

Announcements

American College of Nutrition

37th Annual Meeting

Venue: San Francisco, California

Date: 11 - 13 October 1996

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Certification Board for Nutrition Specialists

Venue: San Francisco, California

Date: 11 October 1996

A certifying examination will be held for nutritionists and dieticians with advanced degrees.

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Announcement

International Meeting of Paediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition

4th National Meeting of the Italian Society of Paediatric Gastroenterology and Hepatology, 3rd Joint Meeting of the British and Italian Societies of Paediatric Gastroenterology

Venue: Naples, Italy

Date: 11 - 14 September 1996

The meeting will comprise invited lectures on clinical cases, reports of S.I.G.E.P. working teams, round table discussions, workshops and a poster session.

Abstracts are invited.

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Announcement

Calcium and Vitamin D in Human Life

First World Congress

Venue: Rome, Italy

Date: 8 - 12 October 1996

The Congress is being organized by The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the World Health Organization, and the Italian National Federation for Osteoporosis Centers, in collaboration with the National Research Council and the National Institute of Nutrition.

It will bring together international experts to discuss how to achieve the objectives of improving calcium intake among all population groups, promoting proper growth during childhood and adolescence and reducing diseases such as osteoporosis, cancer and hypertension.

Discussion will include: calcium and vitamin D bioavailability and absorption; calcium intake in developed and developing countries; measurements of bone mass and turnover; osteoporosis; hypertension; colo-rectal cancer; the role of industry and agriculture. Emphasis will be given to better dietary sources of calcium and vitamin D and the role of public communication and education in improving intake of these important nutrients, including reaching high-risk groups.

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*Announcement***The European Nutrition Leadership Programme****Fourth Seminar**

Venue: Luxembourg

Date: 13 - 20 March 1997

The objective of this programme is to organize advanced training seminars regularly with an emphasis on topics such as communication of nutrition science, future strategies and new frontiers in nutrition research, nutrition science and nutrition health in Europe, nutrition within European health policies.

The programme is formulated for advanced final year PhD students and postdoctoral fellows in human nutritional sciences in Europe.

Thirty candidates upon application will be selected by an international selection committee. Candidates will be requested to pay a modest financial contribution. Applications will be accepted until 15 November 1996.

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