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2nd FEF, Santa Margharita, Italy, 1976
3rd FEF, Banff, Canada, 1980
4th FEF, Tokyo, Japan, 1982
5th FEF, Austin, Texas, USA, 1984
6th FEF, Antibes, France, 1986
7th FEF, Huntsville, USA, 1989
8th FEF, Barcelona, Spain, 1993
9th FEF, Venice, Italy, 1995
10th FEF, Tucson, Arizona, USA, 1998
11th FEF, Austin, Texas, USA, 2000
12th FEF, Nagoya, Japan, 2003
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14th FEF, Santa Fe, New Mexico, USA, 2007
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