



**243st ACS National Meeting
San Diego, CA**



**Division of Carbohydrate Chemistry
Program Committee Meeting**

**Sunday March 25th, 2012
Omni Hotel Gaslamp 2 Meeting Room**

Minutes

Present: Dev Arya, Xi Chen, Alexei Demchenko, Gillian Eggleston (guest), Xuefei Huang, Todd Lowary (Chair), Nicola Pohl, John Vercellotti, Lai-xi Wang, Zbigniew Witczak.

The meeting was called to order at 5:55 pm by Todd Lowary.

The executive committee has previously decided to hold CARB programming only in the spring national ACS meeting. The impact on meeting attendance and budget will be evaluated in 2012.

1. 243rd National Meeting in San Diego

- a. 136 abstracts submitted
- b. Five symposia, general papers and poster sessions

2. 244th National Meeting in Philadelphia, Aug. 19th – 23rd, 2012

NAS symposium on *Glycoscience at the Crossroad of Health, Materials, and Energy*
General posters

Program Theme: *Materials for Health & Medicine*

3. Program for 245th ACS National Meeting, April 7th – 11th, 2013 New Orleans, LA

Program Theme: *Chemistry of Energy & Food*

Several symposia are planned:

- a) 2013 Wolfrom, Isbell and Gin New Investigator Award Symposium
- b) Heparin synthesis, analysis and biological functions (Jian Liu, Bob Linhardt) joint programming with ANYL division
- c) Biofuels, Bioproducts, and Biomass from Sugar Feedstocks (Gillian Eggleston)
- d) Glycobiology symposium (?)
- e) General papers and general posters

Hudson award symposium?

Should we organize a symposium to honor Derek Horton's 80th Birthday?

4. Adjournment

- a. Meeting adjourned at 6:15 pm.

Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'E. Rozners', with a stylized, flowing script.

Eriks Rozners
Secretary