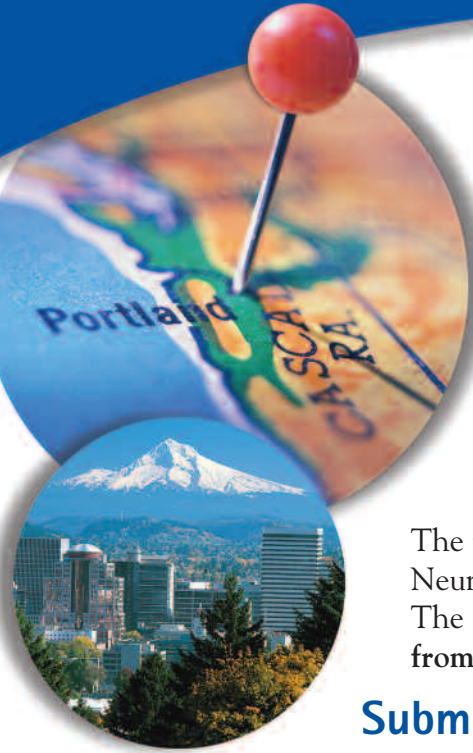




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## 37th Annual ASN Meeting First Call for Session Proposals

**Portland, Oregon – March 11–15, 2006**

The program committee for the 37th annual meeting of the American Society for Neurochemistry invites submissions for symposia, colloquia, and workshops. The meeting will be held at the **Hilton Hotel, located in downtown Portland Oregon, from March 11–15, 2006.**

### Submissions

Submissions for sessions will be reviewed by members of the Program Committee using an NIH-style scoring system. As in the past, all sessions will be scheduled for 2 hours including time for questions. The program committee encourages proposals from younger investigators, and recommends that senior investigators consider having a junior investigator as a co-organizer. Both ASN members and non-members are invited to submit proposals.

### Symposia

**Symposia** consist of 4 speakers presenting highlights of their research, and a brief overview of the topic for audience members not working in that field. Talks should encompass a common theme, and sessions presenting contrasting points of view or alternative approaches is a strength.

### Colloquia

**Colloquia** consist of 4 to 5 speakers who have 20 minutes to present a focused description of recent studies and developments. As the audience for colloquia may be more familiar with the topic, the need for introductory statements is minimal.

### Workshops

The format of a **Workshop** is flexible, and can consist of up to 6 speakers presenting succinct descriptions of a specific problem, technique, or approach. Workshops should be considered as platforms to provide practical knowledge.

**Submissions Requirements...**

[www.ASNeurochem.org](http://www.ASNeurochem.org)



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## Submissions for Sessions Should Include:

- 1 The Chairperson (and when appropriate co-chair) name, title, affiliation, address, email and phone number.
- 2 The title and type of session being proposed.
- 3 Description (up to 250 words) including a brief scientific background, the current state of the topic, and why the session would be of high interest to Neuroscientists. If the topic has been covered at a recent ASN meeting (please visit [www.ASNeurochem.org](http://www.ASNeurochem.org) for this year's program) a rationale for revisiting the topic.
- 4 A list of speakers, their tentative talk titles, a list of 2 or 3 recent publications, and whether they have agreed to participate. Please note that the organizer of a session is not required to present.

## Proposals

Proposals should be submitted to Program Chair, Monica Carson at [monica.carson@ucr.edu](mailto:monica.carson@ucr.edu) (951-827-6089)

If you are interested in organizing a session but are not certain about what is involved, or if you have ideas for a session that fall outside the formats listed above, please contact the program chair at the email address above.



**The Deadline for Proposal Submission is  
July 5th, 2005**



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