

MEETINGS CALENDAR

THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF PHYSICS (ENRICO FERMI) OF THE ITALIAN PHYSICS SOCIETY announces "Magnetic Resonance and Brain Function: Approaches from Physics," to be held June 29 to July 3rd, 1998 in Varenna, Italy. For more information visit the website at: <http://www.sif.it/sif/sif/primo-98.html>.

THE FIELD-CYCLING NMR RELAXOMETRY (TECHNIQUES, APPLICATIONS, THEORIES) SYMPOSIUM will take place in Berlin, Germany, from July 31 through August 2, 1998 prior to the joint 29th AMPERE/13th ISMAR Congress. The purpose is (i) to disseminate information on the technique and potential of field-cycling applications, (ii) to bring together researchers practicing field-cycling methods with those

who do not yet but are interested in applying this technique in the future, and (iii) to form a discussion forum promoting and cultivating the description of molecular motion in complex systems by spectral densities in relation to recent condensed-matter theories. The symposium will consist of five sessions including plenary, main, and short lectures, and poster presentations on the following topics: techniques, diamagnetic biosystems, paramagnetic biosystems and level-crossing experiments, polymers and liquid crystals, porous media, and surface systems. For further information, please visit the web site at <http://www.physik.uni-wuerzburg.de/ampere/fcnmr.html>, or please contact Professor Dr. Rainer Kimmich, Universität Ulm, Sektion Kernresonanzspektroskopie, 89069 Ulm, Germany. Fax: +49 731 5023150. E-mail: rainer.kimmich@physik.uni-ulm.de.