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The College holds three four-day training programs each year. The remaining program for 2006 is scheduled for September 18-21 in Charlotte, North Carolina. The program schedule for 2007 will be announced shortly.

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