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TWENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY ISSUE—JULY 1982

This year Phytochemistry celebrates 21 years of service to the scientific community as the premier international journal of plant biochemistry. While the first issue in 1961 contained seven papers and 62 pages contributed by authors of three countries, the first issue of 1982 contained 68 papers and 256 pages from authors of 16 countries. This is some measure of the growth of the subject over these 21 years.

We wish to express our gratitude to all journal users—authors, editors and librarians—for this continued support and interest. We are also very grateful to Pergamon Press and their editorial staff for the valued and unflagging services in production and publication. We welcome constructive criticism and suggestions for improvement at all times. We look forward to being of service over the next 21 years!

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PHYTOCHEMICAL SOCIETY OF EUROPE

The winner of the Phytochemical Society Tate and Lyle Award for 1982 is

DR. J. DAVID PHILLIPSON

Department of Pharmacognosy, School of Pharmacy, University of London, who has been honoured for his contribution to our knowledge of indole and isoquinoline alkaloids.

At the April 1982 Annual General Meeting held at the Baird Hall Lecture Theatre, University of Strathclyde, new elections were made to the Committee of the Society.

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ISOLATION, SEPARATION AND STRUCTURAL DETERMINATION OF NATURAL PRODUCTS

To be held at Lausanne, 9-10 September 1982. For further details contact Professor K. Hostettmann, Ecole de Pharmacie, 2 rue Charles Vuillermet, CH-1005, Lausanne, Switzerland.

BIOCHEMISTRY AND PHOTOBIOLOGY OF PLANT PIGMENTS

In association with the British Photobiology Society. To be held at Reading, 14–16 December 1982. For further details contact Professor J. B. Harborne or Dr. C. B. Johnson, Department of Botany, Whiteknights, University of Reading, Reading, RG6 2AS, U.K.

RECENT ADVANCES IN THE BIOCHEMISTRY OF PLANT TERPENOIDS

In association with the Biochemical Society. To be held at Liverpool, 11-13 April 1983. For further details contact either Dr. D. R. Threlfall, Department of Plant Biology, University of Hull, Hull HU6 7RX, U.K. or Dr. L. J. Goad, Department of Biochemistry, University of Liverpool, PO Box 147, Liverpool, L69 3BX, U.K.

MEMBRANES AND COMPARTMENTATION IN REGULATORY PROCESSES OF HIGHER PLANTS

To be held at Toulouse, September 1983. For further details contact Professor A. M. Boudet, Centre de Physiologie Végétale, Université Paul Sabatier, 118, route de Narbonne, 31077 Toulouse Cedex, France.

GENETIC MANIPULATION IN PLANTS AND ITS APPLICATION TO AGRICULTURE

To be held at London, 19-20 December 1983. For further details contact Professor G. R. Stewart, Department of Botany, Birkbeck College, University of London, London WC1E 7HX, U.K.

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