

# NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2023

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Our new Council started in August 2023 (Kevin Gellenbeck is the new President of the ICS). [More information.](#)

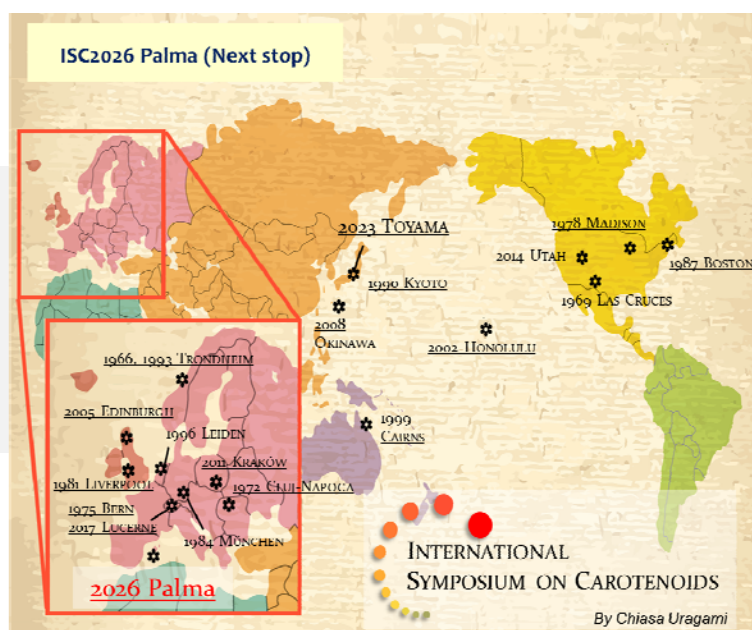
## UPCOMING EVENTS



**Gordon Research Conference**  
Biology and Applications of Carotenoids, Retinoids and Other Apocarotenoids. 2025. More details to come.

2026 - The 20<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON CAROTENOIDS will be held in Palma (Spain) (*Tentative dates 14-19 June*).

[Stay tuned for updates!](#)



## PAST EVENT – ICS Toyama



Attendees (ICS2023)

The 19<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Carotenoids



Travel awardees (ICS2023)

## ONGOING VOLUMES IN METHODS IN ENZYMOLOGY (MIE)

Dear ICS members,

As you might know, Dr. Eleanore T. Wurtzel led an outstanding effort to compile three volumes in MIE on Carotenoids. The 3 volumes of MIE on Carotenoids contain a total of 1700 pages and they were created with the help of ~55 carotenoid labs worldwide including ~193 authors. The books will be a valuable resource to support emerging areas of carotenoid research for years to come.

MIE on Carotenoids: Carotenoid and apocarotenoid analysis, volume 670, Elsevier.

MIE on Carotenoids: Carotenoid and apocarotenoid biosynthesis, metabolic engineering and synthetic biology, volume 671, Elsevier.

MIE on Carotenoids: Biological functions of carotenoids and apocarotenoids in natural and artificial systems, volume 674, Elsevier.

Dr. Eleanore encourages all the ICS members with no access to this work to contact her directly for more information. [wurtzel@lehman.cuny.edu](mailto:wurtzel@lehman.cuny.edu)

**Methods in Enzymology on Carotenoids (2022), 1700 pages, Elsevier**  
*Eleanore T. Wurtzel, Editor*

*"Enabling enable future research in the interdisciplinary field of carotenoids from plant biochemistry and analytical chemistry to synthetic biology, food security and human health"*



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**193 authors and 55 chapters** from carotenoid labs on every continent

*\* This volume was dedicated to Drs. George Britton and Synnøve Lioaen Jensen.*

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