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### PROGRAM FOR THE CARBOHYDRATE DIVISION
The Convention Center
Washington, DC August 20-24, 2000

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### UPCOMING ROUNDTABLE

**XIV International Roundtable**

**Nucleosides, Nucleotides and Their Biological Applications**

**September 10-14, 2000**

San Francisco, CA, USA

**Scientific Program:**

- The History of Antivirals and Lessons Learned from Lab to Clinical Practice
- Synthesis and *In Vitro* Evaluation of Novel Nucleosides and Nucleotides
- Purine and Pyrimidine Receptors
- Recent Advances in the Discovery of Novel Oligonucleotides
- Molecular Structure, Conformation, Biochemistry and Mechanism of Action of Nucleosides, Nucleotides and Oligonucleotides
- Oligonucleotides: Clinical Development and Diagnostic Applications
- Chemistry of Nucleosides, Nucleotides and Oligonucleotides
- Preclinical and Clinical Development of Nucleosides and Nucleotides
- Poster and Oral Presentations

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ACS National Meeting, August 2000
M. L. Wolfrom and H. S. Isbell Awards Banquet
Honoring Professor Zbigniew J. Witczak and
Professor Laura L. Kiessling

- The M. L. Wolfrom award for the year 2000 will be presented to Professor Zbigniew J. Witczak of Wilkes University. The H. S. Isbell award for the year 2000 will be presented to Professor Laura L. Kiessling of the University of Wisconsin-Madison. The awards will be presented at the National ACS Meeting in Washington, D.C. There will be a special symposium on Sunday morning, August 20, highlighting work by the award winners, as well as the traditional banquet on Monday evening, August 21.

- The banquet will be at the following address:
  University Club of Washington,
  1135 16th Street, NW,
  Washington, D.C.
  Telephone: 202-862-8800.

- The reception will start at 6:30 p.m., and dinner will start promptly at 7:30 p.m. This should be a popular event and seating is finite; so get your reservation in soon. The ticket price is $50.

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YOUR HELP IS CRITICAL!
We need it!

There has always been a small but very active group of individuals who have contributed to the programming of the Carbohydrate Division. If anyone has an idea for a symposium topic for future meetings, please contact any one of the officers listed in the front of this Newsletter.

THE 19TH INTERNATIONAL LECTIN MEETING
MARCH 25-30, 2001
FORTALEZA, CEARA, BRAZIL

This carbohydrate-related meeting is sponsored by the BIO-MOL LAB, Laboratory of Biological Active Molecules, Federal University of Ceara. The individual to contact is Dr. A. H. Sampaio, BioMol Lab, Department of Fishing Engineering, Federal University of Ceara, PO Box 6033, 60.451-970 – Fortaleza - Ceara – Brazil. His e-mail is interlec19@ufc.br. The web site for the meeting is http://ufc.br/interlec19.

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Fall 2000 – October 1, 2000
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ACS DIVISION OF CARBOHYDRATE CHEMISTRY BALLOT FOR THE 2000 ELECTION

At least one candidate has been nominated for each office. Please cut this page, mark your ballots and return them in the provided envelope at your earliest convenience, and no later than Monday, August 14, 2000 to:

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You may also write in a candidate for any office. If you do so, be sure he or she is a member of the ACS and the Division of Carbohydrate Chemistry, and remember to place a mark in the box next to the candidate’s name as well. You should not put your name or address in the envelope containing the ballot. However, please be sure to mark it with your ACS membership number (see your membership card or C&E News mailing label).

Chair Elect: (one year term; vote for one)
Zbigniew Witczak – Wilkes University
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Executive Secretary: (three year term; vote for one)
Muthiah Manoharan – Isis Pharmaceuticals
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Secretary/Newsletter Editor:
Kevin Rice – University of Michigan
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Alternate Councilor:
Waldemar Priebe – University of Texas
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Executive Committee (2): (two year term; vote for two)
Carolyn Bertozzi, University of California Berkeley
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Chi-Huey Wong, Scripps Research Institute
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Awards Committee: (three year term; vote for one)
Jackie Gervay-Hague, University of Arizona
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DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF BALLOTS IS AUGUST 14, 2000.
**Zbigniew Witczak** - Wilkes University (Chair-Elect)

Dr. Witczak is presently the Professor of Pharmaceutical Chemistry at the Wilkes University. Dr. Witczak has served as the Executive Secretary of the Division for the past two years and before that, served as the Secretary of the Division for two years. Dr. Witczak areas of interest include the chemistry of levoglucosenone and levoglucosans; the synthesis of natural products from carbohydrates; chemistry of thio-, seleno, and phosphoro sugars as potential antitumor and anti-viral agents; oligosaccharide synthesis, C-glycosides, C-di-and C-oligosaccharides.

**Mano Manoharan** – Isis Pharmaceuticals (Executive Secretary)

Dr. Manoharan has been the Secretary of the Division for the past two years and is the Director of Medicinal Chemistry at Isis Pharmaceuticals. His research interests include oligonucleotide chemistry, antisense therapeutics, structure-function relationships of oligonucleotides.

**Kevin Rice** – University of Michigan (Secretary)

Dr. Rice is an Associate Professor of Medicinal Chemistry and Pharmaceutics at the University of Michigan, College of Pharmacy. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the CARB Division. Dr. Rice has research interests in the function of N-linked oligosaccharides on glycoproteins; isolation, structure elucidation, chemical and enzymatic modification; conformational analysis by fluorescence energy transfer; binding specificity to mammalian lectins.

**Carolyn Bertozzi** – Univ. of California, Berkeley (Member, Executive Committee)

Dr. Bertozzi is an Associate Professor of Chemistry, University of California Berkeley. Dr. Bertozzi won the H. S. Isbell Award of the CARB Division in 1998. In her research program, organic chemistry, molecular and cell biology are combined to investigate the biological functions of glycoconjugates and develop new therapeutic strategies.

**Chi-Huey Wong** – Scripps Research Institute (Member, Executive Committee)

Dr. Wong is the Ernest W. Hahn Professor of Chemistry at the Skaggs Institute of Chemical Biology, Scripps Research Institute, San Diego, CA. He was the recipient of the ACS Claude S. Hudson Award in Carbohydrate Chemistry awarded by the CARB Division in 1999. His research programs are directed toward development of new chemical-enzymatic strategies for the synthesis of biologically active compounds and chiral intermediates, rational modification of enzyme stability, specificity and specificity activity, design and synthesis of mechanism-based inhibitors of enzymes or receptors, development of new enzymatic catalysts for organic reactions, design and synthesis of small molecules targeting RNA, and investigation of reaction mechanisms.

**Jacquelen Gervay-Hague** – University of Arizona (Member, Awards Committee)

Dr. Gervay-Hague is an Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Arizona. She was the recipient of the H. S. Isbell Award of the CARB Division in 1999. Her research areas are the development of drug delivery systems targeting HIV and cancer, synthesis of carbohydrate-based peptide mimics, development of new synthetic methods, structural studies of oligosaccharides using NMR and circular dichroism.

**Waldemar Priebe** – University of Texas (Alternate Councilor)

Dr. Priebe is an Associate Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, University of Texas, M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, and University of Texas Graduate School for Biomedical Sciences. Dr. Priebe has played an active role in the functions of the Division of Carbohydrate Chemistry, serving on both the program and executive committees. Dr. Priebe’s research involves design, synthesis, and biological evaluation of carbohydrate-based anticancer agents. His current research includes the study of the sugar moiety in anthracycline antibiotics on multidrug resistance and molecular interaction with drug transports (P-gp and MRP). He is also working in the design of carbohydrate-based DNA interactive agents that control gene expression at the transcriptional level and agents that are based-specific alkylators of DNA. He has organized numerous symposia for the CARB division in the past and served in the executive committee for a long period.