between 3 months and 3 years will be considered. In contrast to the above-mentioned NCTR opportunities, NRC fellowships are not restricted to U.S. citizens. Furthermore, the research project is largely of your own choice. However, you will hove to make arrangements with the sponsoring laboratory in order to get their Support.

On my last trip to the U.S., I had the opportunity to visit one of those sponsoring laboratories, the Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute in Bethesda, MD. My impression was that persons working with neuro--behavioral methods who are interested in research on side-effects of anti-emetics and radioprotectants used in radiotherapy will meet excellent conditions.

While detailed information on procedures and all necessary application materials are available from the National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington D.C. 20418, you might like to inquire first with our colleagues Victor BOGO or Michael LANDAUER at the AFRRI, Bethesda MD 20814-5145.

The forthcoming neurotox meeting in Dusseldorf

As already mentioned in earlier newsletters, the Medical Institute of Environmental Hygiene is currently organising it's third neurotox minisymposium to be held at Mickeln Manor, September 6-9. In view of the fact that it is booked out anyway, I will refrain this time from advertising participation. Instead, I promise to present a short wrap-up in my next newsletter.

Developing statutes for INA

To assure continuity for our association, and also for practical reasons such as limitation of financial risks and the formal right to accept tax-deductible donations, we are planning to give INA the official status of a society. The first step towards this end is to develop articles of association, and this step is currently being taken by Jacob Hooismo, Hans Muijser, and myself. While it is relatively easy to find a template to copy from, it may be hard to anticipate the practical drawbacks of certain regulations. If you can tell from your personal experience with other societies what to avoid, do it now and not when it is too late.

Forthcoming meetings in 1988:

Sept. 19-22: German Society for Pharmacology and Toxicology,
Autumn Meeting. Place: Hamburg. Fee: 150.-DM
Registration: CPO Hanser Service, P.0.Box 1221,
D-2000 Hamburg-Barsbuettel.

Oct. 10-14: 6th International Neurotoxicology Conference.
Place: Little Rock, USA. Abstract deadline: September 1st
Registration: Dr. Joan M. Cranmer, Dept. of Pediatrics,
University School for Medical Sciences
Little Rock, Arkansas 72205

And here is a warm welcome to a couple of new members:

- Marion E. CAVANAGH, University College London, London (U.K.)
- Cecilia CLEMEDSON, University of Stockholm, Stockholm (Sweden)
- Rudy J. RICHARDSON, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (USA)
- Richard F. SEEGAL, N.Y. State Department of Health, Albany (USA)
- Maarten VERBERK, Coronel Laboratorium, Amsterdam (Netherlands)
- M. Anthony VERITY, University of California, L.A. (USA)

If you want to find out about their professional interests, just take a look at the abstracts attached to this newsletter.

Before I close, I would like to draw your attention to a promotion and several new addresses:
Having received his Ph.D. from London University this April, Martin A. PHILBERT has joined Herb Lowndes at Rutgers. His new address is: Neurotoxicology Laboratories, College of Pharmacy, Busch Campus. P.O. Box 789, Piscataway NJ D8854.
John A. DELLINGER has left the University of Illinois for a new position at the Southwest Research Institute, Div.14, 622D Culebra Road, San Antonio TX 78284.
Ian C. SHAW is now working far the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food. He has become head of the Toxicology Section of the Central Veterinary Laboratory at New Haw Weybridge, Surrey KTJ5 3NB.

Best regards to all of you, and keep up the good work

Michael