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## THE 89<sup>TH</sup> JACOB F. SCHOELLKOPF MEDAL

The Schoellkopf Award jury has selected Prof. Jochen Autschbach, Department of Chemistry, University at Buffalo, to receive the 2019 Schoellkopf Medal

*... in recognition of his pioneering contributions to the development of quantum mechanical methods for predicting the spectroscopic properties of heavy-element molecules and for his outstanding dedication to teaching and mentoring.*

The 2019 Schoellkopf Award Banquet will take place Tuesday, September 17. Please watch for details in the September edition of *The Double Bond*, and join us as the Western New York ACS Section celebrates Prof. Autschbach's accomplishments.

## CALL FOR OFFICER NOMINATIONS

If you are interested in the goals and activities of the American Chemical Society, then get involved with the Western New York Local ACS Section. We are looking for members who can bring energy and ideas to the Local Section Executive Committee. Positions to be filled include

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**Treasurer** (2-year term)

**Councilor** (3-year term)

**Member-at-Large** (2-year term)

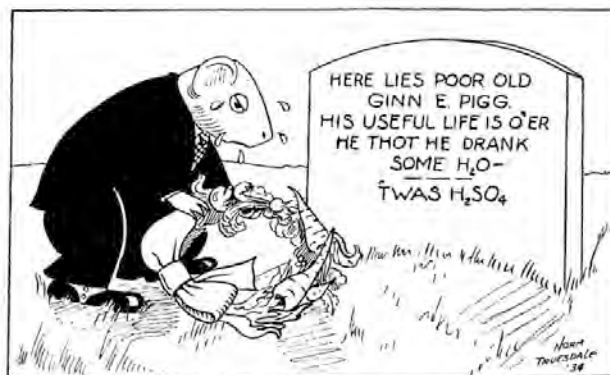
**Member-at-Large** (2-year term)

If you are interested in becoming more active in our section, or wish to nominate someone for one of these offices, please contact a member of the current executive board listed at the end of this newsletter to discuss your ideas. If you have no experience with the local section, contact us; we can help you get involved!

Nominations, including contact information for you and the nominee, should be sent to Dr. Timothy Gregg by email by Friday, September 20, 2019.

## 85 YEARS AGO IN THE DOUBLE BOND

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