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The effect of ovarian arterial infusion of transforming growth factor-α on ovarian follicle populations and ovarian hormone secretion in ewes with an autotransplanted ovary. B K Campbell, B M Gordon and R J Scaramuzzi

Photoperiodic modulation of the dopaminergic control of pulsatile LH secretion in sheep. D J Tortone and G A Lincoln

Higher gonadotrophin surge-attenuating factor bioactivity is found in small follicles from superovulated women. P A Fowler, M Fraser, P Cunningham, P G Knight, B Byrne, E A McLaughlin, P G Wardle, M G R Hall and A Templeton

Circulating gonadotrophin surge-attenuating factor from superovulated women suppresses in vivo gonadotrophin-releasing hormone self-priming. P A Fowler, P Cunningham, M Fraser, F MacGregor, B Byrne, A Pappas, I E Messinis and A Templeton


Expression of the endothelin-1 gene in the rat thyroid gland and changes in its peptide and mRNA levels in gestation and iodide-induced necrosis. I M Colini, P L Selvai, T Rebai, D M Matter, E Adam, M-F vandenHove, J-M Keteldrege and J-F Denet

Tumour necrosis factor-α differentially alters progestrone and prostaeglandin F2α production by porcine luteal cells. R G Richards and G W Almond

The effects of corticotrophin-releasing hormone, arginine vasopressin and their antagonists on ACTH release from perfused horse anterior pituitary cells. M J Ellis, R S Mulligan, M J Evans and R A Donald

Selective inhibition of mouse placental lactogen II secretion by tumour necrosis factor-α. M Yamaguchi, L Ogren, R Barnard, T Imai, T Sawada, A Miyake and F Talamantes

Consequences of thyroid hormone deficiency induced by the specific ablation of thyroid follicle cells in adult transgenic mice. H Wallace, K McLaren, R Al-Shawi and J O Bishop

Regulation of ovine pituitary function by corticotrophin-releasing hormone, arginine vasopressin and cortisol in vivo. F Liu, K Yang and J R G Challis

Opposite effects of glucocorticoid on hepatic 11β-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase mRNA and activity in fetal and adult sheep. K Yang, E T M Berducos and J R G Challis

Expression of inhibin α, β1 and β2 messenger ribonucleic acids in the normal human ovary and in polycystic ovarian syndrome. T A Jaatinen, T-L Penttilä, A Kaipia, T Eikfors, M Parvinen and J Toppari


Liposomal delivery of antioxidant enzymes protects against hydrogen peroxide- but not interleukin-1β-induced inhibition of glucose metabolism in rat pancreatic islets. N Welsh, B Margulis, K Bendten and S Sandler

Effects of recombinant bovine somatotrophin, insulin-like growth factor-I and insulin on bovine granulosa cell steroidogenesis in vivo. J G Gong, D McBride, T A Bramley and R Webb


Regulation of gonadotrophin-releasing hormone receptor mRNA expression in the sheep. J Brooks and A S McNelly

Production rate, metabolic clearance rate and uterine extraction of corticosterone during rat pregnancy. B J Waddell and H C Atkinson

Announcements

Molecular Biology Workshop, Birmingham, UK, 10 October 1994. Further details are available from Janet Crompton, Society for Endocrinology, 17/18 The Courtyard, Woodlands, Almondsbury, Bristol BS12 4NQ, UK. Tel: +44-454-619036; Fax: +44-454-616071.

Endocrine Pathology, London, UK, 11–12 October 1994. Further details are available from Scientific Meetings Department, Royal College of Pathologists, 2 Carlton House Terrace, London SW1Y 5AF, UK. Tel: +44-71-930 5862 ext 24/26; Fax: +44-71-321 0523.

Where Phenotype does not match Genotype (Ares Serono International Symposium), Volterra, Italy, 13–14 October 1994. Further information can be obtained from Maria I New, Scientific Secretary, The New York Hospital–Cornell Medical Center, 525 E 68th Street, Room N-236, New York, NY 10021, USA. Tel: +1-212-746 3450; Fax: +1-212-746 0300.


Endocrine Society: 46th Annual Postgraduate Assemblies, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 29 October–3 November 1994. Further information can be obtained from Endocrine Society, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814-3998, USA. Tel: +1-301-571 1802; Fax: +1-301-571 1867.

International Symposium on Cell Signalling and Ovo-implantation (Satellite to the 6th Annual Meeting of the Indian Society for the Study of Reproduction and Fertility), New Delhi, India, 21–24 November 1994. Further details are available from Dr J Sengupta, Department of Physiology, Ansari Nagar, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi 110 029, India. Tel: +91-11-661123 ext 3610; Fax: +91-11-6862663.


Further information can be obtained from Pippa Burnett. Tel: +44-71-836 6633 ext 2593; Fax: +44-71-379 5417.

10th Symposium on Biotechnology: Membrane Protein Trafficking, London, UK, 7–8 December 1994. Further details are available from Mrs B Cavilla, Institute of Biology, 20–22 Queensberry Place, London SW7 2DZ, UK.

Techniques and Applications of Molecular Biology: A Course for Medical Practitioners, Warwick, UK, 12–15 December 1994. Further information can be obtained from Dr Stephen Hicks/Dr Roni McGowan, Department of Biological Sciences, University of Warwick, Coventry CV4 7AL, UK. Tel: +44–203-523540; Fax: +44–203-523701.


Screening for Growth: Towards 2000, London, UK, 14 December 1994. Further information can be obtained from Janis Clayton, Serono Laboratories (UK) Ltd, 99 Bridge Road East, Welwyn Garden City AL7 1BG, UK.

Society for the Study of Fertility Winter Meeting, London, UK, 19–20 December 1994. Further information can be obtained from SSF, 141 Newmarket Road, Cambridge CB5 8HA, UK. Tel: +44–223-351870; Fax: +44–223-353764.


12th International Conference on Calcium Regulating Hormones, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, 14–19 February 1995. Further details are available from Gayle McMurray, Secretary to LOC, St Vincent’s Institute of Medical Research, 41 Victoria Parade, Fitzroy, Victoria 3065, Australia. Tel: +61–3-288 2485; Fax: +61–3-416 2676.

5th International Insulin and IGF Symposium, Gainesville, FL, USA, 3–5 March 1995. Further details are available from Dr Derek Le Roith, Department of Health and Human Services, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, Bethesda, MD 20892, USA. Tel: +1–301-496 8090; Fax: +1–301-480 4386.

14th Joint Meeting of British Endocrine Societies, Warwick, UK, 27–30 March 1995. Further information can be obtained from Janet Crompton, British Endocrine Societies, 17/18 The Courtyard, Woodlands, Almondsbury, Bristol BS12 4NQ, UK. Tel: +44–454-619036; Fax: +44–454-616071.

Association of Physicians of Great Britain and Ireland, Aberdeen, UK, 31 March–1 April 1995. Further information can be obtained from Professor S Tomlinson, The Manchester Diabetes Centre, 130 Hathersage Road, Manchester M13 0HZ, UK.

Oxytocin: Cellular and Molecular Approaches in Medicine and Research, Stade, Germany, 30 April–4 May 1995. Further details are available from Dr Richard Ivell, Institute for Hormone and Fertility Research, University of Hamburg, Grandweg 64, 22529 Hamburg, Germany. Tel: +49–40-56190860; Fax: +49–40-56190864.

12th International Symposium of the Journal of Steroid Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Berlin, Germany, 21–24 May 1995. Further information can be obtained from Dr J R Pasqualini, CNRS Steroid Hormone Research Unit, Foundation for Hormone Research, 26 Boulevard Brune, 75014 Paris, France. Tel: +33–1-45 39 91 09; Fax: +33–1-45 42 61 21.


34th Annual Meeting of the European Society for Paediatric Endocrinology, Edinburgh, UK, 25–28 June 1995. Further details are available from ESPE '95, Conference Secretariat, Meeting Makers, 50 George Street, Glasgow G1 1QE, UK. Tel: +44–41-553 1930; Fax: +44–41-552 0511.

Society for the Study of Fertility Summer Meeting, Dublin, Eire, 3–5 July 1995. Further details are available from SSF, 141 Newmarket Road, Cambridge CB5 8HA, UK. Tel: +44–223-351870; Fax: +44–223-353764.

5th International Congress on Hormones and Cancer, Québec City, Québec, Canada, 17–20 September 1995. Further information can be obtained from Dr Fernand Labrie, Laval University Medical Centre.
15th World Congress on Fertility and Sterility, Montpellier, France, 17–22 September 1995. Further information can be obtained from Société Internationale de Congrès et Services, 10 rue Charles Amans, 34000 Montpellier, France. Tel: +33-67-58 59 03; Fax: +33-67-58 31 60.


Society for the Study of Fertility Winter Meeting (jointly with the British Neuroendocrine Group), Oxford, UK, 17–19 December 1995. Further details are available from SSF, 141 Newmarket Road, Cambridge CB5 8HA, UK. Tel: +44-223-351870; Fax: +44-223-353764.

15th Joint Meeting of British Endocrine Societies, Dublin, Eire, 25–28 March 1996. Further information can be obtained from Janet Crompton, British Endocrine Societies, 17/18 The Courtyard, Woodlands, Almondsbury, Bristol BS12 4NQ, UK. Tel: +44-454-619036; Fax: +44-454-616071.

16th International Congress of Clinical Chemistry, London, UK, 8–12 July 1996. Further details are available from Dr Graham Beastall, Department of Clinical Biochemistry, Royal Infirmary, Glasgow G4 0SF, UK. Tel: +44-41-304 4632; Fax: +44-41-553 1703.

16th Joint Meeting of British Endocrine Societies, Harrogate, UK, 7–10 April 1997. Further information can be obtained from Janet Crompton, British Endocrine Societies, 17/18 The Courtyard, Woodlands, Almondsbury, Bristol BS12 4NQ, UK. Tel: +44-454-619036; Fax: +44-454-616071.

17th Joint Meeting of British Endocrine Societies, Edinburgh, UK, 25–28 March 1998. Further information can be obtained from Janet Crompton, British Endocrine Societies, 17/18 The Courtyard, Woodlands, Almondsbury, Bristol BS12 4NQ, UK. Tel: +44-454-619036; Fax: +44-454-616071.