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MEMO REGARDING STUDY-AWAY PROGRAMS: Dr. William D. Bradford wishes to remind all students interested in studying away for credit at Duke that they may come by 132 Davison to pick up a copy of policies relating to study-away and an application form. He asks that all students who plan to study away submit their completed applications for review by the faculty committee at least three months in advance of the time that they wish to be away. In addition, Dr. Bradford wishes to inform students that the Office of Undergraduate Medical Education has on file copies of students' evaluations of study-away experiences. These may be of assistance to students contemplating a term away.

1975 NIRMP CODE CHANGE: The "NIRMP Supplement to the 1974-75 Directory of Approved Programs in Graduate Medical Education" has inaccurate information concerning the program in Internal Medicine at North Shore University Hospital-Memorial Hospital. Please advise those of your students who applied to this program that this is a categorical program (C) and that the proper description of the program is as follows:

NORTH SHORE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL - MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Manhasset, New York 11030
Internal Medicine C 149232

Please note that although the NIRMP number as listed on Page 25 in the above Directory is correct (149232): the description of the program as well as the hospital listing may be misinterpreted.

DEPARTMENT OF ANATOMY SEMINAR SERIES: Dr. Tom Reese of the National Institutes of Neurologic Diseases and Strokes in Bethesda, Maryland, will present a seminar "Membrane Structure in Rapidly Frozen Neural Tissue" on Tuesday, February 4, 1975 at 4:00 p.m. in room 147, Nanaline Duke Building (MS1).

On Monday, February 17, 1975, Dr. George Pappas from the Department of Anatomy, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New York, New York, will present a seminar "The Fine Structure of Calcium Binding Sites in Relation to Function in the Frog Neuromuscular Junction" at 12:30 p.m. in room 147, Nanaline Duke Building.

JOINT PHYSIOLOGY-ANATOMY SEMINAR: Dr. David Danon of the Weizmann Institute of Science, Section of Biological Ultrastructure, Rehovot, Israel, will present a seminar "Structural Changes Associated With Mammalian Red Cell Aging" Thursday, February 13, 1975 at 4:00 p.m. in room 385, Nanaline Duke Building (MS1).

CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF AGING AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: On Monday, January 27, 1975, James Davis, M.D. will speak on "Oxygen and Brain Catecholamine" at 8:00 p.m. in room 1504 Gerontology.

Tuesday, January 28, 1975, the Council on Aging and Human Development will present Helena Lopata, Ph.D., Professor of Sociology, Loyola University of Chicago and Director, Center for the Comparative Study of Social Roles. She will present an open seminar "Coping With Widowhood: Grief and Sanctification" at 4:00 p.m. in room 1504, Gerontology Building.

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FELLOWSHIPS:

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society sponsors a program of predoctoral fellowships for medical students who have completed one or more years of study in a recognized school of medicine. The purpose of these fellowships is to provide such students an opportunity to try their hands at research. These fellowships are not intended for students conducting research as a requirement for the Ph.D. or the combined M.D.-Ph.D. degrees. Each application is judged as to: a) the promise of the applicant and b) the scientific merit and relevance of the proposed training to multiple sclerosis. Predoctoral fellowships are never awarded for less than three full months, and not for more than twelve months of full-time training in research. The total amount of a predoctoral fellowship award cannot exceed the sum of \$400.00 multiplied by the number of months of the term of the grant. Completed applications received before February 15th will be considered for grants to begin on or after the following July 1st. For further information, write to National Multiple Sclerosis Society/ Research Programs Department/ 257 Park Avenue South/New York, N. Y. 10010.

The National Foundation-March of Dimes is announcing a new research training activity to be known as the Summer Science Research Training Program. This program is designed for medical students who have completed the second or third year and who are willing to spend a three-month period, preferably during the summer working in a clinical laboratory devoted primarily to birth defects or research. The essential purpose of this program is to expose highly-gifted, highly-competent and research-oriented medical students to the conduct of research in areas with which the National Foundation is vitally concerned. Each medical school in the U. S. may receive no more than two such traineeships each year at \$1,000 each: one to be given to a medical student after completion of the second year, and one to be given to another medical student after completion of the third year. Each traineeship is to be for a three-month period. More information is available in Dr. Bradford's office.

The National Institutes of Health training programs for young physicians are available in most of the health specialties and basic biomedical sciences to third and fourth year students and to interns and residents. All fourth year students will receive a brochure from the NIH about these programs. Application deadline for the positions is April 18, 1975. A catalogue will be available in Dr. Bradford's office at the beginning of March. Those interested should stop by Room 132 Davison Building to see a letter from the NIH with further information.

The Allergy Foundation of America announces a postdoctoral fellowship in allergy and immunology. The purpose of the fellowship is to prepare promising young physicians and medical scientists for careers in allergy and immunology. Candidates should have the M.D. degree and engage in a program designed to prepare them for a career in allergy and immunology. The postdoctoral fellowship may include research in any field of science, but should include clinical training also. Requests for applications should be sent to the Allergy Foundation of America, 801 Second Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10017. Applications must be filed no later than February 14, 1975. A stipend of \$12,000.00 per year, plus \$750.00 annual allowance for laboratory expense and travel is provided.

Information on the following fellowships is also available in Dr. Bradford's office:

San Francisco Heart Association fellowship in clinical cardiology;
Univ. of Pittsburgh School of Medicine fellowship in psychiatry;
American Hepatic Foundation traveling fellowship in liver and gall bladder disease.
Univ. of Pennsylvania School of Medicine work-study program in Cancer Epidemiology.
Rush Medical College fellowship in clinical and laboratory immunology
SAMA team training projects in medicine, dentistry, nursing, pharmacy, nutrition, environment, and dental hygiene.
Eastern Maine Medical Center clerkships in all areas;
Down East Community Hospital, Machias, Maine fellowship in family practice:

Information on the following residency and intern programs is available in Dr. Bradford office:

Family Practice: Floyd Hospital, Rome Georgia.
Surgery: University Hospital, Boston Univ. Med. Center, Boston, Mass.
Emergency Medicine: Albert Einstein College of Med./Bronx Municipal Hosp. Center, N.Y.
Pediatrics: Univ. of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle, Washington.
Psychiatry: Univ. of Kansas School of Medicine, Wichita, Kansas.
Medicine: Univ. of Hawaii at Manoa, Queens Medical Center, Honolulu, Hawaii.
All areas: Lankenau Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.