

## MEETINGS CALENDAR

The course "Neuroradiology in Nevis," sponsored by the University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, will be held on November 17–20, 1999, at Four Seasons, Nevis. The course will include a thorough review of MR, CT, and angiography as they pertain to the evaluation of disease processes affecting the brain, head and neck, spine, and cerebral vasculature. The latest technical developments (including functional MRI, perfusion–diffusion imaging, and interventional angiographic procedures) will be discussed. The fee is \$750 for radiologists and participants receive 20 Category I credit hours. The Course Director is Robert I. Grossman, M.D. For further information, please contact Janice Ford Benner, University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, 3400 Spruce Street, 1 Silverstein Building, Philadelphia, PA 19104. Fax: (215) 349-5925.

The course "Advanced MR Visiting Fellowship for Physicians," sponsored by the University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, will be held on December 6–10, 1999, at the University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, Philadelphia. The advanced fellowship is designed for those with more than six months of hands-on experience in magnetic resonance imaging. It places particular emphasis on advanced topics such as rapid imaging, including fast spin-echo and vascular imaging and their applications in the various organ systems. The fee is \$1600.00 (includes daily lunches) and participants receive 40 hours of AMA Category I credit. The course director is Felix W. Wehrli, Ph.D. For further information, please contact Melissa Zajdel, University of Pennsylvania Medical Center (Radiology), 3400 Spruce Street, MRI Center, 1 Founders Bldg., Philadelphia, PA 19104. Fax: (215) 349-5925.

The course "Cardiac and Vascular MR Visiting Fellowship for Physicians," sponsored by the University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, will be held January 31–February 4, 2000 and May 15–19, 2000, at the University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, Philadelphia. The cardiac and vascular fellowship is designed to provide insight into the physical principles of magnetic resonance, specifically, as it relates to cardiovascular imaging as well as an overview of the range of practical clinical applications. It includes an introduc-

tion to the principles of magnetic resonance imaging, instrumentation, and contrast phenomenology. It further introduces cardiac and vascular imaging strategies and methods for imaging of function and morphology of the cardiovascular system, MR angiography, and hemodynamic analysis. Finally, it covers a broad range of applications, including congenital and ischemic heart disease, valvular disease, imaging of the great and visceral vessels and intra- and extracranial and peripheral vascular disease, and MR venography. The clinical perspective will be emphasized. The fee is \$1600.00 (includes daily lunches) and participants receive 40 hours of AMA Category I credit. The course director is Leon Axel, Ph.D., M.D. For further information, please contact Melissa Zajdel, University of Pennsylvania Medical Center (Radiology), 3400 Spruce Street, MRI Center, 1 Founders Bldg., Philadelphia, PA 19104. Fax: (215) 349-5925.

The next biennial meeting of the Australian and New Zealand Society for Magnetic Resonance, ANZMAG2000, will be held on February 13–17, 2000, at Mt. Buller, Victoria, Australia. The meeting will focus on biological and chemical applications of NMR and EPR spectroscopy, with emphasis on modern developments. For further information please contact the conference secretary Dr. Jenny Wilson, Victorian College of Pharmacy, Monash University, Parkville, Victoria 3052, Australia. E-mail: [anzmag@edda.vcp.monash.edu.au](mailto:anzmag@edda.vcp.monash.edu.au); Web site: <http://www.vcp.monash.edu.au/chemistry/anzmag2k>.

The 41st ENC on Experimental Nuclear Magnetic Resonance will be held on April 9–14, 2000, at the Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, California. For further information, please contact ENC, 1201 Don Diego Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87505. Fax: (505) 989-1073. E-mail: [enc@enc-conference.org](mailto:enc@enc-conference.org). Web page: <http://www.enc-conference.org>.

The 15th European Experimental NMR Conference will be held in June 2000 at the University of Leipzig, Germany. For more information and preregistration, see the web site for details and contact information: <http://enc.uni-leipzig.de>.