

## MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The Annual Scientific Symposium of the National Kidney Foundation of Southern California* will be held Saturday, September 24, 2005, in the Pacific Palms Conference Resort, City of Industry, Los Angeles, California. This year's symposium will address current and future issues in nephrology and dialysis and will include an afternoon poenary session, in which the chief medical officers of Fresenius and DaVita will speak. Participation is encouraged for all nephrology and allied health care professionals. For more information, contact: Dr. Kamyar Kalantar-Zadeh at [kamkal@ucla.edu](mailto:kamkal@ucla.edu) or visit [www.kindeysocal.org](http://www.kindeysocal.org)

*The 7th European Peritoneal Dialysis Meeting (EuroPD 7)* will be held October 15–18, 2005 at the Prague Congress Centre, Prague, Czech Republic. This year's meeting is being held in association with the Czech Society of Nephrology and under the patronage of the Czech Ministry of Health. The meeting will include symposia, clinical practice sessions, free communications, and posters, as well as a pre-congress educational course and industry-sponsored symposia. For further information, contact: EuroPD Congress Secretariat, c/o In-Conference Ltd., 10b Broughton Street Lane, Edinburgh EH1 3LY, United Kingdom. Telephone: +44 (0) 131 556 9245; Fax: +44 (0) 131 556 9638; E-mail: [europd@in-conference.org.uk](mailto:europd@in-conference.org.uk)

*The 3rd Cachexia Conference* will be held December 8–10, 2005, in Rome, Italy. Over 60 internationally renowned speakers will discuss both basic science and clinical topics with emphasis on management of patients with wasting syndrome and state-of-the-art and future potential therapies. This year's symposium will also address issues pertaining to malnutrition, inflammation and wasting in chronic kidney disease. The deadline for abstract submission is September 15, 2005. For further in-

formation, contact Professor F. Rossi Fanelli at [filippo.rossifanelli@uniroma1.it](mailto:filippo.rossifanelli@uniroma1.it) or Professor K. Kalantar-Zadeh at [kamkal@ucla.edu](mailto:kamkal@ucla.edu) or visit [www.cachexia.org](http://www.cachexia.org)

*The Seventh Symposium of the Kidney Foundation, Frontiers in Nephrology 2006*, will be held February 24–26, 2006, in Karachi, Pakistan. For further information, contact: 5, Amber Towers, 22-A, Block 6, PECHS, Sharah-e-Faisal, Karachi, Pakistan. Telephone: 92-21-4532336; Fax: 92-21-4380842; E-mail: [excel-dia@cyber.net.pk](mailto:excel-dia@cyber.net.pk); Web site: [kidneyfoundation.net.pk](http://kidneyfoundation.net.pk)

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## BOOKS RECEIVED

*Cardiovascular Disorders in Hemodialysis*, edited by Claudio Ronco, and Alessandra Brendolan, and Nathan W. Levin. Basel: S. Karger, 2005. ISBN 3-8055-7938-1. This 363-page hardbound text further continues the long tradition of the *Contributions to Nephrology* series, edited by Claudio Ronco. ISSN: 0302-5144. Volume 149 of this series is divided into 11 sections, with specific topics ranging from technology perspectives, dialysis principles and technology, lessons from international trials, dialysis schedules and techniques, vascular access management, dry weight assessment, biological markers in dialysis, cardiovascular risks and inflammation, cardiovascular and mineral disorders, new techniques, and future trends. Each of the 37 chapters is preceded by a brief abstract and each includes tables, figures, and a list of references. Finally, the text includes both an author and subject index. The cost of this text is 228.00 CHF, 163.00 Euro, and \$207.25 US.

## ERRATUM

MARTIN ROSAS, FAUSE ATTIE, GUSTAVO PASTELIN, AGUSTIN LARA, OSCAR VELAZQUEZ, ROBERTO TAPIA-CONYER, JESUS MARTINEZ-REDING, ARTURO MENDEZ, ANTONIO LORENZO-NEGRETE, and JAIME HERRERA-ACOSTA: Prevalence of proteinuria in Mexico: A conjunctive consolidation approach with other cardiovascular risk factors: The Mexican Health Survey 2000. *Kidney Int* 68(Supp 97):S112–119, 2005

In the above-cited article, page S112, the following three authors' names were inadvertently dropped from the list of authors, and should follow Jaime Herrera-Acosta: Florencia Zúlberty, Gustavo Olaiz, and Jaime Sepúlveda Amor.

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