

Notes and Announcements

Charles Tator receives honour

On April 26, 2000, Dr Charles Haskell Tator was appointed to the Order of Canada. The Order of Canada is a society which recognizes achievement, merit and service to community or country. It pays tribute to Canadians who exemplify the highest qualities of citizenship and whose contributions enrich the lives of their contemporaries.



JSCN International Education Fellowship

The Japanese Society of Child Neurology (JSCN) has established an annual fellowship program for promotion of child neurology in the Asian-Oceanian countries. One or two young child neurologists will be invited every year to attend the JSCN annual meeting and visit selected medical institutions in Japan.

Applicants must be under age 40 on the first day of the JSCN meeting, training and practice in the Asian-Oceanian countries, and must present a paper at the JSCN meeting (June 7-9, 2001), either in Japanese or English. Expenses for stay and trip up to two weeks will be paid by the JSCN. The fellowship will not be awarded to applicants from the same country for two consecutive years. The awardee for the year 2000 was from People's Republic of China.

Application must be made by submitting three copies of short curriculum vitae, list of publications, and letter of recommendation to: Hiroshi Yoshioka, M.D., Chair, JSCN International Education Program, Department of Pediatrics, Kyoto Prefectural University, Kawaramachi Hirokoji, Kamigyoku, Kyoto 602-8566, Japan (Telephone: 81-75-251-5571; Fax: 81-75-252-1399; Email: yoshi@koto.kpu-m.ac.jp).

Application must be received no later than November 30, 2000. No application received after that date will be considered for the 2001 fellowship. Late application may be considered for the next year's fellowship.

Multiple Sclerosis Award Presented

Dr Heather Maclean, a neurology resident at the University of Ottawa was awarded the Sero MS Clinical Fellowship Award for \$50,000. Dr Maclean will use the award to hone her clinical skills in the treatment of newly-diagnosed and long-time MS patients, as well as to study new MRI techniques used in investigating MS. Dr Maclean will complete her MS Fellowship

under the guidance of Dr Mark Freedman, Director of the Ottawa MS Clinic. The purpose of the fellowship is to provide post-doctoral clinical training in MS related fields.

2001 Canadian Electroencephalography (EMG) Examination

The Canadian Society of Clinical Neurophysiologists (CSCN) is accepting applications for this exam to be held in Halifax, NS on Sunday, June 17, 2001. Deadline **for receipt** of application fee of \$200.00 is February 1, 2001. **The exam fee** of \$500.00 is payable by March 31, 2001. Send applications to Dr. Tom Miller, CSCN Examining Committee (EMG), c/o Canadian Congress of Neurological Sciences, 709 - 7015 Macleod Trail SW, Calgary, AB T2H 2K6. For additional information, contact the CCNS Secretariat at (403) 229-9544 or email: brains@ccns.org

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Canadian Neurologist New Editor for "Stroke"

Dr. Vladimir Hachinski, Professor Department of Clinical Neurological Sciences, University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, has been named as the new editor-in-chief of the journal "Stroke". Dr. Hachinski has had extensive authorship and research in the area of stroke. He replaces Dr. Mark Dyken, and the editorial headquarters will be based at the London Health Sciences Centre, University Campus, London, Ontario.

