

NOTICES

FALK-WORKSHOP: PROBLEMS AND STRATEGIES IN THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF VIRAL HEPATITIS

Singapore, January 11, 1986

As part of the scientific meeting 1986 of The Asian Pacific Association for the Study of the Liver, the International Falk-Workshop, "Problems and Strategies in the Prevention and Control of Viral Hepatitis" will take place during the afternoon of Saturday, January 11, 1986 in The Shangri-la Hotel, Singapore.

- Chairman:** Hans Popper, M.D., Ph.D., New York (USA)
- 14.30-14.50 Vaccines for Hepatitis B
Robert J. Gerety, M.D., Bethesda (USA)
- 14.50-15.10 New Vaccines for Hepatitis A
Prof. Dr. Friedrich Deinhardt, Munich
(West Germany)
- 15.10-15.30 Prevention of Chronic Carrier State for Hepatitis B
by Perinatal Immunization
Girish N. Vyas, M.D., San Francisco (USA)
- 15.30-15.40 Discussion
- 15.40-16.00 TEA BREAK
- 16.00-16.20 Long-term Outcome of Hepatitis B Vaccination
— Facts and Figures
R. Palmer Beasley, M.D., Taipei (Taiwan)
- 16.20-16.40 Problems and Strategies for Control in Asian-Pacific Countries
Dr. Oon Chong Jin, Singapore
- 16.40-16.50 Discussion
- 16.50-17.00 Chairman sums up the Workshop

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**SEVENTY-SECOND GENERAL MEETING OF THE JAPANESE
SOCIETY OF GASTROENTEROLOGY
Niigata, March 27-29, 1986**

The 72nd General Meeting of the Japanese Society of Gastroenterology will be held under the chairmanship of Professor Fumihiko ICHIDA, M.D., Niigata University School of Medicine, from March 27 to 29, 1986, at Niigata Prefectural Hall, Niigata City Hall, Niigata City Concert Hall, Niigata City Gymnasium and Niigata Postal Savings Hall, Niigata City, Japan.

1. Invited lectures:

- (1) Acute gastric mucosal lesions
Tadayoshi TAKEMOTO, M.D. (Prof. of Medicine, Yamaguchi University School of Medicine, Ube)
- (2) Surgical policy and treatment for peptic ulcer
Terukazu MUTO, M.D. (Prof. of Surgery, Niigata University School of Medicine, Niigata)
- (3) The sinusoidal liver cell and the pathogenesis of liver disease
Kyuichi TANIKAWA, M.D. (Prof. of Medicine, Kurume University School of Medicine, Kurume)

2. President address:

Clinicopathological study of primary biliary cirrhosis
Fumihiko ICHIDA, M.D. (Prof. of Medicine, Niigata University School of Medicine, Niigata)

3. Symposia:

- (1) Extension and treatment of carcinoma of the gallbladder
Moderators: Ryuji MIZUMOTO (Mie Univ Sch Med, Tsu)
Hidenobu WATANABE (Niigata Univ Sch Med, Niigata)
- (2) Recent advances in the marker substances in pancreatic diseases
Moderators: Takesada MORI (Osaka Univ Sch Med, Osaka)
Tatsuji HOMMA (Shinshu Univ Sch Med, Matsumoto)
- (3) Sequelae of acute alcoholic hepatitis
Moderators: Hiroshi SASAKI (Toyama Med Pharm Univ Sch Med, Toyama)
Takashi MATSUSHIMA (Hokkaido Univ Sch Med, Sapporo)

4. Panel-discussions:

- (1) The healing and/or relapsing mechanisms of peptic ulcer
Moderators: Kazuei OGOSHI (Prefectural Cancer Center, Niigata Hosp, Niigata)
Masayuki FUJINO (Yamanashi Med Coll, Yamanashi Pref)
- (2) Bile acids in digestive diseases
Moderators: Toshiaki OSUGA (Tsukuba Univ Sch Med, Ibaragi Pref)
Isao MAKINO (Hirosaki Univ Sch Med, Hirosaki)
- (3) Treatments of Japanese and Chinese medicines in chronic hepatitis
Moderators: Hiroshi SUZUKI (Yamanashi Med Coll, Yamanashi Pref)
Kiyoshi FUJISAWA (Jikei Univ Sch Med, Tokyo)

5. Workshop:

- (1) Inflammatory bowel disease and cancer
Moderators: Kenzo KOBAYASHI (Osaka City Univ Sch Med, Osaka)
Tetsuichiro MUTO (Tokyo Univ Sch Med, Tokyo)

6. Free papers:

Deadlines for submission of papers:

1. October 30, 1985 For symposia, panel discussions and workshop.
2. December 2, 1985 For free papers.

For further information, please write to:

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**THE WORLD CONGRESSES OF GASTROENTEROLOGY—
BRAZILIAN FEDERATION OF GASTROENTEROLOGY, BRAZILIAN
SOCIETY OF DIGESTIVE ENDOSCOPY AND BRAZILIAN
SOCIETY OF COLO-PROCTOLOGY
São Paulo, September 7-12, 1986**

Dear Colleagues,

Brasil, at the city of São Paulo, will be the site of the 8th World Congress of Gastroenterology, 6th World Congress of Digestive Endoscopy and the 3rd World Congress of Colo-Proctology, from the 7th to 12th of September 1986. Being the largest city in Latin America—with a population of approximately 12 million people—there will be no problem in hosting the 6000 participants expected. Apart from the scientific program, now in its final stage of organization, a variety of social activities is also being elaborated. The participants will be able to become acquainted with the city of São Paulo, with its almost 2000 restaurants, exciting night life, fantastic shopping centers, numerous museums and art galleries.

Special arrangements have been made with the airlines to permit foreign participants acquiring "air passes", at a convenient price, to travel all over Brazil. With this convenience you can visit the jungles of Amazon, Bahia with its fascinating folklore and popular art, Rio de Janeiro and its marvelous beaches, Iguazu Falls and Brasilia the new capital, as well as appreciate Brazil's warm and happy people.

The three Congresses will take place simultaneously. There will be 12 quadrennial reviews, during which current subjects of the specialties are to be revised by the most renowned names of each area. We have prepared 50 symposiums, 12 conferences as well as informal "meet-the-professor" sessions. Movies, video-tapes, poster sessions and approximately 850 free themes are also included in the program.

The Congresses' official languages will be Portuguese and English, simultaneous translation will be provided. There will also be simultaneous translation in French in two of the auditoriums.

The Convention Center is located close to the subway, of easy access and has a large parking lot. The Center itself is spacious enough to house all the activities from Sunday to Friday, leaving your weekend free. Till 1986,

Organizing Committee

Varig, the Brazilian airline, the official carrier, can give you any information you may want about the Congresses, and make your visit to Brazil in 1986 more pleasant and agreeable.

Agostinho Bettarello

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IASL-SLH INTERNATIONAL MEETING**Caracas, September 14–17, 1986**

The organizing committee cordially invites you to attend the meeting of the International Association for the Study of the Liver (IASL) and the Sociedad Latino-Americana de Hepatologia (SLH) to be held jointly, for the first time, in Caracas, Venezuela from September 14th to 17th, 1986, immediately after the 8th World Congress of Gastroenterology in São Paulo, Brazil. This important meeting will provide the opportunity for an exchange of ideas between our colleagues in Latin America and those from the other continents.

The Congress activities will include: two State of the Art lectures, the presentation and discussion of 120 posters and 30 short communications. One day will be devoted to a postgraduate course where renowned specialists will speak on the latest developments in hepatology.

The Sociedad Latino-Americana de Hepatologia is also organizing an extraordinary meeting to be held before the Congress. It will be sponsored by the Pan American Health Organization/World Health Organization and will include a symposium on "Control and Prevention of Viral Hepatitis in Latin America". There will also be the presentation and discussion of posters.

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