

# Calendar of Meetings

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## 8–11 September 2002

**3rd International Conference on Inorganic Materials.** Konstanz, Germany. [Contact: Dr. Martin Jansen, Max-Planck-Institut für Festkörperforschung, Heisenbergstrasse 1, D-70569 Stuttgart, Germany. Tel: 49 (711) 689 1500; Fax: 49 (711) 689 1502; E-mail: martin@jansen.mpi-stuttgart.mpg.de].

## 8–12 September 2002

**80. Jahrestagung der Deutschen Mineralogischen Gesellschaft.** Hamburg, Germany. [Contact: Regine Küllner, Mineralogische- Petrographisches Institut der Universität Hamburg, Grindelallee 48, D-20146 Hamburg, Germany. Tel: 49 (40) 42838 2051; Fax: 49 (40) 42838 2422; E-mail: mi7a005@mineralogie.uni-hamburg.de; Info: http://www.rz.uni-hamburg.de/DMG2002].

## 8–13 September 2002

**Euroanalysis 12: European Conference on Analytical Chemistry.** Dortmund, Germany. [Contact: Conference Secretariat Euroanalysis, Gesellschaft Deutscher Chemiker, Post Office Box 90 04 40, D-60444 Frankfurt am Main, Germany. Tel: 49 (69) 7917 358; Fax: 49 (69) 7917 475; E-mail: tg@gdch.de; Info: http://www.euroanalysis.de].

## 10–14 September 2002

**6th Biennial Conference on High Resolution X-ray Diffraction and Topography.** Grenoble-Aussois, France. [Contact: Claudine Brun, X-Top 2002, BP 220, 6 rue Jules Horowitz, 38043 Grenoble Cedex, France. Tel: 33(4) 7688 2027; Fax: 33 (4) 7688 2160; E-mail: xtop2002@esrf.fr; Info: http://www.lmcp.jussieu.fr/lmcp/reunions/xtop2002].

## 22–26 September 2002

**116th AOAC International Annual Meeting.** Los Angeles, California, USA. [Contact: Maria Donovan, AOAC International, 481 North Frederick Avenue, Suite 500, Gaithersburg, MD 20877-2417, USA. Tel: 1 (301) 924 7089; Fax: 1 (301) 924 7089; E-mail: mdonovan@aoac.org; Info: http://www.aoac.org].

## 25–28 September 2002

**VIII International Conference on Crystal Chemistry of Intermetallic Compounds.** Lviv, Ukraine. Includes a session on databases. The conference language is English. [Contact: Department of Inorganic Chemistry, Ivan Franko National University of Lviv, Kyryla i Mefodiya str. 6, UA-79005 Lviv, Ukraine. Tel: 380 (322) 742 388; Fax: 380 (322) 722 801; E-mail: imc@franko.lviv.ua; Info: http://www.franko.Lviv.ua/conference/imc].

## 30 September–3 October 2002

**Third Mediterranean Clay Meeting.** Jerusalem, Israel. Devoted to the chemistry, physics, and geology of clay minerals

in the Mediterranean region, and their applications. English will be the official conference language. [Contact: Dr. Zev Gerstl, Institute of Soil, Water, and Environmental Chemistry, Volcani Center, ARO, Post Office Box 6, Bet Dagan 50250, Israel. Tel: 972 (3) 968 3272; Fax: 972 (3) 960 4017; E-mail: zgerstl@volcani.agri.gov.il; Info: http://www.agri.huji.ac.il/clay\_meeting].

## October 2002

**Pittsburgh Diffraction Meeting.** Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA. [Contact: geib@pitt.edu].

## 6–10 October 2002

**The Minerals, Metal & Materials Society Fall Meeting.** Columbus, Ohio, USA. [Contact: TMS, 184 Thorn Hill Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086, USA. Tel: 1 (724) 776 9000; Fax: 1 (724) 776 3770; E-mail: ckobert@tms.org; Info: http://www.tms.org].

## 13–17 October 2002

**29th Annual Conference of the Federation of Analytical Chemistry and Spectroscopic Societies.** Providence, Rhode Island, USA. [Contact: Cindi Lilly, FACSS National Office, 1201 Don Diego Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87505, USA. Tel: 1 (505) 820 1648; Fax: 1 (505) 989 1073; E-mail: jsjoberg@trail.com; Info: http://facss.org/facss/index.php].

## 30 October–1 November 2002

**International Seminar on Physics and Chemistry of Solid Materials.** Agadir, Morocco. Language: French/English. [Contact: H. Benyaich, Ecole Supérieure de Technologie d'Agadir, Faculty of Sciences, BP 28/S Cite Dakhla, Agadir 80000, Morocco. Tel: 212 (0) 4822 0957; Fax: 212 (0) 4822 0100; E-mail: remces9@esta.ac.ma; Info: http://www.esta.ac.ma/remces9].

## 2-6 December 2002

**Fall Meeting of the Materials Research Society.** Boston, Massachusetts, USA. [Contact: Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573, USA. Tel: 1 (724) 779 3003; Fax: 1 (724) 779 8313; E-mail: info@mrs.org; Info: http://www.mrs.org].

## 4–10 December 2002

**Analitika 2002.** Stellenbosch, South Africa. Held at the University of Stellenbosch. [Contact: Conference Secretariat, Ms. Mandy Salomo, Medical Research Council, Post Office Box 19070, Tygerberg 7505, South Africa. Tel: 27 (21) 938 0433; Fax: 27 (21) 938 0395; E-mail: imm@rga.sun.ac.za; Info: http://www.mrc.ac.za/conference/analitika.htm].

## 9–12 December 2002

**PPXRD-2 Pharmaceutical X-ray Diffraction Symposium.** Concordville, Pennsylvania, USA. [Contact: Leah Mooney,

International Centre for Diffraction Data, 12 Campus Boulevard, Newtown Square, PA 19073-3273, USA. Tel: 1 (610) 325 9814; Fax: 1 (610) 325 9823; E-mail: ppxrd@icdd.com; Info: <http://www.icdd.com/ppxrd>].

#### 2–6 March 2003

**132nd Annual Meeting of the Minerals, Metals & Materials Society.** San Diego, California, USA. [Contact: TMS, 184 Thorn Hill Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086, USA. Tel: 1(724) 776 9000; Fax: 1 (724) 776 3770; E-mail: ckobert@tms.org; Info: <http://www.tms.org/Meetings/Annual-03/AnnMtg03Home.html>].

#### 10–13 March 2003

**11. Jahrestagung DGK.** Berlin, Germany.

#### 17–21 March 2003

**International Centre for Diffraction Data, Spring Meeting.** Newtown Square, Pennsylvania, USA. [Contact: Linda Shertz, International Centre for Diffraction Data, 12 Campus Boulevard, Newtown Square, PA 19073-3273, USA. Tel: 1 (610) 325 9814; Fax: 1 (610) 325 9823; E-mail: shertz@icdd.com; Info: <http://www.icdd.com>].

#### 8–12 April 2003

**Conference on Non-crystalline Inorganic Materials.** Bonn, Germany. [Contact: Ms. Birgit Smerz, Universität Bonn, Institut für Anorganische Chemie, Gerhard-Domagk-Strasse 1, D-53121 Bonn, Germany. Tel: 49 (228) 732 926; E-mail: sfb408@uni-bonn.de; Info: <http://www.uni-bonn.de/concim2003>].

#### 14–17 April 2003

**British Crystallographic Association Annual Meeting.** York, England, UK. Held at York University. [Contact: Info: <http://bca.cryst.bbk.ac.uk/BCA/index.html>].

#### 21–25 April 2003

**Spring Meeting of the Materials Research Society.** San Francisco, California, USA. [Contact: Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573, USA. Tel: 1 (724) 779 3003; Fax: 1 (724) 779 8313; E-mail: info@mrs.org; Info: <http://www.mrs.org>].

#### 1–4 June 2003

**ICASS 2003 49th International Conference on Analytical Sciences and Spectroscopy.** Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. Held at Carleton University. [Contact: Nimal De Silva, Department of Chemistry, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 4B6, Canada. Tel: 1 (613) 520 2600 x2338; Fax: 1 (613) 520 3749; E-mail: ndesilva@ccs.carleton.ca].

#### 7–11 June 2003

**Clay Minerals Society 40th Annual Meeting.** Athens, Georgia, USA. Joint meeting with the **Mineralogical Society of America**. [Contact: Paul A. Schroeder, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, USA. Tel: 1 (706) 542 2384; E-mail: schroe@gly.uga.edu; Info: <http://www.gly.uga.edu/CMS2003>].

#### 9–13 June 2003

**E-MRS 2003 European Materials Research Society Meeting.** Strasbourg, France. [Contact: European Materials Research Society, 23 rue du Loess, BP 20, F-67037 Strasbourg Cedex 02, France. Tel: 33 (3) 8810 6372; Fax: 33 (3) 8810 6343; E-mail: emrs@phase.c-strasbourg.fr; Info: <http://www-emrs.c-strasbourg.fr>].

#### 22–26 June 2003

**Euroclay 2003.** Modena, Italy. [Contact: Maria Franca Brigatti, Dipartimento di Scienza della Terra, Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia, Largo S. Eufemia 19, I-41100 Modena, Italy. Fax: 39 (059) 205 5887; E-mail: ec2003@unimo.it; Info: <http://www.unimo.it/euroclay2003>].

#### 20–24 July 2003

**Fifteenth American Conference on Crystal Growth and Epitaxy.** Keystone, Colorado, USA. [Contact: Info: <http://www.crystalgrowth.org/conferences/ACCGE15/index.html>].

#### 21–26 July 2003

**Aperiodic 2003.** Belo Horizonte, Minas Gerais, Brazil. [Contact: Secretaria do Aperiodic 2003, Departamento de Física, Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, CP 702, Belo Horizonte 30123-970, Minas Gerais, Brazil. Tel: 55 (31) 3499 5672; Fax: 55 (31) 3499 5600; E-mail: ap2003@fisica.ufmg.br; Info: <http://www.fisica.ufmg.br/~ap2003>].

#### 26–31 July 2003

**ACA'03 American Crystallographic Association Annual Meeting.** Cincinnati, Ohio, USA. [Contact: Jeanette Krause Bauer, Department of Chemistry, Post Office Box 210172, Cincinnati, OH 45221-0172, USA. Tel: 1 (513) 556 9226; Fax: 1 (513) 556 9239; E-mail: jeanette.krause@uc.edu; Info: <http://www.hwi.buffalo.edu/ACA/ACA-Annual/futuremeetings.html>].

#### 30 July–2 August 2003

**Microscopy and Microanalysis 2003.** San Antonio, Texas, USA. Sponsored by the Microscopy Society of America and the Microbeam Analysis Society. [Contact: MSA Business Office, Bostrom Corporation, 230 East Ohio, Suite 400, Chicago, IL 60611, USA. Tel: 1 (312) 644 1527; Fax: 1 (312) 644 8557; E-mail: businessoffice@msa.microscopy.com; Info: <http://www.msa.microscopy.com>].

#### 10–13 August 2003

**CRYSTAL 23 Joint Meeting of the Society of Crystallographers in Australia and New Zealand and the Asian Crystallographic Association.** Broome, Western Australia, Australia. [Contact: Syd Hall, Crystallography Centre, University of Western Australia, Nedlands 6009, WA, Australia. Tel: 61 (8) 9380 2725; Fax: 61 (8) 9380 1118; E-mail: srh@crystal.uwa.edu.au; Info: <http://www.crystal.uwa.edu.au/CrystalsDownUnder>].

#### 24–29 August 2003

**ECM-21 21st European Crystallographic Meeting.** Durban, South Africa. [Contact: Prof. Andreas Roodt, Free State University. E-mail: RoodtA@sci.uovs.ac.za; Info: <http://www.ecm21-africa.co.za>].

### 31 August–4 September 2003

**XIX Conference on Applied Crystallography.** Krakow, Poland. For those with an interest in structure studies applied to materials used in industrial practice. The conference chairman will be Prof. Henryk Morawiec of the University of Silesia. This meeting is followed directly by the **Summer School on Polycrystalline Structure Determination by Direct Methods** (4–7 September), under Prof. Carmelo Giocavazzo of CNR, Bari, Italy. [Contact: Dr. Danuta Stró, University of Silesia, Institute of Physics and Chemistry of Metals, ul. Bankowa 12, 40-007 Katowice, Poland. Tel/Fax: 48 (32) 59 69 29; E-mail: dana@us.edu.pl; Info: www.us.edu.pl/universytet/konferencje/2003/cac/tekst/index.shtml].

### 2–6 September 2003

**ECNS 2003 European Conference on Neutron Scattering.** Montpellier, France. [Contact: René Vacher, CNRS-SPM, Montpellier, France. Tel: 33 (4) 6714 3449; Fax: 33 (4) 6714 3498; E-mail: rene@ldv.uni-montp2.fr; Info: http://www.sfn.asso.fr].

### 1–5 December 2003

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### 14–18 March 2004

**133rd Annual Meeting of the Minerals, Metals & Materials Society.** Charlotte, North Carolina, USA. [Contact: TMS, 184 Thorn Hill Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086, USA. Tel: 1 (724) 776 9000; Fax: 1 (724) 776 3770; E-mail: ckobert@tms.org; Info: http://www.tms.org/Meetings/Annual-04/AnnMtg04Home.html].

### August 2005

**20th IUCr General Assembly and International Congress of Crystallography.** Florence, Italy. [Contact: Carlo Mealli. E-mail: mealli@fi.cnr.it].

## Calendar of Short Courses & Workshops

### 10–14 September 2002

**Summer School on Polarized Neutron Scattering.** Jülich, Germany. [Contact: Prof. Dr. Th. Brückel, Institut für Festkörperforschung, Forschungszentrum Jülich, D-52425 Jülich, Germany. Tel: 49 (2461) 61 46 99; Fax: 49 (2461) 61 26 10; E-mail: t.brueckel@fz-juelich.de; Info: http://www.fz-juelich.de/iff/termine/PNCMI-2002].

### 11–13 September 2002

**Workshop on Advances in Thin Film Characterization by X-rays.** Genova, Italy. Organized by Istituto Nazionale per la Fisica della Materia as part of the activities within Project ESQUI: X-ray Expert System for Electronic Films Quality Improvement. [Contact: Sandro Ferrari, Laboratorio MDM, Istituto Nazionale per la Fisica della Materia, Via C. Olivetti 2, I-20041 Agrate Brianza, Milano, Italy. E-mail: ferraris@mdmlab.mi.infm.it; Info: http://www.infm.it].

### 15–19 September 2002

**International Workshop on Polarized Neutrons in Condensed Matter Investigations.** Jülich, Germany. [Contact: Ms. Erika Wittig, Conference Service, Forschungszentrum Jülich, D-52425 Jülich, Germany. Tel: 49 (2461) 61 38 33; Fax: 49 (2461) 61 53 33; E-mail: e.wittig@fz-juelich.de; Info: http://www.fz-juelich.de/iff/termine/PNCMI-2002].

### 23–26 September 2002

**Second European Workshop on Clay Mineralogy.** Jena, Germany. [Contact: Andreas Bauer, Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, Institut für Nukleare Entsorgung, PO Box 3640, D-76021 Karlsruhe, Germany. Tel: 49 (7247) 82 6293; Fax: 49 (7247) 82 3927; E-mail: bauer@ine.fzk.de; Info: http://

www.uni-jena.de/chemie/geowiss/tagungen/clay2002/clay2002.html].

### 23–27 September 2002

**Analyse Structurale par Diffraction des Rayons X: Structures Absolues, Macles, Incommensurables.** Toulouse, France. [Contact: Bruno Donnadiou, LCC, CNRS UPR8241, 205 Route de Narbonne, 31077 Toulouse Cedex, France. Tel: 33 (0) 561 333 118; E-mail: donadiou@lcc-toulouse.fr; Info: http://www.lmcp.jussieu.fr/sincris\_fr/afc/affiche.pdf].

### 23–24 October 2002

**Workshop Zeit- und temperaturaufgelöste Röntgen-Pulver-Diffraktometrie.** Pfnitztal, Germany. Held at Fraunhofer Institut Chemische Technologie. [Contact: Info: http://www.ict.fhg.de].

### 8 December 2002

**Tutorial on X-ray Powder Diffraction.** Concordville, Pennsylvania, USA. A three-hour introduction to X-ray powder diffraction, preceding the **Pharmaceutical X-ray Diffraction Symposium** (9–12 December.) [Contact: Leah Mooney, International Centre for Diffraction Data, 12 Campus Boulevard, Newtown Square, PA 19073-3273, USA. Tel: 1 (610) 325 9814; Fax: 1 (610) 325 9823; E-mail: ppxrd@icdd.com; Info: http://www.icdd.com/ppxrd].

### 12 December 2002

**Workshop: Does your Instrument Produce Good Data?** Concordville, Pennsylvania, USA. Following the **Pharmaceutical X-ray Diffraction Symposium** (9–12 December.) [Contact: Leah Mooney, International Centre for Diffraction Data, 12 Campus Boulevard, Newtown Square, PA 19073-