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Multimedia Regulation and the Family, Sydney, 5–6 October

Topics will include, among others, the future of multimedia regulation in this country; the Commonwealth Government's approach to multimedia regulation; the industry's perspective and the community's expectations. The forum will involve talks by prominent commentators in the field and provide for questions from the audience.

▲ Swiss Grand Hotel, Bondi Beach, \$40. Jacqueline Rodwell, Office of Film and Literature Classification. Ph: (02) 581 7070.

ATM Broadband Forum, Sydney, 10–11 October

This conference is designed to meet the information needs of anyone in the communications world and for those who need to market, design or integrate products in a broadband or ATM environment, and features presentations of technical trends, early user case studies, migration strategies and future business opportunities for both public and private networks. Sydney Boulevard Hotel, \$1395. IIR Conferences. Ph: (02) 954 5844. Fax: (02) 959 4684.

Broadband 1994–2000, Sydney, 13–14 October

Designed for network planners and corporate strategists, this conference will examine broadband planning in the context of analysis of public policy, broadband economics, philosophies and policies and regulatory strategies. Hyatt Kingsgate Hotel. \$1395. Elana Cohen, IBC Conferences. Ph: (02) 319 3755. Fax: (02) 699 3901.

Multimedia in Publishing Conference, Sydney, 13–14 October

This conference will focus on advertising

and marketing opportunities of multimedia; selecting appropriate distribution channels; latest developments in copyright law; managing the multimedia transition; and online and CD-ROM technologies.

h Parkroyal, Darling Harbour, \$1395. AIC Conferences. Ph: (02) 210 5777. Fax: (02) 221 7773.

Screen Entertainment 2000: The New Technology Agenda, London, 20–21 October

This conference will explore the impact of the converging entertainment media technologies on the business of television, film, video, multimedia and the consumer leisure industries. The program has been arranged by *Screen Digest*, one of the most authoritative publications covering all aspects of the screen media. Speakers from the UK, US and Europe are represented. **1** Intercontinental Hotel, London, \$695. IBC Technical Services Ltd. Ph: 44(0)71 637 4383. Fax: 44(0)71 631 3214.

ATA '94: The Second Annual Conference of the Australasian Teleconferencing Association, Sydney, 24–25 October

This conference will provide a briefing on practical strategies, standards development, applications and directions for the teleconferencing industry. **1** Hotel Nikko, Potts Point. \$1395. IIR Conferences. Ph: (02) 954 5844. Fax: (02) 959 4684.

Making the Connection: Screen Producers Association of Australia Ninth Annual Conference, Melbourne, 2–4 November

Sessions include 'Global Connections— Doing Business with the USA'; 'Pay TV— What the Programmers are Looking For'; 'Marketing Images—What Works, What Doesn't'; 'Storytelling—Cultural Significance and Perspectives'. Speakers include Nick Herd, ABA. **1** \$650 members; \$800 non-members. SPAA Conference Secretariat. Ph: (02) 262 2277. Fax: (02) 262 2323.

The 1994 Cable and Satellite Television Summit, Hong Kong, 30 November-2 December

Key conference sessions will include: orbital slot regulation; broadcasting and licensing issues; the regulation of subscription television services; the latest satellite technologies for broadcasting; digital compression technologies; and copyright and legal issues.

h Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre. US\$1395. IIR Limited, Hong Kong. Ph: 852 549 5618. Fax: 547 3836.

► World Summit on Television and Children, Melbourne, 12–16 March 1995

▲ World Congress Centre, Melbourne. Australian Children's Television Foundation. Ph: (03) 348 1144 Fax: (03) 347 4194.

Producers' Forum, Melbourne, 18–19 March 1995

Several international speakers from the World Summit on Television and Children will be available to speak at the Producers' Forum. Education seminars will also be held in six States. Dina Browne. Ph: (07) 368 7318. Fax: (07) 368 6410.

► Festival of Television for Australian Children, Brisbane, 20–24 March 1995

National broadcast of children's television, involving the commercial networks, ABC and SBS. **1** Dina Browne. Ph: (07) 368 7318. Fax: (07) 368 6410.