

4TH FRANCE GREECE ITALY PORTUGAL SPAIN (FGIPS) MEETING IN INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

October 14 - 18, 1997
Corfu, Greece

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

The fourth French, Greek, Italian, Portuguese, Spanish meeting (4th FGIPS) will be held in Corfu, Greece, from October 14 to October 18, 1997.
The symposium will resemble the previous GIPS meetings (Gandia 1990, Algarve 1992 and Senigallia 1995) which were attended by two to four hundred scientists with expertise in:
Coordination and Bioinorganic Chemistry
Organometallic Chemistry and Catalysis
Solid State Chemistry and Materials

The program will emphasize cross disciplinary relations and promote interactions among participants of the five different countries.

There will be plenary lectures, session lectures and minisymposia on the following topics:

1. Reaction Mechanisms
2. Metals in Medicine
3. Models for Metalloenzymes
4. Asymmetric Synthesis
5. Homogeneous Catalysis
6. Structure and Reactivity of Organometallic Compounds
7. Magnetic, Electronic and Optical Properties of Materials
8. Surface Chemistry and Catalysis
9. Synthesis and Structural Characterization of Materials
10. Environmental Inorganic Chemistry
11. Inorganic Chemistry and Nutrition
12. Theoretical Aspects in Inorganic Chemistry

Submission of Abstracts for contributed papers

Papers are welcome on research that is related to the cited topics.

Abstract forms and instructions will be given in the Second circular.

Registration fees will be 120USD for active participants and 80USD for accompanying persons. To encourage attendance by young scientists, registration fees will be reduced to 80USD for graduate students who present oral papers or posters.

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Approximate fare for half board pension will be:

Hotel CHANDRIS ****

Half board, single room: 75USD

Half board, double room: 53USD per person

Conference will take place at the hotel CHANDRIS

Venue and Accommodation

The meeting will be held in Corfu (Greece) a beautiful island connected by sea and air to Athens. In October the average temperature is about 20°C. Accommodation will be available in convenient and comfortable hotels located at the seashore and at walking distance from lecture halls.

Information on hotel accommodations, air and sea connections will be given in the second circular.