Meeting announcements will be considered for publication in *The Journal of Nuclear Medicine* free of charge if the following information is included: 1) date, title, and location of meeting; 2) sponsoring group; 3) topics presented; 4) whether or not commercial exhibits are held; 5) deadline date for submission of abstracts; 6) number of CME credit hours; 7) registration fees; and 8) contact person, address, and telephone.

Important notices pertaining to awards, certification exams, grants, and other announcements deemed appropriate by the Editor will also be considered for publication. They should be limited to a maximum of 200 words.

All announcements must be submitted at least 4 months before the meeting date or notice deadline, and will be published no later than the issue of the month preceding the meeting or notice deadline. They are subject to editorial review and editing and should be pertinent to nuclear medicine. Please forward all announcements to: Jacqueline Samuels, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 475 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10016 (212)889-0717.

The Society of Nuclear Medicine and The American College of Nuclear Physicians, Joint International Symposium on the Role of Noninvasive Imaging Modalities in Clinical Decision Making: Coronary Artery Disease

Date: Monday-Tuesday, September 9-10, 1985

Location: Washington Marriott Hotel, Washington, DC

Program: Includes both a general discussion of efficacy followed by specific applications on noninvasive imaging modalities to coronary artery disease.

CME credit: 141/2 hr Category 1

Fees: \$135 full program; \$110 one day only

Contact: Barbra Hickey, Director of Membership Services, American College of Nuclear Physicians, 1101 Connecticut Ave., Suite 700, Washington, DC 20036 (202)857-1135.

Meetings Sponsored by The Society of Nuclear Medicine

SEPTEMBER 27-29, 1985

Missouri Valley Chapter, Annual Meeting, Park Terrace Airport Hilton, St. Louis, MO. Program includes pediatric nuclear medicine and emission computed tomography. Commercial exhibits. CE credit available. Fees: to be announced. *Contact:* Steven R. Mattmuller, St. John's Mercy Medical Center, 615 S. New Ballas Rd., St. Louis, MO 63141 (314)569-6000.

OCTOBER 17-20, 1985 Western Chapter, 10th Annual Western Regional Meeting, American Canyon Hotel, Palm Springs, CA. *Contact:* Kaya Karcher, 10th Western Regional Meeting, SNM, P.O. Box 4079, San Francisco, CA 94140 (415)647-0722.

OCTOBER 23-26, 1985 Southeastern Chapter, Annual Meeting—Cardiovascular Imaging, Diplomat Resort, Hollywood, FL. Contact: Vincent

J. Sodd, PhD, SNM SE Chapter, 5987 Tur-

pin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244 (513)872-5360.

OCTOBER 25-27, 1985 Greater New York and New England Chapters, 2nd Northeast Meeting, Westin Hotel—Copley Plaza, Boston, MA. Contact: Mitchell Stromer, Second Northeast Regional Meeting, SNM, Greater NY and NE Chapters, 360 Cedar La., East

Meadow, NY 11554 (212)904-4180.

Meetings Sponsored by Organizations Other than The Society of Nuclear Medicine

JULY 21-24, 1985

22nd Annual Conference on Nuclear and Space Radiation Effects, Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, Hyatt Regency Monterey Hotel, Monterey, CA. Contact: J.M. McGartney, 1985 NSRE Technical Program Chairman, Harry Diamond Labs, 2800 Power Mill Rd., Adelphi, MD 20783 (202)394-3180.

JULY 22-26, 1985

Summer School on NMR Proton Imaging, Department of Bio-Medical Physics and Bio-Engineering, University of Aberdeen, Aberdeen, Scotland. *Contact:*

Dr. M.A. Foster, Dept. of Bio-Medical Physics and Bio-Engineering, Foresterhill, Aberdeen AB9 2ZD, Scotland.

JULY 25-27, 1985

Minnesota Symposium on Nuclear Medicine, University of Minnesota, Radisson University Hotel, Minneapolis, MN. Contact: Betsy Parks, Program Assistant, Continuing Medical Education, University of Minnesota, Box 293, 420 Delaware St. SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455 (612)373-8012.

AUGUST 19-23, 1985

Fourth Annual Meeting, The Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine, Barbican Hall, London, England. Contact: Renee Sauers, Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine, 15 Shattuck Sq., Suite 204, Berkeley, CA 94704 (415)666-5636 (in USA or Canada); Peter Peregrinus Ltd., P.O. Box 26, Hitchin, Hertfordshire, SG5 1SA, England (in Europe).

AUGUST 22-25, 1985

Ultrasound & Nuclear Magnetic Resonance, Taj Continuing Education Programs, Taj Palace Hotel, New Delhi, India. Contact: Guantam Sen Gupta, Taj Continuing Education Programmes, India Hotels Company LTD, Taj Mahal Hotel, Apollo Bundher, Bombay 400 039, India.

AUGUST 26-30, 1985

Symposium on Nuclear Medicine and Related Medical Applications of Nuclear Techniques in Developing Countries, International Atomic Energy Agency, Vienna International Center, Austria. *Contact:* Dr. R. Dudley or Dr. R.D. Ganatra, International Atomic Energy Agency, IAEA-SM-283, Vienna International Centre, P.O. Box 100, A-1400 Vienna, Austria.

SEPTEMBER 3-6, 1985

European Nuclear Medicine Congress, The Barbican Hall, London. Contact: Dr. P.J. Ell, European Nuclear Medicine Congress 1985, Institute of Nuclear Medicine, Middlesex Hospital Medical School, Mortimer Street, London, WIN 8AA, England.

SEPTEMBER 5-8, 1985

Physics of Diagnostic Radiology: A Review Course for Residents in Diagnostic Radiology and Nuclear Medicine, University of California, Davis Campus, Davis, CA. Course designed to help prepare for the physics section of the board examination in radiology. 25 hr AMA/CMA Category 1 credit. Fee: \$295. Contact: Barbara Johnston, Office of Continuing Medical

Education, U.C. Davis School of Medicine, 2701 Stockton Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95817 (916)453-5390.

SEPTEMBER 9-11, 1985

Second International Symposium on Technetium in Chemistry and Nuclear Medicine, Villa Contarini Piazzola sul Brenta, Padua, Italy. *Contact:* Secretariat: U. Mazzi, ICTR-CNR, Corso Stati Uniti, 4, 35020 Padova, Italy.

SEPTEMBER 10-11, 1985

Symposium on Radiohalogens, Canadian Association of Radiopharmaceutical Scientists, TRIUMF, Banff Centre, Banff, Alberta, Canada. *Contact:* Iain Trevena, PhD, President, CARS, TRIUMF, 4004 Wesbrook Mall, Vancouver, BC, Canada V6T 2A3 (604)228-4711.

SEPTEMBER 11-14, 1985

Fourth International Symposium on Radiopharmacology, International Association of Radiopharmacology, Banff Centre, Banff, Alberta, Canada. *Contact:* M.W. Billinghurst, PhD, Chairman, Fourth International Symposium on Radiopharmacology, Secretariat, Radiopharmacy, Health Science Centre, 700 William Ave., Winnipeg, Manitoba R3E 0Z3, Canada.

SEPTEMBER 12-13, 1985

International Symposium—Labeled and Unlabeled Antibodies in Cancer Diagnosis and Therapy, American College of Radiology, Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore, MD. Contact: Suzanne Bohn, Chairman, Program Committee, American College of Radiology, 925 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19107 (215)574-3150.

SEPTEMBER 13, 1985

Magnetic Resonance Imaging: An Overview of Clinical Applications and Concepts, The Towsley Center for Continuing Medical Education, Ann Arbor, MI. 5.6 hr ACCME Category 1 credit. Fees: \$95 physician course; \$65 physician-in-training or allied health professional course; \$15 Veterans Administration course. Contact: Dove Margenau, The Office of Continuing Medical Education, The Towsley Center, Box 057, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-0010 (313)763-1400.

SEPTEMBER 27-28, 1985

Autumn Provincial Meeting, British Institute of Radiology and Royal College of Radiologists, Natural Philosophy Building,

Kings College, University of Aberdeen, Aberdeen, Scotland. Topics include radio-diagnosis, radiotherapy, and MR in modern clinical practices. Commercial exhibits. Category 1 credit available. Fees: to be announced. *Contact:* Programme Office, British Institute of Radiology, 36 Portland Pl., London, WIN 3DG, England.

OCTOBER 2-4, 1985

Thyroid Function and Dysfunction: Modern Concepts, Universita Degli Studi di Pisa, Aula Magna Dell'Ex Convento Delle Benedettine, Pisa, Italy. Contact: Dr. Angelo Carpi, Servizio di Medicina Nucleare dell'Universita di Pisa, Spedali S. Chiara, via Roma, 57-56100 Pisa, Italy.

OCTOBER 3-6, 1985

Second Congress, European Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine and Biology, Centre de Congres, Montreux, Switzerland. Latest developments concerning medical and biological applications in the field of MR. Commercial exhibits. Fee: SF 200. Contact: Dr. M.A. Hopf, 1, route de Florissant, CH-1206 Geneva, Switzerland.

OCTOBER 9-11, 1985

25th Annual Meeting, Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine, Tokushima Province Culture Center Hall, Tokushima, Japan. Topics include radioassay, monoclonal antibodies, ECT, and bone metabolism. Commercial exhibits. Fee: 7000 yen (\$28). Contact: Dr. Fumio Kawamura, Department of Radiology, Tokushima University, 3 Kuramoto-Cho, Tokushima 770, Japan.

OCTOBER 12-20, 1985

Body Imaging Conference, West Park Hospital, Maui Marriott Hotel, HI. Contact: Conference Secretary, Dept. of Radiology, West Park Hospital, 22141 Roscoe Blvd., Canoga Park, CA 91304 (818) 340-0580 x280.

OCTOBER 16-19, 1985

Advanced Neuroradiology, Third Annual Seminar, University of South Florida Department of Radiology, Walt Disney World Village Hilton, Lake Buena Vista, FL. Contact: Charleen Krissman, 12901 N. 30th St., Tampa, FL 33612 (813)974-2538.

OCTOBER 19-20, 1985

Head and Neck Radiology: Advanced Techniques in Diagnostic Imaging, University of California, San Francisco, Hyatt Regency, San Francisco, CA. Discussion of diagnostic imaging approaches to disease processes utilizing currently available technology, including ECT, ultrasound, digital subtraction angiography, and MRI. 12 hr Category 1 credit. Fees: \$275; \$175 residents, fellows, nurses, technologists. *Contact:* Renee Sauers, Radiology Postgraduate Education, Rm. C324, University of California, San Francisco, CA 94143 (415)666-5731.

OCTOBER 21-25, 1985

Clinical Magnetic Resonance Imaging, University of California, San Francisco, Hyatt Regency Hotel, San Francisco, CA. Comprehensive instructions in the basic principles and instrumentation used for MRI and spectroscopy. Commercial exhibits. 31 hr Category 1 credit. Fees: \$475 physicians; \$375 residents, fellows, nurses, technologists. *Contact:* Renee Sauers, Radiology Postgraduate Education, University of California, Room C324, 521 Parnassus Ave., San Francisco, CA 94143 (415)666-5731.

NOVEMBER 4-8, 1985

Diagnostic Radiology Seminar, University of California, San Francisco, Maui Marriott Hotel, HI. *Contact:* Radiology Postgraduate Education, University of Cali-

fornia, Room C324, 521 Parnassus Ave., San Francisco, CA 94143 (415)666-5731.

NOVEMBER 5-8, 1985

Radiopharmaceutical Dosimetry Symposium, Radiopharmaceutical Dose Information Center, Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Oak Ridge, TN. Contact: Audrey T. Schlafke-Stelson, Planning Committee, Radiopharmaceutical Dosimetry Symposium, Oak Ridge Associated Universities, P.O. Box 117, Oak Ridge, TN 37831-0117 (615)576-3450.

Notices

AWARDS COMMITTEE, SNM

Named Lectureships—The Awards Committee of SNM has established "named" lectureships on a space-available basis in either the Scientific Program or Continuing Education track of the June Annual Meeting. An SNM Chapter or Council may apply to the Committee for a "named" lectureship (e.g., "Blumgart Lecture" sponsored by the New England Chapter). The rules are as follows: a) Submit applications 1 year prior to the June Annual Meeting.

b) Sponsorship must be committed for a minimum of 3 years at the time of initial application, and requires that a minimum deposit of \$3,000 (approximately \$1,000/ year) be placed in a specially designated fund by the sponsoring body. The sponsor must also pay for the following: Lecturer's travel, hotel, food, and incidental expenses at the Annual Meeting; and, a suitable honorarium for the lecturer (e.g., minimum of \$500). c) Selection of the lecturer will be made by the Scientific Program Chairperson or designee in consultation with the

sponsoring Chapter or Council.

AMERICAN BOARD OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE

The American Board of Nuclear Medicine's certifying exam will be given September 7, 1985. Deadline for receipt of application is July 1, 1985. Information and application forms may be obtained from: Joseph F. Ross, MD, President ABNM, 900 Veteran Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90024.