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MEETINGS SPONSORED BY THE SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE

■ JANUARY 1996

9-16: Joint SNM Mid-Winter and ACNP Annual Meeting. Sponsors: SNM and ACNP. Location: Caribe Hilton Hotel, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Fees, Credits and Topics: To be announced. Contact: Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316; 703-708-9000.

■ FEBRUARY 1996

15: Northern California Chapter. Location: Health Education Center, Oakland, CA. Contact: Joyce Matin, Exec. Director, PO Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746; 916-791-3428; Fax 916-791-3506.

■ MARCH 1996

9: Pittsburgh Chapter. Location: Greentree Marriott, Pittsburgh, PA. Contact: MaryAnn Cooper. Western Penn Hospital-CMF. Room 220 Daly Bldg., 4800 Friendship Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15224; 412-578-6926: Fax 412-578-4839.

22-24: Pacific Northwest Annual Spring Meeting. Location: Skamania Lodge, Stevenson, WA. Contact: Joyce Matin, Exec. Director, PO Box 2189, Roseville, CA 95746; 916-791-3428; Fax 916-791-3506.

28-31: Greater New York Chapter Technologist Section. Location: Bally's Park Place and Casino, Atlantic City, NJ. Exhibits: Yes. Contact: James Hickey, CNMT, 120 Red Stone Ridge, Delrane, NJ 08075; 609-451-6600, ext. 2755; Fax 609-451-9159.

29-31: 41st Annual Meeting and Mini-Symposium on the New Role of Functional Imaging in Oncology. Sponsor: Southwestern Chapter. Location: Hyatt Regency Austin OnTown Lake, Austin, TX. Fees: member/nonmember physicians, scientists \$130 \$185; technologists \$70/\$125; technologist students \$35. Credits: 15 Category 1 and VOICE. Contact: Joan Saluzzi, Exec. Director, Southwestern Chapter SNM, P.O. Box 31096, San Francisco, CA 94131; 415-512-8456; Fax 415-512-8553.

■ APRIL 1996

26-28: New England Chapter Technologist Section. Location: Sheraton Hotel, Bedford, NH. Contact: Gayle Thompson,

SNM MEETING DATES AND VENUES 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

45th Annual Meeting

May 31-June 4, 1998

New Orleans Convention Center

New Orleans, Louisiana

CNMT, Eastern Maine Medical Center, Radiology, 489 State St., Bangor, ME 04401: 207-945-8183; Fax 207-945-5183.

MEETINGS SPONSORED BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

JANUARY 1996

23-26: Nuclear Medicine 1996. Sponsor: Department of Nuclear Medicine, Montefiore Medical Center. Location: San Juan Marriott, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Fees: technologists \$375. Credits: 18.5 Category 1. Contact: Mitchell H. Stromer, Dept. of Nuclear Medicine, 1695A East-chester Rd., Bronx, NY 10461; 718-405-8468; Fax 718-824-1369.

26-28: Clinical Nuclear Cardiology—Case Review with the Experts. Sponsor: American College of Cardiology. Location: Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA. Topics are myocardial perfusion SPECT, radionuclide ventriculography and acute ischemic syndromes. Fees: member/nonmember physicians, scientists \$495/\$565; residents, technologists \$335/\$335. Contact: Registration Secretary, Extramural Programs Dept., American College of Cardiology, 9111 Old Georgetown Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814-1699; 800-257-4739 or 301-897-2695; Fax 301-897-9745.

■ MARCH 1996

22-24: 23rd Annual Scientific Meeting. Sponsor: American College of Nuclear

Medicine. Location: The Broadmoor Hotel, Colorado Springs, CO. Topics, Fees and Credits: To be announced. Contact: Thomas Johnson, Jr, Exec. Director, ACNM, P.O. Box 175, Landisville, PA 17538-0175; 717-898-5008; Fax 717-898-0713.

■ MAY 1996

7-10: Sixth International Radiopharmaceutical Dosimetry Symposium. Sponsor: Radiation Internal Dose Information Center, Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education. Cosponsors: US Food and Drug Administration and US Department of Energy. Location: Glenstone Lodge, Gatlinburg, TN. Fee: \$200; \$250 after March 25, 1996. Credits: AMA and ABHP. Abstract Deadline: Dec. 24, 1995, Contact: Audrey T.S.-Stelson, Symposium Organizer, Radiation Internal Dose Information Center, Medical Sciences Division, Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education, P.O. Box 117, Oak Ridge, TN 37831-0117; 615-576-3450; Fax 615-576-8673.

NOTICES

■ SNM TECHNOLOGIST SECTION

Technologist Section Scientific Papers and Posters. Technologist and student members of the Society of Nuclear Medicine are invited to submit their original scientific abstracts for the 43rd annual meeting of the Society in Denver, Colorado. Submission deadline: January 9, 1996. Submit abstracts on the Call for Scientific Papers form available in the October 1995 Journal of Nuclear Medicine or contact Toni Doolittle at 703-708-9000, ext. 215 or Fax 703-708-9015.

■ SNM EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Paul D. Cole Scholarship. Established by the SNM Technologist Section and the family and friends of Paul 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. For applications or additional information, please contact Susan Weiss, CNMT, Administrative Director, E&R Foundation, Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1850 Samuel Morse Dr., Reston, VA 22090-5316.

JOURNAL OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE TECHNOLOGY Best Paper Award

Each year the associate and consulting editors of the *Journal of Nuclear Medicine Technology* select the best spontaneously submitted paper published during the previous year. The criteria used to select the best paper include the originality and importance of the subject matter, scientific content and quality of writing. The best paper award is given during the Technologist Section business meeting at the SNM annual meeting in June. The award consists of a keepsake plaque and cash award of \$100.