# **General Notes**

#### TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

OFFERED BY

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL SCHOOL, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

COURSE DIRECTOR: STEVEN TELIAN, M.D.

1993: 3-7 May, 24-28 May, 18-22 October, 8-12 November

Intensive one-week courses emphasize the surgical and anatomical approaches to the temporal bone, and are presented in a manner relevant for the otologic surgeon, utilizing lectures, videotapes, and dissection.

Mornings and afternoons are spent in the dissection laboratory, giving extensive drilling experience in temporal bone anatomy and surgical techniques. All instruments and high-speed handpieces will be provided.

Course fee: Physicians US\$1,000; Residents US\$850.

For further information write:

Steven Telian, M.D., Taubman Medical Center, 1500 E. Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109-0312, U.S.A. Tel: (313) 936-7633.

# ST VINCENT'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY

# TEMPORAL BONE DISSECTION COURSE/OTOLOGY CONFERENCE

Special Guest: Dr Derald Brackmann

11-13 NOVEMBER, 1993

Course fee:

Dissectors: Aus\$800.00 Non-dissectors: Aus\$500.00

The format is a three-day Conference that is of televised surgery, formal lectures and informal round-table discussions. There are 22 places for supervised temporal bone dissection.

All enquiries to:

Dr P. A. Fagan 352 Victoria Street Darlinghurst NSW 2010 Tel. (02) 380 5900

# HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF CONTINUING EDUCATION

New Perspectives in Otolaryngology—Head and Neck Surgery

July 5-8, 1993

St. Thomas's Hospital London, England

sponsored by Department of Otology and Laryngology Harvard Medical School

and

Joint Center for Otolaryngology Beth Israel Hospital—Brigham & Women's Hospital

Departments of Otorhinolaryngology of the U.M.D.S. Guy's and St. Thomas's Medical and Dental School London, U.K.

Service D'Oto-Rhino-Laryngologie et de Chirurgie Cervico-Faciale Université René Descartes Faculté de Medicine, Necker Enfants Malades Hopital Laennec

> under the direction of Marvin P. Fried, M.D. Mr. John N.G. Evans Daniel Brasnu, M.D.

The third international symposium brings together outstanding faculty from the United States and European communities. The objectives of this course are to explore the most recent developments in Otolaryngology— Head and Neck Surgery and to place them in perspective regarding use for diagnosis and therapy. The talks will be designed to give both American and European views on such areas as skull base surgery, otology, pediatric otolaryngology, laryngology and voice disorders, neoplasia of the head and neck, facial-plastic surgery, endoscopic sinus surgery and new technology. The format will be by presentations and open question and answer sessions. The conference will be held in St. Thomas's Hospital in London.

#### **REGISTRATION INFORMATION:**

Tuition Fee, \$450 (U.S.). Please make check payable to Harvard Medical School and mail with application form to Harvard MED-CME, P.O. Box 825, Boston, MA 02117. All foreign payments must be made by a draft on a United States Bank. Inquiries should be directed to the above address or by phone: (617) 432–1525, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. (Eastern Time).

#### **REFUND POLICY:**

A handling fee of \$45 is deducted for cancellation. Tuition refund request must be received by mail one week prior to the course. No refund will be made thereafter.

#### TRAVEL:

Rooms have been reserved for registrants at various hotels in London. Upon receipt of your registration, information regarding accommodations and reduced airplane flights will be forwarded. GENERAL NOTES

#### TWJ FOUNDATION

### THE TRUSTEES OF THE TWJ FOUNDATION INVITE APPLICATIONS

for

#### AN OTOLOGICAL RESEARCH AND CLINICAL FELLOWSHIP

at THE COLEMAN LABORATORY, SAN FRANCISCO IN THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

for

### SIX MONTHS DURING 1994

The main emphasis will be on research projects in the Coleman Laboratory under the supervision of Professor Michael Merzenich but the holder will also have the opportunity to observe clinical work in the Department of Otolaryngology as the appointment has the approval of Dr Schindler.

Applicants must be Fellows of one of the Royal Colleges of Surgeons and a Senior Registrar in Otolaryngology in an appointment recognised for Higher Surgical Training in the United Kingdom or the Republic of Ireland.

Further details concerning applications should be obtained now from

The Trustees of the TWJ Foundation Courtlands, 61 Kingswood Firs, Grayshott, Hindhead,

Surrey GU26 6ER

The closing date for formal applications will be Saturday, 6th March 1993

### DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY, EDINBURGH

A REVISION COURSE IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY

will be held in the City Hospital, Edinburgh, from Monday 27 September to Friday 1 October 1993, inclusive.

The Course, which is intended for those preparing for post-graduate examinations, will cover all aspects of modern otolaryngological theory and practice.

Lectures will be given by senior members of staff of the department.

Course fee: £280.

Course organizer: Dr. A. I. G. Kerr.

Further particulars and application forms from:

Mrs A. J. Pryde, Unit Secretary, Department of Otolaryngology, City Hospital, Greenbank Drive, Edinburgh EH10 5SB. 175

# ANNOUNCEMENT

# THIRD NATIONAL HEAD & NECK ONCOLOGY CONFERENCE (Multidisciplinary Approach to Rehabilitation)

# APRIL 19-21 1994, NOTTINGHAM

*Supported by:* The College of Speech and Language Therapists The Association of Head and Neck Oncologists of Great Britain.

Call for papers (10 minutes presentation) and posters.

Full Social Programme/Exhibitions

Faculty to include National and International Speakers

Further details: Fiona Robinson/P. J. Bradley Combined Head and Neck Oncology Clinic, University Hospital, Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham, NG7 2UH. Fax number: (0602) 241653.

# THE 4TH OXFORD COURSE IN ENT RADIOLOGY

# 21-22 May 1993

This highly successful and intimate two-day course will cover aspects of modern imaging in otolaryngology, highlighting CT and MRI. The faculty includes both ENT surgeons and radiologists and delegates from both groups are welcomed. Informal tutorial teaching is emphasized.

Fee £150 (includes all refreshments and a memorable course dinner at Studley Priory).

Write for application form and details to:

Mrs Sue Cook Academic Secretary Department of Otolaryngology The Radcliffe Infirmary Oxford OX2 6HE Tel: 0865 224544 (am only)

# ADVERTISEMENT

National Head and Neck Oncology Conference, Liverpool, 7 and 8 May 1993.

International participants. Specialist surgical lectures, some parallel sessions. Appropriate for all disciplines.

Course fees excluding accommodation: £100 for surgeons

£50 for other disciplines

Contact: Headliners c/o 56c St John's Hill Grove, London SW11 1RG.

# THE ASSOCIATION OF HEAD AND NECK ONCOLOGISTS OF GREAT BRITAIN 25TH ANNUAL MEETING, EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND

## 24-26 August 1993

Programme to include:

Panel sessions—Basic Science, Advances in Tumour Treatment. Free paper presentation—A4, 250 words, before 5 March 1993.

Guest lecturer: Professor J. Shah, New York.

Further details:

Mr P. J. Bradley Honorary Secretary Department of ORL/Head and Neck Surgery Queens Medical Centre Nottingham NG7 2UH Fax: (0602) 241653

# SECOND WORLD CONGRESS ON LARYNGEAL CANCER

### SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

21-25 February 1994

On behalf of the Departments of Otolaryngology and Radiation Oncology, The Prince of Wales Hospital, Sydney, I extend to you a warm invitation to attend an International Meeting on Laryngeal Cancer.

The programme will cover all aspects of laryngeal cancer. Our theme will be to suggest future directions in research, diagnosis and management.

Congress Secretariat:

Please address all correspondence and enquiries to:

The Secretary, Conference Action Pty Ltd., PO Box 1231, North Sydney, NSW 2059, Australia Telephone: 02-956 8333/INT + 61 2 956 8333 Facsimile: 02-956 5154/INT + 61 2 956 5154

# **ARE YOU A SUBSCRIBER TO THE J.L.O?**

TEN good reasons why you should:

Each issue contains 40 per cent more material.

Main Articles, Case Reports and Short Communications from all over the world.

Quarterly Book Review Service.

Selected Abstract Service each month.

Period between acceptance and publication cut to six months or less.

Subscribers receive all supplements produced in that year.

Every 10 years, complete index issue published—included in the subscription (next issue will appear at the end of 1992). Reduced subscription rates for those in training (Registrars/Residents/Interns).

Subscription normally tax deductible. (Those in training should submit a certificate from the Head of the Department giving details of their appointment; those who qualify must supply their *home* address for mailing direct.)

The J.L.O. has now been published for more than a century and remains excellent value for money—so why not have your own individual copy and give yourself everyday access!

https://doi.org/10.1017/S0022215100122315 Published online by Cambridge University Press

# **Instructions to Authors**

**Review Articles.** Articles of this type, preferably not exceeding 3,000 words will be considered but the author(s) are expected to be a recognised authority on the topic and have carried out work of their own in the relevant field.

**Historical Articles**. Articles of this type are generally encouraged, but it is obvious that they have to provide some new information or interpretation, whether it be about a well-known person or for example an instrument associated with him, but those from within a Hospital's own department who have made a hitherto less well-known contribution would be welcome.

Letters to the Editor. This feature has been re-introduced to give those who wish to comment about a paper previously published within the Journal, an opportunity to express their views. Wherever possible, the original author is asked to add his further comment, thereby adding to the value of the contribution. Such letters should be sent as soon as possible after publication of each month's issue of the Journal in the hope of including them early thereafter.

Mini-papers, such as those which appear in the British Medical Journal, Lancet, or New England Journal of Medicine, will not be acceptable except on the rare occasion that they bring information of immediate interest to the reader.

**Pathology.** Articles which are of pathological interest with particular emphasis on the way the diagnosis was achieved now appear on a monthly or bi-monthly basis. It is hoped that clinicians will involve their pathologists in these reports, and all illustrations must be of first-class quality. Where a department, particularly those overseas, may not have such specialized facilities, it may be possible, if a block or several unstained sections are provided for our Adviser to produce or supplement the illustration submitted. Only contributions of particular pathological interest will be **é**cepted.

**Radiology.** Short reports on cases in which the radiology has been crucial in the making of the diagnosis or the management of a particular case now appear on a monthly or bi-monthly basis. This spot is to encourage clinicians and radiologists to produce material of particular interest in the specialty and to encourage co-operation in this field. Only presentations with first-class illustrations can be accepted and these must emphasise a problem of unusual clinical interest.

**Short Communications.** This feature will be used on an occasional basis. Examples of material suitable for inclusion under this title would be, for example: a piece of work which was of clinical interest but had failed to produce findings which were of statistical significance; where an investigative technique has been applied to an allied field, not warranting a further in-depth description of its earlier application and methodology.

'Silence in Court'. Articles on medicolegal topics are welcome but a preliminary letter written beforehand is requested to ensure that the contribution would be appropriate.

# **Check List for Authors/Secretaries**

 Title page—Titles should be short with names of the authors, higher degrees only and the city/country. Details of the departments in which the authors work should be put lower down. An address for correspondence should be supplied together with the author who should receive this; this

An address for correspondence should be supplied together with the author who should receive this; this will ultimately appear beneath the list of references. It the paper was presented at a meeting, the details of this must be given and will be inserted at the bottom of the first page of the printed script.

- 2. Abstract—No paper will be accepted without this and it adds considerably to the Editor's time to have to write and request this if the paper is accepted.
- 3. Key Words—only those appearing as Medical Subject Headings (MeSH) in the supplement to the Index Medicus may be used; where appropriate word(s) are not listed those dictated by common sense/usage should be supplied.
- 4. To follow the instructions to Authors with the way in which the paper is set out. It is preferred that each section should start on a fresh page with double spacing and wide margins.
- References must be in the Harvard system; to submit a paper using the Vancouver system is automatically to have it returned or rejected.
- 6. *Two* sets of illustrations must be included, one of half-plate size and the other with the width of 80 mm. Illustrations must be clearly labelled with the author's name on the reverse side and where appropriate with an arrow to give orientation.
- 7. Authors to check manuscript and references to see that these match up particularly for dates and spelling.
- 8. Title of Journals must be given in full with the date, volume number and first and *last* pages.
- 9. Consent to be obtained from a patient if a photograph of their face is to be reproduced.
- 10. If the author to whom correspondence is to be directed changes his address, he should let the Editorial Office know as soon as possible.
- 11. Page proofs will normally be sent out one month in advance and must be returned as soon as possible.
- 12. Authors should provide a Facsimile number (FAX) whenever possible to speed communication. The FAX number of the Editorial office is 0483 451874.
- 13. Manuscripts with tables only may be transmitted by FAX; those with graphic or visual illustrations, e.g. graphs, X-rays, pathology, electrical records (ENG, BSER etc) must continue to be sent by post as the quality of reproduction does not give sufficient accuracy of detail.

# The Journal of Laryngology and Otology

Vol 107

February 1993

Editorial Bone anchored hearing aids and prostheses: <i>D. W. Proops</i>	•
Obituary   Ronald Graeme MacBeth . . . . . 101	ł
Main ArticlesA review of patients attending a preliminary cochlear implant assessment clinic:R. T. Ramsden, R. C. D. Herdman, P. Boyd, E. Giles, J. Hamilton103	3
The mini-grommet and tympanosclerosis: results at two years: A. F. Dingle, L. M. Flood,B. U. Kumar, S. Hampal108	3
Transcranial translabyrinthine approach to vestibular schwannomas: J. D. Feghali, A. B. Kantrowitz	I
Brachytherapy for recurrent nasopharyngeal and naso-ethmoidal tumours: <i>J. D. Russell, N. R. Bleach, M. Glaser, A. D. Cheesman</i>	5
A guided approach to surgery for aspiration: two case reports: <i>M. Mendelsohn</i>	I
Tularemia: a differential diagnosis in oto-rhino-laryngology: S. H. G. Nordahl, T. Hoel,J. Olofsson, O. Scheel127	7
Radiotherapy and complications of laryngectomy: A. W. McCombe, A. S. Jones 130	)
Head and neck manifestations during HIV infection: <i>L. Barzan, M. Tavio, U. Tirelli,</i> <i>R. Comoretto</i>	3
Clinical Records Beware bleeding from the ear: D. G. John, M. J. Porter, C. A. van Hasselt	,
Respiratory obstruction associated with the use of the Brighton epistaxis balloon: J. P. Davis	).
Posterior epistaxis and the undeflatable Foley's urinary catheter balloon: A. T. K. Choy, D. G. John, C. A. van Hasselt	2
Renal derived epistaxis: I. J. M. Johnson, M. Ravi, J. B. Campbell	ŀ
Malignant schwannoma arising in a paranasal sinus: <i>I. Ngayama, T. Nishimura,</i> <i>M. Furukawa</i>	3
Nasopharyngeal carcinoma in an HIV-positive patient causing severe morbidity and early death: <i>J. Hald, P. L. Larsen</i>	)
Munchausen syndrome by proxy: otolaryngologists beware!: A. P. Bath, G. E. Murty, K. P. Gibbin	ł
Bay leaf: an unusual oesophageal foreign body: K. Ahmed, M. S. McCormick 153	3
Pathology in FocusEctopic cervical hamartomatous thymoma showing extensive myoid differentiation:A. Armour, J. M. S. Williamson155	5
Radiology in FocusRadiological diagnosis of spheno-choanal polyp: P. D. R. Spraggs<	;
Subtle diagnostic markers of orbital floor blow-out fracture on coronal CT scan: J. M. Rowe-Jones, E. J. Adam, V. Moore-Gillon	ł
Abstract Selection	3
Letters to the Editor	I
General Notes	3

Printed in Great Britain and published for the proprietors by Headley Brothers Ltd. The Invicta Press Ashford Kent and London