

Scientific Meetings and Congresses

43rd Annual Meeting of American Institute of Biological Sciences (AIBS), Honolulu, HI, August 9–13, 1992. *Information:* AIBS Meetings Department, 730 11th Street NW, Washington, DC 20001-4521. Tel: 202-628-1500 or 1-800-992-2427; Fax: 202-628-1509.

XXXIII Congress of the International Society of Psychoneuroendocrinology (ISPNE), Madison, WI, August 16–20, 1992. *Information:* Steven E. Shelton, Conference Coordinator, University of Wisconsin, B6/210 Clinical Science Center, 600 Highland Avenue, Madison, WI 53792. Tel: 608-263-6079; Fax: 608-265-2565.

46th Annual Symposium of the Society of General Physiologists, Woods Hole, MA, September 10–13, 1992. *Information:* Society of General Physiologists, PO Box 257, Woods Hole, MA 02543. Tel: 508-540-6719.

Postgraduate Course: Tracer Methodology in Metabolic Research, Lake Tahoe, CA, September 21–24, 1992. *Information:* Robert Wolfe, Course Director, Shriners Burns Institute, 815 Market Street, Galveston, TX 77550. Tel: 409-770-6605; Fax: 409-770-6825.

14th Annual Meeting of the IUPS Commission of Gravitational Physiology, Berlin, Germany, September 29–October 3,

1992. *Information:* Lorraine Tucker, APS, Room 4402, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814-3991. Tel: 301-530-7165; Fax: 301-571-1814.

1992 Meeting of the American Society of Zoologists (with the American Microscopical Society, Animal Behavior Society, The Canadian Society of Zoologists, The Crustacean Society, and the International Association of Astacology, Vancouver, BC, Canada. *Information:* Mary Adams-Wiley, Executive Officer, AMZ, 104 Sirius Circle, Thousand Oaks, CA 91360. Tel: 805-492-3585; Fax: 805-492-0370.

International Conference of the World Federation of Sleep Research Societies, Maui, HI, March 13–17, 1993. *Information:* WFSRS Conference Coordinator, Judy Franzblau c/o Global Events, 710 North Trenton Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210. Tel: 310-247-8004; Fax: 310-247-8457.

2nd International Congress for Pathophysiology, Kyoto, Japan, November 20–25, 1994. *Information:* Toshiie Sakata, First Department of Internal Medicine, Ooita Medical University, 1-1 Idaigaoka Hazamacho, Ooita-gun, Ooita, 879-55, Japan. Tel: 81-975-49-4411; Fax: 81-975-49-4217.

BOOKS RECEIVED

Obesity. Per Bjorntorp, Bernard N. Brodoff, et al. Hagerstown, MD: J.B. Lippincott, 1992, 805 pp., illus., index, \$69.50.

Drug-Induced Dysfunction in Psychiatry. Matcheri S. Keshavan and John S. Kennedy (Editors). Bristol, PA: Taylor & Francis Group, 1992, 339 pp., illus., index, \$59.50.

Plasticity of Motoneuronal Connections—Peripheral and Central. A. Wernig (Editor). New York: Elsevier, 1991, 512 pp., illus., index, \$220.00.

Placenta: Basic Research for Clinical Application. H. Soma (Editor). International Conference on Placenta, Tokyo, October 1990. New York: Karger, 1991, 214 pp., illus., index, \$184.00.

Renal Physiology. Bruce M. Koeppen and Bruce A. Stanton. Baltimore, MD: Mosby Year Book, 1992, 194 pp., illus., index, \$23.95.

Cardiovascular Physiology. Robert M.

Berne and Matthew N. Levy. Baltimore, MD: Mosby Year Book, 1992, 298 pp., illus., index, \$26.95.

Neuromethods 20: Intracellular Messengers. Alan A. Boulton, Glen B. Baker, and Colin W. Taylor (Editors). Clifton, NJ: Humana, 1992, 580 pp., illus., index, \$99.50.

Thermoregulation: The Pathophysiological Basis of Clinical Disorders. Peter Lomax and Eduard Schonbaum (Editors). International Symposium on the Pharmacology of Thermoregulation, 1991. Basel, Switzerland: Karger, 1992, 197 pp., illus., index, \$125.00.

Cellular and Molecular Biology of the Kidney. Hikaru Koide, Hitoshi Endou, Kiyoshi Kurokawa (Editors). *Contributions to Nephrology*, Vol. 95. G.M. Berlyne, and S. Giovannetti (Series Editors). Basel, Switzerland: Karger, 1992, 288 pp., illus., index, \$197.75.

Conference to Honor Steven Horvath

The international conference "Humans Under Stress: Will They Survive?" is planned for June 21–24, 1992 at the University of California, Santa Barbara. It is a symposium within the annual meeting of the Pacific Division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The symposium is planned as a tribute to APS member Steven M. Horvath, an internationally known physiologist who reached 80 years of age in September 1991. Horvath has performed considerable research on the adaptive capabilities of humans. He has been a professor at UCSB for many years and continues to conduct research.

For further information contact Pacific Division—AAAS, California Academy of Sciences, San Francisco, CA 94118.

International ISSLS Fellowship Available

The International Society for the Study of the Lumbar Spine is offering International Fellowships to appropriate individuals in underrepresented/underdeveloped areas to financially sponsor them to attend and actively participate in the Society's next meeting in Marseille, France, June 15–19, 1993.

Applicants should have a demonstrated interest in clinical spine or nonclinical spine-related research. Receive information from ISSLS, Sunnybrook Medical Centre, Room A 309, 2075 Bayview Avenue, Toronto, Canada, M4N 3M5.

Dautrebande Prize Awarded

The 1991 Triennial Prize of the Dautrebande Foundation has been awarded to J. E. Dumont, University of Brussels, for his pioneer work on molecular biology of normal and pathological thyroid.

The next prize will be awarded in 1994. For more information contact the President of the Foundation, Dr. Stalport, "Maison Batta", 3 Avenue Batta—B.4500 HUY—Belgium.