

■ September 1990

14-15: MRI for Radiologic Technologist.

Sponsor: Baylor College of Medicine. Location: Baylor College of Medicine, Dept. of Radiology, One Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX. This 2 day course will introduce technologists to the fundamentals of MRI, its capabilities, and various application techniques. Course also offered December 7-8, 1990. Fee: \$200. Contact: Stewart C. Bushong, ScD, Dept. of Radiology, Baylor College of Medicine, One Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX 77030. (713) 798-4416.

14-16: Resident's Review in Physics and Radiobiology.

Sponsor: Baylor College of Medicine. Location: Baylor College of Medicine, Dept. of Radiology, One Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX. This course is an intensive review of physics and radiobiology required of radiology residents who are preparing for the American Board of Radiology (ABR) exam. The course format will be 20 hours of lectures and 10 discussion sections. During each section, there will be mock ABR exams. Bring a scientific calculator. Fee: \$200. Contact: Stewart Bushong, ScD, Dept. of Radiology, Baylor College of Medicine, One Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX 77030. (713) 798-4416.

16-18: Interventional Neuroradiology:

Current Practices and Techniques.

Sponsor: Department of Radiology and Radiological Science, the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. Location: Thomas B. Turner Building, The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore, MD. The course is designed for those involved in neuroradiologic procedures and techniques. It is taught by leading authorities in interventional radiology, anesthesiology, neurosurgery, neurology, and plastic surgery. Fee: \$550 physicians, \$350 residents, fellows, technicians. Contact: Program Coordinator, The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Office of Continuing Education, Turner Bldg., 720 Rutland Ave., Baltimore, MD 21205. (301) 955-2959.

18-21: The Royal College of Radiologists Annual Scientific Meeting and Exhibition.

Location: University of Edinburgh, Scotland. There will be refresher courses in all aspects of clinical radiology. There will also be technical and scientific exhibits. Fee: £220. Contact: The Conference Office, the Royal College of Radiologists, 38 Portland Place, London WIN 3DG. (071) 736-4432.

■ October 1990

4-6: The Second Annual ICP Conference.

Sponsor: Institute for Clinical PET. Location: J.W. Marriott Hotel, Washington, DC. Topics will include clinical update: brain, heart, bone, and body; status report: operating centers; regional radiopharma-

SNM ANNUAL DATES AND VENUES

38th

June 11-14, 1991
Cincinnati, Ohio
Cincinnati Convention Center

39th

June 9-12, 1992
Los Angeles, California
Los Angeles Convention Center

40th

June 8-11, 1993
Toronto, Canada
Toronto Convention Centre

ceutical distribution centers; government relations; HCFA and FDA; reimbursement issues; and update from industry. Credits: 18 hrs Category I. Fee: \$490 physicians, scientists, \$210 technologists. Contact: Colleen Clifton, Conference Coordinator, ICP Educational Division, 1101 Connecticut Ave., NW, Ste. 700, Washington, DC 20036. (202) 857-1135.

5-7: SNM Missouri Valley Chapter, 1990 Fall Meeting: New Views and Reviews of Nuclear Medicine.

Location: Red Lion Inn, Omaha, NE. Topics will include SPECT, PET, cardiac imaging, and MAb therapy. Abstract Deadline: September 7, 1990. Credit: 10.7 hrs Category I, 1.0 VOICE. Fee: Members: \$60 physicians, \$40 technologists, \$20 residents, \$10 students; nonmembers: add \$20. Contact: James Littlefield, MD, MVC Program Director, St. Louis VAMC 115-JC, 915 N. Grand, St. Louis, MO 63130. (314) 289-6348.

6-7: SNM Central Chapter, 1990 Fall Meeting: PET and Recent Advances in Nuclear Medicine.

Location: Westin O'Hare, Rosemont, IL. Topics include PET, monoclonal antibodies, thallium SPECT, AIDS, and a nuclear cardiology update. Credit: 12 hrs Category I. Fee: \$75-85 physicians, scientists; \$50-60 technologists; \$20-30 trainees; \$65-110 nonmembers. Contact: Central Chapter, SNM, 2970 Clairmont Rd., Ste 610, Atlanta, GA 30329. (404) 315-1743.

7-12: Thirty-Seventh Annual Meeting: American College of Angiology.

Cosponsors: American College of Angiography (ACA) and the International College of Angiology (ICA). Location: Hyatt Regency Atlanta, Peachtree Center, Atlanta, GA. There will be scientific sessions and poster presentations. A Young Investigators Award will be presented. Credit: 20 hrs Category I. Fee: ACA/ICA Members: \$200, nonmembers \$250. Contact: Denise Rossingnol, Executive

Director, Continuing Medical Education Programs, American College of Angiology, 1044 Northern Blvd., Ste. 103, Roslyn, NY 11576. (516) 484-6880.

10-12: Nuclear Cardiology Symposium and Workshops.

Sponsors: Cardiovascular Disease Center, Univ. of Wisconsin Medical School; Samaritan Medical Center, Mount Sinai Campus; and Continuing Medical Education, Univ. of Wisconsin. Location: Marc Plaza Hotel, Milwaukee, WI. The course is designed for cardiologists, radiologists, technicians, and internists and will feature workshops and exhibits. Credit: Category I. Contact: Sarah Aslakson, Continuing Medical Education, 2715 Marshall Court, Madison, WI 53705. (608) 263-2856.

11-14: Practical Magnetic Resonance Imaging.

Sponsor: Florida Radiological Society. Location: Buena Vista Palace, Disney World/EPCOT Center, FL. This is a complete teaching course for those who perform, order, and interpret magnetic resonance imaging. Credit: 1-20 hrs Category I. Fee: \$425 physicians, \$325 scientists, technologists, others. Contact: Dept. of Radiology Program Committee, P.O. Box 17241, Tampa, FL 33682. (813) 873-2090.

12-13: Pediatric Neuroradiology Course.

Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, Univ. of California, San Francisco, School of Medicine. Location: Hyatt Regency Capitol Hill, Washington, DC. The course will cover advances in pediatric neuroradiology including techniques in optimal examinations: roles of ultrasound, CT, and MRI in pediatric neuropathology; and interventional neuroradiology in pediatric neuropathology. Credit: 11.5 hrs Category I. Fee: \$215 physicians, \$115 technologists, nurses, radiologists, fellows. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, Radiology Postgraduate Education, Univ. of California, 521 Parnassus Ave., Rm. C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143. (415) 476-5731.

14: Head and Neck Imaging: An Update.

Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, Univ. of California, San Francisco, School of Medicine. Location: Hyatt Regency San Francisco. Topics will include MR and CT of temporal bone, pharynx and oral cavity, neck, salivary glands, and paranasal sinuses. Credit: 7 hrs Category I. Fee: \$105 physicians, \$75 technologists, nurses, residents, fellows. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, Radiology Postgraduate Education, Univ. of California, 521 Parnassus Ave., Rm. C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143. (415) 476-5731.

14-17: Riyadh Armed Forces Hospital Third Annual International Course on Magnetic Resonance Imaging.

Cosponsors: Depts. of Radiology and Medical Studies, Riyadh Armed Forces Hospital and the Cleveland Clinic

Education Foundation. Location: Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. The course will provide an overview of MR technology, basic principles and current and future applications of MR in the whole body. Participants will meet in small workshops and have access to a large teaching file. Credit: 30 hrs Category I. Fee: \$1,000 Saudi Royals (SR), 500 SR for medical staff in training. Contact: Dept. of Medical Studies, Armed Forces Hospital, P.O. Box 7897, Riyadh 11159, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. 9661 477 7714 Ext. 2289/2269.

19-21: Southeastern Chapter, 31st Annual Meeting: Tomographic Imaging: SPECT and PET. Location: Hyatt Regency Hotel, Savannah, GA. The topic is tomographic imaging modalities. Emphasis will be placed on clinical diagnostic procedures, instrumentation, cost accounting, and reimbursement. Myocardial imaging will be highlighted, including correlative MRI procedures. There will be a technologist program with lectures on executing state-of-the-art diagnostic imaging procedures, NRC/State Inspections, RVS related accreditation and reimbursement, and the proper care and handling of department technologists. Abstracts Deadline: July 6, 1990. Credit: Category I and VOICE. Fee: Members: \$100 physicians, scientists; \$85 residents; \$60 technologists; nonmembers: \$150 physicians, scientists; \$85 technologists, residents; \$15 technologist students. Contact: Dr. Vincent J. Sodd, Executive Director, Southeastern Chapter, SNM, Inc., 5989 Turpin Hills Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244. (513) 231-6955.

20-21: Vascular Ultrasound: State of the Art. Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, Univ. of California, San Francisco, School of Medicine. Location: Hyatt Regency San Francisco. Topics will include sonographically diagnosed cerebrovascular disease, Doppler shifts and flow dynamics, Doppler sonography, and venous disease examinations using ultrasound. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credit: 10 hrs Category I. Fee: \$285 physicians, \$185 technologists, nurses, residents, fellows. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, Radiology Postgraduate Education, Univ. of California, 521 Parnassus Ave., Rm. C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143. (415) 476-5731.

26-28: SNM New England Chapter: 23rd Annual Meeting. Location: Tara Hyannis Hotel and Resort, Hyannis, MA. Topics include instrumentation and radiopharmaceuticals, SPECT and pediatric brain imaging, therapeutic procedures, thallium imaging, government issues, case presentations and reports from New England hospitals. The meeting will include a technologist program. Abstract Deadline: 9/10/90. Submit abstracts to Kevin Donohoe, MD, Nuclear Medicine Division, Beth Israel Hospital, 330 Brookline Ave., Boston, MA 02215. Fee: Mem-

bers: \$100 physicians, scientists, free for technologists; nonmembers: \$140 physicians, \$50 technologists, residents, fellows. Contact: Eleanor Plati, Meeting Coordinator, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA 02114. (617) 726-8350.

26-28: Magnetic Resonance Imaging Conference: Fall 1990 Conference. Sponsor: Diagnostic Imaging. Location: Grand Hyatt Hotel. Washington, DC. The conference will present an overview of the uses of MRI and help practicing physicians and technologists develop a better understanding of MRI techniques. Credit: 21 hrs Category I. Fee: \$490 physicians, \$405 residents, technologists (before 9/17/90). Contact: Patrice Rapalus, Diagnostic Imaging, 500 Howard Street, San Francisco, CA 94105.

■ November 1990

2-4: SNM Greater New York Chapter Sixteenth Annual Scientific Meeting. Location: New York Penta Hotel, New York, NY. Topics will include renal scintigraphy, SPECT brain and bone imaging, SPECT instrumentation, PET vs. MRI cardiac studies, AIDS, quality assurance issues, and lung scanning. Abstract Deadline: 9/15/90. Submit to: Alan Maurer, MD, Temple University Hospital, Division of Nuclear Medicine, 3401 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, PA 19140. Request oral or poster presentation. Credit: Category I and VOICE. Fee: Members: \$100 physicians, scientists, \$50 residents, fellows, free for technologists; nonmembers: \$150 physicians, scientists, \$60 residents, fellows, \$50 technologists. Contact: Mitchell Stromer, Executive Director, Greater New York Chapter, SNM, Inc., 360 Cedar Lane, East Meadow, NY 11554 (212) 904-4180.

5-9: Diagnostic Radiology Seminars. Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, Univ. of California, San Francisco, School of Medicine. Location: Maui Marriott Resort, HI. Topics will include obstetrical and gynecological ultrasound; determination of blood flow using MRI and Doppler ultrasound; diagnosis of vascular disease with MRI, Doppler, and angiography; MRI and CT in musculoskeletal diseases; and neck imaging. Credit: 24 hrs Category I. Fee: \$545 physicians, \$445 technologists, nurses, residents, fellows. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, Radiology Postgraduate Education, Univ. of California, 521 Parnassus Ave., Rm. C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143. (415) 476-5731.

15-17: Third Conference on Radioimmunoassay and Radioimmunotherapy of Cancer, Center for Molecular Medicine and Immunology, Princeton, NJ. Topics will include: radiochemistry of antibodies; physics and dosimetry of radiolabeled antibodies; radiation biology; experimental

studies of targeting with monoclonal antibodies; clinical studies of radioimmunoassay detection of cancer and other diseases; experimental and clinical radioimmunotherapy; host responses to monoclonal antibodies; and re-engineering of monoclonal antibodies. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Abstracts Deadline: July 2, 1990. Credit: 25 hrs Category I. Fee: \$400, \$450 after July 2, 1990. Contact: Lois Gillespie, Center for Molecular Medicine and Immunology, 1 Bruce St., Newark, NJ 07103. (201) 456-4600.

21-23: Cancer Care: The Complete Circle. Sponsor: Cross Cancer Institute, Alberta Cancer Foundation, Tom Baker Cancer Centre. Location: Westin Hotel, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. This multidisciplinary conference will include a general session and poster topics on bone marrow transplants, oncogenes, occupational & environmental hazards, immunodiagnosis, brachytherapy, ethical issues, and pain management. Contact: Shaune Letourneau, Conference Coordinator, Boyle, Letourneau & Assoc. Inc., 4 Lucerne Crescent, St. Albert, Alberta, T8N 2R2, Canada. (403) 458-5672.

25-30: RSNA Scientific Assembly and Annual Meeting. Sponsor: Radiological Society of North America. Location: McCormick Place, Chicago, IL. The meeting will include presentations on the latest research and developments in interventional radiology, diagnostic radiology, and radiation therapy. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Contact: Jodi Scrip, Public Communications Inc., 35 East Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL 60601. (312) 558-1770.

■ January 1991

20-24: Park City 1990: MRI Update at the United States Film Festival. Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, Univ. of Utah. Location: The Yarrow Hotel, Park City, Utah. The program will cover a variety of MR topics taught by experts in the field. Fee: \$450 physicians, scientists, company representatives, \$350 technologists, residents. Contact: Robert Lufkin, MD, Program Co-Director, 1015 Gayley Ave., Ste. 1006, Los Angeles, CA 90024. (213) 825-7299.

22-26: 17th Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions. Sponsor: American College of Nuclear Physicians. Location: Sands Hotel and Casino, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Topics will include nuclear medicine and infectious diseases, impact of RVS on medical practice, role of PET and SPECT in oncology, review of orphan procedures, nuclear cardiology update, and nuclear medicine procedures for evaluation of bone disease. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credit: 19 hrs Category I. Fee: Member/Non-

member: \$350/\$450 physicians, scientists; \$125/\$175 residents, technologists, and for DOE day only; \$125 for spouse or guest. Contact: Colleen Clifton, Director, Membership Services, 1101 Connecticut Ave., NW, Ste. 700, Washington, DC 20036. (202) 857-1135.

25-27: Current Status and Future Directions of Immunodiagnosis and Immunotherapy. Sponsor: Division of Nuclear Medicine, Univ. of Miami School of Medicine. Location: Sheraton Royal Biscayne, Key Biscayne, FL. This course is designed to present an update on the use of immunoconjugates in the diagnosis and treatment of cancer. Credit: 12.5 hrs Category I. Fee: \$185 physicians, \$85 residents, allied health professionals. Contact: Division of Continuing Medical Education, Univ. of Miami School of Medicine, P.O. Box 016960 (D23-3), Miami, FL 33101. (305) 547-6716.

■ February 1991

1-3: Forty-Third Midwinter Radiological Conference. Sponsor: Los Angeles Radiological Society. Location: Century Plaza Hotel, Los Angeles, CA. The meeting will feature 16 main lectures and 58 seminars. The seminars will focus on

six areas: nuclear medicine, MRI/neuroradiology, musculoskeletal imaging, general radiology, body imaging, and mammography. In addition, a one-day seminar in nuclear medicine with 11 sessions will be offered on 2/2. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credit: 17.25 hrs Category I. Fee: Member/Nonmember: \$200/\$395 physicians, \$100/\$125 residents, technologists. Contact: Los Angeles Radiological Society—MWRC, P.O. Box 91215, Los Angeles, CA 90009. (213) 827-9078.

28-March 2: Sixth International Conference on Monoclonal Antibody Immunoconjugates for Cancer. Sponsor: San Diego Regional Cancer Center. Location: San Diego Marriott Hotel and Marina. Topics will be immunoconjugates, immunodrugs, and immunotoxins. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credit: 19 hrs Category I. Fee: \$310, \$50 late fee. Contact: Cass Jones, Professional Conference Management, Inc., 7916 Convoy Court, San Diego, CA 92111. (619) 565-9921.

■ April 1991

21-27: Second International Conference on Methods and Applications of Radio-analytical Chemistry. Sponsors: American

Nuclear Society, Food and Drug Administration, et al. Location: King Kamehameha Hotel, Kailua at Kona, HI. The conference will focus on recent developments in radioanalytical chemistry including gamma- and X-ray spectroscopy, radioisotopic tracer methodology, radio-chemical separation techniques, and nuclear track techniques. Contributed Papers: Summaries with tentative titles due 10/1/90. Contact: James Tanner, Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St., SW, Mail Stop HFF-266, Washington, DC 20204. (202) 472-5364.

■ June 1991

1-6: The Fifteenth Annual International Symposium on Cerebral Blood Flow and Metabolism. Sponsor: International Society of Cerebral Blood Flow and Metabolism. Location: James L. Knight International Center, Univ. of Miami, FL. The symposium will address current themes in the field of cerebral metabolism and circulation. Abstract Deadline: 10/15/90. Contact: Jenny Bernal, Conference Planning Specialist, Univ. of Miami, School of Continuing Studies, Office of Conferences and Institutes, P.O. Box 248005, Coral Gables, FL 33124 (305) 284-4777.