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1993 Symposium PROGRESS IN ELECTROCATALYSIS — Theory and Practice

The years after the 1983 meeting on electrocatalysis held in Neunkirchen (Germany) as a satellite of the 34th ISE Meeting (Erlangen), a second conference on this outstanding electrochemical issue is planned to take place as a satellite of the 44th ISE Meeting (Berlin).

The meeting is devised to survey the advances made during the previous ten years in fundamental research and practical applications of electrocatalysis for electrolysers and fuel cells. It is intended to bring important groups working in the field together with the aim of achieving a lively exchange of experience and ideas, so as to promote further advances in research and development, as well as in the practice of electrocatalysis in technical processes.

Hydrogen, oxygen and chlorine electrochemistry are classical fields of electrocatalysis. Further topics to be included are electrocatalysis in organic electro-synthesis, environmental electrocatalysis related to treatments of such noxious compounds as SO₂, NO₂, chlorocarbons etc., together with fundamental relation-

ships between adsorption at electrodes, electrode kinetics and mass transport.

The format of the meeting will provide, in any of the above areas, discussion of fundamental, applied and engineering aspects of electrocatalysis by means of invited lectures, organized round tables and poster contributions. A Program Committee comprising M. M. Jaksic, S. Trasatti and H. Wendt, advised by an international board of experts, is in charge of the scientific organization. The Local Committee will be chaired by A. De Battisti.

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