

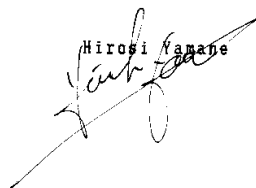
Dear Mr. Strauss,

We, The Exective Committee of the 25th Japan SF Convention DAICON5 going to hold our 1986 National Con at Suita, Osaka on 23-24 /8/86 .We will receive 3,000 peticipants.

Now,we'd like your research group to introduce our Convention at your's Data Information Cornar.

All our best wishes for you all.

Sincerely yours

Hiroshi Yamane


DAICON5 23-24/8/1986

Japan's 25th national Convention at Suita-shi-Bunka-Kaikan "May-Theater",
Osaka, Japan, Cap. 3,000. \$ 85.00 (join \$50; room \$35)

201 Chanpier AWAZA, 1-6-8 Enokojima, Nishi, Osaka, 550, JAPAN

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This is an excerpt from the SF Conventional Calendar that will appear in the issue of Isaac Asimov's SF Magazine going on sale on 6/3/86. Please check the listing for your con, and get any corrections in to me as soon as possible at (703) 823-3117, or at 4271 Duke St. #D-10, Alexandria VA 22304. Thanks for your help in keeping me up-to-date.

Erwin S. "Filthy Pierre" Stra

JULY, 1986

- 3-6--WesterCon, Box 81285, San Diego CA 92138. A. K. A. "HalleyCon." David ("Sundiver") Brin, Greg Bear, fan Karen Turner. Masquerade. The 39th annual edition of the big, traveling Western con.
- 4-6--NYClone, Box 608, Belle Mead NJ 08502. A. (Rosinante) Gilliland. S. Plainfield NJ (nr. NYC).
- 4-6--ConZineience, % Hennig, Box 166362, Irving TX 75016 (near DFW). Media oriented, but fannish.
- 10-13--EuroCon, c/o SFera, Ivaniogradska 41 A, 41000 Zagreb, Yugoslavia. A. K. A. "BallCon."
- Yugoslav writer Dusan Vukotic, Dutch fan Roulof Goudriaan. 11th biennial European continental con.
- 11-13--MapleCon, Box 3156, Station D, Ottawa ON K1P 6H7. Stephen R. Donaldson. Masquerade.
- 18-20--OKon, Box 4229, Tulsa OK 74159. No more news on this long-time Southern Plains con yet.

AUGUST, 1986

- 8-11--MythCon, % Lowentrou, MacIntosh 618, CSU, Long Beach CA 90840. C. deLint. Mythopoeic con.
- 23-24--Japanese National SF Con, 201 Chanpier AWAZA, 1-6-8 Enokojima, Nishi, Osaka 550, Japan.
- 28-Sep. 1--ConFederation, 3277 Roswell Rd. #1986, Atlanta GA 30305. Bradbury, fan/editor Terry Carr, Bob (Slow Glass) Shaw. The WorldCon for 1986. Join early; rates go up steeply later on.

AUGUST, 1987

- 27-Sep. 2--ConSpiracy, 23 Kensington Ct., Hempstead NY 11560. Brighton, England. WorldCon '87.

SEPTEMBER, 1987

- 5-8--CactusCon, Box 27201, Tempe AZ 85282. Phoenix AZ. NASFiC 1987, held since WorldCon's abroad.

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by Erwin S. Strauss

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phone me immediately at (703) 823-3117. To
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8/26/86. *Erwin S. Strauss*

Fall is the busy season for cons overseas, and in North America away
from the coasts. Make plans now for social weekends with your favorite SF
authors, editors, artists and fellow fans. For a later, longer list, an explanation
of cons, and a sample of SF folksongs, send me an SASE (addressed,
stamped #10 (long) envelope) at 4271 Duke St. #D-10, Alexandria VA
22304. (703) 823-3117 is the hot line. If a machine answers, leave your
area code & number. I'll call back on my nickel. Early evening's good to
phone cons. For free listings, tell me about your con 6 months ahead. Look
for me behind an iridescent "Filthy Pierre" badge, with a musical keyboard.

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550, Japan. Or phone: (703) 823-3117 (10 am to 10 pm only, not collect). Con will be held in: Osaka,
Japan (if city omitted, same as in address). Guests will include: Japanese SF figures.

28-Sep. 1—Confederation. Marriott Marquis Hotel, Atlanta GA. (404) 521-0000. Ray ("Something
Wicked.") Bradbury, fan/editor Terry Carr, Bob (Slow Glass) Shaw. WorldCon 1986. Join at the door.

SEPTEMBER, 1986

4-7—CopperCon. Safari Resort Hotel, Phoenix AZ (602) 968-5673/968-7790. Laid-back "relax-a-con."

5-7—Boreal. Municipal Culture Center, Longueuil QE. Annual French-speaking Canadian convention.

13-15—CamCon. 17 Laing Rd., Colchester, Essex UK. Cambridge, UK. John Christopher. 6th UniCon.

19-21—Oxonmoot, % Curtis, 35 Martindale Close, Leicester LE2 7HH, UK. Oxford, UK. P. Tolkien.

19-21—MosCon, Box 8521, Moscow ID 83843. Artist Michael Goodwin, D. Ing, astronomer R. Quigley.

19-21—EarthCon, Box 5641, Cleveland OH 44101. Gordon R. Dickson, C.J. Cherryh, R.M. Meluch.

26-28—DeepSouthCon, Box 58009, Louisville KY 40258. David Hartwell, S. Sucharitkul, artist Alex
Schomburg, Ian Ann Layman Chancellor. 24th annual Southern con. Masquerade, Hearts championship.

26-28—ConTact, % Trimble, Box 36789, Los Angeles CA 90036. Pasadena CA. Media-oriented con.

29—XIICon, % "Beachfield," Callmuir Rd., Lenzle, Glasgow UK G66 3JJ. Another British con.

OCTOBER, 1986

3-5—ConTradition, 1356 Niagara Ave., Niagara Falls NY 14305. George R.R. Martin, Nancy Kress.

3-5—JAFCon, Box 510232, Salt Lake City UT 84151. (801) 322-4437. Zelazny, Claremont, Busby.

10-12—ConClave, % Waldo & Magic Inc., Box 2915, Ann Arbor MI 48106. Greg ("Blood Music") Bear.

10-12—RoVaCon, Box 117, Salem VA 24153. (703) 389-9400. Alan Dean Foster, Hal Clement, Richard
(Elfquest) Pini, Kelly Freas, Allen Wold, Star Trek actors. At Salem High School. James Bond films.

10-12—NonCon, Box 4506, Edmonton AB T6E 4T7. Judith Merrill, Ken Maddin, Wm. Warren, D. Booker.

11-12—OctoCon, % Spellbinders, Box 1824, Santa Rosa CA 95402. At the El Rancho Tropicana Hotel.

11-12—ArmadilloCon, Box 9612, Austin TX 78766. William Gibson, Lewis Shiner, Debbie Notkin.

17-19—ConTact, % RCSFA, Box 3894, Evansville IN 47737. David R. Palmer, Timothy Zahn, Roger
Reynolds, Bill Brewer, many gaming guests. Not connected with ConTact in California in September.

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