

Announcements

France

2nd international Symposium on 'Flavonoids in Biology and Medicine'

Strasbourg, 31 August–3 September 1987

This symposium will review the role of flavonoids in plants and animals and their effects in numerous mammalian cell systems. For information contact the organizing committee, c/o Dr. Elliott Middleton, Jr, Department of Medicine, State University of New York, 100 High Street, Buffalo, N.Y. 14203, USA.

Romania

4th international conference on 'Water and Ions in Biological Systems'

Bucharest, 24–28 May 1987

The conference is organized by the United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization, the Union of the Societies for Medical Sciences, the Romanian Biophysical Society and Academy of Medical Sciences, in cooperation with the International Union for Pure and Applied Biophysics. For information, please contact Prof. V. Vasilescu, Str. Progresului 10, RO-70754 Bucharest, Romania.

XIIth European Symposium on 'Hormones and Cell Regulation'

Ste-Odile (near Strasbourg), 5–8 October 1987

For information, please contact the organizer, Prof. E. Carafoli, Laboratorium für Biochemie, ETH-Zentrum, CH-8092 Zürich, Switzerland.

Switzerland

First congress of the French speaking societies for Biological Psychiatry

Geneva, 10/11 April 1987

Communications on biological psychiatry and fundamental neurosciences. Official language is French. For information, please contact the secretariat, Dr. J. M. Gaillard, 8, chemin du Petit Bel-Air, CH-1225 Chêne-Bourg, Switzerland.

Hungary

VIIIth congress of the European section of the International Society for Heart Research

Budapest, 13–16 September 1987

For information, please contact Dr. G. Pogátsa, Research Department, National Institute of Cardiology, P.O. Box 9-88, H-1450 Budapest, Hungary.

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