The 12th International Symposium on Organosilicon Chemistry

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The organizing committee invites you to participate in the 12th International Symposium on Organosilicon Chemistry. The meeting will be chaired by Prof. Hideki Sakurai (Tokyo Science University) and will be held at Sendai International Center in Sendai, a central city of the northeastern region in Japan. Under the main theme "aiming at great progress of organosilicon chemistry in the 21st century", the symposium will be devoted not only to advances in organosilicon chemistry but also to prospects and proposals for the future of organosilicon chemistry.

This symposium will feature invited plenary lectures, section lectures, contributed oral papers, and poster presentations. The scientific program will cover the following topics:

- Organosilicon chemistry (new compounds and new reactions)
- Inorganic silicon chemistry
- Silicon polymers and oligomers
- Silicones and polysiloxanes
- Silicon-based materials
- Silicon in organic synthesis
- · Biological aspects of organosilicon compounds
- Coordination chemistry of silicon species
- Reactive intermediates and gas-phase chemistry
- Theoretical and structural chemistry

Further Information

The contents of the first circular and further information about the symposium can be seen in the following **Internet Home Page**:

http://www.a-chem.eng.osaka-cu.ac.jp/ISOSXII/

All persons who plan to attend the symposium are requested to **preregister through the Internet** or to complete and return the reply form attached to the first circular **before April 30, 1998**. The second circular will be mailed in July 1998.

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