Meetings



Dallas program announced

More than 300 technical papers have been accepted for the tentative technical program at the 75th anniversary meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society, to be held April 29-May 3, 1984, at the Fairmont Hotel in Dallas, Texas.

The tentative technical program is printed below. The listing does not necessarily indicate the sequence of papers within a session. Speakers will be notified by mail of the specific time and date of their presentations by Technical Chairman Tony Chen. Abstracts of papers will be published in the April 1984 JAOCS, which will be distributed to all technical registrants at the meeting.

Among the special sessions planned is a symposium on food safety regulations on Monday, April 30. The session will include a talk by Bureau of Foods Director Sanford A. Miller on "Historical Overview of Food Safety Enforcement."

A session on Fatty Acid Synthase on Monday afternoon, April 30, is being held in recognition of Paul K. Stumpf, professor of biochemistry at the University of California-Davis. Stumpf will present a paper during the symposium on biosynthesis of fatty acids in higher plants.

The topic of automation and computerization will be addressed Wednesday, May 2, with a morning session on automation and process control, and an afternoon session on computer technology in the laboratory.

On Thursday a special symposium will be held on oilseed products for livestock feed, arranged by Keith Smith of the American Soybean Association and Lynn Jones of the National Cottonseed Products Association.

Placement Center

The 12th AOCS Placement Center will be conducted during the annual meeting to be held April 29-May 3, 1984, in the Fairmont Hotel, Dallas, Texas.

The center is designed to bring together employers and job applicants in the fields of fats, oils, lipids and other areas served by AOCS. The center will be open more days than at past AOCS meetings, but fewer hours each days. Rather than be open only at the same time as technical sessions are held, the center will be open from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the meeting, and briefly on Thursday morning before technical sessions begin. The center will be open Sunday afternoon for registrations. Specific hours are included in the detailed instructions available from AOCS.

Applicants should submit resumes on the form printed in this issue of JAOCS. Applicants who will attend the meeting may request that their names and addresses be kept confidential through use of code numbers. Resumes of applicants who are unable to attend the meeting cannot be kept confidential.

Employers also are asked to use the forms printed in this issue of JAOCS. All forms will be posted in the placement center. If an employer wishes his identity to be kept confidential, a code number will be assigned. Employers who are unable to attend but who are seeking new employees are encouraged to send job listings.

Forms from applicants and employers should be mailed to arrive at AOCS offices in Champaign before April 6, 1984. There is no charge to applicants who are AOCS members or to student nonmembers who register and submit applications before April 6; there is a \$10 fee for nonmembers who register by April 6. The fee for nonmembers registering after that date (or at the meeting) will be \$25. There is no fee to employers listing available jobs. No one will be admitted to the placement center without a meeting registration badge.

Job applicants and employers' interviewers should check in at the placement center for final instructions after registering at the meeting in Dallas.