# ICBIC 9

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The "Twin Cities" of Minneapolis and St. Paul is an exciting and progressive community set along the scenic Mississippi River. Endowed with friendly people and a clean environment, the area draws many visitors during the summer months. With a 72 precent chance of sunny weather, July is a great time to experience the area's lakes and parks, along with the summer's boundless outdoor recreational and cultural activities. The average high temperature of 83 F and the average low of 64F make for pleasant days and comfortable nights.

Visitors will experience a thriving arts community which includes performances by the internationally acclaimed Gurthie Theather and the Minnesota Orchestra: highlights for museum goers include the Walker Art Center and Sculpture Garden, The Minneapolis Institute of Arts, The Weisman Art Museum, The Science Museum of Minnesota, and the Minnesota History Center, and people of all ages gravitate to the Minnesota Zoo and the Minnesota Twins and St. Paul Saints baseball teams. World-class shopping is available in both downtowns, in many smaller shops throughout the twin Cities, and at the Mall of America-the largest indoor shopping mall in the U.S.

## **Topics**

- Bioenergetics
- Nitrogen and Sulfur Metabolism
- Oxygen Activation
- Photosynthesis
- C-H Bond Activation
- Biodegradation
- Macromolecular Cleavage
- Sensing, Signaling and Gene Regulation
- Biotechnologic Applications
- Spectroscopic Methods
- Reactive Intermediates

### **Plenary Lecturers**

Prof. Helmut Beinert, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Prof. Lucia Banci, University of Florence

Prof. Eiichi Kimura, Hiroshima University

Prof. Judith P. Klinman, University of California, Berkeley

Prof. Edward I. Solomon, Stanford University

Prof. Karl Wieghardt, Max-Planck-Institut, Mülheim