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When scientists collaborate on a paper, jealousy, grievance, and misunderstanding can seriously threaten the team effort. Few believe that authorship should not be acknowledged at all; authors enjoy seeing their names in print, and parts of their careers depend upon it. This being so, let us look at a few current practices regarding authorship that may lead to misunderstanding.

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6-7. Laser/Electron Beam, seminar, Chicago, Ill. (R. Aptekar, Information Services Dept., American Soc. of Tool and Manufacturing Engineers, 10700 Puritan Ave., Detroit, Mich. 48238) 6-7. Optical Masers Symp., Toronto,

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6-8. American Assoc. of Genito-urinary Surgeons, Rye, N.Y. (2020 93rd St., Cleveland 6, Ohio)

6-8. Psychosomatic Research, European conf., Athens, Greece. [G. S. Philippopulos, 4 Monis Petraki St., Athens (140)]

6-8. Society for Experimental Stress Analysis, spring meeting, Salt Lake City, Utah. (B. E. Bossi, 21 Bridge Sq. Westport, Conn.)

6-9. Acoustical Soc. of America, 66th spring meeting, New York, N.Y. (W. Waterfall, 335 E. 45 St., New York, N.Y.)

7-8. Vacuum Microbalance Techniques, 4th conf., Pittsburgh, Pa. (F. A. Brassart, Westinghouse Research and Development Center, Beulah Rd., Pittsburgh 35)

7-8. International College of Surgeons, British section, summer meeting, London. (Secretariat, 1516 Lake Shore Dr., Chicago,, Ill. 60610)

7-9. Society for American Archaeology, 30th annual, Chapel Hill, N.C. (W. H. Sears, Florida State Museum, Gainesville)

7-9. Society of Neurological Surgeons, Rochester, Minn. (SNS, Duke Univ. Medical Center, Durham, N.C.)

7-10. International Assoc. for **Bronchology**, 14th congr., Vienna, Austria. (Secretariat, Vienna Acad. of Medicine, 4, Alserstr., Vienna 9)

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8-9. Surface Physics, Washington State Univ. Pullman. (E. E. Donaldson, Physics Dept., Washington State Univ., Pullman)

8-20. Space Research, 7th plenary meeting, ICSU committee, Florence, Italy. (E. R. Dyer, Jr., National Acad. of Sciences-National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Ave., Washington, D.C.)

10-14. Cardiology, 3rd Asian-Pacific congr., Kyoto, Japan. (S. Hayase, Medical Clinic, Kyoto Univ. Hospital, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto)

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10-15. Photographic Science and Engineering, intern. conf., Palisades Park, N.J. (Executive Secretary, Soc. of Photographic Scientists and Engineers, Box 1609, Main Post Office, Washington, D.C.)

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11-16. Assessment of **Radioactive Body Burdens** in Man, symp., IAEA, Heidelberg, Germany. (IAEA, Div. of Public Information Kärntnerring 11, Vienna, Austria.)

11-14. Aerospace Medical Assoc., 35th annual, Bal Harbour, Fla. (W. J. Kennard, c/o Washington Natl. Airport, Washington, D.C. 20001)

11-14. Biological Editors, conf., Ann Arbor, Mich. (R. L. Zwemer, Committee on European Editors, c/o American Physiological Soc., 9650 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda, Md. 20014)

11-16. International College of Surgeons, 14th intern. congr., Vienna, Austria. (S. E. Henwood, 1516 Lake Shore Dr., Chicago, Ill. 60610)

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26–29. Water Studies, 17th intern. conf., Liége, Belgium. (Cebedeau—Journees 1964, 2, rue A. Stevart, Liége)

27-29. American **Ophthalmological** Soc., Hot Springs, Va. (AOS, 108 E. 68 St., New York, N.Y. 10021)

27–29. Canadian **High Polymer** Forum, 12th, Ste. Marguerite, Quebec. (H. Daoust, Dept. of Chemistry, University of Montreal, P.O. Box 6128, Montreal, P.Q.)

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are invited in all fields of analysis by spectroscopy, and in analytical chemistry with emphasis on gas chromatography and instrumental methods in quality control. Deadline for receipt of titles and abstracts: *1 June*. (D. A. Shearer, Analytical Chemistry Research Service, Research Branch, Canada Agriculture, Ottawa, Ont.)

The Institute of Physics and the Physical Society, London, will sponsor a conference on low and medium energy nuclear physics, 9–11 September at the University of Sussex. Short papers are invited for the meeting; abstracts of approximately 300 words are required in triplicate. Deadline: *1 June*. (W. D. Hamilton, School of Physical Sciences, University of Sussex, Brighton, Sussex, England.)

A conference on magnetic resonance in biological systems will be held 20– 22 July in Boston, Mass. The subjects for discussion will include radiation damage of nucleic acids, enzyme action, conformation studies of proteins and nucleic acids, light-induced excited states, oxidation-reduction reactions, and paramagnetic metal ions in biological macromolecules. (R. G. Shulman, Bell Telephone Laboratories, Murray Hill, N.J.)

The Professional Technical Group on Sonics and Ultrasonics, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, plans its 1964 symposium 14–16 October in Santa Monica, California. Papers are invited for presentation at the meeting; triplicate copies of a 200-word abstract are required. Deadline: *1 June*. (A. H. Meitzler, Technical Program Chairman, Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., Murray Hill, N.J.)

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Fritz John, professor of mathematics at New York University, has been named director of the division for mathematics and mechanics of N.Y.U.'s Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences.

The new president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists is **Grover E. Murray**, vice president and dean of academic affairs at Louisiana State University.

James Edwin Wood, associate professor of medicine at the Medical College of Georgia, has been appointed research professor of medicine and cardiology at the University of Virginia, as of 1 July.

Fisher Scientific Company has named Sidney Soloway director of research and development. He was formerly with the Ridgefield Research Laboratories, Schlumberger Well Surveying Company.

David Myers, professor of otolaryngology at the University of Pennsylvania, has been appointed chairman of the department in the university's graduate school of medicine.

Warren L. Bostick, professor of pathology and director of laboratories at the University of California School of Medicine, San Francisco, has been named dean of the California College of Medicine, Los Angeles.

David B. Smith, formerly vice president for engineering and research at the Philco Corporation, has been named visiting professor of engineering at the University of Pennsylvania.

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Carroll L. Shartle, formerly chief of the psychology and social sciences division in the Defense Department's Office of Defense Research and Engineering, has become director of research and assistant dean for research in Ohio State University's College of Commerce and Engineering.

A. W. F. Banfield, chief zoologist in the Natural History Branch, National Museum of Canada, Ottawa, has been appointed director of the branch. He succeeds Loris S. Russell, who has become head of the life sciences division, Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto.

William G. Thurman, chairman of the department of pediatrics at the Sloan-Kettering Institute, has been named chairman of the department of pediatrics and first B. A. Shepherd professor of pediatrics at the University of Virginia, effective 1 July.

The University of Miami, Florida, has appointed **William J. Harrington** professor and head of the department of chemistry as of 1 June. He is at the present time an associate professor of medicine and director of the hematology division at Washington University medical school, St. Louis, Mo.

Velayudhan Nair, formerly at the University of Chicago, has been appointed associate professor of pharmacology and therapeutics at the Chicago Medical School, and director of the neuropharmacology and biochemistry laboratories at Michael Reese Hospital Psychiatric Research Institute.

Gerald M. Almy, associate head of the physics department at the University of Illinois, has been named head of the department, succeeding Frederick Seitz. Seitz, on leave to serve as president of the National Academy of Sciences, is scheduled to return to the university in 1966 as vice president for research and dean of the graduate college.

The new president of the National Society of Professional Engineers is **Brandon H. Backlund**, president of B. H. Backlund and Associates, Omaha, Nebr., and of Backlund Caribbean Engineering Corp.



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Herbert E. Longenecker, president of Tulane University, has been named chairman of the Commission on Federal Relations of the American Council of Education.

John W. Bodine. president of Penjerdel, a regional research and information oragnization, has been elected president of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia.

Marion Spencer DeWeese, associate professor of surgery at the University of Michigan, has been appointed professor and chairman of the surgery department in the University of Missouri's medical school, effective 1 June. He succeeds John J. Modlin, who has resigned the chairmanship to resume private practice, but will remain on the medical school's clinical staff.

M. H. Bernstein, chairman of the politics department at Princeton, has been appointed dean of the university's Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, effective 1 July.

Martin B. Dworkis, professor of public administration at New York University, has been elected president of the new Borough of Manhattan Community College.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture recently announced that it has stationed **Clinton L. Brooke** in Western Europe to "represent U.S. interests relating to food laws and regulations that affect international trade in agricultural products." Brooke, formerly with Merck & Company, is at the U.S. Mission to the European Communities, Brussels, Belgium.

Vernon B. Brooks, formerly associate professor at the Rockefeller Institute in New York, has become professor and chairman of the physiology department at New York Medical College.

