International Conference on
EXTRAHEPATIC DRUG METABOLISM AND CHEMICAL CARCINOGENESIS

The meeting will focus on various aspects of chemical carcinogenesis in extrahepatic tissues which exhibit a high incidence of cancer in man. Properties and control of drug-metabolizing enzymes, the interaction of reactive electrophiles with DNA, and different models for chemical carcinogenesis will be emphasized. A particular goal of this meeting is to assess the relationship between carcinogen metabolism and initiation of extrahepatic cancer, and the role of tissue- and species-specific carcinogens in this context.

The program will include lectures given by invited speakers, discussions and poster sessions. The number of participants will be limited to 150. Proceedings will be published. Advisory committee: P.L. Grover (London), J.-Å. Gustafsson (Stockholm), C.F. Jefcoate (Madison), D.W. Nebert (Bethesda), S. Orrenius (Stockholm), J. Rydström (Stockholm). For further information contact: Dr. J. Rydström, Dept. of Biochemistry, Arrhenius Laboratory, Univ. of Stockholm, S-106 91 Stockholm, Sweden.
Cancer Research in the issue cover recognizes the contributions of Professor Leiv Kreyberg of Norway to the understanding of cancer.

Leiv Kreyberg was born in 1896 in Bergen. He was Professor of Pathology at the Oslo University from 1938 to 1964 and has continued his work as Professor Emeritus. His contributions encompass all of pathology and cancer, but he is best known for his pioneering classifications of lung cancers into several types. Kreyberg has occupied many prestigious posts with international organizations of pathology and with the International Union Against Cancer.

Pictured are: a woodcut of Kreyberg, the pathology building of the University of Oslo, and sections of three lung tumor types from one of Kreyberg’s early publications: left to right, squamous cell carcinoma, adenocarcinoma, and bronchioloalveolar carcinoma.

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