Calendar

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 32nd Annual Meeting

Date: Sunday–Wednesday, June 2–5, 1985

Location: Albert Thomas Convention and Exhibit Center, Houston, TX

Educational Program: 3 premeeting seminars for nuclear medicine practitioners, referring physicians, and senior technologists; 600 scientific papers, posters, and exhibits; 16 hour-and-a-half continuing education courses; 4-day technologist educational program; and commercial exhibits.

CME credit: 34 hr Category 1

Fees: $100 SNM members; $195 nonmembers

Contact: The Society of Nuclear Medicine, Education and Meetings Department, 475 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10016 (212)889-0717

Meetings Sponsored by The Society of Nuclear Medicine

MAY 25–27, 1985
Hawaii Chapter, Updates in Nuclear Medicine Imaging, Turtle Bay Hilton, Kauai, HI. Contact: Patrick McGuigan, 550 S. Beretania, Honolulu, HI 96813 (808)537-2211.

SEPTEMBER 9–10, 1985
SNM and American College of Nuclear Physicians, Joint International Symposium on the Role of Noninvasive Imaging Modalities in Clinical Decision Making: Coronary Artery Disease, Marriott Hotel, Washington, DC. Topics presented include government and health insurance views on reimbursement policy; approaches to containing cost of clinical decision making and the use of diagnostic algorithms; cost effectiveness of ultrasound, nuclear medicine, CT, MRI, and PET in coronary artery disease. 14 1/2 hr Category 1 credit available. Fees: $135 for entire program; $10 for 1 day. Contact: Barbra Hickey, Director of Membership Services, American College of Nuclear Physicians, 1001 Connecticut Ave., Suite 700, Washington, DC 20036 (202)857-1135.

OCTOBER 17–20, 1985
Western Chapter, 10th Annual Western Regional Meeting, American Canyon Hotel, Palm Springs, CA. Deadline for abstracts: June 24, 1985. Fees: to be announced. Contact: Kaya Karcher, 10th Western Regional Meeting, SNM, PO Box 4079, San Francisco, CA 94140 (415)647-0722.

OCTOBER 23–26, 1985

OCTOBER 25–27, 1985
Greater New York and New England Chapters, 2nd Northeast Meeting, Westin Hotel—Copley Plaza, Boston, MA. Efficiency of nuclear medicine procedures; cardiology (acute care); cardiology (the failing myocardium); infectious disease; emergency nuclear medicine; low-level nuclear waste; SPECT. Commercial Exhibits. Deadline for abstracts: September 1, 1985. Category 1 credit available. Fees: $85/$115 physician, scientist member/nonmember; $55/$60 resident member/nonmember. Contact: Mitchell Stromer, Second Northeast Regional Meeting, SNM, Greater NY and NE Chapters, 360 Cedar Lane, East Meadow, NY 11554 (212)904-4180.
Meetings Sponsored by Organizations Other than The Society of Nuclear Medicine

MAY 19-23, 1985

MAY 20-22, 1985
North American Society of Cardiovascular Imaging, Diagnostic Imaging Magazine and Contemporary Forums, Hyatt on Union Square, San Francisco, CA. Contact: Contemporary Forums, 219 Canyon Vista, Danville, CA 94526 (415)820-2800.

MAY 29-31, 1985
Massachusetts General Hospital, Harvard Medical School, Department of Continuing Medical Education, Boston, MA. Contact: Paula Payne, Postgraduate Education Coordinator, Dept. of Radiology, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA 02114 (617)726-8395.

JUNE 2-14, 1985
Radiological Health Physics, University of Lowell, Department of Physics and Applied Physics, Hilton Inn, Merrimack, NH. Contact: Dr. Kenneth W. Skrable, Dept. of Physics and Applied Physics, University of Lowell, 1 University Ave., Lowell, MA 01854 (617)543-1045.

JUNE 10-14, 1985
Planning for Nuclear Emergencies, Harvard University School of Public Health, Boston, MA. Contact: Office of Continuing Education, Harvard University School of Public Health, 677 Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02115 (617)732-1171.

JUNE 16-19, 1985
Southwest Imaging Conference, Department of Radiology, University of Arizona & University of New Mexico, Sweeney Center, Santa Fe, NM. Contact: Nomi Feldman, Conference Coordinator, 3770 Tansy, San Diego, CA 92121 (619)453-6222.

JUNE 16-21, 1985
Internal Radiation Dosimetry, University of Lowell, Department of Physics and Applied Physics, Hilton Inn, Merrimack, NH. Contact: Dr. Kenneth W. Skrable, Dept. of Physics and Applied Physics, University of Lowell, 1 University Ave., Lowell, MA 01854 (617)543-1045.

JUNE 24-29, 1985
New Advances in Nuclear Medicine, NMR, and Angioplasty for the Practicing Physician Including Seventh Annual Nuclear Cardiology Symposium, Emory University School of Medicine, Sea Pines Plantation, Hilton Head Island, SC. Contact: Joanna Graves, Program Coordinator, Continuing Medical Education, Emory University School of Medicine, 1440 Clifton Rd., NE, 110 WHSCAB, Atlanta GA 30322 (404)329-5695.

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, Forresbtherhill, Aberdeen AB9 2ZD, Scotland.

JULY 25-27, 1985
Minnesota Symposium on Nuclear Medicine, University of Minnesota, Radisson University Hotel, Minneapolis, MN. Current status of applications of indium labeled blood products in medical research and practice; techniques in NM, and cardiovascular and gastrointestinal NM. 14 hr Category 1 credit. $120 physicians, scientists; $60 technologists, personnel. Contact: Betsy Parks, Program Assistant, Continuing Medical Education, University of Minnesota, Box 293, 420 Delaware St. SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455 (612)373-8012.

AUGUST 22-25, 1985
Ultrasound & Nuclear Magnetic Resonance, Taj Continuing Education Programs, Taj Palace Hotel, New Delhi, India. Contact: Guantarn 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. All aspects of nuclear medicine with special emphasis on its practice in developing countries. No fee. Contact: Dr. R. Dudley or Dr. R.D. Ganatra, International Atomic Energy Agency, IAEA-SM-283, Vienna International Centre, PO. Box 100, A-1400 Vienna, Austria.

SEPTEMBER 3-6, 1985

SEPTEMBER 9-11, 1985

SEPTEMBER 10-11, 1985
Symposium on Radioligens, 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 Radiopharmaceuticals, International Association of Radiopharmacologists, 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.

OCTOBER 12-20, 1985
Body Imaging Conference, West Park Hospital, Maui Marriott Hotel, HI. Correlated approach to the principles, indications, uses, interpretations and results obtained with computed tomography, ultrasonography, nuclear imaging, MRI, and digital radiography. 30 hr Category 1 credit. Fees: $450 physicians, scientists; $395 residents, techs. Contact: Conference Secretary, Department of Radiology, West Park Hospital, 2241 Roscoe Blvd., Canoga Park, CA 91304 (818)340-0580 x280.

NOVEMBER 4-8, 1985
Diagnostic Radiology Seminar, University of California, San Francisco, Maui Marriott Hotel, HI. For radiologists in clinical practice; provides survey of selected subdivisions for diagnostic radiology. Fees: $475 physicians, scientists; $375 residents, fellows, techs, and nurses. Contact: Radiology Postgraduate Education, University of California, Room C234, 521 Parnassus Ave., San Francisco, CA 94143 (415)666-5731.

NOVEMBER 5-8, 1985

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 SCIENCE IN NUCLEAR MEDICINE
The next examination of the American Board of Science in Nuclear Medicine originally scheduled for June 1, 1985 in conjunction with the 32nd Annual Meeting of The Society of Nuclear Medicine will be held June 2, 1985. Specialty areas that may be chosen for the examination include: nuclear medicine physics and instrumentation, radiation protection, radiopharmaceutical and radiochemistry science, NMR physics and instrumentation, nuclear medicine computer science, and nuclear medicine laboratory science. Contact: Eugene Vinciguerra, DSc, Secretary, American Board of Science in Nuclear Medicine, 145 W. 58th St., New York, NY 10019 (212) 757-0520. Applications must be received by May 15, 1985.

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.