# **18th Annual Meeting**

**University of New Mexico** 

Albuquerque, New Mexico

June 3-5, 1999

The eighteenth annual SSE meeting was held in Northrop Hall (Geology) on the campus of the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque on June 3–5, 1999. Four special sessions focus on "Shaking the Pillars of the Paradigm," "Cold Fusion," "Reports on Anomalous Phenomena," and "Suppression of New Science."

# **Topics and Invited Speakers**

## **Shaking Pillars of the Paradigm**

Newton Versus Einstein, Peter Graneau, Center for Electromagnetic Research, Northeastern University, Boston, MA

A Skeptic in the Land of Relativity, Ian McCausland, Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada

Questions Concerning Evolution, Jonathan Wells, Dept. of Molecular and Cell Biology, University of California, Berkeley, CA

Structures in Insects and Evolution, Jane Robb, Dept. of Molecular Biology and Physics, University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada

### **Cold Fusion**

Transmutation of Metals in the Cold, George Miley, Editor of Fusion Technology, Dept. of Nuclear Engineering, Univ. of Illinois, Urbana, IL

Production of Tritium from Deuterium in Aqueous Solution, Thomas Claytor, Los Alamos National Laboratories, Los Alamos, NM

Production of Helium in the Cold, Melvin Miles, Chemistry Division of Naval Weapons Center, Dept. of Navy, China Lake, CA

Anomalous Heat Production from Hydrogen Saturated Palladium, Mike McKubre, Energy Research Center, SRI International, Menlo Park, CA Anomalous Phenomena

## **Reports on Anomalous Phenomena**

Studies of Thomas Green Morton, Lee Pulos, Clinical Psychology, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

The Effect of Prayer on Cardiac Patients, Larry Dossey, Executive Editor of Alternative Therapies in Health and Medicine, Santa Fe, NM

A Simple Theory of the Perihelion of Mercury, Paul Marmet, Dept. of Physics, University of Ottawa, Canada



Results of Studies of Persons Alleging Abduction under Hypnosis: Evidence for Alien Intentions, David Jacobs, History Dept., Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

# **Suppression of New Science**

- Concepts Related to 3-D Time, William Tifft, Astronomy Dept., University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
- Abduction, John Mack, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
- Role of Water in the Transmission of the Molecular Signal, Jacques Benveniste, Director of Research, Digital Biology Laboratory, Clamart, Paris, France
- The Suppression and Resurrection of Science, Brian O'Leary, Founder, International Association for New Science, Kihei, HI

# **Detailed Meeting Program**

## **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 1999**

Reception and Registration, La Posada, 8–11pm

## THURSDAY, JUNE 3, 1999

8:30am— Registration, Northrup 122, University of New Mexico

- 9:00-12:15 Shaking Pillars of the Paradigm
- 9:00-9:05 JOMB Introduction to meeting
- 9:05-9:35 Newton Versus Einstein Peter Graneau
- 9:35-9:45 Discussion
- 9:45-10:15 A Skeptic in the Land of Relativity Ian McCausland
- 10:15-10:25 Discussion
- 10:25-10:55 COFFEE BREAK
- 10:55-11:25 Questions Concerning Evolution Jonathan Wells
- 11:25-11:35 Discussion
- 11:35-12:05 Structures in Insects and Evolution Jane Robb
- 12:05-12:15 Discussion

#### LUNCHEON BREAK

- 2:00-5:30 Cold Fusion
- 2:00-2:10 General Introduction to the Field Ed Storms
- 2:10-2:40 Transmutation of Metals in the Cold George Miley
- 2:40-2:50 Discussion
- 2:50-3:20 Production of Tritium from Deuterium in Aqueous Solution Thomas

# Claytor

- 3:20-3:30 Discussion
- 3:30-4:00 TEA BREAK
- 4:00-4:30 Production of Helium in the Cold Melvin Miles
- 4:30-4:40 Discussion
- 4:40-5:10 Anomalous Heat Production from Hydrogen Saturated Palladium Mike

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- 5:10-5:20 Discussion and Close of Session
- 5:20-5:50 Society Business Meeting

## **FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1999**

### 9:00am-12:15 Anomalous Phenomena

- 9:00-9:10 Introduction Hal Puthoff
- 9:10-9:40 Studies of Thomaz Green Morton Lee Pulos
- 9:40-9:50 Discussion
- 9:50-10:20 The Effect of Prayer on Cardiac Patients Larry Dossey
- 10:20-10:30 Discussion
- 10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 11:00-11:30 A Simple Theory of the Perihelion of Mercury Paul Marmet
- 11:30-11:40 Discussion
- 11:40-12:10 Results of Studies of Persons Alleging Abduction under Hypnosis:
- Evidence for Alien Intentions David Jacobs
- 12:10-12:20 Discussion

### LUNCHEON BREAK

- 2:00-5:30 Anomalous Phenomena Continued
- 2:00-2:25 Physical Anomalies at Sacred Sites M. Adams
- 2:25-2:50 Anomalous Healing in Experimental Mice W. Bengston and D. Krinsley
- 2:50-3:15 Human Intention-Induced pH Changes in Water W. Dibble and W. Tiller
- 3:15-3:45 TEA BREAK
- 3:45-4:10 An Objective Comparison of Precognitive Dreams with Future Reality J. Hotchin
- 4:10-4:35 Replicability of After-Death Communication Reports Across Highly Skilled Mediums G. Schwartz
- 4:35-5:00 Investigating Deviations from Dynamical Randomness with Scaling Indices H. Atmanspacher
- 5:00-5:25 Determination of Physical Characteristics of UFO Phenomenon Using Visual/Radar Correlations J-J. Velasco
- 5:25-5:50 Testing the Field Consciousness Hypothesis During the 1998 World Cup M. Salganik (sponsored by R. Nelson)

# SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1999

- 9:00am-12:15 Suppression of New Science
- 9:00-9:10 Introduction JOMB
- 9:10-9:40 Suppression of New Science Brian O'Leary
- 9:40-9:50 Discussion
- 9:50-10:20 Reluctance to Accept New Results in Astronomy Bill Tifft
- 10:20-10:30 Discussion
- 10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 11:00-11:30 Abduction John Mack
- 11:30-11:40 Discussion
- 11:40-12:10 Digital Transfer of Information from Patterned Water Jacques Benveniste

### 12:10-12:20 Discussion

### LUNCHEON BREAK

- 2:00-5:30 Suppression of New Science Continued
- 2:00-2:25 Scoring Thick and Scoring Thin: The Boundaries of Psychic Claimants S. Krippner
- 2:25-2:50 The Emotional Plague, A Biophysical Mechanism at Work in the Suppression of New Findings in Science R. Blasband
- 2:50-3:15 Toward a Cybernetic Model of the Organism S. Savva
- 3:15-3:45 TEA BREAK
- 3:45-4:10 Has Nibiru Been Located? R. Day
- 4:10-4:35 An "Extinct" Robust Hominid in Amerind Art? G. Strasenburgh From Alaska to the Yucatan
- 4:35-5:00 Electronic Contact with the Dead I. Baruss

# BANQUET

7pm at the base of the tramway

