
Announcements

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NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY-CHICAGO

The Department of Pathology, Division of Oral Pathology, at Northwestern University Schools of Dentistry and Medicine currently is seeking a Board-certified or Board-eligible oral pathologist for a tenure-track position at the assistant professor level. Responsibilities include teaching of both undergraduate and postgraduate dental students and participation in the surgical oral pathology service. Candidates are expected to already have or develop a strong independent research program and actively participate in the Department's M.S. and Ph.D. experimental pathology programs.

Please send curriculum vitae and names and addresses of three references to Peter J. Polverini, D.D.S., D.M.Sc., Department of Pathology, Ward Building, Room 13-179, 303 East Chicago Ave., Chicago, Illinois 60611.

Northwestern University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR DENTAL RESEARCH ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY GROUP AWARD

An award of \$500.00 (U.S. currency) and a plaque will be presented to the winning investigator at the annual Group meeting in March during the I.A.D.R. General Session. The competition is open to those holding D.D.S., D.M.D., or Ph.D. degrees who have been engaged in postdoctoral training for no more than 7 years. An abstract, as accepted for presentation at the I.A.D.R.'s 63rd General Session in March, 1985, should be submitted to reach Dr. Fred G. Emmings, University of Rochester, Strong Memorial Hospital, 601 Elmwood Ave., Box 705, Rochester, New York 14642, on or before Feb. 1, 1985. Only abstracts designated for the Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Group are eligible. Both oral and poster presentations are eligible. Each entrant must be sponsored by a member of the I.A.D.R. or the Group. A plaque will also be presented to the sponsor. The awardee will be selected by the Group officers.

MEMORIAL TO IRWIN I. SHIP

A fellowship has been established at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine in memory of Dr. Irwin I. Ship,

who died suddenly last April at the age of 51. The program will allow Penn dental students and junior faculty members to pursue scholarly activities at the Hebrew University—Hadassah School of Dental Medicine in Jerusalem.

Colleagues may send tax-deductible gifts, making checks payable to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania—Irwin I. Ship Memorial Fellowship, to Dorothy O'tani-Smith, University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine/A1, 4001 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104.

AMERICAN BOARD OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL RADIOLOGY

The American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology is accepting applications for the next Board certification examination to be held May 23 and 24, 1985, in Nashville, Tennessee. Application forms may be obtained from the secretary-treasurer, Dr. Coleman Reed Tuckson, P. O. Box 1104, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910.

Completed applications must be received by Jan. 31, 1985.

CONFERENCE ON CLINICAL AND RESEARCH ISSUES IN SWALLOWING AND SWALLOWING DISORDERS

A multidisciplinary conference on Clinical and Research Issues in Swallowing and Swallowing Disorders will be held on June 6 and 7, 1985, at the National Institutes of Health (Building 31, C6 Conference Room 6), Bethesda, Maryland.

The purpose of the conference is to bring together professionals from a variety of medical disciplines who are conducting research in dysphagia or normal swallowing to (1) examine the current state of the art in the diagnosis and management of dysphagic patients, (2) identify the contributions of various professionals in the diagnosis and management of dysphagic patients, (3) identify current problems in conducting research on dysphagia, (4) identify future research needs in the area of dysphagia, and (5) publish the proceedings of the meeting for use by practitioners, clinicians, and researchers in the field.

Additional information may be obtained from Dr. Barbara C. Sonies, Chief, Speech-Language Pathology Service, Clinical Center, Room 5D37, Bethesda, Maryland 20205, telephone (301) 496-4733.