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(Requests for announcements must be received at least 3 months before publication.)

THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM ON FUNDAMENTAL CANCER RESEARCH

"Radiation Biology in Cancer Research" will be the topic of the Thirty-second Annual Symposium on Fundamental Cancer Research, to be held at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel, Houston, Texas, February 27 to March 2, 1979. Subjects to be covered include responses at low doses, targets and effects, delayed effects in tissues, tissue effects not definitely attributable to cell killing, tumor biology, and potential applications of radiobiology to radiotherapy. For additional information contact: Stephen C. Stuyck, M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, Houston, Texas 77030.

SYMPOSIUM ON ANIMAL MODELS FOR THE STUDY OF BREAST CANCER

A symposium entitled "Animal Models for the Study of Breast Cancer" will be held as part of the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in Houston, Texas, January 5, 1979. Interested parties may contact: Dr. Seymour Holtzman, Medical Research Center, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, New York 11973.

CANCER AND THE MACROPHAGE

"Cancer and the Macrophage" is the theme of the Third Annual Symposium of the Cancer Research Center, The University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Chapel Hill, to be held March 29 and 30, 1979. Speakers include leading investigators from the United States. For registration information contact: Ms. Mimi Minkoff, Cancer Research Center, Box 30, Clinical Sciences Building, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514.

SECOND NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON UROLOGIC CANCER

The American Cancer Society and the National Cancer Institute announce that the Second National Conference on Urologic Cancer will be held in Los Angeles, California, April 4 to 6, 1979. This conference is open to physicians only. To obtain further information write to: Foreign Desk, American Cancer Society, 777 Third Avenue, New York, New York 10017.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON DETECTION AND TREATMENT OF BREAST CANCER

The National Conference on Breast Cancer will hold its Eighteenth Annual Conference on Detection and Treatment, organized by the American College of Radiology, in Atlanta, Georgia, March 4 to 9, 1979. For further information write to: R. Harrington, American College of Radiology, 6900 Wisconsin Avenue, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20015.

CONFERENCE ON MULTIDISCIPLINARY ASPECTS OF BRAIN TUMOR THERAPY

A 3-day conference covering all aspects of experimental and clinical brain tumor therapy will be held on Lake Garda, Italy, June 8 to 10, 1979. Major areas of discussion will be experimental brain tumors, the biology and diagnosis of brain tumor, principles of

therapy, and current therapeutic studies. In addition there will be a day devoted to free communications. The purpose of the conference is to provide the most recent information available from both experimental laboratories and clinical investigations; the specialties of neurooncology, neurology, neuropathology, neurosurgery, radiotherapy, and neurodiagnostics will be included. The deadline for submission of a 200-word abstract of new data (not previously presented) is January 15, 1979. Abstracts or requests for additional information should be sent to: Dr. M. D. Walker, National Cancer Institute, 31/4B32, Bethesda, Maryland 20014.

SECOND BREAST CANCER WORKING CONFERENCE OF THE EUROPEAN ORGANIZATION FOR RESEARCH ON TREATMENT OF CANCER (E.O.R.T.C.)

"Experimental and Clinical Aspects" will be the topic of the Second Breast Cancer Working Conference of the E.O.R.T.C., to be held in Copenhagen, Denmark, May 31 to June 2, 1979. The program will include recent experimental findings and clinical studies in primary and advanced breast cancer. Presentations will consist of lectures by leading authorities, panels of invited guest speakers, and free communications. The number of participants is limited to 250, and the deadline for registration is March 15, 1979. Address inquiries to: H. T. Mouridsen and T. Palshof, Finsen Institute, 49 Strandboulevarden, DK-2100 Copenhagen Ø, Denmark.

SEVENTH EUROPEAN CONGRESS OF PATHOLOGY

The Seventh European Congress of Pathology will be held in Valencia, Spain, September 17 to 21, 1979. Scientific contributions in the entire field of pathology will be welcome. The official languages of the congress are English and Spanish, and simultaneous translation will be provided for plenary sessions, scientific sessions, and slide seminars. Address inquiries to: Professor A. Lombart-Bosch and Professor A. Peydro-Olaya, Organizing Local Committee and Secretariat, Department of Pathology, Medical School of Valencia, Apartado 2045, Valencia, Spain.

SIXTH SUMMER PROGRAM IN METHODS OF IMMUNOLOGICAL RESEARCH AND DIAGNOSIS

The Sixth Biennial Program on Current Methods of Immunological Research and Diagnosis will be offered by The Center for Immunology, State University of New York at Buffalo, June 4 to 22, 1979. It will consist of a combination of core and elective practical laboratory exercises that will allow the participant to become acquainted with the techniques by personally carrying them out at the bench, complemented by demonstrations, lectures, and discussions. The program is designed to provide the participant with both a survey of currently available methodology and insight into the underlying immunological principles. The deadline for applications is March 31, 1979. Further information may be obtained from: Dr. James F. Mohn, Director, The Center for Immunology, State University of New York at Buffalo, 210 Sherman Hall, Buffalo, New York 14214.

POSTGRADUATE COURSE IN CLINICAL CYTOPATHOLOGY FOR PATHOLOGISTS

The Twentieth Postgraduate Institute for Pathologists in Clinical

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Cytopathology is to be given at The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and The Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland, April 23 to May 4, 1979. This 2-week program is designed for pathologists who are certified (or qualified) by the American Board of Pathology or its international equivalents. It will be an intensive refresher course in all aspects of the field of clinical cytopathology, with time devoted to new techniques, special problems, and recent applications. The course will be given in English and will provide 120 credit hours in AMA Category 1. Application must be made before February 28, 1979. For details write: Dr. John K. Frost, 610 Pathology Building, The Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland 21205.

INTERNATIONAL COURSE ON MALIGNANT LYMPHOMAS

An international course entitled "Malignant Lymphomas," sponsored by the Boerhaave Committee for Postgraduate Medical Education, University of Leiden, will be held in Noordwijkerhout, The Netherlands, April 3 to 6, 1979. In this course the neoplasms of the immune system in their relation to modern immunological concepts will be discussed for the specific purpose of providing increased understanding of the pathophysiology of lymphocytes and their neoplasms. Nomenclature will be related to present knowledge of lymphocyte morphology and function. The program is designed for hematologists, immunologists and pathologists with special interest in diagnosis, clinical evaluation, and therapy of patients with malignant lymphomas. Direct inquiries to: Secretariat of the Boerhaave Committee, University Medical Center, Rijnsburgerweg 10, Leiden, The Netherlands.

SECOND ANNUAL BRISTOL-MYERS AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT IN CANCER RESEARCH

Nominations are now being accepted for the Second Annual Bristol-Myers Award for Distinguished Achievement in Cancer Research. The \$25,000 award is made annually for outstanding contributions to cancer research. Nominations will be accepted from medical schools, free-standing hospitals, and cancer research centers until December 31, 1978. Only one nomination from each institution will be accepted. For forms and further information, contact: Secretary, Award Committee, Bristol-Myers Company, 345 Park Avenue, Room 43-30, New York, New York 10022.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS IN TUMOR IMMUNOLOGY AND VIROLOGY

Two fellowships are available for the study of murine tumor dormant states. One fellowship recipient will study the immunological mechanisms involved in establishment of dormant states, using a chemically induced tumor. Preference will be given to applicants with research experience in cellular immunology. The other recipient will study the role of endogenous and exogenous RNA tumor viruses and their cell surface antigens in the establishment of both viral and chemically induced tumor dormant states. Preference will be given to applicants with research experience in RNA tumor virology. The positions are available Fall 1978. Send curriculum vitae and names of 3 references to: Dr. E. Frederick Wheelock, Department of Microbiology, Thomas Jefferson University, 1020 Locust Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107.

Erratum

In the article by K. D. Tew *et al.*, entitled "Binding of Chlorozotocin and 1-(2-Chloroethyl)-3-cyclohexyl-1-nitrosourea to Chromatin and Nucleosomal Fractions of HeLa Cells," which appeared in the October 1978 issue, the structure of [¹⁴C]chlorozotocin pictured in Chart 1 was incorrect. *Below* is the correct structure.

CHLOROZOTOCIN-[CHLOROETHYL-2-¹⁴C]

