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The Fifteenth Annual NAPS Meeting will be held at Loyola University in Chicago, May 24-26, 2001. The deadline for registration is April 2. If you have not yet received a registration form, please contact:

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This year's meeting will include a special program devoted to early Christian art. The focus of the program will be directed toward the life of pre-Christian ideas of heroic achievement within the Christian art of late antiquity.

Best First Article

Again this year, NAPS will award a prize of \$250 for the best first article in the field of patristics (including any discipline represented by NAPS) published by a Society member in a scholarly journal. For the current competition, articles should have been published no earlier than January 1999.

Any member of the Society may submit an article to the competition, regardless of

whether that person is the author. Articles may be sent as offprints or photocopies. A short cover letter should state that the article is the author's first scholarly publication. The deadline for submissions is March 1, 2001, with the winner to be announced at the annual meeting of the Society in May 2001. Please submit articles to:

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Call For Papers

The Canadian Society for Patristic Studies announces its annual conference to be held **May 27-29, 2001 at Université Laval, Quebec City**. Information about the conference, call for papers, student essay prize, and related matters may be found at the Society's website (www.ccsr.ca/csps), or contact:

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Call For Nominations

The members of NAPS will elect a new Vice-President

and two Members-at-Large at this year's annual May meeting. The Nominating Committee welcomes nominations from the membership. Please forward suggestions to the following committee members:

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Announcements

The directors of the **Fourteenth International Patristics Conference** to be held at Oxford in 2003 have announced that conference dates have been changed. The previously announced dates of August 11-16, 2003 have been changed to the more customary period of **August 18-23, 2003**. All inquiries may be directed to:

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Books

McKinion, Steven A. *Words, Imagery, and the Mystery of Christ: A Reconstruction of Cyril of Alexandria's Christology*. Leiden: Brill, 2000.