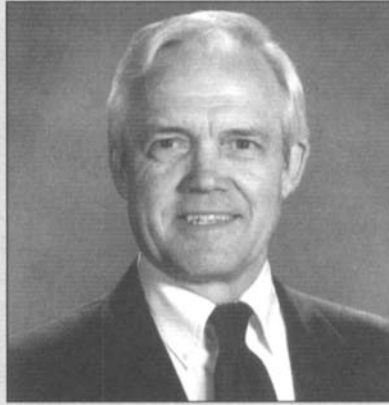


**Call for Papers for 137th Technical Conference
and World Media Expo
Program Chairman and Arrangements Chairman Named**



C. Cecil Smith

C. Cecil Smith, consultant, has been appointed Program Chairman for the 137th Technical Conference and World Media Expo, according to Editorial Vice-President David L. George, Imagineering, Ltd. The conference will take place in New Orleans, La., September 6-9, 1995. Smith has over 20 years of experi-



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ence in the communications industry, most of which has been spent in private practice designing television, multimedia, and transmission facilities. A member of the SMPTE since 1985, Smith currently serves as a Manager of the Dallas/Ft. Worth Section. It has also been announced that SMPTE Past-President Blaine Baker,

MPL Film & Video, Inc., has been named as General Arrangements Chairman for the conference. Baker, who was awarded a Life Fellowship last year, has been a member of the Society since 1966 and served as its President from 1992-1994.

Call for Papers

A Call for Papers for the 137th Technical Conference and World Media Expo has been issued by SMPTE Editorial Vice-President David George. Authors interested in presenting papers at the conference must submit their names, company affiliations, addresses, phone numbers, and a 500-word synopsis of the paper to Marilyn Waldman, Editorial/Program Coordinator, at SMPTE Headquarters, 595 W. Hartsdale Ave., White Plains, NY 10607, (914) 761-1100; Fax: (914) 761-3115. The information must be submitted by April 17, 1995, on forms provided by SMPTE Headquarters.

News

Mark C. Gray has been named chairman of the board of directors and chief executive officer for Chyron Corp. He will also remain the company's president, a post he assumed when he joined Chyron in January 1994.

Gray had previously held such positions as executive vice-president and general manager of Sony Electronics and Business Professional Group, executive vice-president and chief operating officer of Pinnacle Systems, and assistant general manager of Ampex Corp.'s Audio/Video Systems Division.

Tony Meerakker, Magnetic North, has been promoted to vice-president, engineering and operations. Meerakker has been with Magnetic North since its inception in 1983 and has played a large role in its growth as a post-production company.

Peter Armstrong, Magnetic North, has been appointed operations manager. As such, he will be responsible for the daily operation and management of the company's editors, colorists, artists, and tape operators.



D. Karl Malkames (L), Richard S. O'Brien (C), and Pablo Weinschenk-Tabernero gather at Society Headquarters in White Plains, N.Y., on September 28, 1994, to serve as tellers for the 1994 National Elections of SMPTE Officers and Governors.

Malkames joined the SMPTE in 1979 and is currently serving as president of Karl Malkames, Inc. in Scarsdale, N.Y. O'Brien, a Life Fellow since 1982, is retired from his position as a television engineer at CBS. Weinschenk-Tabernero, who currently owns and operates Exact Translations, Hartsdale, N.Y., joined the SMPTE in 1939 and has been a Life Fellow since 1981.