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# SHEA News

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## Election Results and Awards Presented

### 1999 Election Results

- Vice President: Barry M. Farr, MD, MSc
- Academic Councilor: Trish M. Perl, MD, MSc
- International Councilor: Didier Pittet, MD, MS
- Practice Councilor: Alan D. Tice, MD

### Special Recognition Awards

- Victoria Fraser, MD: with appreciation for her leadership as Academic Councilor 1997-1998
- Rebecca Wurtz, MD: with appreciation for her leadership as Practice Councilor 1997-1998
- Lindsay E. Nicolle, MD: with apprecia-

tion for her leadership as Secretary 1996-1998

- Murray D. Batt, MD: for his personal and professional dedication to the Society as Newsletter Editor
- Edward S. Wong, MD: for his personal and professional dedication to the Society as Education Committee Chair
- Gina Pugliese, RN, MS: for her leadership and contributions to the SHEA/CDC Training Courses
- Elias Abrutyn, MD: with sincere appreciation for his inspiring leadership and support as President 1998

## Spotted the Site?

For a course overview or to register for the USAMRIID/CDC 12-hour satellite course on "Biological Warfare and

Terrorism—The Military and Public Health Response," Sep 21-23, 12:30 PM-4:40 PM (ET), and Oct 2-3, 11:30 AM-5:30 PM (ET), go to <http://www.biomedtraining.org>.

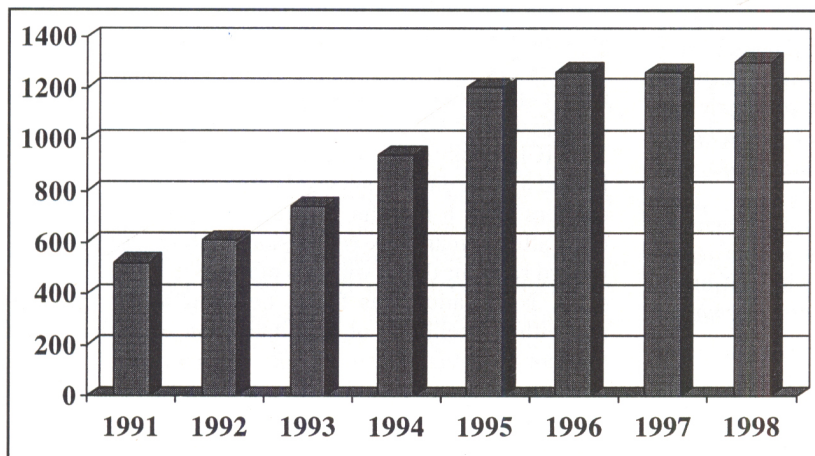


FIGURE. SHEA membership growth.

## Calendar

**Aug 2-5.** APIC's Summer ICE I course. Austin Renaissance, Austin, TX. Info: <http://www.apic.org>.

**Aug 9-11.** First International Congress of the Asia Pacific Society of Infection Control. Hong Kong. Info: [moreview@mvdmc.com](mailto:moreview@mvdmc.com) or <http://www.mvdmc.com>.

**Sep 6-9.** Vaccines and Immunization Into the Next Millennium. Manchester, UK. Info: [james.arthur@cmc.co.uk](mailto:james.arthur@cmc.co.uk).

**Sep 8-10.** First International Congress on Cytokines/Chemokines in Infectious Diseases. Bethesda, MD. Info: [meetings@imedex.com](mailto:meetings@imedex.com).

**Sep 10-13.** Second Annual IFIC Conference, Controlling Infection in Healthcare. George, Western Cape, South Africa. Info: [altagr@mwweb.co.za](mailto:altagr@mwweb.co.za).

**Sep 26-29.** 39th Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy. San Francisco, CA. Info: [meetingsinfo@asmusa.org](mailto:meetingsinfo@asmusa.org).

**Oct 14-16.** Trends in Invasive Fungal Infections. Valetta, Malta. Info: [tifi@concorde-uk.com](mailto:tifi@concorde-uk.com).

**Oct 16-19.** SHEA/CDC Training Course in Hospital Epidemiology. Dallas, TX.

**Oct 18-21.** APIC's Fall ICE I course. Savannah, Georgia. Info: <http://www.apic.org>.

**Oct 29-Nov 2.** European SHEA/ESGNI training course. Ooghduyne, The Netherlands. Info: [a.voss@mmb.azn.nl](mailto:a.voss@mmb.azn.nl).

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