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# **CINF MISSION STATMENT**

The ACS Division of Chemical Information (CINF) is committed to promoting the generation of, access to and use of the world's knowledgebase in chemistry and the related sciences.

# **CINF OBJECTIVE**

The division fosters the sharing of expertise in science informatics, information technology, and librarianship to ensure members benefit from the experience of others and are able to improve the dissemination and utilization of scientific information. We do this through innovative, high quality programming, education, career mentoring, collaboration and outreach, and recognition of excellence.

# **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

As with all volunteer organizations, there is no better way to make the most of CINF than to jump in and get involved. CINF has volunteer opportunities for everyone - helping with symposia, putting together publications, keeping our organizational house in order, and planning the fun events. To volunteer, just check out our web page and contact any of the officers.

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# **CINF**

# ACS DIVISION OF CHEMICAL INFORMATION



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#### FOR YOUR CAREER

Your job and your location may change several times during the span of your professional career. The most constant element of your career will be your professional society. The CINF Division of the American Chemical Society can assist you with:

- Education and training to keep you at the top of your profession
- 2. Resources for your day-to-day work
- Knowledge of salaries, employers, new positions, new publications and clients/customers
- 4. Opportunities to contribute to your profession
- A natural support group to celebrate the highs and to help you through the lows of your career

CINF has a 60-year history as a resource for its members' careers. Make CINF the professional society for your career.

# **STATE-OF-THE ART PROGRAMS**

CINF organizes **symposia** on the state-of-the-art in Chemical Information at ACS National and Regional Meetings. These bottom-up generated programs cover the latest research and trends in Information Technology. Recent symposia have covered patent information for small chemical businesses, bioinformatics, open access, and virtual high-throughput screening.

#### **DAY-TO-DAY WORK RESOURCES**

CINF cosponsors **CHMINF-L**, the Chemical Information Discussion List on the Internet. With an archive that goes back to 1991, CHMINF-L gives you quick access to a virtual reference desk that is staffed with some of the best chemistry librarians, information specialists and chemists. See the URL below to join.

https://listserv.indiana.edu/archives/chminf-l.html

# **CINF AWARDS**

CINF recognizes excellence and outstanding contributions to the CINF Division and to the field of Chemical Information in general with the following awards:

- The Herman Skolnik Award for outstanding contributions to and achievements in the theory and practice of chemical information science
- The Val Metanomski Meritorious Service Award for outstanding service to the Division
- CINF Lifetime Award recognizes long term membership and outstanding service and active contributions to the Division over the years
- CINF Scholarship for Scientific Excellence designed to reward graduate and postdoctoral students in chemical information and related sciences for scientific excellence and to foster their involvement in CINF
- The Lucille M. Wert Student Scholarship for students with interest in the fields of chemistry and information to pursue graduate study in library, information or computer science

#### SALARY SURVEYS

CINF's periodic salary and benefits surveys will help you compare yourself to the industry and provide you with a resource for approaching your management.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

The electronic Chemical Information Bulletin, is an electronic publication published on the CINF website and containing news, notes and abstracts to be presented at Divisional symposia before each National ACS meeting and news/reports from the meeting a month or two after each National ACS meeting. Interviews book reviews and other innovative and unique material are also published in eCIB.

For a number of years, CINF committee members have been working virtually between ACS meetings using a Yahoo! Group and we are now experimenting with sharing documents using a CINF Group on the ACS Network

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