

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SOUTHWESTERN MEDICAL SCHOOL AT DALLAS

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DALLAS--New methods of using electron microscopes in anatomy and different ways of teaching body structure will be explored by the American Association of Anatomists here Monday through Thursday.

From 1,600 to 2,000 members and guests are expected to convene at the Adolphus Hotel for the 85th session of the organization, according to Dr. Hal Weathersby, host professor of anatomy at the UT Southwestern Medical School.

There will be three major symposia: "Integrated Versus Discipline-Oriented Instruction in the Anatomical Sciences," Expanding Methodology in Electron Microscopic Histology," and "Formation of Collagen."

Some 491 scientific papers will be presented in full and 60 others by title for publication at the meeting. Among subjects are gross anatomy, histology (study of tissues), embryology, neuroanatomy, histochemistry, endocrinology and cell biology.

The opening session Monday will feature a presidential address by Dr. David Bodian, chairman of the Department of Anatomy, Johns Hopkins University and presentation of the Herrick Award and the Henry Gray award to two outstanding anatomists.

A western barbeque and square dance will be held Wednesday evening at a dude ranch.

Nearly 40 exhibitors, from book publishers to manufacturers of plastic body parts, will be represented.

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