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2. sponsoring group
3. topics presented
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5. deadline date for submission of abstracts
6. number of CME credit hours
7. registration fees and
8. contact person, address, and telephone.

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MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE

MAY

May 5-7, 1995

25TH ANNUAL MEETING. **Sponsor:** Mid-Eastern Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Omni Inner Harbor Hotel, Baltimore, MD. **Contact:** Samuel Sostre, Scientific Program Chairman, Georgetown University Hospital, 3800 Reservoir Rd., NW #2005 Gorman, Washington, DC 20007, (410) 955-8448.

JUNE

June 11-15, 1995

42ND ANNUAL MEETING. **Sponsor:** Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Minneapolis Convention Center, Minneapolis, MN. **Pre-registration Deadline:** May 5, 1995. **Contact:** Alexandra Odekerken, Society of Nuclear Medicine, Attn: Annual Meeting, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316, (703) 708-9000, ext. 229. Fax: (703) 708-9015.

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

MAY

May 8, 1995

THE THYROID: PARADIGMS OF RADIATION EFFECTS. **Sponsor:** Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center—Nuclear Medicine Dept. **Location:** William Paul Hoffman Auditorium, Memorial Hospital, New York, NY. **Fee:** None. **Contact:** Samuel Yeh, MD, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1275 York Avenue, New York, NY 10021, (212) 639-7372.

May 12-15, 1995

CONFERENCE ON ENVIRONMENTAL BONE-SEEKING AGENTS. **Sponsor:** Universities Associated for Research and Education in

Pathology, NIH, NIEHS, NIDR, American Registry of Pathology. **Location:** The Yarrow Hotel, Park City, UT. **Fee:** \$250. **Contact:** H. Clarke Anderson, MD, Dept. of Pathology, University of Kansas Medical Center, 3901 Rainbow Blvd., Kansas City, KS 66160-7410, (913) 588-7070. Fax: (913) 588-7073.

May 16-20, 1995

MELVIN P. JUDKINS CARDIAC IMAGING SYMPOSIUM AND 18TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY FOR CARDIAC ANGIOGRAPHY AND INTERVENTIONS. **Sponsor:** The Society for Cardiac Angiography and Interventions. **Location:** Hyatt Grand Cypress, Orlando, FL. **Fee:** Members (none); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$275); other (\$175). **Credit:** Category I hr. **Contact:** Justine Parker, P.O. Box 7849, Breckenridge, CO 80424, (303) 453-1773. Fax: (303) 453-2636.

May 22-26, 1995

NUCLEAR MEDICINE-1995. **Sponsor:** Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore Medical Center. **Location:** Sonesta Beach Hotel and Spa, Bermuda. **Fee:** Physicians/scientists (\$600); residents, fellows, technologists, nurses (\$350). **Credit:** 14 Category I hr. **Contact:** Mitchell H. Stromer, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Nuclear Medicine-1995, 1300 Morris Park Avenue, Bronx, NY 10461, (718) 904-4180. Fax: (718) 904-4182.

May 25-28, 1995

NUCLEAR MEDICINE IN CLINICAL PRACTICE-8TH ANNUAL SEMINAR. **Sponsor:** The Brooklyn Nuclear Medicine Club. **Location:** MGM Grand Hotel & Theme Park, Las Vegas, NV. **Fee:** Physicians (\$135); technologists (\$95). **Credit:** 15 Category I CME hr. **Contact:** Georgia Serrapica, 121 DeKalb Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11201, (718) 250-8225. Fax: (718) 250-8879.

JUNE

June 3-7, 1995

PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF CLINICAL MAG-

NETIC RESONANCE IMAGING. **Sponsor:** Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions. **Location:** Renaissance Hotel, Washington, DC. **Fee:** Physicians (\$575); residents, fellows, technologists (\$375). **Credit:** 22 AMA Category I hr. **Contact:** Conference Coordinator, Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Office of Continuing Medical Education, Turner 20, 720 Rutland Ave., Baltimore, MD 21205 (410) 955-2959.

June 15-17, 1995

PROSTATE CANCER SHOOTOUT. **Sponsor:** The Chicago Urological Society and the Chicago Radiological Society. **Location:** The Palmer House Hilton Hotel, Chicago, IL. **Contact:** Prostate Cancer Shootout Office, P.O. Box 1036, Park Ridge, IL 60068, (708) 823-3848. Fax: (708) 698-1762.

June 22-24, 1995

18TH NUCLEAR MEDICINE NATIONAL CONGRESS 1995. **Sponsor:** Nuclear Medicine National Congress. **Location:** Pamplona, Spain. **Contact:** Servicio Medicina Nuclear, Clinica Universitaria de Navarra, Avda de Pío XII, 31008 Pamplona, Spain, (948) 27-33-11. Fax: (948) 17-22-94.

June 26-30, 1995

FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FUNCTIONAL MAPPING OF THE HUMAN BIAN. **Sponsor:** Service Hospitalier Frédéric Joliot. **Location:** Paris, France. **Contact:** B. Mazoyer, Human Brain Map 95, Service Hospitalier Frédéric Joliot, CEA-DRIPP, F-91401 Orsay Cedex, 38-1-69-86-77-12. Fax: 33-1-69-86-77-68. E-mail: mazoyer@uriens.shfj.cea.fr.

JULY

July 4-6, 1995

1995 INTERNATIONAL MEETING ON FULLY THREE-DIMENSIONAL IMAGE RECONSTRUCTION IN RADIOLOGY AND NUCLEAR MEDICINE. **Sponsor:** CEA (French Atomic Energy Agency). **Location:** Aix les Bains, Savoie, France. **Fee:** \$420-\$530. **Contact:** Pierre Grangeat, Cen.G-DSYS, 17 rue des Martyrs, 38054, Grenoble, Cedex 9, France, (33) 76-88-43-73. Fax: (33) 76-88-51-64. E-mail: guillemaud@dsys.ceng.cea.fr.

July 8-15, 1995

ALASKA '95- CRUISE THE ISLAND PASSAGE. **Sponsor:** Medical Seminars International, Inc. **Location:** Alaska. **Fee:** \$595; fellows, residents, interns, technologists and nurses may deduct \$100 with a letter. **Contact:** Medical Seminars International Inc., Alaska '95, 18981 Ventura Blvd., Suite 303, Tarzana, CA 91356, (818) 774-9077. Fax: (818) 774-0244.

October 9-13, 1995

14TH CONGRESS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF THE LATIN AMERICA SOCIETIES OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE AND BIOLOGY. **Sponsor:** Brazilian Society of Nuclear Medicine and Biology. **Abstract deadline:** May 31, 1995. **Contact:** Brazilian Society of Nuclear Medicine and Biology, 55-11-289-9905. Fax: 55-11-289-0250.

MAY

May 1-5, 1995

Advanced MR Visiting Fellowship for Physicians. **Sponsor:** Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. **Location:** Philadelphia, PA. **Fee:** \$1500. **Credit:** 40 AMA Category I hr. **Contact:** Melissa, Zajdel, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, 1 Silverstein Building, 3400 Spruce St., Philadelphia, PA 19104,

(215) 662-7825. Fax: (215) 349-5925.

May 22-25, 1995

CLINICAL NUCLEAR MEDICINE. **Sponsor:** Harvard Medical School, Department of Continuing Education and Brigham and Women's Hospital, Department of Radiology. **Location:** Hyatt Regency, Cambridge, MA. **Fee:** \$575. **Credit:** 26 Category I hr. **Contact:** Harvard MED-CME, P.O. Box 825, Boston, MA 02117, (617) 432-1525.

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 nuclear medicine field. These awards provide an opportunity to spend elective quarters and/or summers working with experts in the field. Maximum grant is \$3000 for three months. Ranking of the candidate will be based on the quality and originality of the research proposal submitted. Applicants must provide the information requested in the application form for consideration. Decisions on candidate's ranking will be made at the Mid-Winter and Annual Meeting of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. The number of candidates to whom awards will be made is determined by the funds available for student fellowships. **Contact:** E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

Pilot Research Grants

These grants are intended to provide seed money to scientists working in the nuclear medicine field. Such proposals must be of a pilot nature in either clinical or basis research. Maximum grant: \$5000. Applicants must provide the information requested in the application form for consideration, including justification of why this is a pilot research grant and how it will allow the applicant to fully develop his/her research program. Decisions on such grants, based on available funding, will be made at the Mid-Winter and Annual Meeting of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Contact:** Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

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 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 E&R 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. **Contact:** E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

Totalman Memorial Award

Established by the family and friends of Marc Totalman, MD, this fund provides an annual award of \$2500 to one 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 recommendations from established investigators, and up to three selected reprints. **Application deadline:** March 1, 1996. **Contact:** Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

Benedict Cassen Postdoctoral Fellowship

This fellowship is awarded to recent doctoral degree recipients demonstrating an excellent academic record and exceptional research ability. Its purpose is to broaden recipients' basic exposure to nuclear medicine research at an institution different from that conferring the doctoral degree. The award, amounting to \$25,000 per year, for two years, is contingent upon satisfactory performance in the first year. It is anticipated that the first Cassen Fellowship will be awarded in the spring or early summer of 1996. **Application deadline:** January 3, 1996. **Contact:** Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, 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 D. Cole, three \$1000 scholarships, one for each of the three types of nuclear medicine technology training programs (certificate, associate, baccalaureate) are available for qualified applicants. **Application deadline:** May 5, 1995. **Contact:** Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

SNM MEETING DATES AND VENUES**42nd Annual Meeting**

June 11-15, 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