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*The Seventh International Conference on Psychonephrology* will be held in San Francisco, California, USA on October 5-7, 1990. The latest psychosocial developments in the understanding and care of patients on dialysis and recipients of transplants will be discussed in plenary sessions, small group meetings and free communications. Topics will include: uncooperative patients, staff stress, treatment of psychological problems and ethics. Abstracts are due by June 15, 1990. For further information, contact Norman B. Levy, M.D., Director, Liaison Psychiatry Division, New York Medical College, Valhalla, New York 10595, USA.

*The 7th International Congress of the International Society for the Study of Hypertension in Pregnancy* will be held in Perugia, Italy on October 7-10, 1990. Events will include state of the art lectures, plenary sessions, symposia-workshops, and communication-poster sessions. For further information, contact Professor E. Cosmi or Dr. Di Renzo, via degli Olivi, 72, 1-06100 Perugia, Italy.

*Renal Disposition and Nephrotoxicity of Xenobiotics* is an international symposium which will be held at the University of Würzburg on October 7-11, 1990. The meeting is jointly sponsored by the University of Würzburg and the University of Rochester, New York, USA. Topics will include: tools for studying tubule cell function and nephrotoxicity, renal disposition of xenobiotics, bioactivation mechanisms of nephrotoxic compounds, nephrocarcinogenesis and nephrotoxicity. For further information, contact (in Europe) PD Dr. W. Dekant, Institut für Toxicologie, Universität Würzburg, Versbacher Str. 9, D-8700 Würzburg, Federal Republic of Germany; (in the USA) Prof. M.W. Anders, Department of Pharmacology, University of Rochester, 601 Elmwood Avenue, Rochester, New York 14642, USA.

*The American Society of Nephrology Annual Meeting* will be held on December 2-5, 1990 at the Sheraton Washington Hotel in Washington, D.C., USA. For further information contact the American Society of Nephrology, Suite 700, 1101 Connecticut Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, USA. Telephone: (202) 857-1190.

*The Second C.J. Hodson Symposium on Reflux Nephropathy* will be held in Christchurch, New Zealand on Tuesday, February 26, 1991. For further information, contact Dr. R.R. Bailey, Christchurch Hospital, Christchurch, New Zealand.

*The 27th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Australasian Society of Nephrology* will be held in Christchurch, New Zealand on February 27 through March 1, 1991. For further information, contact Dr. K. Lynn, Covenor, Department of Nephrology, Christchurch Hospital, Christchurch, New Zealand.

*The 1991 American Society of Nephrology Annual Meeting* will be held on November 17-20, 1991 at the Baltimore Convention Center, Baltimore, Maryland. For further information contact the American Society of Nephrology, Suite 700, 1101 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036. Telephone: (202) 857-1190.

*The 1992 American Society of Nephrology Annual Meeting* will be held on November 15-18, 1992 at the Baltimore Con-

vention Center, Baltimore, Maryland. For further information contact the American Society of Nephrology, Suite 700, 1101 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036. Telephone: (202) 857-1190.

*The 1993 American Society of Nephrology Annual Meeting* will be held on November 14-17, 1993 at the Hyned Convention Center, Boston, Massachusetts. For further information contact the American Society of Nephrology, Suite 700, 1101 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036. Telephone: (202) 857-1190.

*The 1994 American Society of Nephrology Annual Meeting* will be held on November 6-9, 1994 at the Baltimore Convention Center, Baltimore, Maryland. For further information contact the American Society of Nephrology, Suite 700, 1101 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036. Telephone: (202) 857-1190.

#### Continuing Education

The American Board of Internal Medicine *1990 Subspecialty Examination in Nephrology* will have its registration period from January 1, 1990 to April 1, 1990. The examination date is November 6, 1990. For further information and application forms, please contact the Registration Section, American Board of Internal Medicine, 3624 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104-2675, USA. Telephone (215) 243-1500 or (800) 441-ABIM.

#### National Societies

The Secretary General of the *International Society of Nephrology* is endeavoring to bring the Society's list of national societies up-to-date. Many such national societies are not affiliated with the ISN or their affiliation has lapsed. To retain their affiliated status and to vote at the General Assembly, a list of individual members is required to be sent annually. Secretaries of national societies therefore are asked to provide the Secretary General with the address to which correspondence should be sent, together with a list of their officers and individual members, and a formal application for affiliation where this has lapsed. Please send these to Dr. Claude Amiel, Département de Physiologie, Faculté de Médecine Xavier Bichat, 16 rue Henri Huchard, 75018 Paris, France.

*The American Society of Nephrology* announces a service to its non-American colleagues. For an annual fee of US \$55, the ASN will send its mailings and announcements, including a copy of the annual abstract book (first class rates only). Checks for \$55, drawn only on a US bank, along with your name and desired mailing address should be sent to the ASN National Office, Suite 700, 1101 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20036.

#### AWARDS AND GRANTS

##### 1989 ISN's International Fellowship Training Awards

Anthony Bamidele Bello from University of Ilorin, Ilorin (Nigeria) to go to University of Essen, Department of Pediatric Nephrology, Essen (FRG) with Hermann Olbing, M.D.

Eden Aristides Romero Mora from Regional Medico Social del Litoral del Instituto Ecuatoriano de Seguridad Social, Guayaquil (Ecuador) to go to Ospedale Maggiore di Milano, Milano (Italy) with Claudio Ponticelli, M.D. (Home Country support US \$5,000/year).

Gültekin Süleymanlar from Akdeniz University Medical School, Internal Medicine, Division of Nephrology, Antalya (Turkey) to go to University of Colorado School of Medicine, Denver (USA) with Laurence Chan, M.D.

Rosa Edith Vargas Rios from University of Antioquia, Medellin (Colombia) to go to Hôpital Necker-Enfants Malades, Paris (France) with Michel Broyer, M.D. (Home Country support US \$4,800/year).

Min-Xia Wang from China-Japan Friendship Hospital, Beijing (China) to go to Royal Melbourne Hospital, Victoria (Australia) with Priscilla Kincaid-Smith, M.D. (Host Institution support US \$6,000/year).

Xiaonan Wang from Peking Union Medical College Hospital, Beijing (China) to go to University of Colorado School of Medicine, Denver (USA) with Robert W. Schrier, M.D.

Anthony Jude Di Were Omolo from University of Nairobi, Nairobi (Kenya) to go to Manchester Royal Infirmary, Manchester (UK) with R. Gokal, M.D.

An 8th fellow will be trained in the U.K. and supported by the National Kidney Research Fund from U.K.:

Peter Dawari Hart from University College Hospital, Oyo State Ibadan (Nigeria) to go to The London Hospital Whitechapel, London (UK) with F. P. Marsh, F.R.C.P.

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