

CONFERENCE DIARY †

1995

October

RSC Heterocyclic Group Autumn Meeting
Stevenage, UK **October 18**

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Enantioselective C–C Bond Formation in Synthesis
London, UK **October 24**

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Ontario–Quebec Mini-Symposium on Synthetic Bioorganic Chemistry
Montreal, Canada **October 27–29**

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November

Challenges in Anti-infective Therapy
London, UK **November 2**

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Practical Approaches to Protein Structure and Function
London, UK **November 7**

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Ontario–Quebec Mini-Symposium on Physical Organic Chemistry and Biological Mechanisms
Hamilton, Canada **November 10–12**

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Organic Synthesis in Water
London, UK **November 14**

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December

5th IBN SINA International Conference on Pure and Applied Heterocyclic Chemistry
Cairo, Egypt **December 2–12**

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A Radical Approach to Synthesis
London, UK **December 4**

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13th Process Development Symposium
Stevenage, UK **December 13**

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Pacificchem '95 (International Congress of Pacific Basin Chemical Societies)
Honolulu, HI, USA **December 17–22**

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29th Annual Meeting on Modern Aspects of Stereochemistry
Sheffield, UK **December 19**

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Endothelins and Related Peptides
Aberdeen, UK **December 19–21**

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January

Trombay Symposium on Radiation and Photochemistry
Bombay, India **January 8–12**

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February

Synthetic Challenges in Combinatorial Chemistry
London, UK **February 27**

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April

4th International Symposium for Chinese Organic Chemists
Hong Kong **April 5–8**

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6th International Symposium on the Activation of Dioxygen and
Homogeneous Catalytic Oxidation
Noordwijkerhout, The Netherlands **April 14–19**

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RSC Biotechnology Group. Phytochemical Diversity: A Source of
New Industrial Products
Brighton, UK **April 15–17**

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Carbanions in Synthesis
London, UK **April 30**

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May

5th Joint RSC Heterocyclic Group–Societa Chimica Italiana
Meeting on Heterocyclic Chemistry
Northern Italy **Late May**

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June

25th National Medicinal Chemistry Symposium
Ann Arbor, MI, USA **June 18–22**

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Clean Tech '96
Uxbridge, UK **June 19–21**

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79th Canadian Society for Chemistry Conference
St. John's, Canada **June 23–27**

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XXI International Symposium on Macrocyclic Chemistry
Montecatini Terme, Italy **June 23–28**

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11th IUPAC International Conference on Organic Synthesis
Amsterdam, The Netherlands **June 30–July 4**

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RACI 15th National Organic Conference
Yeppoon, Australia **June 30–July 5**

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July

Recent Advances in the Chemistry of Anti-infective Agents
Cambridge, UK **July 7–10**

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XVIIth International Conference, Organometallic Chemistry
Brisbane, Australia **July 7–12**

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Carbon '96
Newcastle upon Tyne, UK **July 7–12**

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6th International Meeting: Reaction Mechanisms
Canterbury, UK **July 8–12**

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Natural Product Chemistry Symposium V
Nottingham, UK **July 15–18**

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International Carbohydrate Symposium
Milan, Italy **July 15–21**

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August

36th International Symposium on Macromolecules
Seoul, Korea **August 4–9**

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*13th IUPAC International Conference on Physical Organic
Chemistry*
Seoul, Republic of Korea **August 25–29**

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September

NSW Southern Highlands Conference on Heterocyclic Chemistry
Bowral, NSW, Australia **September 1–3**

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11th European Symposium on Quantitative Structure–Activity Relationships: Computer-assisted Lead Finding and Optimization
Lausanne, Switzerland **September 1–6**

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RSC 3rd International Symposium: Transition Metals in Organic Synthesis
London, UK **September 4–6**

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XIVth International Symposium on Medicinal Chemistry
Maastricht, The Netherlands **September 8–12**

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4th International Symposium on Heterogeneous Catalysis and Fine Chemicals
Basel, Switzerland **September 8–12**

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RSC 24th Symposium of the European Peptide Society
Edinburgh, UK **September 8–13**

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Advances in the Chemistry of Crop Protection
Cambridge, UK **September 9–11**

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RSC Autumn Meeting
Uxbridge, UK **September 9–12**

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20th IUPAC Symposium on the Chemistry of Natural Products
Chicago, IL, USA **September 15–20**

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October

Joint RSC Fine Chemicals and Medicinals Group–SCI Cardiovascular Meeting
Edinburgh, UK **October 20–22**

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| 212th | Fall 1996 | August 25–30 | Orlando, FL |
| 213th | Spring 1997 | April 13–17 | San Francisco, CA |
| 214th | Fall 1997 | September 7–11 | Las Vegas, NV |
| 215th | Spring 1998 | March 29–April 3 | Dallas, TX |
| 216th | Fall 1998 | August 23–28 | Boston, MA |
| 217th | Spring 1999 | March 21–26 | Anaheim, CA |
| 218th | Fall 1999 | August 22–27 | New Orleans, LA |
| 219th | Spring 2000 | March 26–31 | Las Vegas, NV |
| 220th | Fall 2000 | August 20–25 | Washington, DC |
| 221st | Spring 2001 | April 1–6 | San Francisco, CA |
| 222nd | Fall 2001 | August 19–24 | Chicago, IL |

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- 302 3,4-Methylenedioxy-2-phenylpyrrolo[4,3,2-*ij*]isoquinoline: an Unusual Synthesis of this Heterocyclic System **Jennifer L. Mueller, Ijaz Ahmad and Martin S. Gibson**
(M 1828)
- 303 Cycloaddition of Diazoalkanes to Methyl Acetyloxymino(cyano)acetate: Formation of Imines by [3,3]-Sigmatropic Transposition **Jacques Perrocheau and Robert Carrié**
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- 304 Epoxidation of Chalcone Derivatives using Diethylzinc or Diethylcadmium under an Oxygen Atmosphere **Min Shi, Nobuhiro Itoh and Yukio Masaki**
(M 1818)
- 306 Preparation and Reactions of Some 2-Thienyl- and 3-Thienyl-pyridazinones and -Pyridazines **Paul Powell and Michael H. Sosabowski**
(M 1840)
- 308 Cycloaddition Reaction of 2,2-Dimethyl-3,4-dihydro-2*H*-pyrrole *N*-Oxide with Unsaturated Sugar Lactones and Esters **Subramanian Baskaran and Girish K. Trivedi**
(M 1853)
- 310 Friedel-Crafts *ipso*-Acylation of 2-Substituted 4-*tert*-Butylanisoles and *p-tert*-Butylmethoxymetacyclophanes **Takehiko Yamato, Kenji Maeda, Hideo Kamimura, Koza Noda and Masashi Tashiro**
(M 1865)
- 312 Facile *S*-Monodemethylation of 3,4,5-Tris(methylsulfanyl)-1,2-dithiolium Iodide: Crystal and Molecular Structure of the Obtained 4,5-Bis(methylsulfanyl)-1,2-dithiole-3-thione **Jai D. Singh, Harkesh B. Singh, Kalyan Das and Umesh C. Sinha**
(M 1913)
- 314 Pyrrolo[2,3-*d'*]pyrimidines. Part 1. Synthesis of Novel Pyrrolo[2,3-*d'*]pyrimidine Derivatives with Antimicrobial Activity **Khairy A. M. El-Bayouki, Wahid M. Basyouni, Hanaa Hosni and A. Shehab El-Deen**
(M 1901)
- 316 Substituted 2-Fluoroacetic Acids as Chiral Derivatizing Agents **Michel Barrelle and Sylvain Hamman**
(M 1933)
- 318 Response of Semi-empirical SCF MO Methods to Steric and Resonance Effects in a Crowded Benzene-Dewar Benzene System **Issa Yavari and Davood Nori-Shargh**
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- 320 Stability of Iron(III) and Nickel(II) Complexes with (*o*-Hydroxyphenyl)methylphosphonic Acids **Jamal Ameziane, Michel Aplincourt and Jean-Claude Pierrard**
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- 322 Reactions with Pyrano[2,3-*c*]pyrazole Derivatives: Synthesis of Polyfunctionally Substituted Pyrazolopyranopyrimidine and Pyrazolopyranotriazolopyrimidine Derivatives **Y. A. Mohamed, M. A. Zahran, M. M. Ali, A. M. El-Agrody and U. H. El-Said**
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- 324 Studies on Activated Nitriles: Synthesis of New 3-Cyano-2-(3-Tolylamino)pyrazolo[1,5-*a*]pyrimidines **Y. A. Ammar, A. M. Sh. El-Sharief, M. A. Zahran, M. Z. El-Said and U. H. El-Said**
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- 326 Fast Atom Bombardment Mass Spectral Observations on β -Pyrrole-substituted Tetraphenylporphyrins **Tristano Boschi, Giuseppe D'Arcangelo and Pietro Tagliatesta**
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