Announcements

Any elected member of a national society of nephrology is eligible for membership in the *International Society of Nephrology* and receipt of the Society’s official Journal, *Kidney International*. A subscription to *Kidney International* (including all Supplements) for calendar year 1976 is included in the annual 1976 dues of US $48.00. Individuals who have been dues-paying members of the ISN during 1975 should now remit their 1976 dues directly to Dr. Neal S. Bricker, Treasurer, International Society of Nephrology, Department of Medicine, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, 1300 Morris Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10461, U.S.A. Checks should be made payable to the *International Society of Nephrology* (checks from outside of the U.S.A. can be paid through any New York bank). Potential new members can secure application forms for membership by writing directly to Dr. Bricker at the above address. They should enclose a check or money order for the first year’s (1976) annual dues (US $48.00) along with the completed application (checks should be made payable to the *International Society of Nephrology* through any New York bank).

**Continuity of Subscription to Kidney International**

It is of the utmost importance for 1975 members of the *International Society of Nephrology* to remit their 1976 dues (US $48.00) immediately to the office of the Treasurer. Otherwise, continuity of subscription to *Kidney International* during 1976 cannot be assured.

**Meetings**

The 7th annual *Postgraduate Nephrology Seminar* sponsored by the *Council on the Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease of the American Heart Association* will be held at the Given Institute of Pathobiology in Aspen, Colorado, on March 15–17, 1976. The program, arranged by the University of Colorado Medical Center, will include a series of lectures and workshops on “Hematologic, Hemodynamic and Vascular Aspects of Renal Disease: Pathogenesis, Diagnosis and Therapy.” The faculty includes a number of distinguished guests: Drs. C. G. Cochrane, A. Michael, E. Lowrie, D. McKay and V. Pollak, as well as renal pathologists, adult and pediatric hematologists, nephrologists, surgeons and clinical immunologists from the University of Colorado. The program would be of interest to internists, pediatricians, hematologists, obstetricians and transplant surgeons. For further information write to Dr. George Stewart, Scientific Affairs Division, American Heart Association, 44 East 23rd Street, New York, New York 10010, or contact Dr. Rawle McIntosh, Program Chairman, University of Colorado Medical Center, 4200 East Ninth Avenue, Box C233, Denver, Colorado 80220, U.S.A.

An *International Symposium on Urinary Stone Formation* will be held at Davos, Switzerland on March 29-April 1, 1976. The official language will be English. For further information write to Professor H. Fleisch, Department of Pathophysiology, Murtenstrasse 35, CH-3008 Bern, Switzerland.

The 7th *International Symposium on Clinical Enzymology* will be held in Venice, Italy on April 5–7, 1976. The Symposium will include invited lectures and free communications on multidisciplinary aspects of clinical enzymology. For further information write to Prof. A. Burlina, Center for Clinical Enzymology, General Hospital, 31015 Conegliano, Italy.

The *American Society of Pediatric Nephrology* will hold its annual meeting at the Chase-Park Plaza Hotel in St. Louis, Missouri on Tuesday, April 27, 1976. The program topic will be “Neonatal Nephrology.” For further information write to Dr. John E. Lewy, Secretary-Treasurer, American Society of Pediatric Nephrology, Cornell University Medical College, 1300 York Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10021, U.S.A.

The 3rd *Latin American Congress of Nephrology* will be held in Bogotá, Colombia on May 24–25, 1976 under the auspices of the *Colombian Society of Nephrology*. For further information write to Dr. Hernan Torres, Secretario Organizador, III Congresso Latinoamericano de Nefrologia, Apartado Aéreo 91177, Bogotá, Colombia, South America.

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Plans are underway to prepare a Registry of Nephrologists of Latin American extraction who are currently residing in the U.S.A. Those who are currently living in the U.S.A. and who are interested in obtaining information about the Latin American Society of Nephrology may do so by writing to Dr. Carlos A.