

MEETINGS/SYMPOSIA/SEMINARS

95-3 IUTAM-Symposium on Advances in Nonlinear Stochastic Mechanics

Place: Trondheim, Norway

Date: 3-7 July 1995

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96-7 IUTAM-Symposium on Nonlinear Analysis of Fracture

Place: Cambridge, UK

Date: 3-7 September 1995

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95-8 IUTAM-Symposium on Physical Limnology

Place: Darwin, Australia

Date: 10-14 September 1995 (new dates assigned)

Chairman: Professor J. Imberger
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95-9 IUTAM-Symposium on Combustion in Supersonic Flows

Place: Poitiers, France

Date: 2-6 October 1995

Chairman: Professor M. Champion
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IABEM'95 Conference

Place: The Ritz-Carlton Hotel, Mauna Lani, Big
Island of Hawaii

Date: 30 July – 3 August 1995

Chairman: Professor T. A. Cruse
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The annual Conference'95 is sponsored by IABEM and co-sponsored by IUTAM; IUTAM Representative: Professor F. Ziegler

The full registration fee is US\$ 500; for those paying before 1 June 1995, the registration fee is reduced to US\$ 450 (Proceedings included). The special fee for Students is US\$ 300. The fees are to be addressed to ICES-95 to the attention of

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IABEM (The International Association for Boundary Element Methods) is affiliated to IUTAM since 1994.

19th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM)

Place: Kyoto International Conference Hall, Kyoto,
Japan

Dates: 25-31 August 1996

The Congress (ICTAM KYOTO 1996) will cover the entire field of theoretical, experimental and computational fluid and solid mechanics, including interdisciplinary regions and applications. The academic programme of the Congress will be composed of two General Lectures for the Opening and Closing Sessions, Mini-Symposia, Lecture Sessions and Seminar Sessions.

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**University-Industry-Government relations:
Upcoming international workshop**

A workshop will be held on 4-6 January 1996 in Amsterdam (The Netherlands) on 'The Triple Helix - University-Industry-Government Relations: A Laboratory for Knowledge-Based Economic Development'.

A 'triple helix' of academic-industry-government relations is likely to be a key component of any national or multinational innovation strategy in the developed countries in the late twentieth century. So too in the 'developed' or 'enclave' technological sectors in India, where the technological distance between these sectors and the corresponding ones in the developed countries is recognizably short. In these sectors linear models of 'demand pull' or 'technology push' have been superseded by more complex schemes that catalyse innovation and science-based technology through networks of the relevant actors and institutions. How do technologies and institutions co-evolve? Under which conditions do they 'lock in'? These and related Workshop questions are now, willy nilly, in actual experience, impinging upon the way decisions are made in such Indian schemes as PATSER (of DSIR) and TIFAC (of DST), which seek to provide the financial bonding among the 'base pairs' in the 'triple helix'.

The organizers of this Workshop envisage contributions from the following perspectives:

1. Evolutionary economics, focusing on the functions of the knowledge infrastructure in advanced (industrial) systems and on the consequences for R&D policies.
2. The sociology of science and technology and the sociology of higher education, about experiences with reshaping of parts of the knowledge infrastructure like technological sciences and university R&D systems, and its in-depth consequences for the intellectual reorganization of the disciplines.
3. Policy analysis, with an evaluative perspective on efforts to bring about changes at the relevant science-technology-industry interfaces.

For a copy of the Workshop Theme Paper and further information on the Workshop, contact

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XIV National Conference on Internal Combustion Engines and Combustion (NCICEC)

Date: 8-10 December 1995

Place: Pune

Topics include: Fundamental combustion, reciprocating engines, gas turbine engines, propellant combustion, biomass combustion and gasification, combustion generated pollution, coal combustion, industrial furnaces, fire hazard and combustion diagnosis.

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**Department of Atomic Energy's Third Biennial
'Trombay Symposium on Radiation and
Photochemistry' - TSRP-96**

Place: Bhabha Atomic Research Centre

Date: 8-12 January 1996

Topics include: Ultrafast processes; Dynamics of electron solvation and geminate recombination; Charge, electron and energy transfer processes, Excited states, ionic intermediates and free radicals in the gaseous, condensed and organized media. Multiphoton excitation and ionization; Selective and vibrational photochemistry; Chemistry and spectroscopy in molecular beams and supersonic jets; Industrial applications, including photo and radiation curing and processing; Biomedical applications.

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