General notes

INTERDISCIPLINARY COURSE IN HEAD AND NECK ONCOLOGY

7, 8, 9 MAY 1979

INSTITUTE OF CANCER RESEARCH, FULHAM ROAD, KENSINGTON, LONDON SW3, U.K.

INTERNATIONAL FACULTY—PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS:

Dr. J. J. Conley (USA), Dr. D. Shumrick (USA) Dr. G. Snow (Holland), Dr. C. Walter (W. Germany) Mr. H. J. Shaw (UK), Mr. J. S. P. Wilson (UK)

Registration Fee £100.

Early application advised, numbers limited.

Further particulars from: The Secretary,

Oncology Course, Head and Neck Unit, Royal Marsden Hospital, Fulham Road, London SW3.

CENTENARY OF THE 'REVUE DE LARYNGOLOGIE, OTOLOGIE, RHINOLOGIE'

and of the

'ECOLE d'OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGIE' of BORDEAUX

3-6 April 1980—in Bordeaux (France)

On this occasion the following commemorative events will take place in Bordeaux:

--Different courses in Otorhinolaryngology and E.N.T. radiology in several languages, on the 3, 4 and 5 April 1980.

-The third International Symposium of the Portmann Foundation, and a convocation at the University of Bordeaux II, with the granting of degrees of Docteur Honoris Causa to some leading figures of the world of O.R.L.

-A social programme is also planned.

Further details will be given for this anniversary of one hundred years about the activities of the oldest French School of O.R.L., as well as all complementary information on the ways and means of enrolment.

As from now a request for enrolment in the meetings of the Centenary can be sent to the following address:

> Secretary of the Course, Fondation Portmann, 114, Avenue d'Arès, 33000 Bordeaux (France)

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COURSE IN FUNCTIONAL MICROSURGERY OF THE EAR 2 July-7 July 1979

PORTMANN FOUNDATION and E.N.T. DEPARTMENT, UNIVERSITY OF BORDEAUX II (FRANCE)

CONDUCTED by Professor Michel Portmann, M.D., with the participation of Dr. Guy Lacher, and the collaboration of the staff of the E.N.T. Department, University of Bordeaux.

Course includes: Theoretical and practical lectures; otological operations demonstrated by colour television; laboratory sessions on the temporal bone; case presentations.

FEE: 2700 French francs

For information and registration write: Secretary of the Course, Fondation Portmann, 114 Avenue d'Arès, 33000 Bordeaux, France.

THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY

BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES

COURSE IN CLINICAL OTOLARYNGOLOGY:

18th to 20th MAY, 1979

A THREE-DAY course, suitable for candidates for the Part II D.L.O. and the Final F.R.C.S.(ENT) Examinations, will be held at the Birmingham & Midland Ear & Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3, from 18th to 20th May, 1979. The course fee will be £25.00 and applications to attend, accompanied by the fee, should be addressed to Mr. P. G. Bevan, Director, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham B15 2TJ. Cheques should be made payable to the 'University of Birmingham'.

THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY

BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES

COURSE IN ADVANCED NASAL SURGERY:

BIRMINGHAM & MIDLAND EAR & THROAT HOSPITAL:

15th to 20th JULY, 1979

THE above course will be largely devoted to the surgery of the nasal septum and the external pyramid. There will be an international panel of guest lecturers. The course will be quite comprehensive and will include lectures, televised operative demonstrations, films and opportunities for cadaver dissection.

The University can give assistance in obtaining suitable hotel accommodation in a nearby hotel, or in one of the University Halls of Residence.

Enrolment for the course is strictly limited to 24, and early application is advised. The course fee is £120.00, and cheques should be made payable to the 'University of Birmingham'.

Enquiries and applications should be addressed to: Mrs. V. R. Gilbert, Administrative Assistant, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham B15 2TJ.

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THE FIFTH BRITISH ACADEMIC CONFERENCE IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY

22-27 JULY 1979

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM (U.K.)

Master: SIR GEOFFREY BATEMAN, M.A., F.R.C.S.

DISTINGUISHED international contributors will assess modern developments at formal lectures and panel discussions which include: septorhinoplasty; chronic tubal dysfunction; open panel discussions on laryngology and otology; malignant disease of the oropharynx; trauma and the temporal bone.

Daily instructional sessions in small seminar groups, again led by international contributors with wide-ranging discussion on every aspect of otolaryngology.

Daily audiovisual programmes. Scientific and trade exhibitions. A full social programme arranged. Enrolment fee for members—£100. Enrolment fee for associate members—£40. Those interested should apply to:

> Val Hammond Esq., F.R.C.S., 55 Harley Street, London W1N 1DD, England.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

THE Court of Examiners reports to the Council that at the recent Final Examination for the Fellowship, 37 candidates presented themselves for the Examination in Otolaryngology, seven of whom acquitted themselves satisfactorily. One of these has not yet complied with the regulations.

The following are the names of the six candidates who are therefore entitled, subjected to the approval of the Council, to the Diploma of Fellow:

Rahaman, Muhammad Shafiqur, M.B., B.S. (Dacca). Adhya, Anil Kumar, M.B., B.S. (Calcutta). Sharma, Prem Dayal, M.B., B.S. (Jammu & Kashmir). Harris, Thomas Martin, M.B., B.Ch. (Cambridge). Davis, Brian Roger, M.B., B.S. (London). Tranter, Robert Martyn David, M.B., Ch.B. (Bristol).

THIRD INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON PLASTIC AND RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY OF THE HEAD AND NECK

THE Third International Symposium on Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery of the Head and Neck will be held 29 April to 4 May 1979, at the New Orleans Hilton Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana.

This multi-discipline medical congress is sponsored by the American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, with the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery, and the American College of Chemosurgery participating as co-sponsors.

Further details are obtainable from: Third International Symposium, Executive Committee Offices, 1111 Tulane Ave (Suite 322), New Orleans, Louisiana 70112.

UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW

DEPARTMENT OF OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY

WEEKEND COURSE ON SENSORINEURAL HEARING LOSS

A THEORETICAL and practical course on the surgical and medical management of patients with sensorineural hearing loss, sudden deafness, vertigo and tinnitus will be held on Saturday, 12th and Sunday, 13th May 1979. The course is primarily intended for Registrars and Senior Registrars in Otorhinolaryngo-logical training. As such it is approved for study leave and expenses.

Further details from and applications to:

Mr. G. G. Browning, M.D., F.R.C.S., Senior Lecturer and Honorary Consultant, Department of Otolaryngology, Royal Infirmary, Glasgow G4.

ACOUSTIC IMPEDANCE MEASUREMENT COURSE

at

BRUNEL UNIVERSITY

24, 25, 26 April 1979

THE course examines the meaning of impedance in a non-mathematical form, together with diagnosis based on Tympanometry and Contra/Ipsilateral acoustic reflex measurement. There will also be an up-to-date introduction to both differential diagnosis and theoretical consideration.

The course is directed to the needs of Clinicians and Technicians and continues the successful record of 1976, 1977 and 1978 courses.

Sponsored by Linco Acoustics Ltd.

Further information from Mrs. R. Saunders, Industrial Services Bureau, Brunel University, Uxbridge, Middlesex. Tel.: Uxbridge 39234 (Ansafone).

SIXTH GLASGOW TEMPORAL BONE DISSECTION COURSE

A THREE-DAY practical course in temporal bone dissection will be held over the weekend 18, 19 and 20 May, 1979.

This course is primarily designed for those in the Registrar and Senior Registrar grade. The course will comprise dissection of the temporal bone integrated with lectures on the indications, techniques and results of otological surgery and on the gross and histological anatomy of the temporal bone. This will be supplemented by televised surgical demonstrations.

Mr. A. Baxter, Consultant, Mr. G. G. Browning, Consultant and Senior Lecturer in Otolaryngology, University of Glasgow and Mr. A. M. Pettigrew, Senior Registrar, are the Course Lecturers. The Course will be held in the Temporal Bone Laboratory, Level 8, Phase 1, Western Infirmary, Glasgow G11 6NT. Accommodation can be arranged if desired. The Course fee is £60 and includes lunch, coffee and reception. The Course is recognized by the Scottish Committee for Postgraduate Medical Education and is therefore approved for study leave and expenses.

Further details from: The 1880 Foundation, 306 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow G2 5RX. Telephone 041-221-7921, Extension 19.

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

THE Ear Research Institute announces a two-week Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course demonstrating the multiple approaches to the structures of the temporal bone as currently used by members of the Otologic Medical Group, Inc.

Each day the course members spend four hours in the dissection laboratory and four hours observing live colour telecasts of surgery which correlates with the dissection of the day. Evenings are devoted to lectures illustrated by slides and motion picture demonstrations. Video tapes in colour from the Institute's Otologic Seminar Library are available for study by course participants.

Twenty-four board certified or board eligible otolaryngologists and residents will be accepted in each course. Courses will be presented in March, April, June and October annually. Advance registrations for courses in 1980 and 1981 are now being accepted. The tuition fee for otolaryngologists is \$1,200 and for residents \$900 in United States currency. Applications of residents must be accompanied by a letter from their Chief of Service.

For further information address communications to: Antonio De La Cruz, M.D., Director, Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course, Ear Research Institute, 256 South Lake Street, Los Angeles, CA 90057.

PRACTICE DEMONSTRATIONS IN RHINOPLASTIC SURGERY

BY DOCTOR GUY JOST

Professor at the Medical School of the Paris Hospitals

11-12 MAY 1979 in ROUEN, FRANCE

PROGRAMMING INFORMATION

TWELVE practice demonstrations in rhinoplastic surgery in three morning or afternoon sessions.

Symposium on the theory of rhinoplastic surgery, with description and discussion of each case.

Colour television relay (transmission from surgical microscope). Admittance in small groups to operating theatre. Meals and catering on the spot.

On Friday evening, grand closing dinner in the renowned cellars of the Ancient Order of Winetasters of Upper Normandy (a gastronomic and oenological celebration).

Enrolment fees including meals and dinner-party: 1,300 French Francs. Languages spoken: English and French. Number of participants limited. To enrol, please apply to:

Prof. Guy Jost, M.D., President of the Joseph Society, G.R.E.C.S., 34 rue Valmont de Bomare, 76100 Rouen, France.