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8. Contact person, address and telephone.

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AUGUST REMINDER MEETINGS

For further information, refer to last month's journal.

August 24-27, 1996—International Symposium on Radioiodine, Rochester, MN.

August 30-September 1, 1996—State-of-the-Art: Radiopharmacy and Nuclear Medicine Physics: An Update, Lincolnwood, IL.

SNM MEETING DATES AND VENUES

44th Annual Meeting

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

45th Annual Meeting

June 7-11, 1998
Toronto Convention Center
Toronto, Canada

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE

September 28 and 29, 1996—Solutions for Contemporary Nuclear Imaging. **Sponsor:** Central Chapter of the SNM. **Location:** Bloomington, MN. **Fee:** Pre-registration: Member physicians/scientists (\$75); member technologists (\$50); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$100); nonmember technologists (\$65). **Credit:** Category I AMA, VOICE and Illinois IDNS hr. **Contact:** Vincent J. Sodd, PhD, Executive Director, Central Chapter, 5987 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244. Phone: (513) 231-6955. Fax: (513) 231-5274.

October 4-6, 1996—Everyday Nuclear Medicine—Adding Value. **Sponsor:** Missouri Valley Chapter of the SNM. **Location:** Columbia, MO. **Credit:** 10 Category I and 10 CPE hr. **Contact:** Robert Buntaine, Missouri Valley Chapter, 111 West Jewel, Kirkwood, MO 63122. Phone: (314) 822-3796. Fax: (314) 822-3796.

October 17-20, 1996—The Clinical Value of Nuclear Medicine. **Sponsor:** Southeastern Chapter of the SNM. **Location:** Atlanta, GA. **Fee:** Member physicians/scientists (\$100); member residents (\$85); member technologists (\$60); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$150); nonmember technologists/residents (\$85). **Credit:** Category I AMA, VOICE and Florida State Technologist and Pharmacy hr. **Contact:** Vincent J. Sodd, PhD, Executive Director, Southeastern Chapter, 5987 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244. Phone: (513) 231-6955. Fax: (513) 231-5274.

October 24-27, 1996—21st Annual Western Regional Meeting. **Sponsor:** Western Regional Chapters of the SNM. **Location:** Seattle, WA. **Fee:** Member physicians/scientists (\$185); member technologists (\$90); residents/fellows (\$100); member technologists students (\$15); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$210); nonmember technologists (\$115); nonmember residents/fellows (\$125); nonmember students (\$35). **Credit:** 19 Category I, VOICE and SCOPE hr available. **Contact:** Joyce Matin, P.O. Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746. Phone: (916) 791-3428. Fax: (916) 791-3506.

November 1-3, 1996—The Tenth Northeast Regional Scientific Meeting. **Sponsor:** Greater New York and New England Chapters of the SNM. **Location:** Newport Marriott, Newport, RI. **Fee:** Member physicians/scientists (\$160); member technologists (\$25); nonmember physicians/scientists (\$200); nonmember technologists (\$60); residents/fellows (\$30); students (free). **Credit:** Category I AMA and VOICE hr available. **Contact:** Mitchell H. Stromer, 360 Cedar Lane, East Meadows, NY 11554. Phone: (718) 405-8450. Fax: (718) 824-1369.

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

August 20-23, 1996—Nuclear Emergency Planning. **Sponsor:** Harvard School of Public Health. **Location:** Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA. **Fee:** \$1045. **Contact:** Harvard School of Public Health, 677 Huntington Ave., LL-23, Dept. B, Boston, MA 02115-6023. Phone: (617) 432-1171. Fax: (617) 432-1969. E-mail: contedu@sph.harvard.edu.

September 7-9, 1996—American Society of Nuclear Cardiology (ASNC) Tutorial in Nuclear Cardiology. **Sponsor:** ASNC. **Location:** Grand Hyatt Hotel, Washington, D.C. **Credit:** 18 AMA Category I hr. **Contact:** ASNC Tutorial Conference Office, 13272 Countryridge Dr., Germantown, MD 20874. Phone: (301) 493-2360. Fax: (301) 540-3066. E-mail:

bnichols@mtgmr.win.net.

September 8-12, 1996—Annual Meeting of the Cardiovascular and Interventional Radiological Society of Europe (CIRSE). **Sponsor:** CIRSE. **Location:** Madeira, Portugal. **Contact:** CIRSE 96, P.O. Box 201, CH-8028, Zürich, Portugal. Phone: 41-1-262-24-04. Fax: 41-1-261-05-78.

September 10, 1996—The Certification Council of Nuclear Cardiology (CCNC) 1996 Certification Examination in Nuclear Cardiology. **Sponsor:** CCNC. **Location:** Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel, Washington, D.C. **Fee:** \$550. **Contact:** CCNC, 7111 Pyle Rd., Bethesda, MD 20817. Phone or Fax: (301) 320-0399.

September 14-18, 1996—European Association of Nuclear Medicine (EANM) Annual Congress 1996. **Sponsor:** EANM. **Location:** Bella Center, Copenhagen, Denmark. **Contact:** EANM Congress Secretary, Congrex Holland b.v., Keizersgracht 782, 1017 EC Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Phone: 31-20-626-13-72. Fax: 31-20-625-95-74.

September 22-25, 1996—4th International Conference on Visualization in Biomedical Computing. **Sponsor:** University of Hamburg. **Location:** Hamburg, Germany. **Contact:** Institute of Mathematics and Computer Science in Medicine, University of Hamburg, Martinstraße 52, 20246 Hamburg, Germany. Phone: (49) 40-4717-3652. Fax: (49) 40-4717-4882. E-mail: vbc96@uke.uni-hamburg.de.

September 25-28, 1996—1996 Fall Business Meeting. **Sponsor:** American College of Nuclear Physicians (ACNP). **Location:** Washington, D.C. **Contact:** ACNP, 1200 19th St., NW, Suite 300, Washington, D.C. 20036. Phone: (800) 447-2267 or (202) 857-1135. Fax: (202) 223-4579.

September 26-28, 1996—PET Pharmacokinetic Training Course. **Sponsor:** Paul Scherrer Institut. **Location:** Villigen, Switzerland. **Fee:** None. **Contact:** Paul Scherrer Institut, PET Program, Würenlingen and Villigen, CH-5232 Villigen PSI, Switzerland. Phone: 41-56-310-36-84. Fax: 41-56-310-31-32. E-mail: leenders@psi.ch.

October 2-4, 1996—21st Annual Nuclear Cardiology Symposium and Workshop. **Sponsor:** University of Wisconsin-Madison Medical School. **Location:** Milwaukee, WI. **Fee:** Physicians (\$475); technologists (\$275). **Credit:** 13 AMA Category I, 13 VOICE, AART Category A, Illinois and Iowa Nuclear Safety hr. **Contact:** Sarah Aslakson, University of Wisconsin, CME, 2715 Marshall Court, Madison, WI 53705. Phone: (608) 263-2856. Fax: (608) 262-8421. E-mail: aslakson@facstaff.wisc.edu.

October 7-11, 1996—XVIII Brazilian Congress of Nuclear Medicine and Biology. **Sponsor:** Brazilian Society of Nuclear Medicine and Biology. **Location:** Castelmor Hotel, Santa Catarina, Brazil. **Contact:** Brazilian Society of Nuclear Medicine and Biology, Edwaldo E. Camargo. Phone: 55-11-289-9905. Fax: 55-11-289-0250.

October 10-12, 1996—6th Conference on Radioimmunodetection and Radioimmunotherapy of Cancer. **Sponsor:** Center for Molecular Medicine and Immunology. **Location:** Princeton, NJ. **Contact:** Lois Gillespie, Center for Molecular Medicine and Immunology, One Bruce St., Newark, NJ 07103. Phone: (201) 982-4600. Fax: (201) 982-7047.

October 10-13, 1996—Fifth Cardiac SPECT Symposium and Workshop. **Sponsor:** St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital Center. **Location:** Newport, Rhode Island. **Contact:** St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center, Office

of Continuing Medical Education, 1111 Amsterdam Ave., New York, NY 10025. Phone (212) 523-2138.

October 21 and 22, 1996—Quantitative Thallium and Technetium Myocardial SPECT. **Sponsor:** Emory University School of Medicine. **Location:** The Ritz-Carlton Buckhead Hotel, Atlanta, GA. **Fee:** Technologists/residents (\$300); others (\$500). **Credit:** 14 AMA Category I, VOICE hr available. **Contact:** Office of Continuing Medical Education, Emory University School of Medicine, WHSCAB Room 107, 1440 Clifton Rd., NE, Atlanta, GA 30322. Phone: (404) 727-5695. Fax: (404) 727-5667. E-mail: don_faulkner@email.ushc.org.

October 23-25, 1996—BIOSIM 96: Simulation Modeling in Bioengineering. **Sponsor:** University of Los Andes, Venezuela; Wessex Institute of Technol-

ogy, Southampton, UK; Venezuelan Society of Numerical Methods in Engineering; Central University of Venezuela. **Location:** Tulio Febres Cordero Cultural Center, Merida, Venezuela. **Contact:** Sue Owen, Wessex Institute of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK. Phone: 44-1703-293223. Fax: 44-1703-292853. E-mail: cmi@ib.rl.ac.uk.

October 24-26, 1996—Second International Congress of the Croatian Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Sponsor:** The Croatian Society of Nuclear Medicine. **Location:** Zagreb, Croatia. **Contact:** Damir Dodig, MD, University Hospital Rebro, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, Kispaticeva 12, Zagreb, Croatia. Phone: 385-1-23-33-850. Fax: 385-1-23-35-785.

SNM Education and Research Foundation

For fellowship, grant and scholarship information contact: Sue Weiss, CNMT, E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 20190.

Student Fellowships—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. Application deadline: May 1, 1997.

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. Application deadlines: May 1, 1997.

Paul D. Cole Scholarships—Established by the SNM-Technologist Section and the family and friends of Paul D. Cole, twelve \$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 1, 1997.

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