## Calendar

#### **AOCS NATIONAL MEETINGS**

- Annual Meeting, May 17-21, 1987, Fairmont Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Annual Meeting, May 8-12, 1988, Hilton and Hyatt Hotels, Phoenix, Arizona.
- Annual Meeting, May 3-7, 1989, Convention Center, Cincinnati, Ohio

#### **AOCS WORLD CONFERENCES**

World Conference on Biotechnology for the Fats and Oils Industry, Sept. 27-Oct. 2, 1987, Hamburg, West Germany.

International Conference on Jojoba, Jan. 17-22, 1988, Phoenix, Arizona.

## **AOCS SHORT COURSES**

Short Course on Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids and Eicosanoids, May 13-16, 1987, Biloxi, Mississippi.

Short Course on Lipid Oxidation, May 13-16, 1987, Biloxi, Missis-

Short Course on Vegetable Food Proteins: Preparation, Modification and Utilization, May 14-15, 1987, Food Protein R & D Center, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas.

Short Course on Oilseeds and Oil Processing, July 12-17, 1987, POS Pilot Plant facility in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada.

Short Course on Fatty Acids, Sept. 13-16, 1987, Kings Island Resort, Ohio.

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### **December**

National Sunflower Association's fifth annual convention, Dec. 10-11, 1986, Sheraton Inn, Aberdeen, South Dakota. Contact: National Sunflower Association, 4023 N. State St., Bismarck, ND 58501, telephone 701-224-3019.

Symposium, "The New Polyunsat-

urates," Dec. 11, 1986, London, England. Contact: Society of Chemical Industry, 14/15 Belgrave Square, London SW1X 8PS, United Kingdom.

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## January

RDAs—Are Changes Necessary?, Jan. 21, 1987, Society of Chemical Industry, 14/15 Belgrave Square, London, SW1X 8PS, England. Contact: Dr. Ann Walker, Food Science Dept., University of Reading, Reading, England.

## February

Formula: First International Forum on Physicochemistry of Interfaces and Formulation Problems of Chemical Specialties, Feb. 4-6, 1987, Nice, France. Contact: Scientific Committee of Formula, Société Française de Chimie, Département Congrès, 250 rue Saint-Jacques 75005, Paris, France.

Australian Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association 2nd national convention, Feb. 8-10, 1987, Melbourne, Australia. Topic: "The Challenge of Change." Contact: Christine Power, Executive Assistant, ACSMA, GPO Box 1469N, Melbourne, Victoria 3001, Australia.

Codex Committee on Fats and Oils, 13th Session, Feb. 23-27, 1987, London, United Kingdom. Contact: Secretariat, Codex Committee on Fats and Oils, Rm. 548, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Great Westminster House, Horseferry Rd., London SW1P 2AE, United Kingdom.

## March

Regional seminars on statistical process control, March 2-3, 1987, Chicago, IL; March 9-10, Atlanta, Georgia; March 16-17, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and March 30-31, Los Angeles, California. Details: Federation of Societies for Coatings Technology, 1315 Walnut St., Suite 832,

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107 (telephone 215-545-1506).

2nd World Congress of Food Technology, March 3-6, 1987, Palacio de Congresos de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain. Contact: Inter-Congres, Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes, 646, 4th piso, 4a, 08007 Barcelona, Spain.

Industrial Hygiene Chemistry conference, Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health, University of Utah, March 9-13, 1987, Utah Biomedical Test Laboratory, Salt Lake City, Utah. Contact: RMCOEH/C.E., Ms. C. Crandall, University of Utah, Bldg. 512, Salt Lake City, UT 84112, telephone 801-581-5710.

Symposium on Natural Base Cleaning and Personal Care Products, March 18-21, 1987, Guangzhou, China. Contact: National Renderers Association Inc., China Office, 27E Kam Kin Mansion, 123 Caine Rd., Hong Kong.

## May

20th annual Scanning Electron Microscopy/1987, May 3-8, 1987, Hamilton, Ontario, California, sponsored by Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM). Contact: SEM Inc., AMF O'Hare, Chicago, IL 60666-0507.

7th International Rapeseed Congress, May 11-14, 1987, Posnan, Poland. Contact: Prof. J. Krzymanski, IHAR, Sieroca 1a, 61-771, Poznan, Poland.

National Cottonseed Products Association 91st annual convention, May 17-19, 1987, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Savannah, GA. Contact: NCPA, PO Box 12023, Memphis, TN 38112.

## June

Euro Food Chem IV, June 1-4, 1987, Loen, Norway. Theme: Rapid analysis in food processing and food control. Contact: Euro Food Chem IV, Conference Secretariat, Norwegian Food Research Institute, PO Box 50, N-1432 Å-NLH, Norway.

National Soybean Processors Association (NSPA) annual meeting, June 14–16, 1986, Williamsburg

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Inn, Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia. Contact: NSPA Headquarters, 1255 Twenty-third St. NW, Washington, DC 20037.

IFT 87 annual meeting and food exposition, June 16-19, 1987, Las Vegas Convention Center, Las Vegas, Nevada. Contact: Institute of Food Technologists, 221 N. LaSalle, Chicago, IL 60001.

Oil and Colour Chemists' Association Conference 1987. June 17-20, 1987, Eastbourne, England. Theme: "Advances and Application of Science and Technology in Surface Coatings.' Contact: Director and Secretary. Oil and Colour Chemists' Association, Priory House, 967 Harrow Rd., Wembley, Middlesex HA0 2SF, England.

Eleventh International Symposium on Column Liquid Chromatography, June 28-July 4, 1987, International Congrescentrum RAI, Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Contact: HPLC '87, c/o Organisatie Bureau Amsterdam bv, Europaplein, 1078 GZ Amsterdam. The Netherlands.

#### September

4th International Symposium on

Instrumental Planar Chromatography, Sept. 22-25, 1987, specific site in Switzerland or northern Italy to be announced. Contact: Dr. Helmut Traitler, Nestec Ltd. Research Department, CH-1800 Vevey, Switzerland.

ISF-JOCS World Congress 1988, Sept. 26-30, 1988, Tokyo, Japan. Contact: ISF-JOCS World Congress 1988, Secretariat, The Japan Oil Chemists' Society, 7th floor, Yushi Kogyo Kaikan, 13-11 Nihonbashi 3-chome, Chuoku, Tokyo 103, Japan.

7th International Congress of Food Science and Technology, Sept. 28-Oct. 2, 1987, Singapore. Contact: Congress Secretariat, c/o Singapore Professional Centre, Block 23 Outram Park, #03-129, Singapore 0316, telex RS50659.

## November

International Symposium on New Technology of Vegetable Proteins, Oils and Starch Processing, Nov. 16-20, 1987, Beijing, China. Contact: Fu Li Min, Vice-Chairman and Secretary General, Chinese Cereals and Oils Association, Ministry of Commerce Bldg., 45 Fu Xing Men Nei Da Jie, Beijing, People's Republic of China, or Prof. Dr.-Ing. Friedrich Meuser, Institute of Food Technology, Technical University of Berlin, Sekr. GV 1, Seestrasse 11, D-1000 Berlin 65, Federal Republic of Germany.

## 1988

World Surfactants Congress II, May 24-27, 1988, Paris, France. Organized by ASPA, France; sponsored by the European Committee on Organic Surfactants and Their Intermediates, Avenue Louise 250, Bte. 102; B-1050 Brussels, Belgium.

Cosmetic Science '88-Achievements and Aims, 15th international congress of the International Federation of Societies of Cosmetic Chemists, Sept. 26-29, 1988, Grosvenor House, Park Lane, London, England. Contact: Society of Cosmetic Scientists, Delaport House, 57 Guildford St., Luton, Beds LU1 2NL, England.

# Methods for Nutritional Assessment of Fats

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