

International Society of Lymphology Forthcoming Conventions

4th European Congress of Radiology

The 4th European Congress of Radiology will be held in *Hamburg*, Germany, September 4-8, 1979.

Principal topics will be:

Diagnostic Radiology: organs of the upper abdomen.

Radiotherapy: tumors of the male and female genital systems.

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7th International Congress of Lymphology

The 7th International Congress of Lymphology will be held in *Florence*, Italy, October 28 - November 2, 1979.

Main Topics:

- Old and new diagnostic methods of the lymphatic system (e.g. ultrasound, radioisotopes, CT)
- Lymphatic system in pulmonary hypertension
- Lymphostasia and its physiopathological consequences
- Lymphatic transport of exocrine and endocrine gland products
- Role of the lymphatics in intestinal function
- Lymphographic findings in malignant lymphomas and in lymph node metastasis: prognosis and therapy.
- Pathophysiology and new progress in therapy of lymphedemas
- Angiodysplasia and the lymphatic system
- Classification of non-Hodgkin-lymphomas
- The lymphocyte, the lymphoid tissue and immunocomplexes in lymphomas and other malignancies

- Progress in the treatment of tumors of the lymphatic system
- Intralymphatic application of drugs, immunosubstances and radionuclides
- The deep subfascial lymphatics: instrumental research, pathophysiology, its importance in lymphedemas, also under the therapeutic point of view

The Congress offers you the possibility to present

- free communications
- invited papers
- posters
- films

Post-graduate courses on LYMPHEDEMA and HODGKIN'S DISEASE are scheduled.

DEADLINE for scientific contribution: April 30, 1979.

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Tissue Fluid Pressure and Composition

A satellite meeting of the II. World Congress for Microcirculation on "Tissue Fluid Pressure and Composition" will be held at the University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, California, July 19-21, 1979.

Description of Meeting

This meeting will correlate the latest scientific advances in tissue fluid pressure and composition with recent clinical application. The program brings together acknowledged experts in basic science and clinical fields of tissue fluid pressure and tissue composition. Each subject will be approached from theoretical as well as practical viewpoints. The first day will examine the origin of hydrostatic and osmotic pressures in tissue and blood, interstitial composition, lymph composition, pulmonary edema and transcapillary protein transport. The second day will emphasize whole organ and clinical implications of

tissue fluid pressure in brain, kidney, lung, intestine, heart, muscle compartment syndromes, and other forms of trauma. Each speaker will be followed by a 15-minute discussion period. The third day (half-day session only) will cover techniques for measuring tissue fluid pressure (capsule, servo-null micro-pressure system, clinical infusion, clinical wick catheter), followed by recent findings, discussions, and demonstrations of each technique.

This symposium is a satellite meeting of the II World Congress for Microcirculation and the 25th Anniversary Meeting of the U.S. Microcirculatory Society. Our satellite meeting will take place four days prior to and at the same location as the World Congress.

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