

Medical Education and Training in Europe: the future *Preliminary Announcement*

October 1st/2nd 1992 at the Royal College of Physicians, 11 St Andrew's Place, London NW1 4LE (by kind permission of the Treasurer).

'Medical Education and Quality of Medical Care in Europe: Aims and Objectives for the Future'. A major international congress bringing together the leaders of medical education and health care in Europe. The programme is designed to examine critically the political and educational implications in medical training in Europe following harmonisation in 1992.

Sessions will include presentations and discussion on:

1. Directives for health professionals;
2. Harmonisation of hospital training programmes;
3. Monospeciality initiatives;
4. Training and quality of care initiatives;
5. Educational research and development (including primary care); and
6. Recommendations and implementation.

Speakers will be invited from all European Commission countries. The conference language will be English.

The programme will include opportunity for free discussion following the formal presentations.

If you are interested in receiving further information on the meeting and on registration, please communicate with: Dr M.W.N. Nicholls, Chairman - Organising Committee, Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine, 6 St Andrew's Place, London NW1 4LB. Tel: (44) 071 935 5556. Fax: (44) 071 224 3219.

EUROPEAN DOCTORS IN LONDON

European Medical Research Group

Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine

The European Medical Research Group has been formed by Young AEMIE (European Association of Internal Medicine) with the support of the Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine, to provide a meeting place for professional and social contact among physicians in training, particularly those from continental Europe. Regular meetings are held at the Medical Society of London. An invited lecture is given, preceded by poster presentations and followed by a buffet supper.

Members of the Group are mailed regularly about the meetings.

Date of next meeting: Tuesday 26 November 1991.

European research fellows and other visiting doctors who would like details of these meetings should write to:

**Dr D.R.J. Singer, c/o The Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine,
6 St Andrew's Place, London NW1 4LB. Tel: 071 935 5556**

NACT Training Package

This is an open learning study pack which aims to improve the teaching skills of clinical tutors and other tutors. Topics covered include junior doctors' educational skills and their provision, the funding and management of resources, managing change, and the operation of postgraduate centres. The development of the package was funded by the Department of Health and produced with the help of the Open University and the Joint Centre for Educational Research and Development in Medicine.

Further information about the NACT Training Package, which costs £50 including postage, can be obtained from the Secretariat, NACT, 6 St Andrew's Place, London NW1 4LB (Tel. 071 935 5556)

Postgraduate Medical Journal

REVIEWS IN MEDICINE

**NEW
FEATURE!**

Here is a list of the reviews published so far. We have, for each review, listed the issue of PMJ in which it appears, so that you can easily locate it in your library.

Respiratory diseases *January 1990*

Geraint James¹ and O M Sharma²
¹Royal Free Hospital London, ²University of Southern California Los Angeles

Oncology *February 1990*

J S Malpas
St Bartholomew's Hospital London

Clinical pharmacology and therapeutics *March 1990*

M J Kendall and R C Horton
Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham

Cardiology *April 1990*

L D R Smith and D J Coltart
St Thomas' Hospital London

General Surgery *May 1990*

Irving Taylor
University of Southampton

Gastroenterology *June 1990*

L J D O'Donnell, E M Alstead and M J G Farthing
St Bartholomew's Hospital London

Nephrology, dialysis and transplantation *July 1990*

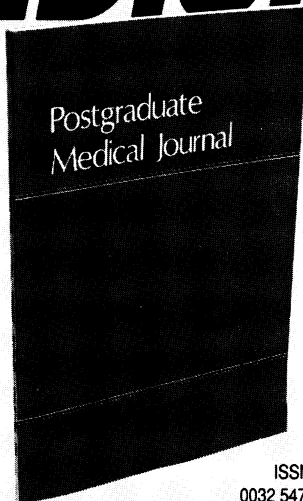
K Farrington¹ and P Sweny²
¹King George Hospital Ilford, ²Royal Free Hospital and School of Medicine London

Haematology *August 1990*

N T G O'Connor
Royal Shrewsbury Hospital

Psychiatry *September 1990*

Kenneth Granville-Grossman
St Mary's Hospital London



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"Reviews in Medicine" is a new monthly series of critical reviews of major advances in individual specialties over the preceding two years or so. They are intended for the practising clinician who may be a generalist or have more specialist interests and who wants to keep abreast of progress in other areas.

The invited contributors are asked to keep the everyday clinical needs of their readers in mind, but also to deal with relevant research on the basic mechanisms of disease processes. The authors provide full bibliographies, including good review articles. There is a two to three year cycle of articles for the major medical specialties such as cardiology and respiratory medicine, and also, of especial value for a physician, for general surgery.

"Reviews in Medicine" should particularly appeal to the clinician who adopts an interdisciplinary approach to medicine and who may feel constricted by specialist every day clinical practice and specialist journals.

Infection and infectious diseases *October 1990*

P D Welsby
City Hospital Edinburgh

Dermatology *November 1990*

M H A Rustin
Royal Free Hospital London

Diabetes mellitus *December 1990*

Andrew B Johnson and Roy Taylor
University of Newcastle upon Tyne

Endocrinology *January 1991*

M A Baxter and M C Sheppard
University of Birmingham

Rheumatology *February 1991*

Ronald A Asherson, Richard Cervera, David P D'Cruz and Graham R V Hughes
St Thomas' Hospital London

Hypertension *March 1991*

G W K Ching and D G Beevers
University Department of Medicine Birmingham

Medical imaging *April 1991*

L K reel
Prince of Wales Hospital Hong Kong

Medicine in the elderly *May 1991*

P Diggory, A Homer, J Liddle, C F W Pratt, S Samadian, R Tozer and C Weinstein
St George's Hospital Medical School London

Neurology *June 1991*

A N Gale, J M Gibbs, A H V Shapira and P K Thomas
Royal Free Hospital of Medicine London

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