Hong Kong College of Radiologists Education and Research Fund

The Hong Kong College of Radiologists (HKCR) Education and Research Fund has been set up early this year to promote and assist career development, continuing education and research activities among members of the HKCR as well as the international community of Radiology, Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine.

Funding will be provided in the following four categories:

- **Education grant for HKCR members**
  To assist members of the HKCR in receiving overseas advanced training including attachments, workshops and training courses, as well as active participation in international conferences.

- **Education grant for Mainland China and overseas radiologists**
  To encourage fellow radiologists (in the specialties of Radiology, Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine) to attend local conferences, seminars, workshops and training courses organized or co-sponsored by the HKCR.

- **Conference grant**
  To assist members of the HKCR in organizing local conferences, seminars, workshops and training courses related to the specialties of Radiology, Clinical Oncology, and Nuclear Medicine.

- **Research grant**
  To assist members of the HKCR in conducting pilot study in any field of research related to Radiology, Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine before they apply for major grants from other sources. Both basic and clinical research will be supported.

The HKCR Education and Research Fund is administered by the Committee on Education and Research Fund (the Committee), the Chairman and members being appointed by the Council with a term of office of two years. The Committee is responsible for vetting applications, granting awards and monitoring the financial status of the Fund.

The fund is set up initially from the surplus of the Radiology 2000 International Congress organized by the HKCR. The interests obtained from this initial fund will be used to support education grants for HKCR members and overseas radiologists on a regular basis. Additional donation will be solicited to provide funding for conference grant and research grant.

**Eligibility to Apply**

1. **Education grant for HKCR members**: To be eligible, an applicant must be a Trainee Member, Member or Fellow of HKCR, with at least 2 years of working experience in the relevant specialty. Activities supported include overseas attachments, workshops, training courses, and conferences. For an overseas conference, the applicant must be presenting a paper or poster, with documentary evidence issued by the conference organizer confirming that the paper or poster has been accepted.

2. **Education grant for Mainland China and overseas radiologists**: The applicant must hold a full-time position in a Mainland China or overseas educational/public health care institution working in a department of Radiology, Clinical Oncology or Nuclear Medicine at the time of application, and intends to visit Hong Kong for the purpose of attending a conference, seminar or other academic activities organized or co-sponsored by the HKCR.
3. **Conference grant**: To be eligible, the applicant must be a member of the HKCR with a well-formulated plan in organizing a conference, seminar or workshop at either the regional or international level. The organized activity must be related to the specialties of Radiology, Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine. International conference that happens to be held in Hong Kong will not be supported under this category.

4. **Research grant**: To be eligible, the applicant must be a member of the HKCR with at least 2 years of working experience in the relevant specialty. Funding is for new pilot projects only, not to support portions of previously funded work.

**Application**

Applications must be made on the requisite forms, together with supporting documents if necessary, and sent to the Chairman, Committee of HKCR Education and Research Fund, Hong Kong College of Radiologists, Rm 909, 9/F, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong. All applications must be accompanied by relevant documents and the applicant’s brief curriculum vitae. Applications which are incomplete, not accompanied by the required supporting documents, or received after the deadline (15 April for Conference and Research grants. For Education grant, 15 April for conferences held in the second half of the year, and 15 October for conferences held in the first half of the following year) of application for the respective activities will normally not be considered.

The grant cannot be held in conjunction with any other award (apart from leave granted by the applicant’s employing organization) for the same item of activity, unless prior approval has been sought with the College.

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**Examinations and Results**

**Nuclear Medicine Examination**

- Written: 13 October 2001
- Oral: 17 October 2001

**Final Examination For The Fellowship - Clinical Radiology**

**Part A Spring 2001**

Successful Hong Kong Candidates:

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**Special Examination**

The Special Examination (Radiology) was held on 10 April 2001 at the Department of Radiology of Queen Mary Hospital. The Special Examination is for full-time practicing radiologists residing in Hong Kong who have not passed the Joint Fellowship Examination organized by the Hong Kong College of Radiologists but wish to be considered for admission to Fellowship of the Hong Kong College of Radiologists and subsequent recommendation to the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine for consideration of admitting to Fellowship of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine. The following were the examiners and the successful candidates:

External Examiner: Prof Judith Adams
Local Examiners: Dr FL Chan Dr KH Fung Dr HS Lam Prof Con Metreweli

Successful Candidates:

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Exit Assessment of Training

An Exit Assessment was held on 17 & 18 January 2001 at the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine. The Panel Chairman was Dr FL Chan. The assessors for Radiology included Dr HS Lam, Dr MC Au Yeung, Dr Susan CH Chan and Dr KH Fung. The assessors for Clinical Oncology were Dr Gordon Au and Dr Stewart Y Tung. The assessors for Nuclear Medicine were Dr CM Tong and Dr KM Ma. The following candidates were successful:

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Hong Kong College of Radiologists

**Part 2 Fellowship Preparation Course in Clinical Radiology 2001**

Includes rapid reporting sessions, film reporting sessions, slide quiz and tutorials.

**Programme:**

- **Core Tutorial Sessions:** 18 August & 29 September 2001
  - Time: 9:00am – 12:10pm
  - Venue: Queen Elizabeth Hospital

- **Weekend Revision Course:** 28 & 29 July 2001
  - Time: 9:00am – 5:00pm
  - Venue: Kwong Wah Hospital

Registration fee: $1,500 payable to “Hong Kong College of Radiologists”. The fee covers both programmes. Registration forms can be obtained from the Secretariat of the College:

Executive Officer, Hong Kong College of Radiologists, Room 909, 9/F., Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong

Tel: 2871 8830
Fax: 2554 0739
E-mail: hker@netvigator.com
Change in Admission Fees for Members and Fellows

Please note that the admission fees for members and fellows will be changed.

Trainee members are encouraged to change their membership early to the status of Member. A special concession will be given to Members and Associate Members when they are eligible to apply for Fellow.

A summary of the outcome as a result of the change is as follows. Those who would like to have further clarification regarding their individual status can approach our College’s Executive Officer. A grace period of three months will be given starting from the issuing of this Newsletter.

For a Trainee Member who applies to be:
- A Member within 2 months after passing Part I, the cumulative admission fee on becoming a Fellow will be $3,600.
- A Member more than 2 months after passing Part I, the cumulative admission fee on becoming a Fellow will be $5,300
- A Member after passing Part II, the cumulative admission fee on becoming a Fellow will be $13,300.
- A Fellow directly, the cumulative admission fee will be $15,300.

For an Associate Member who applies to be a Fellow when eligible, the cumulative admission fee will be $8,000.

For a non-member who applies to be: (For those eligible to apply in the normal pathway, the College would not normally entertain such applications.)
- A Fellow when eligible, the admission fee is $15,000.
- A Member to complete the required Higher Training, the cumulative admission fee on becoming a Fellow will be $13,000.

Prof Guozhen Li

Honorary membership of ECR was added to her numerous awards and accolades

Known as the “grande dame” of Chinese radiology, Prof. Guozhen Li is a worldwide recognized radiologist in China. After being awarded as honorary member of Radiological Society of North America in 1998, she received a further accolade as honorary member of European Congress of Radiology (ECR) in March, 2001.

Born in Beijing on 9 February 1915, Prof. Li began her career in 1943 after she had graduated from Peking Union Medical College. She received two years internship at the Red Cross Hospital of Shanghai Medical College and completed her residency at Peking Union Hospital in 1948. She then obtained her fellowship in radiology in Billing’s Hospital, Chicago University in 1950.

After her return to China in 1950, she was appointed as assistant professor in Beijing Medical University. She became the professor and head of radiology in Beijing Medical University from 1965 up till now. She contributed a lot to Chinese health care, such as bringing in modern cross-sectional radiology. She is most proud of her ability to stay abreast of advances in the field of radiology, whether they are in CT, MRI or computed technology. Her interest in traditional Chinese medicine began three years ago and her research on the effects of acupuncture on blood flow in the brain has received international attention.

Her numerous achievements render her famous worldwide. She serves on the Advisory Board of the Radiology Outreach Foundation, and is a member of the editorial board of the International Journal of Neuroradiology. Her awards in China are also numerous, which include : the Award of the 80th Anniversary of Chinese Medical Society for distinguished contribution to the development of Medical Society and progress of medical new technology, the Government Award for distinguished achievement in medical and health care, and the Special Award for important contribution to Radiology and Chinese Journal of Radiology.
Members Status

The College has the following numbers of members as of 23 April 2001:

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List of Trainee Members admitted from November 2000 to April 2001 is as follows:

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Crème de la Crème: Medallists from Hong Kong

Each year, outstanding candidates in the first and final fellowship examinations of Royal College of Radiologists (UK) are awarded medals for their performance in the examination.

Rohan Williams Medal
The Rohan Williams Medal was endowed in 1965 by donations in memory of Dr Rohan Williams. The Rohan Williams Medal and honorarium is awarded to the outstanding candidates at the Final Examination for the Fellowship. The Medal is awarded by the Education Board based on the recommendation of the Final FRCR Examiners.

Dr F L Chan was the first Hong Kong candidate to receive the distinguished Rohan Williams Award for his outstanding performance in Final Fellowship Examination in Singapore in October 1975. He was followed by Prof Jonathan S T Sham, who was awarded Rohan Williams Medal in 1985. In October 1997, Dr M Y Luk received the same honor in the Final Examination of Clinical Oncology. Dr Stephen C W Cheung also obtained the Rohan William Medal in October 2000, for his performance in the Final Examination of Clinical Radiology. Before they received the medals of their Final Fellowship Examination, Dr Luk and Dr Cheung had already been awarded Frank Doyle Medals in their First Fellowship Examination.

Frank Doyle Medal
In 1984, Professor Frank Doyle generously endowed an award. This award takes the form of a medal, which is awarded, to the outstanding candidates in the First Examination for the Fellowship. The Medal is also awarded by the Education Board based on the recommendation of the First FRCR Examining Board.

Dr Susan C H Chan was the first Hong Kong candidate to receive the Frank Doyle Medal in September 1984. Dr C C Yau got the same medal in September 1988. This was followed by Dr Tina P W Lam in September 1992, and Dr Harry H Y Yiu in September 1993. Dr M Y Luk was awarded the Frank Doyle Medal in September 1995, and Dr Stephen C W Cheung in September 1997. Both of them were also presented with Rohan William Medals two years later.

Hong Kong has already produced a long list of medallists in the past decades. We are expecting the future generations of young, talented radiologists from the Hong Kong will add their names to that list.
A Trip To Chengdu
Dr KW Tang

In August 2000, I had the chance to join Dr FL Chan and Dr SH Luk to participate in the 7th Radiological Conference of Southwest China, which was held in Le Shan, a small town near Chengdu, Sichuan. It was a regional conference accredited for CME in China, for the radiologists of the provinces of Sichuan, Yunnan, Guizhou, Gansu and Guangxi. After the conference, we also went to Chengdu to visit the First University Hospital of the Western China University of Medical Sciences.

We were warmly welcomed by our Mainland colleagues. With special thanks to the special arrangements and hospitality of Professor Min Pengqiu, we shared our experience and had fruitful discussion with colleagues in Mainland China in different fields of radiology during the three days of conference. I was especially impressed by their live translation of our presented material from English into Putonghua. Back to Hong Kong, I need to improve my Putonghua before I dare to go north again.

The following lectures were delivered by the representatives of our College:

FL Chan
CT evaluation of abdominal injury
Spinal pseudarthrosis in patients with longstanding ankylosing spondylitis

SH Luk
Interventional management of malignant pharyngeal and esophageal strictures
Endovascular treatment of peripheral vascular diseases

KW Tang
Carotid angioplasty and stenting
MR imaging in head and neck tumours

The venue town, Le Shan is famous for the huge Buddha carved out of the hill and its historic attractions. Chengdu is a busy city now with high-rise buildings and highways. But there still remains many scenery and historical places to visit. I would strongly recommend a place called "SANXINGDUI " which is about 40 km north of Chengdu. It is a recent developed archaeological site, with the lost ancient civilization having about four thousand to five thousand years history. I was astonished by their detailed and sophisticated craftsmanship. Don't miss it!
This was a double first for me; my first time at the ECR and my first visit to Vienna. Both Vienna and the ECR did not disappoint. With the motto - “Meet Europe”, the ECR aims to bring together Radiologists from Europe and the rest of the world. A total of 6,040 delegates participated in the conference including 47 from China, 10 from Taiwan, 7 from Malaysia, 6 from Singapore and 2 from Hong Kong.

Over the 5-day conference, I was treated to superb lectures given by experts in their respective fields. Apart from scientific sessions, there were categorical courses, state-of-the-art symposia, special focus sessions, refresher courses and hands-on workshops. There were also two very well discussed image interpretation sessions pitched for junior radiologists. Every day, there were approximately 15 concurrent sessions, such that there was always something of interest for everyone. Naturally, I attended the Paediatric Radiology sessions, where the good and the great expounded on their research, related their vast experiences and highlighted intricacies of image interpretation. Amongst them were Professor Helen Carty, Professor O. Flodmark, Professor Ann Osborne and Professor J Valk, just to name a few. They were cornucopias of knowledge and an inspiration to me. The scientific sessions and poster exhibits were on important and contemporary topics which were thought provoking and on multiple occasions begged the question “Why didn’t I think of that?”.

With a sense of pride, we witnessed Prof Guozhen Li from Beijing delivered the Inauguration lecture as she was awarded an Honorary Membership to the ECR. It was a timely salute to a respected senior Chinese radiologist.

The ECR takes place in Vienna in the first week of March annually with the deadline for submission of abstracts in mid-September. A little preliminary news about ECR 2002; an important theme will be ‘advanced imaging’ with the emphasis on the transfer of advanced imaging into clinical practice.

On the social front, we were treated to the world-renowned Vienna Boys Choir and the Vienna Chamber Philharmonic Orchestra. Their repertoire included famous works originating from Vienna, by WA Mozart, J Brahms and J Strauss.

Not to miss the golden opportunity, I found time to discover the beauty of Vienna. Although it was chilly (10°C), there were several days of sunshine and blue skies. I managed to explore the city on foot to discover historical buildings of varied architectural styles from Gothic to Renaissance to Baroque and modern. In the evenings, there was the infamous Viennese opera and classical concert… awesome and grandiose… celebrations of sight and sound.

Alas, it was time to bid “auf wiedersehen”, I left, enriched by the experience.
A scientific seminar on PACS was conducted in Tseung Kwan O Hospital (TKOH) on 6th January 2001, a Saturday afternoon.

Dr Lilian Leong, President of the Hong Kong College of Radiologist, delivered the opening speech. TKOH is the first hospital in HA and in Hong Kong to adopt PACS for the Radiology Department. Dr Leong talked about the process of introducing PACS in a HA hospital, and the implementation of a digital radiology department which had been difficult, taking 5 years to complete.

Dr Henry Huang, Consultant Radiologist of TKOH, talked on “PACS: Impact on the Practice of Radiology”. This was followed by a Clinical Teleradiology Conference with Royal Brisbane Hospital in Australia, conducted by Dr Angus Chin (HK) and Dr Stephen Sinnott (Australia).

“Technical Aspects of PACS: the Essentials” was presented by Dr Carrison Tong, Physicist of PYNEH.

Dr Philip Templeton, Chairman of Diagnostic Radiology and Professor of Radiology of the University of Maryland School of Medicine, U.S.A., talked on “Cost Savings to be made with PACS”.

This was followed by a PACS Forum, visit of the TKO Radiology Department, and hands-on session.

Over 100 participants, including radiologists, radiographers, medical physicists, IT colleagues from Head Office and Hospital Administrators, attended the event. It has been a most informative and interesting afternoon.

The seminar was sponsored by AGFA Hong Kong Ltd.
Revision of Training Regulations

The previous Training Regulations of the College were drawn up when our College was established, and were endorsed by the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine in early 1995. After more than five years, it is considered that a complete revision is necessary on the following grounds:

1. In the course of 5 years the various Academy Colleges have agreed to standardize some of the terms used in training, for instance basic and higher training, exit assessment.
2. Interaction with fellows, trainers and trainees indicates that some sections of the Regulations need to be rewritten, expanded or newly inserted for clarification of their contents.
3. The format of the intermediate examinations have changed.
4. The scope of Higher Training prior to award of fellowship requires more detailed definition.

The Education Committee of your College worked hard in the last 6 months to revise the Training Regulations, and these have been endorsed by the Council of the Academy in its February meeting. The revised Training Regulations are now uploaded to our College Website for your perusal. All constructive views on the Regulations are welcome.

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT- 9th Annual Scientific Meeting

DATE
20th & 21st October 2001 (Saturday & Sunday)

VENUE
Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, Hong Kong SAR

ORGANIZER
Scientific Subcommittee, Hong Kong College of Radiologists

PROGRAMME
Scientific symposia, proffered paper and poster presentations, trade exhibition and book exhibition.

While renowned overseas and prominent local speakers will cover a variety of topics in radiology, clinical oncology and nuclear medicine, the main theme of the meeting will be Oncologic Radiology.

The meeting aims to bring together radiologists, clinical oncologists and nuclear medicine physicians practicing locally and overseas for the interflow of knowledge and advancement in the field of Radiology. Physicians of other disciplines, radiographers and other healthcare professionals are also welcome.

REGISTRATION FEES

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Registration fee includes coffee breaks and lunch. Conference kits for full registrants only.

Deadline for submission of abstracts: 31st July 2001

The meeting is accredited by the Hong Kong College of Radiologists for 14 CME Credit Points. (7 CME points for 1 day of registered attendance.)

SCIENTIFIC SUBCOMMITTEE: Au Yeung Kai Ming, Chan Fu Luk, Chau Ming Tak, Choi Pak Tat, Ip Po Ping, Jennifer Khoo, Philip Kwok, Dora Kwong, Law Chun Key, Robert Li, Luk Mai Yee, Lawrence Tan, Yau Chun Chung

SECRETARIAT: Room 909, 9/F, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong.
Tel: (852) 2871 8788 Fax: (852) 2554 0739 E-mail: hkcr@netvigator.com
Homepage: http://www.hkcr.org
Hong Kong Society of Diagnostic Radiologists Research Grant

The Hong Kong Society of Diagnostic Radiologists (HKSDR) is now calling for the application of the HKSDR Research Grant. This grant aims at promoting research in Diagnostic Radiology in order to advance our knowledge and to serve our patients better. Successful applicant can receive up to HK$50,000 from the grant for a research project.

The application should be made by the principal investigator of the research project related to the scientific or clinical aspects of Diagnostic Radiology to be conducted in Hong Kong. The principal investigator should be a trainee/specialist in the field of Diagnostic Radiology. He/she has to be a registered medical practitioner in Hong Kong.

Application and enquiry can be directed to:
Dr Lai Chi Wing
Hon Secretary, Trust Fund Working Group
Hong Kong Society of Diagnostic Radiologists
c/o Department of Radiology
North District Hospital
9 Po Kin Road, Sheung Shui, New Territories, Hong Kong
Tel: 2683 7378
Fax: 2683 7379

Generous Donation Required

As you are well aware that the current College web site is run and maintained by volunteered efforts.

The College has decided to contract out the design and maintenance of the web site.

The re-vamped web site will be able to provide a platform for effective communication between the College and its Members and Fellows, a 'Members-Only' section with individual members' email accounts.

I hope you can support our drive to raise fund for this project.

Please send your generous donation to the College Executive Officer, Rm 909, 9/F, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Bldg, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong. Tel: 28718788

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Conferences

9th Asian Oceanian Congress of Radiology
Organizer: Asian & Oceanian Society of Radiology
Date: 22-26 July 2001
Venue: Singapore Expo, Singapore
Enquiry: Secretariat, 9th AOCR, c/o Dept. of Diagnostic Imaging, National University Hospital, 5 Lower Kent Ridge Road, Singapore 119074
Tel: (65) 7724210
Fax: (65) 7730190
E-mail: aocr_2001@yahoo.com

The 6th Congress of the Asian Federation of Societies for Ultrasound in Medicine and Biology
Organizer: Malaysian Society of Ultrasound in Medicine
Date: 23-26 October 2001
Venue: Shangri-La Hotel, Kuala Lumpur
Enquiry: 6th AFSUMB Secretariat, c/o Dept. of Radiology, University of Malaya Medical Centre 59100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Tel/ Fax: 603-7958 1973
E-mail: janetl@medicine.med.um.edu.my
International Cancer Imaging Society (ICIS) – Society Meeting and Second Annual Teaching Course
Organizer: Prof Rodney Reznek
UK President 2001 / 2002
Date: 15-17 October 2001
Venue: The Royal College of Physicians
London UK
Enquiry: The BIR Conference Office,
36 Portland Place,
London, W1B 1AT
Tel: 029 7307 1429
Fax: 020 7307 1414
E-mail: emma.gibson@bir.org.uk
Web: http://www.icimagingsociety.org.uk

The Royal College of Radiologists:
1. Hepatobiliary Radiology Update
Date: 7 June 2001
Venue: Thackray Medical Museum,
Beckett Street, Leeds

2. Trauma Radiology – What should we be delivering?
Date: 28 June 2001
Venue: The Scientific Societies Lecture Theatre,
New Burlington Place, Regent Street,
London W1

3. An Interactive Day of Vascular Imaging
Date: 4 July 2001
Venue: The RSA, John Adam Street,
London WC2

Enquiry: The Royal College of Radiologists
38 Portland Place, London W1N 4JQ
Tel: 020 7636 4432
Fax: 020 7323 3100
E-mail: enquiries@rcr.ac.uk
Web: http://www.rcr.ac.uk/enquiries

The North American Society for Cardiac Imaging (NASCI)
Program 1: Cardiovascular Imaging 2001 Course
Date: 29-30 September 2001

Program 2: Second International Workshop on Coronary MR and CT Angiography
Date: 1-2 October 2001

Venue: Wyndham Chicago Hotel, Chicago,
IL USA
Enquiry: Joan Oefner, CAE, Executive Director
North American Society for Cardiac Imaging,
930 Edgecliff Way
Redwood City, CA 94061
Tel: +1-650-876-0790
Fax: +1-650-556-1678
E-mail: joefner@nasci.org
Web: http://www.nasci.org

XVIIth Symposium Neuroradiologicum
Organizer: Pr. L. Picard President
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University Hospital 54035 Nancy cedex France
Date: 18-24 August 2002
Venue: Paris – Palais des Congres – France
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Breast Cancer: Diagnosis / Treatment Do’s and Don’ts
Organizer: International Institute for Continuing Medical Education, Inc.
Date: 3-6 September, 2001
Venue: Jurys Hotel, Dublin, Ireland
Enquiry: Ryals & Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 1925,
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2nd Macau-Canton Radiology Scientific Meeting
Organizer: Macau Radiology Association
Date: 12-14 October 2001
Venue: Macau Landmark Convention & Exhibition Centre 4/F, Macau Landmark 555 Advenida da Amizade Z.A.P.E. Macau
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The Royal College of Radiologists & British Institute of Radiology (Welsh Branch) - Spring Meeting
Organizer: International Institute for Continuing Medical Education, Inc.
Date: 15-17 October 2001
Venue: The Royal College of Physicians
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Enquiry: The Royal College of Radiologists
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