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CHICAGO SECTION

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60601

JANUARY MEETING

Date: January 10, 1973

Place: Playboy Club
919 North Michigan
Chicago, Illinois

Time: Pre-Dinner Program 3:30
Social Hour 5:30 - 6:30
Dinner 6:30

Cost: \$7.50 for Chicago Section members
\$8.50 for non-members

Pre Dinner Program: Open Meeting of the Chicago Section
Board of Directors

Chairman Bahadur has called a Chicago Section Board of Directors meeting to discuss future monthly meeting plans and to determine ways of improving the Section by making it more attuned to the interests of its members. An open meeting is being planned so that members may attend and express their ideas to the Board.

Everyone is invited to attend and to participate in planning and evaluating the programs of the Section.

After Dinner Program: "Social Problems in Engineering -
The Artificial Kidney"

Many current areas of engineering effort that are more closely related to "Social Problems" are likely to result in questions of implementation that are somewhat different from those we are accustomed to handling. This is primarily caused by a more intimate relationship with political and individual personal decisions after the technical solution is feasible. One of the older and more developed bio-engineering areas, the artificial kidney, is used to illustrate these ideas and may provide a guide for other problems in the future that are likely to have some similarities.

Speaker: Dr. Kenneth B. Bischoff
Cornell University

Dr. Kenneth Bischoff is a local Chicagoan who received his chemical engineering doctorate in 1961 at the Illinois Institute of Technology under Professor Octave Levenspiel. He spent one year in post-doctoral studies at the Technical University in Gent, Belgium. He was with the chemical engineering faculties at the University of Texas and the University of Maryland. In 1970, Professor Bischoff joined Cornell University where he holds the Walter R. Reed Professor of Engineering Chair and is Director of the Chemical Engineering Department. Dr. Bischoff is widely acknowledged for his numerous papers and books in the areas of chemical reaction engineering and bioengineering. One of his many contributions to the chemical engineering profession is his current position as a National Director of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

Reservations

It is very important to make a reservation for the upcoming meeting so that an exact count can be made of those planning to attend. Anyone who shows up without having a reservation may not be accommodated and the Chicago Section will incur the cost for those persons who make a reservation and don't attend.

To make a reservation, please fill out and return the enclosed prepaid postcard. If your plans change or you cannot return the postcard, please contact the telephone operator at the AIChE-Chicago Section office, 236-3036.

Location

The Playboy Club is located in the Playboy Building at 919 North Michigan, Chicago, Illinois. Ample parking is available in the area.

Joliet Subsection Meeting Scheduled

Date: January 16, 1973

Place: Holiday Inn West
I-55 and Route 52
Joliet, Illinois

Time: Social Hour 6:30
Dinner 7:30

Speaker: Mr. Bayce Grier
Atomic Energy Commission
Midwest Region

Topic: "Problems Associated with Nuclear
Power Plant Startup"

Anyone who has any questions concerning the Joliet Subsection meeting should contact Mr. Gus Winkler at 581-6800.

Local Section Briefs:

An enthusiastic group of 62 people attended the December meeting at Itasca Country Club and listened to Dr. George Lester of Universal Oil Products Company explain catalytic muffler systems and their abilities to meet proposed 1975 and 1976 EPA emission standards.

A reminder about the American Chemical Society symposium on "Environmental Impacts of Chemical Engineering," Hosted by Northwestern University, to be held January 18 and 19, 1973. Further details may be obtained from Professor John B. Butt, Arrangements Chairman, Department of Chemical Engineering, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois 60201.

"SEASONS GREETINGS"