Sources and Consumption of Fats and Oils, R.L. Rizek, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Sources and Consumption of Antioxidants in the Diet, J. Bieri, National Institutes of Health; and Sources and Consumption of Selenium in the Diet, O. Levander, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Lipid Oxidation: Lipid Oxidation—Mechanism and Product, E.N. Frankel, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Intracellular Mechanisms for Peroxide Decomposition in Biological Systems, P.J. O'Brian, Memorial University, Newfoundland; Superoxide Radical and Superoxide Dismutase in Tissues, I. Fridovich, Duke University; Malonaldehyde in Biological Systems—Formation and Biological Effects, H.H. Draper, University of Guelph; and Biological Consequences of Autoxidation, L. Packer, Lawrence Livermore Laboratory, Berkeley, California.

Lipids, Antioxidants and Selenium: Role of Lipids in Tumorigenesis, K.K. Carroll, University of Western Ontario/ University of British Columbia; Effects of Unsaturated Fatty Acids on the Development and Proliferation Normal and Neoplastic Breast Epithelium, W.R. Kidwell, National Institutes of Health; Inhibition of Chemical Carcinogens by Minor Dietary Components, L. Wattenberg, University of Minnesota; Biological Effects of Antioxidants on Cancer, R. Schamberger, Cleveland Clinic Foundation; Selenium and Cancer—Epidemiological Studies, G. Schrauzer; Biological Activity of Selenium, J.A. Milner, University of Illinois; and Anticarcinogenic Effects of Selenium, C. Ip, Roswell Park Memorial Institute of Buffalo, New York.

David Kritchevsky of The Wistar Institute will present the summary lecture "Where to from Here?"

Registration fee is \$160 before April 8, \$180 thereafter. Housing is \$59 a night, single or double occupancy. The registration form in this issue of *JAOCS* may be used; additional registration forms are available from the AOCS, 508 S. Sixth St., Champaign, IL 61820 USA.

Short course registrants who are golf or tennis players may also use the form to register for the AOCS golf and tennis tournaments that will be held at the Americana Lake Geneva on May 7 after completion of the short courses.

### 1984 soy research conference

World Soybean Conference III will be held Aug. 12-17, 1984, at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa.

The conference covers all aspects of soybean production and use, including development of new varieties, agronomic practices, harvesting and processing. Persons interested in participating should write to Dr. Walter R. Fehr, Department of Agronomy, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50011, USA.

### Rapeseed conference in Paris

The 6th International Rapeseed Conference will be held May 16-19, 1983, at the Palais des Congrès, Paris, France, with side excursions to rapeseed farms, research laboratories and mills slated for May 20-22.

Technical talks, conducted in two simultaneous sessions May 17, 18 and 19, will be translated into French, English and German. Topics will include economy, physiology and ecophysiology, diseases, zoology, genetics and breeding methodology, analysis and composition of seeds and their products, nutritional value of the oil, industrial technology and products, and agronomy. The final session will include a round table discussion on science and consumption.

Preliminary programs are available from 6<sup>e</sup> Congrès International sur le Colza, c/o Congrès-Services, 1, rue Jules-Lefebvre, F 75009 Paris, France.

#### **INTSOY** offers 7-week course

The International Soybean Program (INTSOY) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Illinois, will offer the course, "Soybean Processing for Food Uses," May 16 to July 2, 1983.

The course, offered each year since 1975, is designed to teach the principles of preparing human food from soybeans. A total of 79 people from 36 countries have taken part in past years. Participants will visit soybean processing and food manufacturing companies, including a one-week study tour June 24-July 1 to firms in Illinois, Wisconsin, Missouri and Kansas. They will also attend the annual conference and food exposition of the Institute of Food Technologists in New Orleans June 19-22.

A \$2,000 fee includes training costs, instructional materials, insurance, and transportation during the course. International travel costs to and from Illinois are not included. Housing is available in a dormitory near campus.

For more information, contact INTSOY, University of Illinois, 113 Mumford Hall, 1301 W. Gregory Dr., Urbana, IL 61801 USA. Names and biographical data must be submitted before April 1, 1983.