

### In Appreciation

The high quality of the papers that appear in this publication is a tribute not only to the obvious efforts of the authors represented but also to the unheralded, though essential, efforts of the reviewers. It is the reviewers' dedication to upholding the high standards of their profession that this note pays tribute. We acknowledge with appreciation their important contribution to the success of this journal. The following individuals served as guest/invited reviewers for Volume 30 of the *Journal of Forensic Sciences*.

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## Fellowship

An annual training fellowship is being provided by Tissue Banks International, Baltimore, MD in honor of the late Russell S. Fisher, M.D., the Chief Medical Examiner of Maryland from 1 Sept. 1949 until his untimely death on 21 May 1984. The purpose of this fellowship is to honor the memory of Dr. Fisher and, specifically, his contributions to the field of forensic pathology and to Tissue Banks International. The fellowship will emphasize Dr. Fisher's interest in training and education in the furtherance of forensic pathology and the Medical Examiner-Coroner in the field of death investigation.

An annual training grant of \$25 000.00 is being provided by Tissue Banks International for a one-year training fellowship which will be offered to a selected candidate. The candidate chosen will be one with an outstanding background in pathology, holds promise of becoming a competent and effective forensic pathologist, and the prospect of eventually becoming a leader in the field.

Applications, with full credentials and a personal statement of interest, should be forwarded to:

John G. Rouse, III  
Senior Vice President  
Corporate Affairs  
Tissue Banks International  
505 Park Ave.  
Baltimore, MD 21201

Applications must be received by 1 Dec. 1985. All applications will be reviewed, and a candidate selected, by a national committee of forensic pathologists. The award will be made at the 38th Annual Meeting of The American Academy of Forensic Sciences, 10-15 Feb. 1986.

## **Congress**

The Medico-legal Society of Sri Lanka announces the 2nd Indo-Pacific Congress on Legal Medicine and Forensic Sciences will be held in Colombo, Sri Lanka from 14 to 18 Aug. 1986.

The following topics have been selected for discussion at the Congress:

Practice and teaching of legal medicine and forensic sciences  
Recent advances in forensic pathology and forensic sciences  
Forensic odontology  
Investigation of mass disaster  
Road traffic accidents—including quantum and liability  
Fires and explosives  
Forensic ballistics  
Forensic toxicology  
Forensic serology  
Forensic psychiatry  
Clinical forensic medicine  
Forensic anthropology  
Drug abuse—investigation, rehabilitation, and remedial measures  
Pesticide poisoning  
International terrorism  
Questioned documents  
Hairs and fibers  
Human rights and criminal investigations  
The law and recent medical advances

Readers are invited to participate and present papers at the Congress. Write to: Congress Secretariat, P.O. Box 869, 111 Francis Rd., Colombo 10, Sri Lanka.