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In the course of her career, Dr. Hricak has received many awards, including the Marie Sklodowska-Curie Award from the American Association for Women Radiologists, the Beclere medal of the International Society of Radiology and the gold medals of the International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine and the Association of University Radiologists. She is an honorary fellow of the Royal College of Radiologists and an honorary member of the British Institute of Radiology, the Croatian Academy of Science and Art, the German Radiological Society, the Austrian Roentgen Society and the Journées Françaises de Radiologie. In addition, she holds an honorary doctorate in medicine from the Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich.

A member of the RSNA Board of Directors since 2002, Dr. Hricak's Board portfolio has been as liaison of publications and communications. Prior to her appointment to the Board, Dr. Hricak was chair of RSNA's Public Information Advisors Board, a group of members that serve as resources to the media for scientific information presented at RSNA meetings and in its journals. She has also been a member of other RSNA public information committees.

Dr. Hricak will serve as president of RSNA in 2010.

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