Announcements

MEETINGS

5th International Symposium on Hormones and Bioactive Substances in Milk

October 7–12, 1996, Smolenice Castle, Slovak Republic For more information, contact: Craig R. Baumrucker, Penn State University, 302 Henning Bldg., University Park, PA 16802, Fax: 1-814-863-6042, E-mail: crb@psuvm.psu.edu

New Developments in the Pathogenesis and Treatment of Noninsulin-Dependent Diabetes Mellitus

November 1-3, 1996, Scottsdale, AZ

This conference, sponsored by the American Diabetes Association of Arizona and the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive Kidney Diseases, will feature presentations by internationally recognized experts who will review recent advances in the epidemiology, pathogenesis, and treatment of NIDDM.

For more information, contact: American Diabetes Association, Arizona Affiliate, Inc. 2328 W. Royal Palm Rd., Suite D, Phoenix, AZ 85021. Tel: (602) 995-1515. Fax: (602) 995-0004.

3rd International Congress of the International Society for Neuroimmunomodulation

November 13-15, 1996, NIH, Bethesda, MD

For more information, contact: Craig C. Smith, MSc., Clinical Neuroendocrinology Branch, National Institute of Mental Health, Bldg. 10, Rm. 3S 231, 10 Center Dr. MSC 1284, Bethesda, MD 20892-1284. Tel: (301) 496-4561. Fax: (301) 402-1561. E-mail: ccs@codon.nih.gov.

5th International Bone Forum: The Molecular and Cell Biology of Bone

November 14, 15, 1996, Yokohama-shi,, Japan For more information, contact: Dr. H. Sato, IBCI, 1-9 Kyobashi 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 104, Japan, Tel: +81-3-3273-4665, Fax: +81-3-3273-6260.

1997 Clinical Diabetes/Endocrine Institute

January 18-23, 1997, Aspen-Snowmass, CO

For more information, contact: American Diabetes Association, Colorado Affiliate, Inc., 2450 South Downing, Denver, CO 80210.

International Conference on Biological Information Processing—ICOBIP '97

March 2-4, 1997, Hannover, Germany

Topics include basic principles of information processing, cellular systems, endocrine systems, and neuronal systems.

For more information, contact: ICOBIP '97 Organizing Committee, OE 6820, Department of Clinical Endocrinology, Medical School Hannover, D-30623 Hannover, Germany, Tel: +49-511-532-6529, Fax: +49-511-532-3825, E-mail: ndxdendo@rrzn-user.uni-hannover.de, WWW: http://sun1.rrzn-user.uni-hannover.de/~ndxdendo/ICOBIP97.html.

First International Symposium on the Biology of Vertebrate Sex Determination

April 7-11, 1997, Honolulu, HI

For more information, contact: Valentine A. Lance, Center for Reproduction of Endangered Species, PO Box 551, San Diego, CA 92112. Tel: (619) 557-3944. Fax: (619) 557-3959. E-mail: lvalenti@sunstroke.sdsu.edu.

25th European Symposium on Calcified Tissues

April 26–29, 1997, Harrogate International Centre, UK For more information, contact: Janet Crompton, Fax: +44-117-924-1208, E-mail: 101613.65@compuserve.com. Updates are posted regularly on the WWW: http://www.shef.ac.uk/~hmcb/ECTS/.

The 10th Workshop on Vitamin D

May 24-29, 1997, Strasbourg, France

For more information, contact: Vitamin D Workshop Secretary, Department of Biochemistry, University of California, Riverside, CA 92521. Tel: (909) 787-4777. Fax: (909) 787-4784. E-mail: vitamind@ucracl.ucr.edu.

24th Annual Meeting and Educational Program of the American Association of Diabetes Educators

August 20-24, 1997, Denver, CO

The meeting offers concurrent sessions in the topic areas of clinical practice, management and leadership development, and education and counseling.

For more information, contact: Mary Beach (312) 654-1710.

4th International Symposium on Insulin-Like Growth Factors

October 21-24, 1997, Tokyo, Japan

Main topics include IGF and IGFBP syntheses, interaction between IGFs and IGFBPs, IGF action, IGFBP action, clinical applications of IGFs and IGFBPs.

For more information, abstract and registration forms, contact: Prof. Kazue Takano, Department of Medicine, Institute of Clinical Endocrinology, Tokyo Women's Medical College, 8-1 Kawada-cho, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo, 162, Japan, Fax: +81-3-3350-5929. Deadline for receipt of abstract: February 28, 1997.