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# Ohio Valley Chapter of the Society of Cosmetic Chemists

# **November Meeting Information**

Wednesday November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2008

"The ICPD Process": Idea to the bench to a commercial kettle--Thinking It Through"

> By Eric S. Abrutyn

Farewell Party for Eric S. Abrutyn

Eric has finally decided to retire and move to his palatial estate down in Central America. For everything he has done for the OVSCC, it's our turn to give back to him and make sure he goes out with a bang! We will also be installing the new chapter officers for 2009 with the help of outgoing SCC National President Linda Rhein. Go to our chapter website www.ovscc.org to register.



**Location: Newport Aquarium** 

One Aquarium Way Newport, KY 41071 859-261-7444

Chapter Meeting Immediately Follows the Fall Symposium. See page 3 for details.

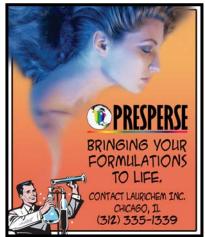
Times: 5:00 – 6:15 pm Registration / Social Hour

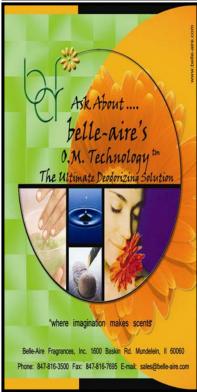
6:15 - 7:30 pm **Presentations** 

7:30 - 8:30 pm Dinner

Meeting Registration Information		
	Before 11/14	After 11/14
Members	\$50	\$55
Non-members	\$60	\$65
Students	\$20	\$25

\*\*\* Easy registration & payment at www.ovscc.org \*\*\*







## Ken's Korner

As my reign (of terror) comes to an end, I wanted to thank all of you for making my first stint as chapter Chair so rewarding and interesting. I'd especially like to thank the outgoing (and incoming) Board and advisors for all their help, counsel and energy in executing an ambitious agenda for 2008. Thanks to their hard work, we've managed to squeeze in two symposia in addition to our regular chapter meetings and our annual Golf Outing. I'm told that our Summer symposium featuring Randy Wickett was the best attended meeting we've ever had as a chapter.

Hopefully the Fall symposium that's being held at the Newport Aquarium on November 19<sup>th</sup> will be just as, or more, successful. This symposium features speakers from industries that are related to our own (see announcement for details). I know from personal experience that some people may look at this agenda and think that since it isn't <u>directly</u> applicable to their everyday work, they don't need to attend. However, my hope is that people will walk away from the symposium with a better understanding of how products are developed in these adjacent fields and how some of these chemistries and technologies might be applied to their own projects. We are once again subsidizing the cost of attending this symposium for our members with funds raised at our annual golf outing, which set attendance and fund-raising records this year (Well done!). In addition, the Newport Aquarium is definitely a step up from some of our usual venues, with paid parking, Cuisine by Jean-Robert and admission to the Aquarium exhibits included in the registration fee.

In the event that you choose not to attend the symposium, I'm hoping that you'll make the effort to attend the chapter meeting which follows at 5:00 pm at the Aquarium. Eric Abrutyn as been an active and vital part of our chapter for many years and he has finally decided to retire and move to Panama. Not only will he be the speaker for our chapter meeting (see announcement for details), but this will also serve as his farewell party. We will be having a fabulous dinner, also by Jean-Robert, and a full hosted bar to get everyone into the "spirit" of the evening. Let's make sure we show Eric how much we appreciate everything he's done for our chapter and send him off in style. This meeting will also see the installation of our chapter officers for 2009 (which looks oddly like this year's Board), and will be witnessed by the outgoing National SCC President, Linda Rhein.

I'd also like to remind everyone that the second notice of renewal of your SCC dues has been sent out and that we are in a contest with the other chapters. The top three chapters with the highest percentage of renewals received by December 31<sup>st</sup> will get a monetary reward. As you've seen from the updates we've been sending out, we are currently holding on to 2<sup>nd</sup> place. However, there are a few sneaky chapters (Long Island, St. Louis) that like to lay in wait and spring to the top of the leader board at the last minute. Let's make sure they have to match our 100% renewal score just to tie. If for some reason you can't renew your membership, make sure you contact the National Office at (212) 668-1500 and ask them to cancel your membership for 2009. It is less expensive for you to rejoin the Society after resigning than after being dropped for non-payment of dues.

In closing, I wanted to tell all of you what an honor it has been serving as your Chair. I've formed so many new relationships and friendships during my tenure, both locally and at the National level. I promise that I will try to build on them (and occasionally abuse them) in the future. And to my Heir Apparent Brandon, I wish him all the luck in 2009!









#### OVSCC FALL SYMPOSIUM

NOVEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>
NEWPORT AQUARIUM – Currents Ballroom
(Featuring Cuisine by Jean-Robert)
Newport, KY

8:00am to 5:00 pm (Talks Begin at 8:30 am)

Exploring Industries Adjacent to Personal Care: Technology Bridging

As cosmetic chemists, at least those that have been in the industry a while, we have a tendency to use and reuse chemistries and technical approaches that we are familiar and comfortable with. This method of product development works very well, but ultimately becomes predictable and may lead to formulation atrophy. The purpose of this symposium is to provide you with the opportunity to rekindle the passion for learning new things and reignite the fires of innovation. We have brought in speakers from 6 adjacent industries to talk about the kinds of chemistry and technology utilized in their work, with the hope that they may spark some ideas for use in your own areas of interest. These areas include the following:

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In addition, Chemidex will be here to present and demonstrate their unique website during lunch, which provides free access to chemists around the globe and across the six industries above as well as our own. The Chemidex website is paid for by the suppliers in their respective categories and allows for "one-stop shopping" of samples, literature and technical data.

Your registration fee also includes a complimentary ticket to tour the Newport Aquarium at the end of the symposium. The Newport Aquarium also features Cuisine by Jean-Robert, one of Cincinnati's finest French chefs. Parking will be paid for by the OVSCC as well (see attached coupon for parking pass).

Register via PayPal at <a href="www.ovscc.org">www.ovscc.org</a> or contact David Mosko to pay by check or cash at <a href="david.mosko@nstarch.com">david.mosko@nstarch.com</a>.

Registration Fees (Before November 12<sup>th</sup>) Registration Fees (After 11/12 or At the Door)

 Members: \$150
 Members: \$200

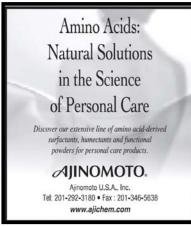
 Non-Members: \$200
 Non-Members: \$250

 Students: \$50
 Students: \$65

You are also welcome to attend our regular chapter meeting, which follows at 5:00 pm (separate registration fee required) and features our very own Eric Abrutyn in his farewell performance before retirement to Panama. See our website <a href="www.ovscc.org">www.ovscc.org</a> for more details on this meeting and to register for both events.

It's a full day of education, exploration and adventure not to be missed!





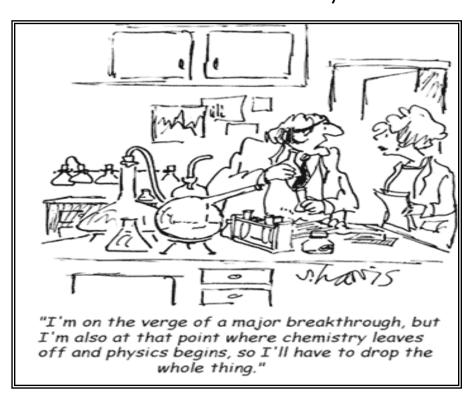




## **SOCIETY OF COSMETIC CHEMIST BENEFITS**

Membership in the Society of Cosmetic Chemists entitles you to many benefits including; The Official Journal of the SCC six times a year, member rates for meeting registrations and CEP courses and **FREE** access to "Ask the Expert". Membership to the Ohio Valley Chapter of the SCC entitles you to all the benefits mentioned above, plus access to low cost subsidized educational events like CEP courses which as an OVSCC member the registration fee is significantly reduced.

Dedicated to the advancement of cosmetic science, the Society strives to increase and disseminate scientific information through meetings and publications. By promoting research in cosmetic science and industry, and by setting high ethical, professional and educational standards, we reach our goal of improving the qualifications of cosmetic scientists. Our mission is to further the interests and recognition of cosmetic scientists while maintaining the confidence of the public in the cosmetic and toiletries industry.



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