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## Meetings :: Denver 2011

# Agenda

**August, 2011**

**TO: POLYED Committee**

**FROM: C. Carraher, Jr. and J. Droske**

**RE: POLYED Agenda for the Denver ACS Meeting**

We will meet at **7:30 A.M. on Tuesday, August 30th, 2011, in the Plaza Court 1, Sheraton Hilton.** The meeting will have a continental breakfast.

The agenda for the meeting is given below. Subcommittee chairs, please be sure to forward your reports to John at the POLYED Center ([jdroske@uwsp.edu](mailto:jdroske@uwsp.edu)) in advance of the meeting so that they may be posted on our web site and distributed to the two Divisions.

**A new look for our web site is being launched to coincide with the Denver meeting** (the new site should be available on Monday, August 29). Please be patient as we launch the new website. Also, be sure to let us know of any changes that you'd like to see. Meeting reports and other information may be found at "<http://www.polyed.org>" under "Info for Committee Members".

See you in Denver!

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## **AGENDA:**

### **Welcome**

#### **A. PRECOLLEGE DIRECTORATE (open)**

1. Award for Excellence in HS Teaching (Harris/Padias)
2. Teacher Outreach (M. Harris)
3. Intersociety Polymer Education Council (Droske/Carraher/Padias)  
Polymer Ambassadors (Harris/Van Natta)

#### **B. COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STUDENTS DIRECTORATE (T. SMITH)**

1. Organic Student Award (Droske)
2. Polymer Graduates (Deanin)
3. Undergraduate Research Awards Program (Howell)

#### **C. COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY FACULTY DIRECTORATE (T. SMITH)**

1. Textbook Authors (Ford/Krause/Sperling)
2. Curriculum Development Award (Miri)
3. AkzoNobel Outstanding Graduate Thesis Award (Amis/Ford)
4. AkzoNobel Outstanding Symposium Paper (Hahn and Thomaidis)
5. POLYED/CPT Foundational Courses Working Group (e.g., CPT Supplements, compilation of updated versions of previously published Core Course Guidelines) (Carraher/Droske/Ford/Howell)

Organic (Ford/Howell co-chairs)  
Inorganic (Tessier/Ford co-chairs)  
Physical-(Blum/Russo co-chairs)  
Analytical (Zach/Droske/Carraher co-chairs)

6. ACS Polymer Exam (open)

**D. INDUSTRIAL/GOVERNMENT PROFESSIONALS (R. MOORE)**

1. Short Course Directory (archived)
2. Industrial Teachers (archived)
3. Educational Needs of the Industrial Polymer Scientist (archived)

**E. POLYED National Information Center (Droske)**

**F. Treasurer (Reddy Venumbaka)**

**G. POLYED Web Site (Droske)**

**H. CPT Liaison (Howell/Carraher)**

**I. SOCED Liaison (open)**

**J. Liaison to Division of Chemical Education (M. Harris;H. Harris)**

**K. Industrial Sponsors (Moore/Pilcher)**

**L. Adjournment (by 9:00 A.M.)**