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NOTICES

- 2001 SACKS PRIZE. The Sacks Prize, for the best doctoral dissertation in mathematical logic, will be awarded for the seventh time in December, 2001. This prize was established to honor Professor Gerald Sacks of MIT and Harvard for his unique contribution to mathematical logic, particularly as adviser to a large number of excellent PhD students. The Prize became an ASL Prize in 1999; the Fund on which the Prize is based is now administered by the ASL and the selection of the recipient is made by the ASL Committee on Prizes and Awards. The Sacks Prize will consist of a cash award plus five years free membership in the ASL.

  Students who complete their degrees (equivalent to the American doctoral degree) between October 1, 2000, and September 30, 2001, are eligible for the Prize this year. This is an international prize, with no restriction on the nationality of the candidate or the university where the doctorate is granted. Nominations should be made by the thesis adviser, and consist of: name of student, title and 1–2 page description of dissertation, date and location where the doctorate was awarded, letter of recommendation from the adviser, and an electronic copy of the thesis in .ps form, or the address of a web site from which an electronic copy in .ps, .dvi, or .pdf form can be downloaded; an independent second letter of recommendation is strongly encouraged. Nominations should be sent to the Committee Chair, Andreas Blass; TeX or PostScript files, sent by e-mail to `ablass@umich.edu` are preferred. Correspondence should be addressed to Andreas Blass, Department of Mathematics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1109. Nominations must be received by September 30, 2001.

  Those wishing to contribute to the Sacks Prize Fund may send contributions to the ASL office (ASL, Box 742, Vassar College, 124 Raymond Avenue, Poughkeepsie, New York 12604); all such contributions are tax-deductible within the USA.

- JSTOR ACCESS FOR ASL MEMBERS. Access to the full-text of *The Journal of Symbolic Logic* for the years 1936–1995 is available to all ASL members via JSTOR. To obtain your temporary username and password, or if you have misplaced your account information, contact Paul Arroyo of the University of Illinois Press at `parroyo@uillinois.edu`. To register your account, go to `http://www.jstor.org/logon` and enter your temporary username and password. If you need help registering, download the Individual Access Logon handout at `http://www.jstor.org/about/indiv_support/` or contact JSTOR at `jstor-info@umich.edu`.

- 2001 ASL EUROPEAN SUMMER MEETING (LOGIC COLLOQUIUM '01). *August 6–11, 2001, Vienna, Austria.* Tutorials will be given by I. Neeman and A. Leitsch. Invited plenary speakers include T. Arai, S. Awodey, J. Cummings, R. Downey, H. Friedman, W. Goldfarb, O. Kharlampovich, J. Knight, M. van Lambalgen, C. Miller, S. Shelah, J. Väänänen, F. Wagner, and S. Wainer. The Program Committee members are M. Arslanov, M. Baaz, W. Buchholz, L. van den Dries, S. Friedman, D. Isaacson, C. Jockusch, J. Krajíček (Chair), L. Newelski (resigned April, 2000), J. Paris, J.-P. Ressayre, B. Veličković, and A. Visser. The Local Organizing Committee includes M. Baaz (Chair), A. Ciabattoni, C. Fermüller, S. Friedman, M. Goldstern, G. Gottlob, F. Gusel, A. Leitsch, G. Moser, N. Preining, G. Salzer, R.-D. Schindler, H. Veith, and M. Zeman. Abstracts of contributed talks must be received by the deadline of May 1, 2001; they should be sent to the official meeting address below. Abstracts submitted by ASL members will be published in *The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic* if they satisfy the Rules for Abstracts (see below). The official address of the meeting is: Logic Colloquium '01, Kurt Gödel Society, c/o Institut für Computersprachen, Technische

Universität Wien (185), Favoritenstrasse 9, A-1040 Vienna, Austria; email: `lc2001@logic.at`; WWW: `http://www.logic.at/LC2001`.

- 2001-02 Winter Meeting (with AMS). *January 8–9, 2002, San Diego, California.* This meeting will take place in conjunction with the annual meeting of the American Mathematical Society, which will be held January 6-9, 2002. Invited speakers thus far include M. Benedikt, M. Grohe, L. Libkin, P. Rothmaler, M. Vardi, and M. Zeman. The Program Committee members are G. Hjorth (Chair), C. Miller, J. Remmel, and V. Vianu. There also will be a jointly sponsored AMS/ASL Special Session organized by S. Thomas on "Set Theory and Classification Problems." Abstracts of contributed talks submitted by ASL members will be published in *The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic* if they satisfy the Rules for Abstracts (see below). Abstracts must be received by the deadline of September 28, 2001, at the ASL Business Office: ASL, Box 742, Vassar College, 124 Raymond Avenue, Poughkeepsie, New York 12604, USA; Fax: 1-845-437-7830; email: `asl@vassar.edu`.
- 2002 ASL Spring Meeting (with APA). *March 26–30, 2002, Seattle, Washington.* This will be a joint meeting with the Pacific Division of the American Philosophical Association, during its annual meeting. The focus of the ASL meeting is "Predicativity: problems and prospects." Confirmed invited speakers thus far include S. Feferman and G. Hellman. The members of the Program Committee for the ASL meeting are G. A. Antonelli and P. Mancosu (Chair). Abstracts of contributed talks submitted by ASL members will be published in *The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic* if they satisfy the Rules for Abstracts (see below). Abstracts must be received by the deadline of December 15, 2001, at the ASL Business Office: ASL, Box 742, Vassar College, 124 Raymond Avenue, Poughkeepsie, New York 12604, USA; Fax: 1-845-437-7830; email: `asl@vassar.edu`. For further information, contact P. Mancosu (email: `mancosu@socrates.Berkeley.edu`).
- 2002 ASL Annual Meeting. *June 1–4, 2002, Las Vegas, Nevada.* The members of the Program Committee are G. Cherlin, D. Dubose, W. Goldfarb, J. Larson, A. Scedrov, and T. Slaman (Chair).
- 2002 ASL European Summer Meeting (Logic Colloquium '02). *August 3–10, 2002, Münster, Germany.* The Program Committee includes K. Ambos-Spies, J. Bagaria, S. Buss, Z. Chatzidakis, R. Jansana, A. Kechris (Chair), P. Komjath, V. McGee, M. Rathjen, K. Segerberg, R. Shore, and B. Zilber. The local organizers are P. Koepke and W. Pohlers. Further information may be obtained by sending email to `lc2002ms@math.uni-muenster.de` or visiting `http://wwwmath.uni-muenster.de/LC2002`.
- Rules for Abstracts. The rules for abstracts of contributed talks at ASL meetings (including those submitted "by title") may be found at the website `http://www.aslonline.org/asl/meetings/aslmeet.html# XXX282`. Please note that abstracts *must* follow the rules as set forth there; those that do not conform to the requirements will be returned immediately to the authors submitting them. Revised abstracts that follow the rules will be considered if they are received by the announced deadline.
- Eighth Workshop on Logic, Language, Information and Computation 2001 (WoLLIC 2001) *July 31–August 3, 2001, Brasilia, Brazil.* Invited speakers include G. Bellin, W. Carnielli, B. Courcelle, G. Dowek, P. Hajek, D. Kozen, and J. Väänänen. For further information contact R. de Queiroz (email: `ruy@cin.ufpe.br`) or M. Ayala Rincón (email: `ayala@mat.unb.br`), or visit the Workshop web site, `http://www.cin.ufpe.br/~wollic/wollic2001/`. (ASL sponsored meeting.)
- Fourth International Symposium on Theoretical Aspects of Computer Software (TACS 2001). *October 29–31, 2001, Sendai, Japan.* The general chair of the conference

is T. Ito. For further information, visit the conference web site: `http://tacs2001.ito.ecei.tohoku.ac.jp/tacs2001`. (ASL sponsored meeting.)

- Seventeenth Annual IEEE Symposium on Logic in Computer Science (LICS). *July 22–25, 2002, Copenhagen, Denmark.* This conference is part of the 2002 Federated Logic Conference (FLoC'02). For further information, visit `http://floc02.diku.dk`. (ASL sponsored meeting.)
- European Educational Forum (EEF) Summer School on Logical Methods. *June 25–July 6, 2001, BRICS, University of Aarhus, Denmark.* The following courses will be offered: Type Theory, Categorical Logic, Computational Content of Proofs, Model Checking, Model Theoretic Methods in Combinatorics and Complexity, Logic in Computer Security, Logical Frameworks, Computable Functions on Many Sorted Algebras, Proof Theory and Automated Deduction, and Automata and Logic. An electronic registration form is available at the Summer School's web site: `http://www.brics.dk/LogicsSchool01`. Students may apply for grants to attend the school on the same form.
- Fourth International ICSC Symposia on Soft Computing and Intelligent Systems for Industry. *June 26–29, 2001, Paisley, Scotland, U.K.* "Soft computing" is a term that embraces artificial neural networks, evolutionary algorithms, belief networks, fuzzy sets and logics, etc. For further information contact: ICSC International Computer Science Conventions, 5101C - 50 Street, Wetaskiwin, Alberta T9A 1K1 Canada; email: `operating@icsc.ab.ca` or `planning@icsc.ab.ca`; telephone: 1-780-352-1912; Fax: 1-780-352-1913.
- 4th International Conference on Logical Aspects of Computational Linguistics (LACL 2001). *June 27–29, 2001, Le Croisic, France.* For further information visit `http://www.irisa.fr/LACL2001`.
- Natural Deduction Meeting. *July 2–6, 2001, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.* This is the first meeting whose aim is to bring together researchers working in Natural Deduction and related fields. Invited speakers include D. Prawitz, J. von Plato, A. Masini, V. da Paiva, J.-B. Joinet, S. Negri, and O. Chateaubriand. For further information, contact I. C. Pereira (email: `luiz@inf.puc-rio.br`).
- WSES/IEEE World Multiconference on Circuits, Systems, Communications and Computers (CSCC 2001). *July 8–15, 2001, Rethymnon, Crete.* This includes the following joint events of potential interest to logicians: the WSES/IEEE Conference on Signal Processing, Multidimensional Systems, Computational Geometry, and Artificial Vision; and the WSES/IEEE Conference on Neural, Fuzzy, and Evolutionary Computation. For further information, follow the appropriate links at `http://www.worldses.org/wses`.
- Eighth International Static Analysis Symposium. *July 16–18, 2001, La Sorbonne, Paris, France.* Several of the topics of the Symposium are of interest to logicians. For further information, visit `http://www.ens.fr/sas01`.
- International Symposium on Symbolic and Algebraic Computation. *July 22–25, 2001, University of Western Ontario, Canada.* For further information visit the Symposium web site: `http://www.orcca.on.ca/issac2001/`.
- Formal Grammar/Mathematics of Language Conference (FGMOL'01). *August 10–12, 2001, Helsinki, Finland.* This conference will be held just prior to the European Summer School in Logic, Language, and Information (ESSLLI-2001).For further information, visit `http://www.cis.upenn.edu/~ircs/mol/mol7.html`.
- Thirteenth European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (ESSLLI-2001). *August 13–24, 2001, University of Helsinki, Finland.* The ESSLLI summer schools are organized under the auspices of FOLLI, the European Association for Logic, Language

and Information (http://www.folli.uva.nl/). The web site for ESSLLI-2001 is http://www.helsinki.fi/esslli.

- International Workshop on Logic and Complexity in Computer Science (LCCS'2001). *September 3–5, 2001, Creteil, France.* This workshop will be held in honor of the sixtieth birthday of A. Slissenko. For further information, visit http://www.univ-paris12.fr/~lacl/LCCS2001.
- 15th Annual Conference of the European Association for Computer Science Logic (CSL 2001). *September 10–13, 2001, Paris, France.* Invited speakers include J.-Y. Girard, P. O'Hearn, and J. Van den Bussche. For further information, send email to csl01@lsv.ens-cachan.fr or visit http://www.lsv.ens-cachan.fr/csl01/.
- International Workshop on Functional and (Constraint) Logic Programming. *September 13–15, 2001, Christian-Albrechts University, Kiel, Germany.* WFLP 2001 brings together two annual workshop series on declarative programming. The program includes invited talks by P. Van Roy and T. Arts. For further information, visit http://www.informatik.uni-kiel.de/~wflp2001.
- 6th International Conference on Logic Programming and Nonmonotonic Reasoning. *September 17–19, 2001, Vienna, Austria.* This conference will be coordinated with the Joint German/Austrian Conference on AI (KI 2001), which will be held from September 19–21 in Vienna. Invited speakers include J. Dix, P. Kolaitis, M. Lenzerini, and C. Sakama. The Program Co-Chairs are T. Eiter and M. Truszczynski. For further information visit http://www.kr.tuwien.ac.at/lpnmr01/.
- Joint German/Austrian Conference on Artificial Intelligence. *September 19–21, 2001, Vienna, Austria.* For further information visit http://www.kr.tuwien.ac.at/KI2001/.
- Foundations of the Formal Sciences III: Complexity in Mathematics and Computer Science. *September 21–24, 2001, Institute for Formal Logic, University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria.* Invited speakers include P. Berenbrink, J. Brendle, R. Camerlo, L. Engebretsen, M. Grohe, J. Hamkins, E. Camara, S. Mikulas, R.-D. Schindler, H. Veith, and J. Zapletal. For further information, visit http://www.math.uni-bonn.de/people/fotfs/III.
- Tbilisi Symposium on Language, Logic and Computation. *September 23–28, 2001, Borjomi, Georgia.* Invited speakers include Ju. Apresjan, R. Cooper, M. Krifka, B. Partee, A. Voronkov, and M. Zakharyaschev. The following tutorials also will be offered: J. van Benthem on Logic, and P. Blackburn on Computation. For further information, contact G. Chikoidze (email: chiko@contsys.acnet.ge) or I. van Loon (email: borjomi@wins.uva.nl), or visit http://www.illc.uva.nl/borjomi.
- International Workshop on Relational Methods in Computer Science(Relmics 6). *October 16–21, 2001, Oisterwijk, The Netherlands.* The deadline for submission of papers is August 15, 2001. For further information contact the Program Chair: H. de Swart, Section Logic and Analysis of Language, Department of Philosophy, Tilburg University, P.O. Box 90153, 5000 Le Tilburg, The Netherlands; telephone: (+31) 13 466 24 15/29 85; Fax: (+31) 13 466 28 92; email: H.C.M.deSwart@kub.nl; http://cwis.kub.nl/~fsw_2/fww/home/swart/rmcs.htm.
- Workshop on Model Theory. *October 25–27, 2001, University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain.* Students and young researchers are especially encouraged to attend. Partial funding might be available. For further information, contact E. Casanovas (email: casanova@mat.ub.es), P. Dellunde (email: pilar.dellunde@uab.es), or R. Farré (email: farre@ma2.upc.es), or visit http://www.imub.ub.es/events/wmt/index.html.