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## The 11th Annual SMPTE Winter Television Conference

Friday and Saturday, January 28–29, 1977

St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco, Calif.

### Featuring:

- A full day's sessions on "Beyond ENG," discussing highly portable high quality video equipment.
- A full day's sessions on Digital Video, picking up where last year's meeting left off, with strong emphasis on Digital Video Equipment.
- A 32-booth equipment exhibition of ENG and Digital Video equipment. No other equipment will be permitted.
- A wine and cheese party on Friday evening.
- A Sunday post-conference tour to the California wine country.

**Watch for complete details in the December SMPTE Journal. Or write or call, SMPTE Winter TV Conference, 862 Scarsdale Ave., Scarsdale, NY 10583, (914) 472-6606.**

## Forthcoming Professional Meetings

The Division of Science Information, National Science Foundation, Washington, DC 20550, has sponsored three public seminars to present research findings from 21 projects. The first two seminars were held in September and on 3 November. The third will be held 1 December at the PEPCO Auditorium, 1900 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. The first seminar acquainted members of the information community and the public with results from research on scientific and technical problems. The second focused on formal and informal communication patterns among scientists and engineers. The third (1 December) seminar, "Planning Data for STI Managers" will present findings from five projects including analyses of the impacts of trends in the U.S. scientific and technical communication enterprise.

The International Industrial Television Assn. (ITVA) will hold its 9th Annual International Conference, 27–30 March 1977 at the Statler-Hilton Hotel in Washington, D.C. The 1977 ITVA Conference program will focus on the

needs of practicing professionals in nonbroadcast television. The ITVA is an association of users and suppliers in the nonbroadcast television industry with about 1000 members. ITVA Chapters are located in 17 cities in the United States and Canada. Further information is available from the ITVA International Office, P.O. Box 297, Summit, NJ 07901.

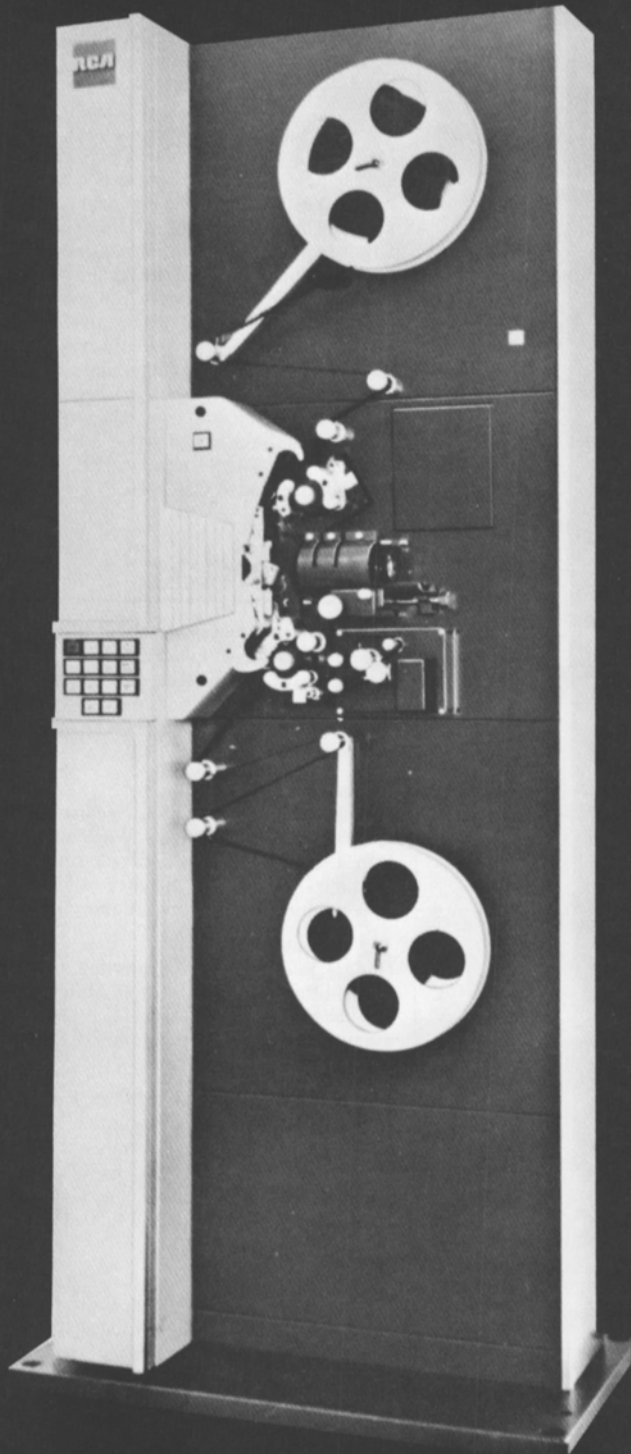
The IREECON International Convention and Equipment Exhibit organized by the Melbourne Division of the Institution of Radio and Electronic Engineers (IREE) Australia, will be held 8–12 August 1977 in the Exhibition Building in Melbourne. The IREE's 16th Convention will offer an extensive exhibit of the latest technological advances in electronic equipment in addition to the technical papers program. Distinguished scientists and engineers from Australia and overseas will present papers on a wide range of subjects. Further information is available from the IREE at Clunies Ross House, 191 Royal Parade, Parkville, 3052, or 157 Gloucester St., Sydney, 2000.

### SMPTE Technical Conferences

**28–29 January 1977**  
SMPTE Winter TV Conference, St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco. Info from SMPTE, 862 Scarsdale Ave., Scarsdale, NY 10583.

**16–21 October 1977**  
SMPTE 119th Technical Conference and Equipment Exhibit, Century-Plaza Hotel, Los Angeles. Info from SMPTE Headquarters.

The Electro-Optics/Laser '77 Conference and Exposition will be held 25–27 October 1977 at the Anaheim Convention Center in Anaheim, Calif. The official conference of the Laser Institute of America, it will be sponsored by *EQSD Magazine*. Cooperating societies are the Society of Photographic Scientists and Engineers and the Society of Photo-Optical Instrumentation Engineers. The technical program will explore the latest in electrooptical and laser systems design and applications. Although particular emphasis will be placed on applications, research papers will also be presented. Among the 45 or so subject areas will be such subjects as Optical Data Processing; Optical Scanning and Wide Band Recording Techniques; Low Light Level Television Systems; High-Speed Photography; Satellite Imaging; Underwater Optics and Imaging; Image Interpretation and Evaluation



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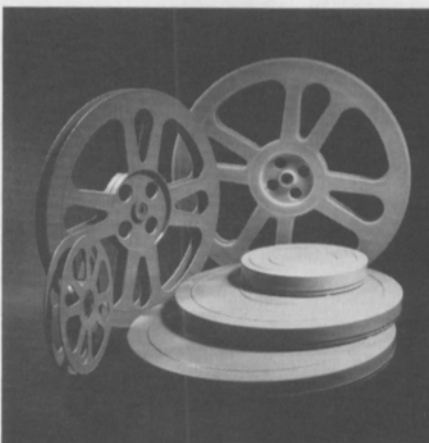
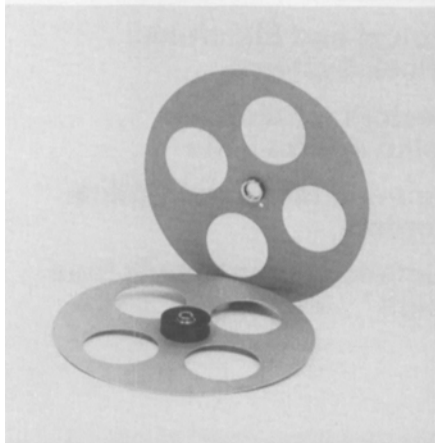
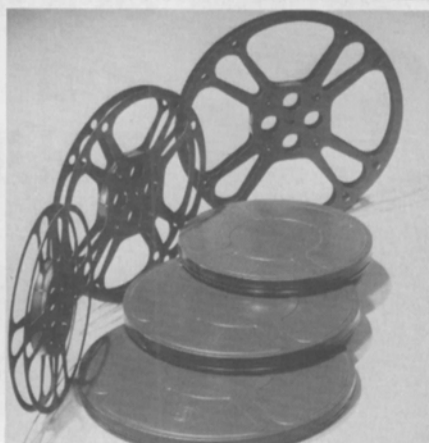
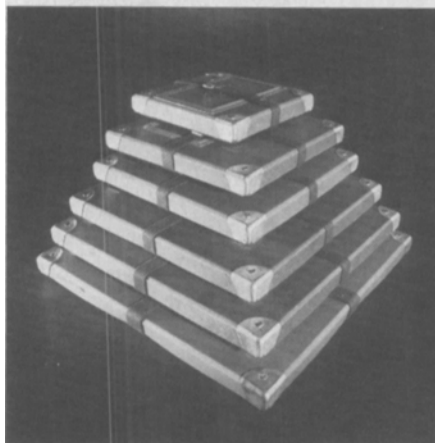
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Techniques; Holographic Materials; and others of particular interest. Further information is available from Bill Ashman, Industrial and Scientific Conference Management, Inc., 222 West Adams St., Chicago, IL 60606.

The 1978 International Broadcasting Convention to be held in September of that year will be held at the new Wembley Conference Centre in North West London. The biannual convention has previously been held at Grosvenor house; however, because of continual expansion, the convention has outgrown the facilities available at Grosvenor House, hence the move to the larger facilities at Wembley, the announcement stated. IBC's new home at Wembley was chosen because of the extensive conference and exhibit facilities and also because the gathering will still be London-based, offering delegates all the amenities of the capital. Further information is available from The Secretariat, IEE, Savoy Pl., London, England WC2R OBL.

## Calendar

**21 November-5 December 1976**

**Tehran International Film Festival**, Tehran, Iran. Info from Bahram Reypour, Press Office, Ministry of Culture and Arts Bldg. No. 3, Takhte-Jamshid Ave. 30, Tehran, Iran. (See *Journal*, p. 592, July 1976.)

**1 December 1976**

**National Science Foundation Seminar on Planning Data for STI Managers**, Washington, D.C. Info from Division of Science Information Seminars, National Science Foundation, Washington, DC 20550. (See above.)

**1-3 December 1976**

**Optical Soc. of America meeting** — Topic: Optical Phenomena in Infrared Materials, Annapolis, Md. Info from Optical Soc. of America, 2000 L St., N.W., Washington, DC 20036.

**December 1976**

**Kodak Super-8 Sound Workshop**, Kodak Marketing Education Center, Rochester, N.Y. Dates of workshops: 13-15 December 1976. Info from Eastman Kodak Co., Events Arrangements, Marketing Education Center, 343 State St., Rochester, NY 14650. (See *Journal*, p. 104, Feb. 1976.)

**13-18 January 1977**

**NAVA Convention**, Anaheim, Calif. Info from National Audio-Visual Assn., 3150 Spring St., Fairfax, VA 22030. (See *Journal*, p. 832, Oct. 1976.)

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**22-24 February 1977**

**Optical Soc. of America meeting** — Topic: Optical Fiber Transmission II. Williamsburg, Va. Info from Optical Soc. of America, 2000 L St., N.W., Washington, DC 20036

**21-23 March 1977**

**American National Metric Council Third Annual Conference and Exposition**, McCormick Inn, Chicago. Info from George B. Buchanan, American National Metric Council, 1625 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036.