James (Jim) Weiffenbach, a long-time member of AChemS, passed away peacefully on August 22, 2016 at the age of 80, surrounded by family at Suburban Hospital in Bethesda, MD. A graduate of Brown University and Navy veteran, Jim obtained his Ph.D. from McGill University in Quebec, Canada. In 1967 he moved to Bethesda, MD, where he began working as a sensory psychologist at the National Institute of Dental & Cranial Facial Research (then the National Institute of Dental Research). Jim’s research interests ranged over a variety of chemosensory topics, including psychophysical measurement, development of and age-related changes in taste, and the impact of various clinical conditions on taste and smell. He was perhaps most proud of his role in the organization and editing of Taste and Development: The Genesis of Sweet Preference (1977), a seminal work on early taste development. Jim was a generous colleague and good friend who will be deeply missed and remembered by everyone he ever touched.