

Forthcoming Professional Meetings

The Judd Memorial Conference on Color Metrics, sponsored by the Inter-Society Color Council, will be held 11-14 February 1979 in Williamsburg, Va. Topics will include psychophysiological aspects of color metrics, large and small color-difference evaluations, the relationship between line elements and physiological models of color vision, statistical implications, color metrics and color appearance systems currently in use, and sampling problems for color-difference evaluations. The program will include nine invited papers and a number of contributed papers. General Chairman of the Conference Committee is Rolf G. Kuehni. S. Leonard Davidson is Arrangements Chairman and Fred W. Billmeyer, Jr., is Publicity Chairman. Further information is available from Billmeyer at the Department of Chemistry, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY 12181.

A Conference on Television Measurement will be held 21-23 May 1979 at the Commonwealth Institute in London. It is being organized by the Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers in association with the SMPTE, the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, and the Institute of Electrical Engineers. This is the second such conference to be held on television measurement. The first conference on television measuring techniques was held in London in the spring of 1970. The 1979 conference will provide participants with the opportunity of reviewing the progress that has taken place since 1970 in addition to providing discussions on the very latest developments as well as future developments likely to be completed during the next decade. The intention is to include within the scope of the conference contributions on the art and science of measurement of the many parameters of the television signal and to include also papers on the establishment of codes of practice and performance specifications to meet present and future requirements which, themselves, dictate the need for such measurements.

Papers will be presented on such subjects as: Digital Systems; Recording and Replay; Distribution and Satellites; RF, including Service Planning; Studio Techniques, including Codes of Practice; CATV/Cable Television; and Teletext, Viewdata and Associated Systems. Papers on other subjects related to the general theme of the conference will also be presented.

The Organizing Committee includes representatives from both broadcasting and industry. Further information is available from the Conference Secretariat, Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers, 99 Gower St., London WC1E 6AZ, England.

The Seventh Cranfield International Conference on Mechanized Information Storage and Retrieval Systems will be held 17-20 July 1979 at Cranfield Institute of Technology. The conference will be organized by INSPEC, the Information Division of the Institution of Electrical Engineers, and will follow the format and ar-

rangements used in the six previous conferences. Cyril Cleverdon will be Joint Conference Director and will have the major responsibility for the development of the program and invitations to speakers. The main theme of the conference will be "Towards Intelligent Information Systems." Within this theme will be included question-answering and similar advanced systems, the intelligent use of information systems by any party in the communication/retrieval chain, and the use of non-bibliographic databanks and business, military, police and similar systems. Further information is available from Cleverdon at INSPEC, Station House, Nightingale Road, Hitchin, Herts SG5 1RJ, England.

The International Conference on Video and Data Recording will be held 24-27 July 1979 at the University of Southampton. The conference is being organized by the Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers in association with the SMPTE, the Institution of Electrical Engineers, the Royal Television Society, the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, and the Audio Engineering Society. The aim of the conference is to promote a forum where recent advances can be considered through the presentation of original technical papers and discussions. Subjects will be: Theory of Recording Processes; Magnetic and Other Recording Media Techniques and Hardware; Coding Modulation and Signal Processing; Digital Audio Recording; Information and Archive Storage and Retrieval; and New Recording Techniques, Applications and Systems. Further information is available from the Conference Secretariat, Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers, 99 Gower St., London WC1E 6AZ, England.

Calendar

20-25 August 1978

13th International Congress on High-Speed Photography and Photonics, Tokyo, Japan. Info from the Organizing Committee, 13th International Congress on High Speed Photography and Photonics, c/o Japan Society of Precision Engineering, Ceramics Building, 2-22-17, Hyakumin-cho, Shinjuku-ku Tokyo 160, Japan. (See *Journal*, p. 230, Apr. 1977; p. 250, Apr. 1978; p. 428, June 1978.)

20-26 August 1978

International Congress of Photographic Science, Rochester Institute of Technology. Info from George Bird, School of Chemistry, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ 08903. (See *Journal*, p. 401, June 1978.)

21-24 August 1978

Biological Photographic Association Annual Meeting, Washington Plaza Hotel, Seattle, Wash. Info from Dale A. Tilly, Medical Media (142B), VA Hospital, Seattle, WA 98108.

SMPTE Technical Conferences

29 October-3 November 1978

SMPTE Technical Conference and Equipment Exhibit, Americana Hotel, New York City. Info from SMPTE Headquarters.

2-3 February 1979

SMPTE Television Conference, San Francisco. Info from SMPTE Headquarters.

21-26 October 1979

SMPTE Technical Conference and Equipment Exhibit, Century Plaza, Los Angeles. Info from SMPTE Headquarters.

25 August-3 September 1978

World Film Festival, Montreal, Que., Canada. Info from Serge Losique, President and General Director, 1455 Boul. de Maisonneuve Ouest, Montreal, Que., Canada H3G 1M8. (See *Journal*, p. 250, Apr. 1978.)

26 August-2 September 1978

Robert Flaherty Film Seminar, Pine Manor Junior College, Chestnut Hill, Mass. Info from Dr. Jay Ruby, Anthropology Dept., Temple University, Philadelphia, PA 19122. (See *Journal*, p. 250, Apr. 1978.)

28-31 August 1978

SPIE International Symposium and Instrument Display, San Diego, Calif. Info from SPIE, P.O. Box 10, Bellingham, WA 98225. (See *Journal*, p. 250, Apr. 1978.)

6-10 September 1978

Information Film Producers of America (IFPA), 19th Annual Conference, Manor Vail Resort, Vail, Colo. Info from IFPA, 3518 Cahuenga Blvd., West, Suite 313, Hollywood, CA 90068.

11-15 September 1978

Course, Engineering Management, Miyako Hotel, San Francisco. Info from American Management Associations Headquarters, 135 W. 50 St., New York, NY 10020. (See *Journal*, p. 468, July, 1978.)

12-14 September 1978

Wescon/78 Electronics Show and Convention, Convention Center, Los Angeles. Info from W. C. Weber, Jr., 999 N. Sepulveda Blvd., El Segundo, CA 90245.

15-21 September 1978

Photokina, Cologne, Germany. Info from German-American Chamber of Commerce, 666 Fifth Ave., New York, NY 10019. (See *Journal*, p. 54, Jan. 1978.)

20-22 September 1978

Radio Television News Directors Association Annual Convention, Atlanta Hilton, Atlanta. Info from Ann Simon, Radio Television News Directors Association, 1735 DeSales St., N.W., Washington, DC 20036.

25-27 September 1978

Multi-Image National Conference and Exposition, O'Hare Inn, Chicago. Info from Assn. for Multi-Image, 947 Old York Rd., Abington, PA 19001.

25-29 September 1978

UNIATEC 13th Congress, Paris. Info from UNIATEC Secretariat General, 92, Champs