

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE**OCTOBER****October 7-9, 1994**

NORTHEAST REGIONAL MEETING. Sponsor: Greater New York and New England Chapters. **Location:** Sheraton Boston Hotel, Boston, MA. **Abstracts Deadline:** Sept. 1, 1994. **Fee:** Member/nonmember physicians and scientists, \$150/\$200; member/nonmember technologists, free/\$75; member/nonmember residents \$50/\$75. **Contact:** Mitchell Stromer, (718) 904-4180 or Eleanor Plati, (617) 726-8350.

October 20-23, 1994

19TH ANNUAL WESTERN REGIONAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE. Sponsors: Western Regional Chapters. **Location:** Doubletree Hotel, Monterey, CA. **Commercial Exhibits:** Yes. Abstracts and posters will be presented along with refresher courses and categorical seminars in cardiology, bone, infection, pediatrics, brain, oncology, renal and thyroid. **Credit:** 19 Category I hr, VOICE and SCOPE for technologists. **Fee:** Member/nonmember physicians and scientists, \$160/\$225; member/nonmember technologists, \$65/\$75; member/nonmember residents \$75/\$125. **Contact:** Joyce Matin, (916) 791-3428. Fax: (916) 791-3506.

NOVEMBER**November 3-6, 1994**

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOUTHEASTERN CHAPTER OF THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE. Sponsor: Southeastern Chapter. **Location:** Hyatt Regency Hotel, Savannah, GA. **Fee:** Preregistration for member/nonmember physicians and scientists: \$100/\$150; for member/nonmember residents: \$85/\$85; for member/nonmember technologists: \$60/\$85. **Credit:** Category I AMA, VOICE and Florida State Technologist and Pharmacy hr. **Contact:** Dr. Vincent J. Sodd, Central Chapter, SNM, 5987 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244. (513) 231-5274.

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**OCTOBER****October 2, 1994**

ONCOLOGIC IMAGING UPDATE. Sponsor: University of California, Radiology Postgraduate Education. **Location:** Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco, CA. **Credits:** 6.5 CME Category I

Meeting announcements from non-profit organizations 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 announce-

ments deemed appropriate by the Editor will also be considered for publication. They should be to a maximum of 200 words.

All announcements must be submitted at least four 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 non-profit announcements to: The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316. For-profit organizations wishing to announce meetings may purchase ad space by contacting Sandra Huff.

hr. Fee: Physicians, \$150; residents, fellows, nurses and technologists, \$110. **Contact:** Renee Sauers, Director, Radiology Postgraduate Education, (415) 476-5731.

October 19-21, 1994

NUCLEAR CARDIOLOGY SYMPOSIUM AND WORKSHOP. Sponsors: University of Wisconsin Medical School-Milwaukee Campus. **Location:** Grand Hotel, Milwaukee, WI. **Credits:** AOA Category I, VOICE. **Contact:** Sarah Aslakson, Continuing Medical Education, 2715 Marshall Court, Madison, WI 53705. (608) 263-2856. Fax: (608) 262-8421.

October 19-21, 1994

9TH ANNUAL ECONOMICS OF DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING 1994: NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM. Sponsors: Educational Symposia, Inc., American College of Nuclear Physicians. **Location:** Hyatt Regency Washington, Washington, DC. **Credits:** 27 Category I, CME, ASRT ECE hr. **Fee:** \$575. **Contact:** Educational Symposia, Inc., Program Committee, 1527 South Dale Mabry Hwy, Tampa, FL 33629-5808. (800) 338-5901, Fax: (800) 344-0668.

October 23-28, 1994

6TH WORLD CONGRESS OF THE WORLD FEDERATION OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE AND BIOLOGY. Location: Sydney Convention and Exhibition Center, Sydney, Australia. **Fees:** delegates, \$650; technologists, \$450; accompanying guest, \$250. After Aug. 1, 1994: delegates, \$750; technologists, \$500; accompanying guest, \$250. **Contact:** 6th World Congress of Nuclear Medicine and Biology, GPO Box 2609, Sydney, NSW 2001, Australia. (61 2) 241 1478 or (61 2) 247-6940. Fax: (61 2) 251 3552.

October 27-30, 1994

CARDIAC SPECT SYMPOSIUM & WORKSHOP. Sponsors: Division of Nuclear Medicine,

Dept. of Radiology, St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center, New York, NY. **Location:** The Newport Marriott Hotel, Newport, RI. **Credits:** 22 Category I hr. **Contact:** Office of Continuing Medical Education, St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center, 1111 Amsterdam Ave., New York, NY 10025. (212) 523-2138.

October 30-November 4, 1994

NEURORADIOLOGY REVIEW. Sponsors: Educational Symposia, Inc. **Location:** Buena Vista Palace Disney World/Epcot Center, FL. **Fee:** Physicians, scientists, company reps: \$595; fellows, residents, military: \$495; nurses, technologists: \$395. **Credits:** 35 Category I CME hr, 35 Category ACE hr. **Contact:** Educational Symposia, Inc., (800) 338-5901.

NOVEMBER**November 7-8, 1994**

HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH IN RADIOLOGY AND SURGERY: CURRENT STATUS. Sponsors: The Department of Radiology, University of Pennsylvania Medical Center and Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics, University of Pennsylvania. **Location:** Sheraton Society Hill Hotel, Philadelphia, PA. **Fee:** Physicians: \$300. **Credits:** 16 Category I hr. **Contact:** Janice Ford, Manager, Continuing Medical Education, University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, Dept. of Radiology, 3400 Spruce St., Philadelphia, PA 19104. (215) 662-6904. Fax: (215) 349-5925.

November 7-11, 1994

CALIBRATION OF RADIATION SURVEY INSTRUMENTS. Sponsors: Consultec Scientific, Inc. **Location:** Consultec Scientific, Inc., Pellissippi Center, 725 Pellissippi Parkway, Knoxville, TN. **Fee:** \$1295, early registration: \$995. **Contact:** Consultec Scientific, Inc., (800) 269-4333.

NOTICES

AWARDS COMMITTEE, SNM

PAUL C. AEBERSOLD AWARD

Outstanding Achievement Award—Applications are invited for the Paul C. Aebersold Award for outstanding achievement in basic science applied to nuclear medicine. This award commemorates the contributions of Dr. Paul Clarence Aebersold to the applications of nuclear physics to nuclear medicine and radiation biology, as well as his contributions to The Society of Nuclear Medicine. Dr. Aebersold contributed greatly to the emergence of nuclear medicine as a discipline by his energetic leadership in the provision of cyclotron-generated and reactor-produced radionuclides, and by his numerous publications and lectures. In giving this award, the Society thus symbolically signifies its appreciation of the warm and vital person who became our first Honorary Member and whose enthusiastic encouragement and support contributed importantly to the formation and success of the SNM. Nominations should be supported by the nominee's curriculum vitae and at least two letters supporting the nomination. These letters should describe briefly the contributions in basic science for which the nominee is proposed. The nominee need not be a member of The Society of Nuclear Medicine. Deadline for nominations: January 5, 1995. Please submit nominations and supporting documents to William J. MacIntyre, PhD, c/o The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

DU PONT RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

Du Pont Pharma Cardiovascular Nuclear Medicine Research Fellowships—The Society of Nuclear Medicine Awards Committee announces that two fellowships for \$25,000 each are available July 1, 1995. The purpose of these fellowships is to encourage physicians to enter the field of cardiovascular nuclear medicine and to support high quality nuclear cardiology clinical research. Funds can be used to support the research and/or salary of the investigator. Preference will be given to young physicians, or to those new to the field of cardiovascular nuclear medicine. Recipients will be announced at the Annual SNM Business Meeting, June 1995. To obtain an application or more information, contact: The Society of Nuclear Medicine, Awards Committee, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316. Application deadline is January 6, 1995.

8TH ANNUAL FELLOWSHIP AWARD IN CARDIAC IMAGING

Squibb Diagnostics and the Society for Cardiac Angiography and Interventions invite the submission of applications for the 8th Annual Award of the Squibb Diagnostics/SCA&I Fel-

lowship Program for Research in Cardiac Imaging for 1995-96. The program awards two fellowships to physicians-in-training with demonstrated medical excellence whose research promises diagnostic advancement and contribution to cardiac imaging. The awards are limited to a maximum of \$25,000 each. The purpose of the awards is to encourage meaningful scientific investigation of cardiac imaging and to foster new insights into patient care. A description of the fellowships, eligibility requirements and application materials are available from the Squibb Diagnostics

/SCA&I Fellowship Program Awards Committee, P.O. Box 7849, Breckenridge, CO 80424, (303) 453-1773 or (303) 453-0287, fax: (303) 453-2636. Applications must be received at the SCA&I office no later than Monday, January 23, 1995. Those selected for the 1995-96 awards will be notified in early March, and will be honored at the 18th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cardiac Angiography and Interventions.

MALLINCKRODT FELLOWSHIP

Research and Development Fellowship—Mallinckrodt, Inc. has announced an Annual Fellowship of \$30,000 for a physician fellow active in nuclear medicine research and/or development. The award is to further a research or development project in SPECT imaging or therapy in oncology and applicants are asked to submit their curriculum vitae, a detailed account of their research project including prior accomplishments on the project, and future plans. Deadline for this year's award is January 7, 1995. Requested information, along with at least two letters supporting the application, should be forwarded to: William J. MacIntyre, PhD, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316. The recipient will be announced at the Annual Meeting of The Society of Nuclear Medicine.

SNM/MEDI-PHYSICS THERAPY AWARD

The Society of Nuclear Medicine announces the second in a series of research grants supported by Medi-Physics, Inc., Amersham Healthcare to further work in the use of unsealed sources in therapy applications. This year's grant of \$30,000 offers the candidate the opportunity to do high-quality, innovative research in an exciting therapy area and to enhance the emphasis of therapy in nuclear medicine. Preference will be given to young physicians or scientists who have recently entered the field. For more information and application forms, contact: SNM Awards Committee, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316. Completed applications must be returned by January 7, 1995. The award winner will be announced at the 1995 Annual Meeting in Minneapolis, MN.

JOSEPH STERNBERG STUDENT FELLOWSHIP

Funds for a student fellowship have been donated by friends and family of the late Joseph Sternberg, MD (1912-1991), an endocrinologist-nuclear physician and a pioneer of nuclear medicine. Dr. Sternberg was among the first physicians in the world to work with radioactive isotopes. He began his work under a French student fellowship award similar to those awarded by the Society of Nuclear Medicine Education and Research Foundation. Dr. Sternberg served as vice president of SNM in 1963 and was instrumental in founding the *World Federation of Nuclear Medicine and Biology* and the *Journal of Nuclear Medicine and Biology* where he was the first scientific editor. In recognition of his scientific achievements and his contributions to the establishment of the field of nuclear medicine, a fund has been set up in his memory to further the training of a selected young scientist in nuclear medicine. For further information, contact Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E & R Foundation, SNM, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

SNM EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Student Fellowship Grants—These grants are designed to stimulate interest among students in the United States and Canada in the field of nuclear medicine. These awards provide an opportunity to spend elective quarters and/or summers working with experts in the field. Maximum grant: \$3,000 for three months. Applications can be obtained from the office of the E&R Foundation, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316. Applicants must provide the information requested in the application form for consideration. The ranking of the candidate will be based on the quality and originality of the research proposal submitted. Deadlines: Nov. 15, 1994 and April 15, 1995. Decisions on candidates' rankings will be made at the Midwinter and Annual Meetings of the Society. The number of candidates to whom awards will be made is determined by the funds available for student fellowships.

Pilot Research Grants—These grants are intended to provide seed money to scientists working in nuclear medicine. Such proposals must be of a pilot nature in either clinical or basic research. Maximum grant: \$5,000. Applicants may obtain an application form from the office of the E&R Foundation and are advised that all the information requested must be completed for an application to be considered, including justification of why this is a pilot research grant and how it will allow the applicant to fully develop his/her research program. Deadlines: Nov. 15, 1994 and April 15, 1995. Decisions on such grants, based on available funding, will be made at the Mid-winter and Annual

Meetings of the Society. Send letters and applications to Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

Paul D. Cole Scholarship—Established by the SNM Technologist Section and the family and friends of Paul Cole, three \$1,000 scholarships, one for each of the three types of nuclear medicine technology training programs: certificate, associate, baccalaureate, are

available for qualified applicants.

For applications or additional information, please contact Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

Tetalman Memorial Award—Established by the family and friends of Marc Tetalman, MD, this fund provides an annual award of \$2,500 to one young investigator (36 years or younger) in nuclear medicine for his/her

accomplishments. Applications must include a curriculum vitae, a statement detailing research accomplishments and future goals, three or more letters of recommendation from established investigators, and up to three selected reprints. Send letters and applications prior to March 1, 1995 to: Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

SNM MEETING DATES AND VENUES

42nd Annual Meeting

June 12-15, 1995
Minneapolis Convention Center
Minneapolis, Minnesota

43rd Annual Meeting

June 3-6, 1996
Denver Convention Center
Denver, Colorado

44th Annual Meeting

June 2-5, 1997
San Antonio Convention Center
San Antonio, Texas