

# CONFERENCE DIARY

## 1992

### May

4th Belgian Organic Synthesis Symposium, Leuven, Belgium  
**May 25–29**

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### June

3rd International Conference on Organic Synthesis, l'Université  
 du Québec, Montréal **June 28–July 2**

*Contact:* Professor Jean-Claude Richer, Département de  
 Chimie, Université de Montréal, C.P. 6128, Succ. A, Montréal  
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3rd International Conference on Heteroatom Chemistry,  
 Palazzo del Turismo, Riccione, Italy **June 7–12**

*Contact:* Professor Antonino Fava, Department of Organic  
 Chemistry, Viale Risorgimento 4, 40136 - Bologna, Italy.  
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### July

Recent Advances in the Chemistry of Anti-infective Agents,  
 Churchill College, Cambridge, UK **July 5–8**

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34th International Symposium on Macromolecules, Prague,  
 Czechoslovakia **July 13–18**

*Contact:* IUPAC Macro 92 Secretariat, Institute of  
 Macromolecular Chemistry, Czechoslovak Academy of  
 Sciences, Heyrovského nám. 18882/2, 16206 Prague 6,  
 Czechoslovakia

4th International Symposium on Natural Product Chemistry,  
 University of Nottingham, UK **July 14–16**

RSC\*

7th International Symposium on Novel Aromatic Compounds,  
 Victoria BC, Canada **July 19–24**

*Contact:* Dr R. H. Mitchell, Department of Chemistry, University  
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14th International Symposium on Photochemistry, Leuven,  
 Belgium **July 19–25**

*Contact:* Professor F. de Schryver, Department of Chemistry,  
 Katholieke Universiteit, Leuven, Celestijnenlaan 200F, 3001  
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Toronto International Conference on Organic Reactive  
 Intermediates, University of Toronto **July 30–August 1**

*Contact:* Professor T. T. Tidwell, Department of Chemistry,  
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### August

11th IUPAC International Conference on Physical Organic  
 Chemistry, Ithaca, New York, USA **August 2–7**

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17th International Symposium on Macrocyclic Chemistry, Provo, Utah, USA **August 9–14** *Contact:* Professor R. M. Izatt, Chemistry Department, Brigham Young University, 226 Eyring Science Center, Provo, UT 84602, USA

9th International Biotechnology Symposium, Crystal City, Virginia, USA **August 16–21** *Contact:* Dr D.I.C. Wang, Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT, Cambridge, MA 02139, USA

18th International Symposium on Natural Products, Strasbourg, France **August 30–September 4** *Contact:* Professor G. Ourisson, Centre de Neurochimie, 5 rue Blaise Pascal, F-67084 Strasbourg, France

Macromolecules '92, University of Kent, Canterbury, UK **August 30–September 4** RSC\*

## September

International Symposium on Structure and Reactivity in Organic Chemistry, University of Durham, UK **September 2–4** RSC\*

Perkin Division Symposium in Honour of Professor A.R. Battersby, University of Cambridge, UK **September 7–9** RSC\*

International Symposium on Macrocyclic Ligands for the Design of New Materials, Guildford, Surrey, UK **September 13–15** *Contact:* Dr Angela F. Danil de Namor, Chemistry Department, University of Surrey, Guildford GU2 5XH, UK. Fax 44 (0) 483 300 803

XIIth International Symposium on Medicinal Chemistry, Basel, Switzerland **September 13–19** *Contact:* Administrative Secretariat, P.O. Box 141, CH-4007 Basel, Switzerland

International Conference on Organic Substances in Soil and Water, Lancaster, UK **September 14–17** *Contact:* Miss C. Martin, Centre for Research on Environmental Systems, University of Lancaster, Lancaster LA1 4UQ, UK. Fax 44 (0) 524 843 854

RSC Autumn Meeting, Trinity College Dublin **September 16–18** RSC\*

Protein and Receptor Targets in Medicinal Chemistry, University of Bath, UK **September 20–21** RSC\*

Fast Reactions in Solution '92, Erlangen, Germany **September 20–23** RSC\*

3rd International Symposium on the Chemical Synthesis of Antibiotics and Related Microbial Products, Kloster Banz, Germany **September 20–25** *Contact:* Professor K. Krohn, Fachbereich Chemie und Chemietechnik, der Univ.-GH-Paderborn, P.O.Box 16 21, D4790 Paderborn. Fax (49) 5251 60 3245

2nd International Symposium on Synthetic Applications of Transition Metals, University of Bristol, UK **September 21–24** RSC\*

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Transition Metals in Organic Synthesis, University of Bristol, UK      RSC\*  
**September 22–24**

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### April

RSC Annual Congress, University of Southampton, UK      RSC\*  
**April 5–8**

### May

11th Lakeland Symposium, Grasmere, UK      **May 6–10**      RSC\*

### June

2nd International Symposium on Bioorganic Chemistry, Fukuoka, Japan      **June 7–10**      *Contact:* Professor Yukito Murakami, Department of Organic Synthesis, Faculty of Engineering, Kyushu University, Hakozaki, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka 812, Japan

### July

11th International Meeting on NMR Spectroscopy, University of Wales, College of Swansea, UK      **July 4–9**      RSC\*

2nd International Symposium - Molecular Mechanisms in Bioorganic Processes      **July 12–15**      RSC\*

13th International Symposium - Synthesis in Organic Chemistry, University of Oxford, UK      **July 12–15**      RSC\*

### August

23rd International Conference on Solution Chemistry, Leicester, UK      **August 15–21**      *Contact:* Dr M. J. Blandamer, Department of Chemistry, Leicester University, University Road, Leicester, LE1 7RH, UK

7th Medicinal Chemistry Symposium, Churchill College Cambridge, UK      **September 12–15**      RSC\*

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