**March 1993**

4-5: **14th Annual Eastern Great Lakes Chapter Meeting.** Sponsor: Eastern Great Lakes Chapter. Location: Pillar and Post Inn, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, Canada. Topics presented will include: Perceptions and realities of Chernobyl; Societal versus scientific views on low-level radiation; Hepato-biliary imaging; and new radiopharmaceuticals such as somatostatin analogs and tetrofosmin. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credit: Category I, VOICE. Fee: Advance registration member/nonmember: $50/$55 (Can $58/$64) physician/scientist; $30/$35 (Can $35/$41) technologists/residents. On-site registration add $5 (Can $6). Contact: Pamela Zabel, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, University Hospital, P.O. Box 5339, London, Ontario, N6A 5A5, CANADA. (519) 663-3092. Fax: (519) 663-3860.

10-12: **PET and SPECT Imaging of Living Brain Chemistry.** Sponsor: Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. Location: Thomas B. Turner Building, Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore, MD. The objective of this course is to inform nuclear medicine physicians, physicists, nuclear scientists, neurologists, neurosurgeons, radiologists and technologists of the latest uses of PET and simple probe systems to study brain function and chemistry. Credit: 18 AMA Category I hours. Fee: $495 physicians; $395 residents, fellows and allied health professionals. Contact: Patty Campbell, Program Coordinator, Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Office of Continuing Education, Turner Building, 720 Rutland Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21205. (410) 955-6046.

11-14: **38th Southwestern Chapter Meeting.** Sponsor: Southwestern Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. Location: Fairmont Hotel, Dallas, TX. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credit: Category I and VOICE. Contact: The Southwestern Chapter, SNM Office, P.O. Box 7849, Breckenridge, CO 80424. (303) 453-2058.

14-17: **Interactive Surgery and Imaging of Paranasal Sinuses, Skull Base, Brain and Spine.** Sponsor: Departments of Radiology, Neurosurgery and Otolaryngology at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. Location: Silvertree Hotel, Snowmass Village, CO. Fee: $475 residents; $300 fellows. Credit: 16 Category I Credits. This seminar will focus on the diagnosis and treatment of the diseases of the nasal cavity, skull base, spine and brain. Audience participation through case presentation will be emphasized. Contact: Program Coordinator, Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Office of Continuing Education, Turner Building, 720 Rutland Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21205. (410) 955-2959.

15-19: **Radiology Spring Training Update.** Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, UCSF School of Medicine. Location: Pointe Hilton Resort at Tapatio Cliffs, Phoenix, AZ. Credits: 22.5 Category I credits, CA Board of RN contact hours and ECE points. Fee: member and nonmember physicians, $595; member and nonmember technologists, nurses, fellows and residents, $495. Topics presented include fundamentals of plain film, ultrasound, CT and MRI for evaluation of head, thorax, abdomen and extremities; pitfalls in interpreting the mammogram; thorough evaluation of the musculoskeletal system and more. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, 521 Parnassus Ave., Room C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143-0628. (415) 476-5731.

18-21: **The 20th Annual Scientific Meeting of the American College of Nuclear Medicine.** Sponsor: The American College of Nuclear Medicine. Location: Hyatt Regency La Jolla Hotel, La Jolla, CA. Contact: Thomas Johnson, Jr., Executive Director, ACNM, P.O. Box 175, Lanisville, PA 17538. (717) 898-6006.

19-21: **Annual Spring Meeting.** Sponsor: Southern California Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine. Location: San Diego Princess Resort, San Diego, CA. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credits: 9 hrs Category I, CMA and VOICE. Fee: member-physicians/scientists, $100, nonmember-physicians/scientists, $130; member-technologists, $70; nonmember-technologists, $85. Contact: Joyce Martin, Executive Director, P.O. Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746. (916) 791-3428. FAX: (916) 791-3506.

20-22: **Breast Imaging Update.** Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, UCSF School of Medicine. Location: Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco, CA. This meeting will cover practical approaches to the management of breast masses and clustered calcifications; tailoring examinations for the specific needs of symptomatic and asymptomatic patients; and recent developments. Credits: 15-17 hrs Category I, contact hrs (CA board of RN) or ECE points. Fee: member-physicians, $340; nonmember-physicians, $375; member-technologists, nurses, fellows and residents, $240; nonmember-technologists, nurses, fellows and residents, $375. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, 521 Parnassus Ave., Room C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143-0628. (415) 476-5731.

22-26: **36th Annual Diagnostic Radiology Postgraduate Course.** Sponsor: Dept. of Radiology, UCSF School of Medicine. Location: Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco, CA. Topics will cover the new techniques of ultrasound, CT and MRI in radiology subspecialty areas such as GI, genitourinary, pediatric, oncologic, pulmonary, neuroradiology and skeletal. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credits: 33 hrs Category I, 33 contact hrs (CA board of RN), 33 ECE points for technologists. Fee: member and nonmember physicians, $595; nurses, fellows, residents, member and nonmember technologists, $495. Contact: Renee Sauers, Director, 521 Parnassus Ave., Room C-324, San Francisco, CA 94143-0628. (415) 476-5731.

26-28: **Annual Pacific Northwest Chapter Meeting.** Sponsor: Pacific Northwest Chapter. Location: Portland Marriott Hotel, Portland, OR. Pediatrics, cardiology, SPECT, PET and bone imaging will be among the topics covered. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Credits: 9 Hr AMA, VOICE Credits. Fee: $80 for member physicians and scientists; $100 for nonmember physicians and scientists; $50 for member technologists; and $70 for nonmember technologists. Contact: Joyce Martin, Executive Director, PNWSN, P.O. Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746. (916) 791-3428. Fax: (916) 791-3506.

**APRIL 1993**

1-3: **Prairie Province Chapter 1993 Annual Meeting.** Sponsor: Prairie Province Chapter. Location: Delta Bessborough, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. Commercial Exhibits: Yes. Fee: Before March 1, $35 for physicians and scientists and $20 for technologists; after March 1 and on site, $40 for physicians and scientists and $25 for technologists. Abstract Deadline: March 1, 1993. Contact: Gilbert Matte, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, Royal University Hospital, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan S7N 0X0.