

## June

**1-3: Ionizing Radiation: Risks, Biological Effects, and Policy Implications.** Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA. Developments and controversies in radiobiology. 18 hr CME Category 1 credit. Fee: \$600. *Contact:* Dade W. Moeller, PhD, Office of CME, Harvard School of Public Health, 677 Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02115. Tel.: (617)732-1171.

**1-4: Computer Applications in Radiology.** Hilton Head Island, SC. Sponsored by Radiology Information System Consortium and the American College of Radiology. Information management systems; picture archival and communication systems; image processing. Fees: \$350; \$225 residents and technologists. *Contact:* Janice Ford, Dept. of Radiology, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, 3400 Spruce St., Philadelphia, PA 19104.

**14-17: 35th Annual Meeting of The Society of Nuclear Medicine.** Moscone Convention Center, San Francisco, CA. Premeeting seminars for nuclear medicine practitioners, referring physicians, and senior technologists; 600 scientific papers, posters, and exhibits; 4-day technologist program. Commercial exhibits. Category 1 and VOICE credit available. Fees: \$130 physician and scientist members; \$120 technologist members; \$225 physician and scientist nonmembers; \$215 technologist nonmembers. *Contact:* The Society of Nuclear Medicine, Education & Meetings Dept., 136 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10016-6760. Tel.: (212)889-0717.

**14-17: 1st World Congress on Allied Health.** Marienlyst Conference Centre, Elsinore, Denmark. Sponsored by the American Association of Allied Health Professions. Exchange of information and discussion of human resources to meet specific targeted areas. Fee: \$125. *Contact:* Patricia Gillespie, ASAHP, 1101 Connecticut Ave. N.W., Suite 700, Washington, DC 20036. Tel.: (202)857-1150.

**17-18: Magnetic Resonance Imaging for Technologists.** Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX. Sponsored by Baylor College of Medicine. Principles of MRI, including nuclear magnetism, relaxation times, and how pulse sequence selection alters image appearance. 18 hr Category 1 credit. *Contact:* Stewart C. Bushong, Dept. of Radiology, Baylor College of Medicine, 1 Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX 77030. Tel.: (713)799-4416.

**20-24: Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists Conference.** Vancouver Hotel, Vancouver, BC, Canada. Separate and joint sessions for nuclear medicine, radiography, and radiotherapy technologists. SPECT, PET, MRI, and CT for imaging brain, heart, and skeletal systems. *Contact:* Dorothy Lindsay, Dept. of Nuclear

Medicine, Vancouver General Hospital, 855 W. 12th Ave., Vancouver, BC Canada V5Z 1M9.

**25-26: Magnetic Resonance Imaging for Technologists Seminar.** Penn Tower Hotel, Philadelphia, PA. Sponsored by Radiology Dept. of the Hospital of the Univ. of Pennsylvania. Fee: \$195. *Contact:* Janice Ford or Nancy Fedullo, Department of Radiology, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, 3400 Spruce St., Philadelphia, PA 19104. Tel.: (215)662-6904.

## September

**9-10: Magnetic Resonance Imaging for Technologists.** See 17-18 June.

**25-28: Uranium Seminar '88.** Sheraton Tucson El Conquistador, Tucson, AZ. Sponsored by the U.S. Council for Energy Awareness. *Contact:* Conference Office, Uscea, 1776 I St. N.W., Suite 400, Washington, DC 20006-2495. Tel.: (202)293-0770.

**27: Diagnostic Enzymology.** Sheraton Valley Forge, Philadelphia, PA. Sponsored by the American Association for Clinical Chemistry and Boehringer Mannheim Diagnostics. Fees: \$140 AACC members; \$160 nonmembers. *Contact:* Pam Eyer, tel.: (800)892-1400 or (202)875-0717.

## October

**3-6: Electrical Systems Design for the Non-Electrical Engineer.** Sponsored by the College of Engineering. University of Wisconsin-Madison. Designed to assist non-electrical engineers to understand basic concepts of building and industrial electrical systems. Fee: \$695. *Contact:* E.K. Greenwald, Dept. of Engineering, Professional Development, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 432 N. Lake St., Madison, WI 53706. Tel.: (800)262-6243 [in WI (800)362-3020].

**4: Time Management for the Laboratorian.** Westin O'Hare, Chicago, IL. Sponsored by the American Association for Clinical Chemistry and Boehringer Mannheim Diagnostics. Fees: \$140 AACC members; \$160 nonmembers. *Contact:* Pam Eyer, tel.: (800)892-1400 or (202)857-0717.

**15-16: Forecast for the 1990s: Practical Advances in Nuclear Medicine.** Westin O'Hare, Chicago, IL. Sponsored by the SNM Central Chapter. Topics include socioeconomic issues, SPECT, brain and heart symposia, hepatobiliary diseases, planar bone imaging for sports medicine, AIDS, monoclonal antibody imaging, psychological aspects of working in nuclear medicine, radiopharmacy quality control, meeting JRC requirements, and stress management. No commercial exhibits. 12 hours of Category 1 credit. Fees: \$75 physicians and scientists; \$50 technologists; and \$25 trainees. *Contact:* Dennis L. Park, Central Chapter, Society of Nuclear Medicine,

Suite 111, 2321 Fourth St., Tucker, GA 30084. Tel.: (404)493-4524.

**30-Nov. 2: Nuclear Energy Forum 1988.** Washington Hilton, Washington, DC. Sponsored by the U.S. Council for Energy Awareness. *Contact:* Conference Office, USCEA, 1776 I St. N.W., Suite 400, Washington, DC 20006-2495. Tel.: (202)293-0770.

## November

**1-4: Fourth Asia and Oceania Congress of Nuclear Medicine.** Taipei, Taiwan, Republic of China. Sponsored by the Asia and Oceania Congress of Nuclear Medicine. Bone/joint, cardiovascular, gastroenterology, hematology, infection and immunology, neurology, oncology, pediatrics, pulmonary, renal, instrumentation, radioassay, dosimetry, radiobiology, nuclear magnetic resonance. 70 hr CME credit. Fees: \$250 physicians; \$200 scientists and technologists. *Contact:* Dr. Wilfredo M. Sy, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, The Brooklyn Hospital, 121 DeKalb Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11201 (718)403-8225 or Dr. Peter S.H. Yeh, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, VA General Hospital, Peitou PO Box 2-38, Taipei, Taiwan 11216. Tel.: (02)871-5849.

**4-6: Northeast Regional Meeting, Greater New York and New England Chapters, SNM.** Boston Sheraton, Boston, MA. Cardiac imaging; SPECT; brain imaging agents; computer applications. Abstracts deadline: September 10, 1988. Commercial Exhibits. Fees: Gratis for technologist members; \$75 resident members; \$100 technologist and resident nonmembers. *Contact:* Mitchell H. Stromer, MBA, Greater NY Chapter, SNM, 360 Cedar Lane, East Meadow, NY 11554. Tel.: (212)904-4180.

**4-6: 29th Annual Meeting, Southeastern Chapter SNM.** Omni Hotel at Charleston Place, Charleston, SC. Topics include efficacious use of nuclear medicine procedures as compared to CT, NMR, ultrasound, and other diagnostic modalities. Abstracts deadline: July 8, 1988. Fees: \$60 technologist members; \$75 technologist nonmembers; \$15 technologist students. *Contact:* Dr. Vincent J. Sodd, Executive Director, Southeastern Chapter, SNM, 5987 Turpin Hills Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45244. Tel.: (513)231-6955.

**17: Emergency and Industrial Drug Detection.** Colonial Hilton, Boston, MA. Sponsored by the American Association for Clinical Chemistry and Boehringer Mannheim Diagnostics. Fees: \$140 AACC members; \$160 nonmembers. *Contact:* Pam Eyer, tel.: (800)892-1400 or (202)857-0717.

## December

**2-3: Magnetic Resonance Imaging for Technologists.** See 17-18 June.