

## Announcements

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### FRONTIERS IN CARDIOVASCULAR SCIENCE

International workshop on Bioenergetics in cardiovascular Physiology

Gothenburg

1–2 June, 1993

*Organized by:* the Wallenberg Laboratory for Cardiovascular Research, University of Göteborg.

*Organizing Committee:* Germán Camejo, Gunnar Fager, Tore Scherstén (chairman), Bassam Soussi, Gothenburg University, Sweden.

*For further information* on this workshop please contact the workshop secretariat: Ewa Landegren, Wallenberg Laboratory, Sahlgrenska Hospital, S-413 45 Göteborg, Sweden. Tel.: +46 31 602992; Fax: +46 31 823762.

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### FATTY ACIDS AND LIPIDS FROM CELL BIOLOGY TO HUMAN DISEASES

1st International Congress of the International Society for the Study of Fatty Acids and Lipids

Lugano (Switzerland)

30 June–3 July, 1993

*Chairpersons:* J. Dyerberg (Denmark), C. Galli (Italy), A. Leaf (USA), A. Simopoulos (USA)

*Preliminary list of topics:* Polyunsaturated Fatty Acid Metabolism and  $\beta$  Oxidation; Fatty Acids and Cell Signalling; Fat Substitutes; Trans Fatty Acids; Fatty Acids and the Central Nervous System; Fatty Acids, Maternal and Infant Nutrition; Fatty Acids and Antioxidants; Physical Fitness; Aging; Fatty Acids and the Cardiovascular System; Metabolic Diseases; Cancer; Inflammation and Immunology.

*Organizing Secretariat:* ISSFAL '93, Fondazione Giovanni Lorenzini, Via Appiani, 7, 20121 Milan, Italy. Tel.: (02) 29.00.62.67; Fax: (02) 29.00.70.18.

*Scientific Secretariat:* Dr. C. Galli and E. Tremoli, Institute of Pharmacological Sciences, University of Milan, Via Balzaretti, 9, Italy. Tel.: (02) 29.40.46.72; Fax: (02) 29.40.49.61.

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INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON THE LIPID TRIAD (TRIGLYCERIDES, HDL, LDL) AND CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES

Milan, Italy

5-8 July, 1993

*Co-Chairmen:* G. Assmann (Germany), A.M. Gotto, Jr. (USA), R. Paoletti (Italy).

*Scientific contents:* Physiopathology of Plasma Triglycerides; Classification of Hyperlipidemias and Guidelines for Diagnosis and Treatment; Postprandial Lipemia; HDL Metabolism; The Polymetabolic Syndrome; Drugs, Diabetes and Lipid Control; Drugs and Diets Affecting the Lipid Triad; Thrombosis and Fibrinolysis; Non Invasive Methods for the Assessment of Progression and Regression of Arterial Lesions.

*Deadline for Submission of Abstracts:* 31 March, 1993.

*Organizing Secretariat:* LT'93, Fondazione Giovanni Lorenzini, Via Appiani, 7, 20121 Milan, Italy. Tel.: 02 29006267, Fax: 02 29007018.

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ASPEN BILE ACID/CHOLESTEROL/LIPOPROTEIN CONFERENCE

Aspen, Colorado

21-24 August, 1993

The 1993 Aspen Bile Acid/Cholesterol/Lipoprotein Conference will be held at the Given Institute of the University of Colorado School of Medicine in Aspen, Colorado, 21-24 August, 1993. The Conference, *Roles of Genetics and Diet Responsiveness in Cholesterol Metabolism*, will be chaired jointly by Lawrence Rudel, The Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest University and Roger Newton, Parke-Davis Pharmaceutical. Topics and speakers will include: 1. Diet/gene interactions in cholesterol metabolism (Drs. Nobuyo Maeda, Jean MacCluer, Jake Lusic, and John Dietschy); 2. Intracellular processing of cholesterol (Drs. Jim Metherall, Skadrite Krisans, Richard Anderson, and James Wilson); 3. Intravascular aspects of reverse cholesterol transport (Drs. Alan Tall, George Melchior, Michael Schotz, and Michael Pape); 4. Regulation of the Apo(a) gene and Lp(a) (Drs. Helen Hobbs, Ann White, Roberto Taramelli and Hans-Joachim Müller).

Limited funds are available to sponsor students, research fellows, post-doctoral trainees and young faculty. To apply for a grant, enclose a curriculum vitae, a statement of research interest and an abstract to be considered for poster presentation. Interested senior investigators are also invited to apply for admission to the Conference. There will be a fee of \$100 for senior investigators.

All participants are invited to submit abstracts for poster permission.

The number of places at the Conference is limited, and early application is advised.

*Address applications to:* Mrs. Bernie C. Kern, 501 Madison Street, Denver, Colorado 80206, Tel.: (303) 325-0330; Fax: (303) 355-0739.

The deadline for receipt of applications is 30 May, 1993.

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## 3RD INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON DIABETES AND ATHEROSCLEROSIS

Klases, Near Istanbul, Turkey

4–6 September, 1993

*Abstract deadline:* 1 July, 1993.*For further details write to:* Professor Gerald H. Tomkin, 1 Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin 2, Ireland. Fax: (01) 768074.

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## INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON WOMEN'S HEALTH IN MENOPAUSE

Behaviour, Cancer, Cardiovascular Disease, Hormone Replacement Therapy

Milan, Italy

26–29 September, 1993

*Chairpersons:* A.M. Gotto (Houston, USA), P.G. Crosignani (Milan, Italy), R. Paoletti (Milan, Italy).*Scientific sessions:* Physiopathology and Clinical Aspects of Perimenopausal Years; Behaviour and Lifestyle; Epidemiology of Menopause; Prevention of Risks and Treatment of Symptoms.*For information and programs:* Fondazione Giovanni Lorenzini,

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## EUROPEAN ATHEROSCLEROSIS SOCIETY — 62nd EAS CONGRESS

Jerusalem, Israel

5–9 September, 1993

*Topics include:* Lipoproteins and Atherosclerosis, Modulators of Atherosclerosis, Genetics and Atherosclerosis. *Abstract Deadline:* April 1st, 1993.*Contact:* U.S.A. — Gil-Kenes 1617 J.F.K. Blvd. Suite 946 Philadelphia PA 19103. Tel.: (800) 223-3855; Fax: (215) 568-0696. Other Countries — 62nd EAS Congress — Secretariat P.O. Box 50006 Tel Aviv, 61500 Israel. Tel.: +972 3 517-4571; Fax: +972 3 660-325.