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EDITORIAL

Our Readers are interested in learning about the activities at international and national conferences dealing with different fields of biorheology. We, therefore, encourage reports about such scientific meetings, as well as the publication of abstracts of papers presented or to be presented.

This issue contains a report of a conference, entitled "Techniques en Biorheólogie Séminaire technologique INSERM", which took place at Nancy, France from 19-21 November 1985. It likewise contains abstracts of papers, presented in Paris at the Annual Meeting of the French Society of Biorheology (Société de Biorhéologie de Langue Française). This issue contains also the abstracts of papers pertaining to biorheology, to be presented at the Second Conference of European Rheologists, Prague, Czechoslovakia, 17-20 June 1986.

As far as the abstracts of the Annual Meeting of the French Society of Biorheology are concerned, they came to the attention of one of us (ALC) upon receipt of the program. It was expedient to publish these abstracts in French. They include abstracts of papers on clinical hemorheology, although, in general, such abstracts are published in CLINICAL HEMORHEOLOGY. Since BIORHEOLOGY is an international Journal, we accept communications in languages other than English, although many Authors and Readers may prefer such texts in English.

There is an increasing number of international and national meetings on biorheology, which demonstrates the strength and vitality in the advancement of our science. We shall, therefore continue to encourage the publication of reports and abstracts with regard to such meetings.

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