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**AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY:** The American Academy of Neurology announces the Tenth Essay Contest in Neurology for medical students. Any area of the neurological sciences may be chosen as the subject for the essay. The contest is open to any registered undergraduate medical student in a school of medicine in North America. Essays will be considered in one of three categories: clinical neurology, experimental neurology, and general-historical aspects of neurology. A prize may be awarded in each of the three categories, such prize consisting of \$100.00, a certificate of award and a one year subscription to "Neurology". The essay must be accompanied by a brief abstract which is not to exceed 200 words in length. Manuscripts must be typewritten, double spaced and submitted in quintuplicate. The essay must be the result of the efforts of only one individual. If biographical papers are submitted, the personal subject of the biography must be deceased. Manuscripts must be mailed to the American Academy of Neurology, 4005 West 65th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55435. Deadline for receipt of manuscripts is December 15, 1970. For further information, contact the office of Associate Director, Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House.

**AAMC/PHS INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS:** AAMC/PHS International Fellowships have been established for 1971 in Israel and Yugoslavia as follows:

<u>Projects</u>	<u>Dates (1971)</u>
Tel Hashomer Government Hospital, University of Tel Aviv	June 14-August 20
Rambam Government Hospital, Hebrew University	March 8-May 15
Hebrew University, Hadassah Medical School	March 8-May 15
Hebrew University, Hadassah Medical School	June 14-August 20
Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade	March 8-May 15
Institution of Public Health of Serbia, University of Belgrade	March 8-May 15

Applications may be secured from the Office of the Associate Director for Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House. Deadline for submitting applications is September 25, 1970.

**1971 ALFRED A. RICHMAN ESSAY CONTEST:** The American College of Chest Physicians announces the 1971 Alfred A. Richman Essay Contest. This contest is open to all medical students enrolled in an accredited medical school at the time of submitting their applications. Prizes of \$500, \$300, and \$200 will be awarded to first, second and third places, respectively. For further information and details contact the Office of the Associate Director for Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House. Deadline for submitting applications and manuscripts is March 31, 1971.

**THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR PHARMACOLOGY AND EXPERIMENTAL THERAPEUTICS:** announces awards to be made to eight students of medicine in the United States and Canada. Awards will be made for original essays concerned with some aspect of the pharmacology of a therapeutically useful agent or other biologically active chemical. Any full-time student of medicine in good academic standing may

submit an essay. Students of medicine who are or have been enrolled in graduate programs leading to a Master's or Doctor's degree in Pharmacology, however, are not eligible to receive any awards. Essays should not exceed 20 double-spaced typewritten pages, not counting figures and tables, and be submitted in duplicate to Dr. T. Narahashi, the Head of the Division of Pharmacology by December 15, 1970. Eight awards of \$200 each will be made. Authors of the two best essays will receive an additional award of up to \$250 for travel and subsistence to permit their attending either the Spring meeting of the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology or the Fall meeting of the Pharmacology Society. Awards will be made in the form of payment from the Society to the Department of Pharmacology in the winner's school. For further information, call Dr. E. Croft Long (extension 2498) or Dr. T. Narahashi (extension 5748).

**AMERICAN ACADEMY OF CLINICAL TOXICOLOGY:** The Third Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Clinical Toxicology will be held in San Francisco, California on October 24 and 25, 1970. There will be two symposia, "Ethical and Legal Aspects of Clinical Toxicology" and "Clinical Toxicology of Drug Abuse", and sessions of contributed papers. The meeting is preceded by Pre-Conference Training Program for the practicing physician. This program is planned to provide 16 hours of instruction and conferences on the diagnosis and treatment of acute intoxication. For further information, contact Dr. T. Narahashi, Ext. 5748.

**THE DUKE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL ON AGING AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT:** presents William C. Fitch, Executive Director of the National Council on the Aging, who will discuss "Senior Power in the Seventies". This open seminar will be held Tuesday, October 13, 1970, at 4 p.m. in Room 1504 Gerontology Building, Duke Hospital. Everyone is invited to attend.

**DEPARTMENT OF ANATOMY SEMINAR:** The Department of Anatomy will present a seminar in Neuroendocrinology on Friday October 2, 1970 at 4:00 p.m. in Room M224, Davison Building. The speaker will be Professor Bela Flerko, Department of Anatomy, University Medical School, Pecs, Hungary, and his topic is "On the Mechanism of 'Androgen Sterilization'". Coffee will be served at 3:30 in the Anatomy Library, M-403.