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29th European Peptide Symposium

Gdańsk – Poland, 3–8 September 2006

The 29th European Peptide Symposium was held in Gdańsk, Poland from Sunday, September 3rd, to Friday, September 8th, 2006. Thousand-year-old Gdańsk, situated on the Bay of Gdańsk is one of the most beautiful cities of Poland, famous for its history and architecture. It was where 26 years ago a huge anti-communist social movement “Solidarność – Solidarity” was established, which gave an impulse to the collapse of the communist system in the Central and Eastern Europe. Gdańsk for the second time hosted EPS meeting. Twenty eight years ago, the 15th EPS was organized in Gdańsk by Gotfryd Kupryszewski. This time the organizers hosted almost 900 participants from 42 countries and 59 exhibitors. The venue of the Symposium was Baltic Philharmonic Hall, conveniently located on the Olowianka Island in the centre of the town. The building of the Hall, built in 19th century, belonged until 1996, to Gdańsk heat and power plant. It has been modernized since the plant was closed. The reconstruction was completed just few months ago. It represents an excellent example how beautiful, neogothical industrial building can be converted into modern, comfortable music centre. Following the tradition of the previous EPS



The Symposium Organizers meet Nobel Laureat Prof. Kurt Wüthrich (2nd from right)

meetings, Dr. Bert L. Schram Young Investigator's Mini-Symposium preceded the official opening of the conference. Twelve young researchers competed for two awards sponsored by the ESCOM Science Foundation. Co-chair persons of two scientific sessions Drs. Jirina Slaninova, Jean François Hernandez, Botond Penke, Piotr Mucha and David Andreu, the Scientific Affairs Officer of EPS, served as judges of this competition. The Dr. Bert L. Schram Awards were granted to Markus Muttenthaler (Australia) and Susana Gordo (Spain) plus an honorable mention to Nir Qvit (Israel). After welcome greetings by distinguished guests representing University of Gdańsk and local administration; the official opening of the Symposium was followed by *in memoriam* of Prof. Bruce Merrifield presented by Prof. David Andreu. Then Jean Martinez, Chairman of the EPS announced the laureates of EPS awards; the Joseph J. Rudinger Memorial



At the Official Invited Speakers and Chairpersons Dinner. From left to right: Luis Moroder, Ferenc Hudecz, Jean Martinez, Claudio Toniolo, Mrs. Moroder and Ettore Benedetti.

Lecture Award was given as a shared prize to Profs. Ettore Benedetti and Claudio Toniolo, and the Zervas Award received Dr. Carlos Garcia-Echeverria. After presenting the awards to the winners (unfortunately Carlos Garcia-Echeverria was not present), Ettore Benedetti gave his lecture entitled:

“Structure-activity relationships in peptides: from modelling to the rational drug design”, followed by a talk by Claudio Toniolo entitled: “An adventure in peptide conformation”. Carlos Garcia-Echeverria delivered his lecture entitled “Antagonists of intracellular protein-protein interactions: a new class of targeted anti-cancer agents” on Wednesday afternoon.

The first day of the Symposium ended with welcome party, which took place at the exhibition area. Following the traditional format of EPS meetings, the first scientific session started Monday morning, whereas the last one was on Friday afternoon. The program was divided into fourteen sessions. Sixty-eight oral presentations were scheduled, including eight key-lectures delivered by Frank Bordusa, Jutta Eichler, Fred



Participants of the Symposium in front of the Baltic Philharmonic Hall.

Nyberg, Claudio Toniolo, Shuguang Zhang and the Nobel Prize laureate Kurt Wuthrich. In addition, over 540 communications were presented as posters during three afternoon sessions. This very tense scientific program kept participants busy through the all days of the Symposium. The organizers hope that the social events: the philharmonic concert of Polish Baltic Philharmonic Orchestra (Monday evening), speakers dinner (Tuesday evening), soccer game (Wednesday afternoon), and concert of Capella Gedanensis, followed by the Farewell Party at the Gdańsk Maritime Museum (Thursday evening), helped participants to regenerate their physical



strength for the next days of hard work. A selection of pictures taken during the Symposium is available on internet (www.ppc.univ.gda.pl/29eps/pictures/). The scientific program and abstracts of all presentations were published in Journal of Peptide Science, Vol. 12, Suppl., 2006. Over 400 papers will also be published in a book of Proceedings, which should appear in the first half of the next year. One of the aims of the EPS symposia is to promote young researchers who are just at the beginning of their careers. Money collected in the Travel Grant Fund, allowed the organizers to refund partial expenses of 54 young participants. In addition, five researchers under the age of 30 or engaged in studies towards their Ph.D. degrees were also awarded for their poster presentations. These awards were sponsored by the ESCOM Science Foundation, the Rector of the University of Gdańsk and *Thieme Chemistry*. The poster Competition Committee consisting of 16 distinguished scientists, and headed by David Andreu, selected among over 100 presentations, the following winners: David Ireland (Australia), Kevin Pagel (Germany), Meritxell Teixido (Spain), Yi-Pin Chang

(Taiwan) and Zvi Hayuka (Israel). All young laureates received their prizes at the official part of the Farewell Party. At the closing ceremony on Friday afternoon, the organizers of the forthcoming peptide symposia were invited to advertise their events: 30th European Peptide Symposium (Hilkka Lankinen, Ale Narvanen), 20th American Peptide Symposium (Emanuel Escher, William Lubell), 8th German Peptide Symposium (Christian Birr), 43rd Japanese Peptide Society (Yoshiaki Kiso), 4th International Peptide Symposium and 7th Australian Peptide Conference (Alexander I. Smith, John Wade).

The conference in Gdańsk contributed long tradition of the truly international meetings of researchers dealing with various aspects of peptides. The strength of the conference was (and is) a broad participation of young scientists who have a perfect opportunity to learn and exchange the ideas with top-researchers from Europe and all over the world. We do hope 29th EPS fulfilled the expectations of all participants.

*Contributed by Krzysztof Rolka,
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Concert by the Baltic Philharmonic Orchestra

13th Dutch Peptide Symposium

Maastricht, 16 March 2006

The 13th Dutch Peptide Symposium (DPS) was organized on March 16, 2006, in Maastricht, the Netherlands. Again this year the scope of the DPS was that scientists from academia and industry would meet to discuss peptide and protein chemistry in all its variety, e.g. synthesis, folding, aggregation, biological activity, mimetics, analysis, or application.

There were 108 delegates at this year's symposium, among whom we welcomed guests from Germany and Belgium. Thanks to the amount of abstracts received we were able to create an attractive scientific program: 9 lectures were given that covered almost the entire spectrum of peptide synthesis. Topics ranged between basic peptide synthesis protocols, studies of small cyclic peptide generation, large peptide protein complexes and biological applications of synthetic peptides. Discussions were plenty and motivating. In the closing keynote lecture Dr. Philip E. Dawson from The Scripps Research Institute in La Jolla, CA gave an overview and update on the rationales and efforts leading to total chemical synthesis of proteins "*from scratch*" without any biological mediation. The symposium was a great success thanks to the speakers, attendees, and the financial aid of our sponsors.

The DPS 2007 meeting will be hosted by the University Utrecht, Utrecht the Netherlands.

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The Auditorium of the DPS 2006



Dr. Philip E. Dawson on Clogs

MEETING

10th Iberian Peptide Meeting

Zaragoza – Spain, 1–4 February 2006

The tenth edition of the Iberian Peptide Meeting (Encuentro Peptídico Ibérico, EPI) was held in Zaragoza, Spain from February 1 to 4, 2006. This Symposium was organised by members of the University of Zaragoza and the Spanish National Research Council (Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas, CSIC).

The Meeting was attended by over 130 registered participants from Spain, Portugal and some other countries (UK, Germany, Switzerland, USA). Also were present Merck Biosciences AG, Protein Technologies Inc., Scharlab SA, Teknokroma-aapptec and Bachem AG, which had booths at the Meeting.

The invited lectures were given by Drs Jesús Jiménez-Barbero (study of peptide-carbohydrate interactions by NMR methods) and Rosario Gonzalez-Muñiz (synthesis of amino acids). The programme also featured 40 oral communications covering a wide range of topics such as amino acids and peptides synthesis, medical applications, structural analysis, ... Keeping up the tradition of the Iberian Peptide Meeting, the participation of young researchers was very active and, thus, more than half of the oral communications were presented by PhD students.



Delegates, 10th Iberian Peptide Meeting

The organization of the XEPI would not have been possible without the generous support of the Spanish Ministry for Science and Education, the Aragón Government, the Spanish National Research Council, the European Peptide Society, the University of Zaragoza and the Spanish Society for Medicinal Chemistry. We also acknowledge the financial support of various private companies.

Contributed by Carlos Cativiela & Ana I. Jiménez

Society News

A. The Council Meeting of the European Peptide Society

Lazno Palace – Gdańsk, 4 September 2006

- The meeting commenced by the Chairman welcoming present (until the end of this EPS) and future (from the end of this EPS) members of the Council. It was noted that A. Surovoy (Russia), G. Kuprisewski (Poland), D. Theodoropoulos (Greece) former Council members, and C. Vita (France/Italy), M. Goodman (USA), B. Merrifield (USA) passed away since the last Council meeting.
 - The Secretary reported that the present membership number of the Society is 1237 and the Society has 81 temporary members. The update of the membership list has not been completed. The members of the Council representing National groups were asked to finish the update including email addresses by April 30, 2007.
 - The Council appreciated very much that PolyPeptide Laboratories and Bachem have continued their sponsorship of the Rudinger and Zervas Awards respectively. It was reported that this year Council voted to offer the Rudinger Award to Prof. Ettore Benedetti/Prof. Claudio Toniolo, Italy (shared), and the Zervas Award to Dr. Carlos García-Echeverría (Spain).
 - Professor Rolka reported that support for travel grants was provided by the European Peptide Society, Organisers of the 28th European Peptide Symposium and Organisers of the 29th European Peptide Symposium. The sum (> 20000 Euro) covered the expenses of 44 travel grants.
 - A final copy has been signed by the Chairman and Treasurer (both J.H. Jones and E. Benedetti) and was the same as the copies circulated to all Council Members. The Council noted that sponsorship after decline now it is stabilised. Council Members were urged to do anything they can to help with stimulating sponsorship. The Council agreed to the Executive Committee setting a budget of £18754 (€27500) for 2007 (Small Meetings €8500, Executive Committee and Miscellaneous Expenses €4000, Audit €2000, Website maintenance €2000. No expenses are expected for the preparation/production of the Newsletter. The Council approved the appointment of a new auditor in Italy for 2006.
 - The Council accepted the new procedure concerning the preparation of the Newsletter. The Newsletter editor will send to Wiley files containing all relevant materials including pictures. Wiley will compose the final format of the Newsletter and submit it for approval to the Newsletter editor before putting it onto the website and including into the JPS issue. The first version produced by this procedure will be published in the Autumn. The Editor would welcome more information about activities from Council Members in the form of news items or conference reports.
 - Professor K. Rolka reported that the EPS-29 has 860 registered participants and 60 exhibitors. 140 participants requested accommodation in dormitories. Professor H. Lankinen reported that the Programme Committee of the EPS-30 was formed, the first announcement was produced and circulated and accommodation was booked for the Helsinki meeting. The members of the Council acknowledged with thanks the progress of the organisation and offered its assistance. The Secretary reported that the agreement between the Society and organisers of the EPS-31 Symposium was sent to the Danish representative, Prof. Thomas Hoeg-Jensen for signature.
- Discussion needs to be initiated amongst representatives of Russia, Belgium, Greece, Czech Republic and Sweden, concerning future meetings for 2112/2014. The National representative of Belgium, Prof. D. Tourwè confirmed that Belgium declined the invitation.
- The Council accepted the proposal of the EC to have Prof. D. Tourwe as new member of the Scientific Sub-committee. Prof. D. Tourwè accepted the invitation with pleasure.
 - The Scientific Sub-Committee had been instrumental in providing nominations for the Rudinger and Zervas Awards, supervision of EPS poster competition, ESCOM Awards for EPS Young Investigator MiniSymposium and assessments had been made of a number of applications to the Small Meetings Fund. The following meetings were supported in 2005/2006: 7th German Peptide Symposium, Braunschweig, February 25 – March 2, 2005 (£750); 1st International Symposium on Biomolecules and Related Compounds, Montpellier, France, 20-25 March, 2005 (£750); "Biophysics of Membrane-Permeabilising and

Membrane-Translocating Peptides” Berlin, 13–16 April, 2005 (£750); 9th Biologically active peptides symposium, Dubna, The Czech Republic, 20–22 April, 2005, (£750); Dutch Peptide Day, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, 16 March, 2005 (£750); 2nd West Mediterranean Chemistry Meeting, Platja d’Aro, Spain, June 2–4, 2005 (£750); “Mechanisms of Carrier-Mediated Intracellular Delivery of Therapeutics”, Montpellier, 25–26 August, 2005 (£750); 18th Polish Peptide Symposium, Wroclaw, 4–8 September, 2005 (£750); The 7th International Symposium on VIP, PACAP and Related Peptides, 11–14 September, 2005 Rouen, France (£750); 4th Bulgarian Peptide Symposium, 19–22 September, Dolna Banya (£750); 4th International Conference on arthropods, chemical, physiological and environmental aspects, Zakopane (Poland), 18–23 September, 2005 (£750); 10th Iberian Peptide Meeting, Zaragoza, Spain, February 1–4, 2006 (€750); 10th Naples Workshop, Napoli, Italy, 11–13 July, 2006 (1000 €); 5th Hellenic Forum on Bioactive Peptides, Patras, 14–16 May, 2006 (£1000); 2nd Dutch Peptide Symposium, Maastricht, The Netherlands, 16 March, 2006 (€750); 2nd Workshop on Biophysics on Bioactive Peptides, Lisbon, Portugal, 1–4 April, 2007 (€750); 1st International Symposium on food, veterinary and medical applications of antimicrobial peptides, Nantes, France, 21–23, June 2006 (€750).

- The Secretary reported on the difficulties related to the EPS website at www.pepsoc.com. The Council agreed to continue consultation with the representative of Wiley to solve the website fee and service related difficulties and also to appoint an “EPS webmaster” with functions described in the Minutes of the Budapest EC meeting in November, 2005.
- The Secretary reported that the two terms of office ended for Prof. D. Tourwe (Belgium), Prof. M. Meldal (Denmark), Prof. H. Gras-Masse (France), Prof. L. Moroder (Germany), Prof. F. Hudecz (Hungary), Prof. U. Kalejs (Latvia), Prof. A.Y. Surovoy (Russia), Prof. K. Rolka (Poland) and Prof. S. Zorad (Slovakia) as National representatives and Prof. J.H. Jones as Treasurer. The Chairman expressed his appreciation for the service. The Secretary indicated that the election of new

National representatives was mainly successful. However, no nomination was received from Belgium, from Latvia and from Russia. Prof. F. Hudecz asked the help of Prof. V. Ivanov and of Prof. D. Tourwe in organising a new election in the spring of 2007. The Executive Committee asked Dr. I. Liepina to represent the Latvian peptide community until the new election.

- With the strong support of the Executive Committee, Prof. J. Martinez asked the co-option of Prof. David Andreu, Prof. Ettore Benedetti, Prof. Alex Eberle and Prof. F. Hudecz as new co-opted members of the Council. The Council unanimously accepted this proposal.

Condensed by the Editor from the Minutes of the Meeting provided by the EPS Secretary

B. Guidelines for Handling Travel Grants for Attendance of International Peptide Meetings

1. Two types of grants should be considered.

Type A: Grants provided to or generated by the Programme Committee to be administered by representatives from the Committee.

Type B: Grants provided by the participating Societies (APS, EPS, JPS etc) to be administered by the participating Societies.
2. Type A grants should be awarded to applicants by the Programme Committee involving an ad hoc Travel Grant Committee representative of the donating Societies.
3. No “second” award will be available for applicants who received type A or type B award.

This proposal was accepted unanimously by the International Liaison Committee in its meeting held in Gdansk on 6 September, 2006.

*Contributed by Ettore Benedetti,
Acting as EPS Secretary*

C. The Meeting of the Peptide Societies' International Liaison Committee

The Baltic Philharmonic Hall – Gdańsk,
6 September 2006

- Professor J. Martinez opened by welcoming the participants, both to the Liaison meeting and to the 29th European Peptide Symposium. The Chairman informed the Committee that a new Society, the Indian Peptide Society, has been established with V.S. Chauhan as President and P. Balaram as Vice-President. This Society will hold its first Symposium on 22–23 February 2007 in Hyderabad, India.
- The Minutes of the previous meeting, were unanimously approved, with thanks to the American Peptide Society for providing them.
- **European Peptide Society**
The organization efforts and statistic data relative to the 29th European Peptide Symposium currently under way in Gdansk were described by Professor K. Rolka, Chairman of the Symposium. Professor H. Lankinen described preparations for the 30th European Peptide Symposium in Helsinki, and it was hoped that about 1,000 people would attend. The EPS had also put considerable effort on sponsoring small national and regional meetings. The criteria for sponsorship were described in previous meetings. Small conferences had been held with success in various countries, such as Denmark, Germany, Greece and Italy each with an attendance between 100 and 200.
- **Australian Peptide Society**
Arrangements are proceeding satisfactorily and the organization of the 4th International Peptide Symposium, incorporating the 4th International Peptide Symposium and the 2nd Asia Pacific International Peptide Symposium, in Cairns in 2007 (21–26 October, 2007) is now well underway. A number of "Satellite Meetings" are being organized on "Ligation Chemistry" (Paul Alewood); on "Solid-Phase Synthesis" (John Wade); on "Protein Folding" (Andrew Hill) and possibly others on Venoms,

Peptidomics/Proteomics, Peptidomimetics. The Australian Peptide Society expects several hundred participants because of the incorporation of three Symposia. The Australian Association is also continuing its support for the formation of an Asia-Pacific group, which would coordinate the meetings that take place in the region, to promote fellowship exchanges for younger workers, to improve funding and to increase the level of collaboration. Delegates from Australia, China, Japan and Korea had already agreed to carry the scheme forward.

- **Japanese Peptide Society**

The Society is organizing its annual Symposium. The 43rd Symposium, being organized in Yokohama in 2006 (Pacifico Yokohama 5–8 November), will be international and it will be coupled with the 4th Peptide Engineering Meeting. The list of invited speakers is available and about 500 peptide scientists from all continents are expected to attend. The Japanese delegates also distributed leaflets with the relevant information on "Satellite Meetings" taking place in November such as: "2nd International Symposium on Biomolecules and Related Compounds" (Nov. 10–12, Aigaku-kan, Kyoto) and the "Membrane-permeable peptides: Chemistry, biology and therapeutic applications" (Nov. 10–11, Kyoto). Finally the Committee was informed that the 44th Japanese Peptide Symposium will be held in Toyama in November 7–9, 2007. Japan will host the 5th International Peptide Symposium in Kyoto most probably in November 2010 and hope was expressed that representatives of the other present societies will try to avoid overlap of dates.

- **Korean Peptide Society**

The Korean Peptide Society Meeting will be held on Nov. 30–Dec. 1, 2007. This Society was thinking of including protein scientists in the program and within the Society. Furthermore, information was given on the Asia Pacific Peptide Symposium which is held bi-annually. The 3rd Symposium will be hosted by the Korean Peptide Society in 2009. Place and dates will be disclosed in due time.

● American Peptide Society

The American Peptide Symposium, the 20th, would take place in Montréal in 2007. It will be a shorter Symposium than usual (1 day less) and it will be held at the Palais de Congrès (2000 seats) of Montreal. A web site is available with all information needed. The dates were carefully chosen to avoid clashes with big events such as the Formula 1 Grand Prix, which will probably take place a week before and the Montreal Jazz Festival, taking place a week after the 20th APS. This was organized in order to avoid difficulties in getting accommodation for the participants. Young investigators attendance will be solicited and hope was expressed that substantial number of Travel Grants would be available. As for the other Symposia the organizers expected a large attendance in the range of 1100–1200. Finally, organizers had been found for the 2009 Symposium, which would once again be held in San Diego in 2009.

- The Chairman, Professor J. Martinez thanked participants for coming and for their contributions to the discussions. The next meeting would take place next year, in Montreal during the 20th American Peptide Symposium.

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from the Minutes of the Meeting
provided by E. Benedetti
Acting as EPS Secretary*

D. EPS Executive Committee Meeting

Budapest – Hungary, 8–10 June 2007

The next EPS Executive Committee Meeting will be held at Eötvös L. University, Budapest Hungary, 8–10 June 2007.

E. Election of National Representatives to the Council of EPS

National Representatives on Council are elected every four years. Election to the Council is for a period of four years, but a member

may be re-elected for one further period of four years. Last year the election was not successful in a few member countries.

Therefore the Executive Committee initiate new elections for National Representatives for the period 2007–2010. Nomination from Belarus, Belgium, Latvia, Russian Federation and the Ukraine are expected.

Members are invited to nominate their National Representatives using the enclosed form of by letter or by e-mail. Nominees must have given their consent in advance. All nominations must be received by the Secretary not later than 31 March 2007. If more than one nomination is received from any Country, the Secretary will organise a postal/e-mail ballot among the members who are resident in that Country.

Nomination form for National Representative

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Country _____ Nominee _____

Address of Nominee _____

Fax Number of Nominee _____

E-mail of Nominee _____

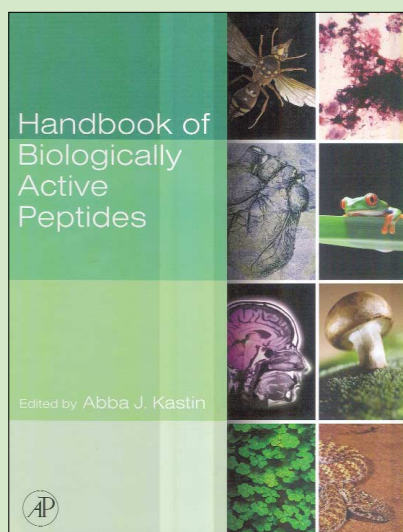
I wish to propose the above person as National Representative on Council.

Proposer(s) Name _____

Signature(s) _____

Form to be returned by 31 March, 2007.

Book Review



Handbook of Biologically Active Peptides

Abba J. Kastin (Ed.)

Academic Press, Elsevier Inc.
1640 pp. 2006

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It is a great privilege to write a Foreword for this important handbook of peptides, to which my coworkers and I have also contributed a couple of chapters. The *Handbook of Biologically Active Peptides*, with more than 200 chapters, presents for the first time all biologically active peptides in one text. The chapters are organized in sections on Plant, Bacterial/Antibiotic, Fungal/Antifungal, Invertebrate, Amphibian, Venom, Cancer/Anticancer, Vaccine, Inflammatory and Immunological Brain, Endocrine, Ingestive, Gastrointestinal, Cardiovascular, Respiratory, Renal, Opiate, Neurotrophic, Blood-Brain Barrier, and other peptide topics. All the chapters are edited by expert section editors.

This handbook brings together some of the world's most distinguished scientists who have made major contributions to their particular fields of hormone peptides. The contributors represent some of the most sophisticated investigators working in basic as well as clinical areas. Each contributor has been involved in research in his or her particular area of expertise. Each chapter is well documented with suitable references.

Abba Kastin, because of his magnetic personality, wide circle of acquaintances, and international reputation as a scientist, has been able to bring together this group of distinguished individuals. Indeed, we are indebted to him for this book, its excellent planning, systematic organization, and the coverage of so many areas. The book identifies the current state of knowledge in the field, and some

chapters include the currently available therapies and future treatments. Thus, the book will be most useful and practical not only for all investigators working with biologically active peptides, but also for others scientists and even clinicians who work to continue and update their scientific and medical education. A famous Spanish endocrinologist, Gregorio Maranon, once said, "Many books are written, and they come and go and are forgotten if they are not significant." This book by Dr. Kastin, however, will be the gold standard of our time.

This book is a seminal contribution to science and medicine, and should become a classic. I hope readers enjoy it as much as I do.

Andrew V. Schally
Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine

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CALENDAR of Forthcoming Events

8th GERMAN PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

Heidelberg, Germany

14–17 March, 2007

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BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE PEPTIDES Xth CZECH AND SLOVAK NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Prague, Czech Republic

11–13 April, 2007

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Symposia/BAPX

7th EUROPEAN SYMPOSIUM OF THE PROTEIN SOCIETY FROM PROTEINS TO PROTEOME

Stockholm/Uppsala, Sweden

12–16 May, 2007

Website: [www.conference.slu.se/](http://www.conference.slu.se/proteinsociety2007/index.htm)

[proteinsociety2007/index.htm](http://www.conference.slu.se/proteinsociety2007/index.htm)

FRENCH PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM 15eme REUNION PEPTIDES ET PROTEINES

Dinard, Manoir de la Vicomé

20–25 May, 2007

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EUROPEAN BIOPERSPECTIVES

Cologne, Germany

30 May–1 June 2007

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20th AMERICAN PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

Montreal, Canada

26–30 June, 2007

Website: www.americanpeptide

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32nd FEBS CONGRESS MOLECULAR MACHINES

Vienna, Austria

7–12 July, 2007

Website: www.febs2007.org

EUROCOMBI 4

Florence, Italy

15–18 July, 2007

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2nd EUROPEAN CONFERENCE ON CHEMISTRY FOR LIFE SCIENCES

Wroclaw, Poland

4–8 September, 2007

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4th INTERNATIONAL PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

2nd ASIA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

7th AUSTRALIAN PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

Cairns, Australia

21–26 October, 2007

Website: www.peptideoz.org

30th HELLENIC FORUM ON BIOACTIVE PEPTIDES

Patras, Greece

18–20 May, 2008

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30th EUROPEAN PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

Helsinki, Finland

31 August – 5 September 2008

Website: www.30eps.fi

31st EUROPEAN PEPTIDE SYMPOSIUM

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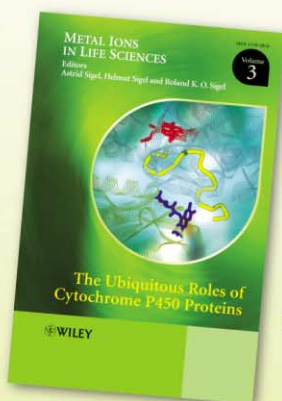
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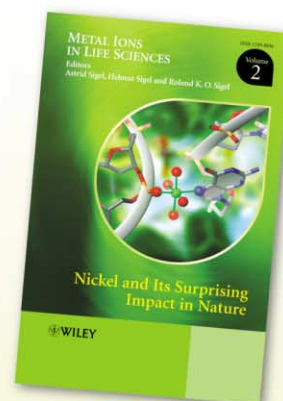


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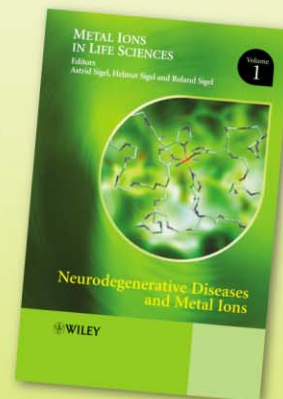
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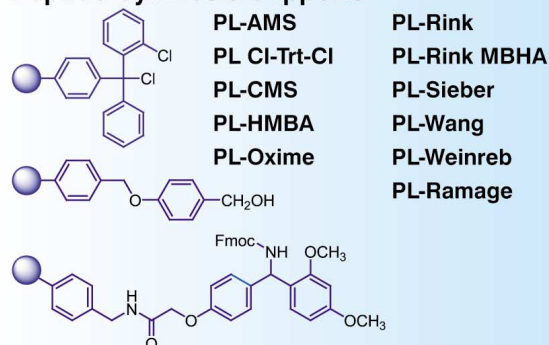
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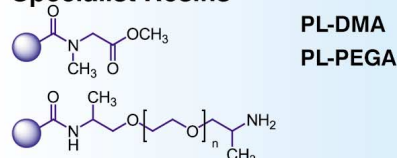
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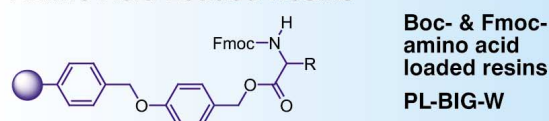
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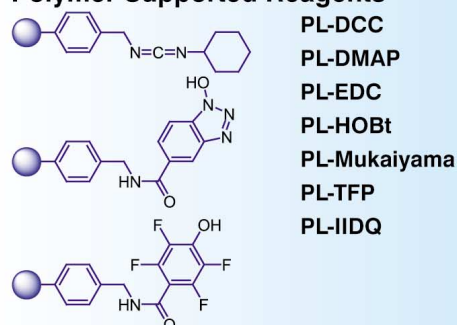
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