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The program will consist of about twenty lectures by invited speakers on the following topics: electrophysiological aspects, neurophysiological aspects, contractile proteins, hormones and receptors (biogenic amines, steroids, oxytocin, prostaglandins, relaxin, angiotensin, neurotransmitters), membrane transduction and intracellular regulation system, clinical and therapeutic aspects.

The list of invited speakers includes:

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The proceedings of the Symposium will be published

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THE OPIOID REGULATION OF THE ENDOCRINE FUNCTION

Florence, Italy, October 3-5, 1983

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Opioid receptors and their natural ligands

Discovery, Localisation, Function, Pharmacology.

Measurements of opioid substances in biological fluids

R.I.A., Alternative Methods.

Pharmacological and experimental models

Animal models, human models.

Opioids and monoaminergic systems

Animal models, human models.

Opioids and adrenocortical function
Animal models, human models.

Opioids and reproductive system
Ovary animal models, human models; Testis animal models, human models.

Opioids and GH-PRL secretion
Animal models and human models

Opioids and thyroid function
Animal models, human models.

Opioids and placenta
Animal models, human models.

Opioids and posterior pituitary
Animal models, human models.

Opioids and pancreas
Animal models, human models.

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