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(SEVENTH MEETING OF THE EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH)

The Danish Cancer Society is sponsoring the Seventh Meeting of the European Association for Cancer Research to be held from September 19 to 21, 1983, at the Hotel Scandinavia, Copenhagen, Denmark. The theme of the meeting is “Chemical Carcinogenesis.” The program will consist of three plenary symposia: “New Trends in the Molecular Biology of Carcinogenesis,” “Cell-Carcinogen Interactions,” and “Demographic and Laboratory Approaches to Human Environmental Carcinogenesis;” and a panel discussion, “Collaborative Approaches between Epidemiology and Laboratory Investigations.” The chairmen of the symposia are M. Chorazyn, E. Hecker, and P. Moller Jensen, respectively. The plenary session speakers are: first symposium, W. Gehring, S. A. Aaronson, M. V. Montagu, and B. A. Bridges; second symposium, P. Brookes, M. F. Rajewsky, P. Cerutti, C. Harris, P. Bannasch, and F. Marks; third symposium, H. Bartels, R. Peto, D. Acheson, B. Terracini, F. De Waard, and O. Moller Jensen. Proffered papers will be presented in concurrent sessions in the afternoon and sessions for short oral presentations will be organized if required. In addition, poster discussions and seminars on specific topics are to be arranged. Papers related to the main topic as well as free communications related to any other topic relevant to cancer may be submitted. Abstracts of proffered papers will be reviewed by the Scientific Program Committee and those accepted by the Committee will be published in the European Journal of Cancer and Clinical Oncology. The deadline for submission of abstracts is May 1, 1983. The registration fees are US $100.00 for members and US $150.00 for nonmembers, before May 1st. After May 1st, the fee will be US $150.00 for members and US $200.00 for nonmembers. For further information, contact: Congress Secretariat: VII Meeting of EACR, The Fibiger Laboratory, Ndr. Frihavnsvej 70, DK-2100 Copenhagen Ø, Denmark.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The Johns Hopkins Hospital Department of Nursing seeks abstracts for the Second Nursing Research Conference on October 3, 1983. The theme of the conference is “Nursing Research: Key to Improving Nursing Practice.” Abstracts of 300 words should be mailed by April 30, 1983, to: Dr. Margaret Dear, Department of Staff Education, Hampton House, Room 693, 624 N. Broadway, Baltimore, Maryland 21205.

EUROPEAN SCHOOL OF ONCOLOGY

A new educational institution, The European School of Oncology, has been established, and registration for courses is invited. Promoted by the European Society of Surgical Oncology, the school will offer postgraduate training in the field of clinical oncology. The specific aims of the school are: to organize and conduct theoretical and practical teaching courses in different fields of oncology for graduates in European countries; to produce and disseminate teaching materials; and to organize workshops in oncology. Courses will be “organ oriented,” based on a multidisciplinary approach, with emphasis on the most advanced techniques of diagnosis and treatment. Teachers will be selected from among the more qualified cancer centers and medical schools in Europe. Theoretical teaching will be conducted in a comfortable, Fifteenth Century Lombard Castle exclusively rented by the school, and practical training will be held at the Institute of Milan. Live television programs will allow a direct contact with surgeons, pathologists, radiologists, and endoscopists during their work at the Cancer Institute of Milan. The courses will be taught in English. The following list of courses will be held at the school: Breast Cancer, May 30 to June 3; Principles of Medical Oncology, June 12 to 19; Malignant Melanoma, October 24 to 30; Genito-Urinary Tract Tumors, November 7 to 13; and Colo-Rectal Cancer, November 21 to 27. For further information, contact: European School of Oncology, Via Venezian, 1, 20133 Milano, Italy.

FIFTH WORLD CONGRESS OF CRYOSURGERY

The Fifth World Congress of Cryosurgery will be held from November 17 to 19, 1983, at the Philippine International Convention Center, Manila, Philippines. The registration fees are US $250.00 for Active Members, US $130.00 for Associate Members or guests, and US $100.00 to attend general meetings and sessions. The deadline for receipt of abstracts is May 31, 1983. Abstracts should be sent to: Dr. Sajio Sumida, The National Fukuoka Central Hospital 2-2, Jonai, Chukoku, Fukuoka 810, Japan. Registration fees should be sent to: Dr. Samuel M. Tanchoco, Suite 31, Lagaspi Towers, 300 Roxas Boulevard, Vito Cruz, Manila, Philippines.

COURSE ON GYNECOLOGICAL LASER SURGERY

A continuing education course entitled “Gynecological Laser Surgery” will be presented from July 10 to 23, 1983, in Maui, Hawaii. The course is eligible for AMA Category I credit for physicians and for credit for nurses from the California and Nevada Boards of Registered Nursing. The tuition is $285.00 for physicians and $230.00 for nurses. For further information, contact: Symposium Medicus, 2880 Shadelands Drive, Suite 404, Walnut Creek, California 94598.

EIGHTH INTERNATIONAL HERPESVIRUS WORKSHOP

The 1983 International Herpesvirus Workshop will be held from July 31 to August 5, 1983, at the University of Oxford, Oxford, England. Scientific sessions will cover the structure, replication, and genetics of herpesviruses, latency, immunology, pathogenesis, basic aspects of transformation, role of these viruses in neoplasia and human cancer, and recent developments in antivirals and vaccines. For further information concerning advanced registration and submission of abstracts, contact: Dr. John Subak-Sharpe, Department of Virology, University of Glasgow, Glasgow G11 5JR, United Kingdom.

EUROPEAN CONGRESSES OF RADIOLOGY, RADIOTHERAPY, AND ONCOLOGY

The Fifth European Congress of Radiology and the Second Congress of the European Society of Radiotherapy and Oncology will take place from September 5 to 10, 1983, in Bordeaux, France. The topics to be highlighted include radiology of intervention, evolution of imagery, and radiotraumatology. Presentations will be in the form of posters, abstracts, and speeches by renowned European specialists. For further information, contact: P. M. V., Congrès de Radiologie, 100 avenue Charles de Gaulle B. P. 246, 92205, Neuilly Sur Seine, France.

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON HUMAN CHORIOGONADOTROPIN

An International Symposium on “Human Choriognadotropin” will be held in Cassis, France, from September 15 through 16, 1983. It will follow the Fourth French Endocrine Society Meeting (Marseille, France, September 12 to 14, 1983) and will precede the Second International Congress on Hormones and Cancer (Monte Carlo, Monaco, September 18 to 23, 1983). The program will include invited lecturers as well as selected free communications and/or poster presentations on the following main topics: structure-activity relationships; biological effects; synthesis and metabolism; normal and pathological pregnancy; cancer; therapeutic use; and assays. For further information, contact: Secretariat,
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Laboratoire des Hormones Protéiques, Faculté de Médecine, F-13385 Marseille Cédex 5, France.

FOURTH CONFERENCE ON HUMAN TUMOR CLONING

The Fourth Conference on Human Tumor Cloning will be held from January 8 to 10, 1984, at the University of Arizona Cancer Center, Tucson, Arizona. A combination of invited and competitively selected papers, demonstrations, and posters will be presented. The deadline for submission of abstracts is October 1, 1983. For further information, contact: Mary Humphrey, Conference Coordinator, University of Arizona Cancer Center, Tucson, Arizona 85724.

Errata

Please note the following correction to the article by Danny R. Welch et al. entitled "Heterogeneous Response and Clonal Drift of Sensitivities of Metastatic 13762NF Mammary Adenocarcinoma Clones to γ-Radia-

Table 1

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<sup>a</sup> The D<sub>0</sub>, D<sub>0</sub> and n were estimated using a nonlinear least-squares fitting program from which the D<sub>0</sub> and D<sub>q</sub> were computed. Least-squares linear regression was used to calculate D<sub>0</sub> for those survival data which were not significantly different from linear (r > 0.98).

<sup>b</sup> See Refs. 23 and 24 for definition.

<sup>c</sup> NC, not calculable because the survival curve is linear.

<sup>d</sup> Numbers in parentheses, 95% confidence limits computed using propagation of error.

<sup>e</sup> ND, not determined. Due to a triphasic curve, D<sub>0</sub> was calculated along the linear portion of curve (>1200 rads) using a least-squares linear regression program.

With reference to the Meeting Report, entitled "Development and Possible Use of Immunological Techniques to Detect Individual Exposure to Carcinogens," which appeared in the December 1982 issue, pp. 5236 to 5239, the authorship for this report should simply have been indicated as "IARC/IPCS Working Group Report." The people whose names appeared at the end of the article were organizers of the workshop.
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