



General Chairman Nestor Knoepfler welcomes meeting participants to New Orleans during Monday morning's plenary session. The 64th Annual Spring Meeting, planned by Knoepfler and his committee, drew a total of 700 registrants.

AOCS in New Orleans

April 29–May 2, 1973
The Jung Hotel



A.J. Haighton accepts a certificate signifying the Bond Award from President O'Connor. Haighton was recognized for the excellence of his paper, "Determination of the Solids Content in Partly Crystallized Fats," which he delivered at the 46th Annual Fall Meeting in Ottawa, Canada.



Members of the Governing Board take care of business during one of their two 4 hour meetings.



Travel Consultant Chuck Williams (center left) and 1974 Spring Meeting Chairman F.P. Khym (center right) are working well in advance to promote the society's 65th annual gathering 1 year from now in Mexico City. Here they discuss preparations with Nestor Knoepfler (left) and Homer Gardner (right). During the New Orleans meeting, the first pamphlets describing plans for this convention were delivered to the AOCS membership.



Jeanne Meadows, AOCS production manager, and Joe Pominski, membership chairman of the local committee, assist potential members in filing applications. The two received about 80 new member petitions during hours spent in the Society's corner of the registration area.



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R.T. O'Connor, James Lyon and Nestor Knoepfler with a Certificate of Merit presented to the Society by the Mayoralty of New Orleans.



Left to right: Vasant Malshet and Dennis T. Gordon, honored students, with R.T. O'Connor, Honored Student Award Committee Chairman Ralph Holman and fellow students Roberta S. Hare and Gustav Graff. The fifth student recognized at the New Orleans meeting, Gary J. Blomquist, is not pictured. For details on papers presented by these awardees, see May *JAACS*, p. 186A.