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ICBIC16 is coming up soon: July 22–26, 2013 in Grenoble, France, <http://www.icbic16.com/>. While the early registration deadline has passed, you can still register to attend at the higher rate. The program will be fantastic, from six outstanding plenary lecturers and the two SBIC Early Career Award Winner lectures, Oliver Einsle and Carsten Krebs, to parallel sessions covering metalloproteins and enzymes, metals in medicine and health, metal homeostasis and trafficking, metals and nucleic acids, bioinspired coordination and organometallic chemistry, and bioinspired catalysis. This year ICBIC will run a poster contest. The 12 best posters will be rewarded with poster prizes.

The SBIC Nominations Committee is an especially important committee that assembles the list of nominees to

run for SBIC offices, including the President-Elect position and a SBIC Council Member position. This year F. Ann Walker chaired this committee and is just finishing up the recommendations to be submitted to the SBIC membership. Please remember to vote in the upcoming election, which should be held in June 2013.

See you in Grenoble!

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