

**MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE**

**Chapter Meetings**

■ **MAY**

May 1, 1993

**Central Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine Road Show.** *Sponsor:* Central Chapter, SNM. *Location:* Children's Memorial Hospital, Chicago, IL. This is the Central Chapter's traditional "Road Show" that is presented in each of the Chapter's states. Topics included are radiopharmaceuticals for tumor imaging; tumor imaging, planar and SPECT; traditional and newer tumor imaging studies; and future directions of tumor imaging. The lecture will be presented in the host hospital auditorium. *Credit:* Category I AMA, VOICE and Illinois IDNS credit. *Fee:* Pre-registration (member/nonmember), \$70/\$100 for physicians and scientists; \$35/\$50 for technologists; and \$5/\$10 for technologists and physicians in training. *Contact:* Dr. Vincent J. Sodd, Executive Director, Central Chapter SNM, 5987 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244. (513) 231-5274.

May 1-4, 1993

**Fourth Hawaii Meeting.** *Sponsor:* Western Regional Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. *Location:* Maui Intercontinental Hotel, Maui, HI. Topics presented include tumor imaging, pediatrics, thyroid, cardiopulmonary, SPECT, PET and seizure disorder imaging. *Commercial Exhibits:* Yes. *Credits:* 16 hr Category I AMA and VOICE. *Fee:* (member/nonmember) physicians and scientists, \$175/\$225; technologists and residents, \$100/\$150. *Contact:* Joyce Matin, Executive Director, Western Regional SNM, P.O. Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746. (916) 791-3428. Fax: (916) 791-3506.

May 7-9, 1993

**37th Annual Meeting of the Pittsburgh Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine and Technologist Section.** *Sponsor:* Pittsburgh Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. *Location:* Seven Springs Resort, Champion, PA. Topics presented include latest advances in antibody imaging, nuclear cardiology, bone and brain SPECT, quantification techniques, strontium-89 therapy and socio-economic issues. *Credit:* Up to 15 Category I credits (pending). *Contact:* Elliott Turbner, Sewickley Valley Hospital, Dept.

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

announcements 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: Mark A. Newman, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, 136 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10016-6760. (212) 889-0717. For-profit organizations wishing to announce meetings may purchase ad space by contacting Peter Walsh.

of Radiology, Sewickley, PA 15143. (412) 749-7235. Fax: (412) 749-7695.

**MEETINGS SPONSORED BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

■ **MAY**

May 2-7, 1993

**10th Annual Magnetic Resonance Imaging 1993: National Symposium.** *Sponsor:* Florida Radiological Society. *Location:* Buena Vista Palace, Disney World/Epcot Center, FL. *Credit:* 39 hr Category I CME credit and ASRT ECE credit. *Fee:* \$650 for physicians, scientists and company representatives; \$495 for residents, fellows, military, nurses and technologists. *Contact:* Florida Radiological Society, Committee on Educational Symposia, 1527 South Dale Mabry Hwy., Tampa, FL 33629-5808. (813) 254-4608. Fax: (813) 254-9773.

May 3-7, 1993

**1993 Incineration Conference.** *Sponsor:* University of California at Irvine. *Location:* Holiday Inn-World's Fair and Knoxville Convention Center, Knoxville, TN. The conference will present topics of current interest to waste management professionals. Technical and scientific advances will be discussed by experts from the international community who are involved with thermal treatment technologies for the management of radioactive, hazardous, mixed and medical wastes. *Abstract Deadline:* April 2, 1993. *Contact:* C. Baker, University of California, Environmental Health and Safety (EH&S), Irvine, CA 92717. (714) 856-7066.

May 3-7, 1993

**Magnetic Resonance Imaging and Ultrasound in Yosemite.** *Sponsor:* UCSF Dept. of Radiology Postgraduate Education. *Location:* Marriott's Tenaya Lodge, Yosemite National Park, CA. *Credit:* 22.5 CME Category I credits, 22.5 contact hr for nurses and 22.5 points for technologists. *Fee:* \$595 for physicians; \$495 for residents, fellows, technologists and nurses. *Contact:* Renee Sauers, Director, 521 Parnassus Ave., San Francisco, CA 94143-0628. (415) 476-5731.

May 16-18, 1993

**29th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology.** *Sponsor:* American Society of Clinical Oncology. *Location:* Orange County Convention Center, Orlando, FL. *Contact:* ASCO, 435 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1717, Chicago, IL 60611-4067. (312) 644-0828.

May 16-21, 1993

**Fifth International Symposium on Clinical Disorders of Bone and Mineral Metabolism.** *Sponsor:* Henry Ford Hospital and Medical Center and the American Society for Bone and Mineral Research. *Location:* Detroit, MI. Leading scientists and clinicians involved in bone research will share the most recent data in the areas of osteoporosis, rheumatology, orthopedics, skeletal radiology, parathyroid and osteoclast disorders, special pediatric and vitamin D issues. *Contact:* Roberta Silver, Center for Bio-Medical Communication, Inc., 80 W. Madison Ave., Dumont, NJ 07628. (201) 385-8080. Fax: (201) 385-5650.

May 24-28, 1993

**Nuclear Medicine: 1993.** *Sponsor:* Montefiore Medical Center. *Location:* Sonesta Beach Hotel, Bermuda. Topics covered include cardiovascular nuclear medicine, SPECT, bone imaging and developments in instrumentation and radiopharmaceuticals. *Credit:* 17 Category I credits. *Fee:* \$500 for physicians and scientists; \$300 for technologists. *Contact:* Mitchell Stromer, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, 1300 Morris Park Ave., Bronx, NY 10461. (212) 904-4180.

May 24-28, 1993

**Practical Body Imaging: CT, US and MRI in the 1990s.** *Sponsor:* UCSF Dept. of Radiology Postgraduate Education. *Location:* Marriott Hotel, Monterey, CA. *Credit:* 21 CME Category I credits, 21 contact hr for nurses and 21 points for technologists. *Fee:* \$595 for physicians; \$495 for residents, fellows, technologists and nurses. *Contact:* Renee Sauers, Director, 521 Parnassus Ave., San Francisco, CA 94143-0628. (415) 476-5731.

## ■ JUNE

June 4-5 1993

**Digital Networks and Communications in Nuclear Medicine.** *Sponsor:* The Mitchner Institute. *Location:* The Mitchner Institute, Toronto, Canada. This two-day seminar will cover the problems and costs associated with the introduction of PACS and networks to nuclear medicine departments. The course will be of particular interest to physicists, computer engineers and technologists who will be participating in the introduction of networking to their department. Emphasis will be placed upon practical solutions to outstanding problems rather than academic discussion of the subject matter. *Contact:* Nancy Brown, Dept. of Continuing Education, The Mitchner Institute, 222 St. Patrick St., Toronto, Canada M5T 1V4. (416) 596-3101.

June 6-12, 1993

**Intensive Bioethics Course XIX.** *Sponsor:*

Kennedy Institute of Ethics at Georgetown University. *Location:* Intercultural Center on the Georgetown University Campus and in the Georgetown University Conference Center and Guest House. The course is an in-depth study of ethical theory and the application of ethical principles to selected problems in health care and biomedical research. The primary modes of instruction in the course are lectures and small group discussions. *Credit:* 26 CME Category I credits or 2.6 CEU credits. *Fee:* \$1,400 for tuition, textbooks, course materials, continental breakfasts, lunches, refreshment breaks, Sunday evening reception and Friday evening banquet. *Contact:* LeRoy Walters, Director, Center for Bioethics, Kennedy Institute of Ethics, Georgetown University, Washington, DC 20057.

June 10-13, 1993

**Imaging at Spoleto by the Sea.** *Sponsor:* Medical University of South Carolina. *Location:* Wild Dunes Ocean Resort, Charleston, SC. The conference is designed to update the practicing radiologist on current topics, concepts and issues relative to the broad field of diagnostic radiology. *Credits:* 12.5 Category I credits. *Fee:* \$425. *Contact:* Kenneth M. Spicer, Associate Professor, Dept. of Radiology, Medical University of South Carolina, 171 Ashley Ave., Charleston, SC 29425. (803) 792-4021.

June 13-17, 1993

**51st Conference of Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists.** *Sponsor:* Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists. *Location:* Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island. *Contact:* CAMRT/ACTRM, 294 Alberta St., Suite 601, Ottawa, Ontario, K1P 6E6. (613) 234-0012. Fax: (613) 234-1097.

## ■ JULY

July 3-10, 1993

**35th World Congress of the International College of Angiology.** *Sponsor:* International College of Angiology. *Location:* Copen-

hagen, Denmark. *Abstracts Due:* March 31, 1993. *Contact:* Denise M. Rossignol, Executive Director, International College of Angiology, Inc., 5 Daremy Court, Nesconset, NY 11767. (516) 366-1429. Fax: (516) 366-3609.

## NOTICES

### AWARDS COMMITTEE, SNM

**Named Lectureships**—Lectureships are available in either the Scientific Program or Continuing Education track of the June Annual Meeting. An SNM Chapter or Council may apply to the Awards Committee for a "named" lectureship (e.g., "Blumgart Lecture" sponsored by the New England Chapter). The rules are as follows: (a) submit applications one year prior to the June Annual Meeting, (b) sponsorship must be committed for a minimum of three years 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 lecturer's travel, hotel, food and incidental expenses at the Annual Meeting, and a suitable honorarium (e.g., minimum of \$500), and (c) selection of the lecturer will be made by the Scientific Program Chairperson or designee in consultation with the sponsoring Chapter or Council.

### ABR EXAMINATIONS

The American Board of Radiology has recently revised the dates of the written and oral examinations. The revised dates are as follows: 1993: September 22-23 (written) and June 7-10 (oral); 1994: October 13-14 (written) and June 6-9 (oral); 1995: September 28-29 (written) and June 5-8 (oral); 1996: October 10-11 (written) and June 3-6 (oral); 1997: September 25-26 (written) and June 2-5 (oral); 1998: September 24-25 (written) and June 1-4 (oral); 1999: October 7-8 (written) and June 7-10 (oral). For further information, contact: ABR, 2301 West Big Beaver Rd., Troy, MI 48084. (313) 643-0300. Fax: (313) 643-0353.