

## IMPORTANT DEADLINES

February, 2006 Distribution of Second Circular

May 1st, 2006 Submission of Abstracts

June 30th, 2006 Early Registration

### To receive the 2nd Circular:

Send email to [cac2006@iqm.unicamp.br](mailto:cac2006@iqm.unicamp.br) or

Register at the website <http://www.cac2006.iqm.unicamp.br>

## SOCIAL PROGRAM & EXCURSIONS

The social program will include a welcome reception, conference excursion and banquet. Optional pre/post-conference tours information will be available.

### VISA

Participants from countries that need an entry visa for Brazil should contact the Brazilian diplomatic representation in their own country as soon as possible.

Conference proceedings will be published as a special volume of Elsevier's *Analytica Chimica Acta* (only papers submitted during the Conference that meet ACA refereeing process will be included in the special volume).

## CONTACT ADDRESSES



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# 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Chemometrics in Analytical Chemistry

# CAC 2006

## CHEMOMETRICS IN THE TROPICS

CAMPINAS, SP, BRAZIL

September 10 - 14 2006

First Circular

On behalf of the Organizing Committee I have the pleasure to invite you to the 10th International Conference on Chemometrics in Analytical Chemistry CAC-2006, to be held in September 2006 in Campinas, Brazil exactly at the tropic of Capricorn. This is the first time that CAC will be held in the Southern Hemisphere.

Since the first meeting in Amsterdam, more than 25 years ago, CAC has been a great opportunity to share experiences, exchange knowledge and widen horizons. We hope this meeting will also bring to all, positive and fruitful collaboration between chemometricians, chemists, engineers and bioscientists.

We look forward welcoming you in BRAZIL and sharing a stimulating meeting and hope that you all take this unique opportunity to know better this large and diverse country with amiable people (150 million) and where nature chose to show up one of its most peculiar and wondrous manifestations.

CAC-2006 is hosted by Instituto de Química, Universidade Estadual de Campinas, UNICAMP

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## SELECTED PROGRAM TOPICS

### I- HUMAN AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Applications in Environment / Medicine

### II- INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS

Pharmacology; Food Industry; Agriculture; Process Chemometrics and Process Analytical Technology; Product Design

### III- NEW APPLICATIONS, THEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENTS

Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery  
Multiblock and Multiway Data Analysis

## OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language is English. There will be no translation facilities.

## REGISTRATION FEES

The registration fees for the Conference which pays for book of abstracts, coffee breaks and lunch Monday-Thursday, welcome reception and banquet will be:

	BEFORE June 30 2006	AFTER June 30 2006
Participant	USD 500	USD 600
Student	US250	USD 300

For students, a number of grants are available. Grants cover registration fees, but do not include traveling costs or lodging expenses.

To qualify for a grant, the following conditions must be fulfilled:

\* The applicant must be a graduate student in any area related to the topic of the Conference.

\* The letter of application should reach us at the address below before APRIL 30, 2006, and be accompanied by the following documents:

\* A cv, a short description of present activities, and a list of publications.

\* a proof of students status from the applicant's institution.

\* an abstract for a poster or oral presentation; acceptance of the abstract by the organizers is a sine qua non condition for the grant.

The final decision will be announced to individual applicants by the middle of June 2006.