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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.

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

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## MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE

### APRIL

#### April 6-7, 1995

16TH ANNUAL EASTERN GREAT LAKES MEETING AND FUNCTIONAL BRAIN IMAGING SEMINAR. **Sponsor:** Eastern Great Lakes Chapter and the Department of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Sheraton Inn Buffalo Airport, Buffalo, NY. **Fee:** Member physicians/scientists (\$65) technologists (\$40); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$75) technologists (\$45); residents/students (no fee). **Credit:** CME and VOICE hr. **Contact:** Paula Hartig, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, 105 Parker Hall, 3435 Main St., Buffalo, NY 14214, (716) 838-5889. Fax: (716) 838-4918.

#### April 22-26, 1995

HAWAII SPRING MEETING. **Sponsor:** Western Regional Chapter. **Location:** Maui Intercontinental, Maui, Hawaii. **Fee:** Member physicians/scientists (\$200) technologists (\$100); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$250) technologists (\$150). **Credit:** 16 Category I and 1.6 VOICE hr. **Contact:** Joyce Matin, P.O. Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746, (916) 791-3428. Fax: (916) 791-3506.

#### April 22 & 29, 1995

ARTIFACTS AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS. **Sponsor:** Central Chapter. **Location:** Member physicians/scientists (\$70) technologists (\$35) students(\$5); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$100) technologists (\$35) students (\$10). **Contact:** Dr. Vincent J. Sodd, 5987 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244, (513) 231-5274.

### MAY

#### May 5-7, 1995

25TH ANNUAL MEETING. **Sponsor:** Mid-East-

ern Chapter. **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.

## MEETINGS SPONSORED BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

### APRIL

#### April 12-13, 1995

31ST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL ON RADIATION PROTECTION AND MEASUREMENTS. **Sponsor:** National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements. **Location:** Crystal Forum, Crystal City Marriott, Arlington, VA. **Contact:** NCRP, 7910 Woodmont Ave., Suite 800, Bethesda, MD 70891, (800) 229-2652 or (301) 657-2652. Fax: (301) 907-8768.

#### April 23-26, 1995

2ND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON NUCLEAR CARDIOLOGY. **Sponsor:** American Society of Nuclear Cardiology and the European Working Group of the European Society of Cardiology. **Location:** Congress Centre, Cannes, France. **Contact:** Conference Dept., The Medicine Group, 62 Stert St., Abingdon, Oxfordshire, OX14 3UQ, United Kingdom, 011-44-235-555-770. Fax: 011-44-235-554-691.

### 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, Utah. **Fee:** \$250. **Contact:** H. Clarke Anderson, MD, Dept. of Pathology, University of Kansas Medical Center, 3901 Rainbow Boulevard, 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

PRINCIPALS AND PRACTICE OF CLINICAL MAGNETIC 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) 697-1762.

**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 Pio XII, 31008 Pamplona, Spain, 948-27-33-11. Fax: 948-17-22-94.

**June 26-30, 1995**

1ST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FUNCTIONAL MAPPING OF THE HUMAN BRAIN. **Sponsor:** Service Hospitalier Frédéric Joliot. **Location:** Paris, France. **Contact:** B. Mazoyer, Human Brain Map 95, Service Hospitalier Frederic Joliot, CEA-DRIPP, F-91401

Orsay Cedex, 38-1-69-86-77-12. Fax: 33-1-69-86-77-68.

**OCTOBER****October 4-6, 1995**

35TH ANNUAL MEETING. **Sponsor:** The Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Yokohama City, Japan. **Abstract deadline:** April 20, 1995. **Contact:** Yasuhiro Sasaki, MD, The Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine, 35th Annual Meeting, c/o Dept. of Radiology, Faculty of Medicine, The University of Tokyo, 7-3-1 Hongo, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113, Japan, 81-2-5689-8218. Fax: 81-2-3815-5411, ext. 3660.

**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.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION****MAY****May 1-5, 1995**

ADVANCED MR VISITING FELLOW FOR PHYSICIANS. **Sponsor:** Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. **Location:** Philadelphia, PA. **Fee:** 1,500. **Credit:** 40 AMA Category I hr. **Contact:** Melissa Zajdel, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, 3400 Spruce St., 1 Silverstein Building, 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.

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## 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 \$3,000 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. **Application deadline:** April 15, 1995. **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: \$5,000. 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. **Application deadline:** April 15, 1995. **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, SNM, 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 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 \$1,000 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.

## Awards and Fellowships Sponsored by the SNM or Other Organizations

### Named Lectureship

Lectureships are available in the Scientific Research or Continuing Education track of the Annual Meeting. An SNM chapter or council may apply to the Awards Committee for a "named" lectureship (e.g., "Blumgard Lecture" sponsored by the New England Chapter). Applications must be submitted one year prior to the June Annual Meeting and sponsorship must be committed for a minimum of three years and requires that a minimum deposit of \$3,000 (approximately \$1,000 per 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 (minimum \$500). Selection of the lecturer will be made by the Scientific Program Chairperson or designee in consultation with the sponsoring Chapter or Council.

### The Vereinigung Deutscher Strahlenschutz-Arzte E.V And The Hanns-Langendorffst Award

The Hanns-Langendorff Prize is designed for the progress of radiation protection. The prize is endowed with DM 10,000 and will be awarded to younger scientists who have accomplished outstanding work in the field of radiation protection. Manuscripts dealing with basic research in radiology and radiation protection in diagnostic radiology, nuclear medicine and radiation therapy may be honored. Be sure to include 6 copies of the application manuscripts. **Abstract deadline:** April 30, 1995. **Contact:** Vorsitzender der Vereinigung Deutscher Strahlenschutzärzte, Prof. Dr. Chr. Reiners, Klinik und Poliklinik der Universität Würzburg, Joseph-Schneider-Str. 2, 97080 Würzburg.

### 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

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The new SNM Membership Directory, appearing later this year, will include electronic mail addresses for the first time. But SNM headquarters staff need your help in making sure the Directory has current and accurate E-Mail addresses for as many members as possible.

The SNM Departments of Information and Membership Services urge you to FAX your E-Mail address to the number below as soon as possible.

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