

American Chemical Society
Environmental Chemistry Division
Long Range Planning Meeting Report

The Environmental Chemistry Division's Long Range Planning Committee met in Boston, August 23, 1998.

Dr. Gilbert E. Smith, Executive Director of The National Registry in Clinical Chemistry, discussed the recently implemented certification program for Environmental Analytical Chemists and Environmental Analytical Technicians.

Business discussed included:

- (1) Responses to the membership survey conducted by the Division of Environmental chemistry in 1997
- (2) ACS membership contest with emphasis on how to identify and encourage students to become members of the American Chemical Society and the Division of Environmental Chemistry
- (3) The Division's efforts to move forward in our use of information technology on our internet sites and the CD-ROM version of the preprints of extended abstracts
- (4) Recurring programming themes

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