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3rd International Conference on Acoustic Neurinoma and Other CPA Tumors

Rome (Italy) 12-16 June 1999 Cavalieri Hilton Hotel

Organized by Mario Sanna M.D.

MAIN TOPICS

A) ACOUSTIC NEURINOMA

B) OTHER CPA TUMORS

- 1) Meningiomas of the CPA
- 2) Petrous Bone Meningiomas extended to the CPA
 - 3) Paragangliomas extended to the CPA
 - 4) Jugular Foramen Schwannomas
 - 5) Lipomas of CPA
 - 6) Petroclival Meningiomas
 - 7) Epidermoids

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THE SIXTH MEETING OF THE BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF ENT

Announcement of meeting and call for papers

The sixth meeting of the Society will be held at the

POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION CENTRE, CITY HOSPITAL NHS TRUST, DUDLEY ROAD, BIRMINGHAM B18 7QH

on

FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 1998

All trainees and specialists in ENT and allied specialties are welcome. It will also be of interest to anyone who is keen on the History of Medicine.

The programme will include lectures and presentations on different aspects of the History of Ear, Nose and Throat.

There will be a prize for the best

JUNIOR PRESENTATION

Abstracts of papers submitted should be of one A4 page and forwarded to:Miss S J Griffiths
The Postgraduate
Education Centre,
City Hospital NHS Trust,
Dudley Road,
Birmingham B18 7QH
Telephone No.
0121 507 4489/4980
(direct lines)

Registration Fee: £17.50 Students £10.00

Cheques to be made payable to:

CITY HOSPITAL NHS TRUST

Further information
Meeting Organiser
Mr A L Pahor
Consultant ENT Surgeon
City Hospital NHS Trust

The Trustees of the TWJ Foundation invite Applications for the following four **Fellowships:**

- 1. A clinical and research Otological Fellowship in the University of Cape Town, tenable at the Groote Schuur Hospital for six months during 1999. The holder will be Assistant to Professor Sean Sellars and will carry out both clinical and research work under his direction. This Fellowship gives wide practical experience in all aspects of the specialty, in addition to otology. The appropriate salary will be paid by the Leon Goldman Charitable Fund and the TWJ Foundation will make a grant of £4,000 to assist with travel expenses.
- 2. An Otological and Research Fellowship at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA, for six months during 1999, to enable the holder to gain experience in advanced otology and skull base surgery under the supervision of Professor Steven Telian, the Head of the Division of Otolaryngology and Neurootology, and to undertake research at the Kresge Hearing and Research Institute under the direction of Professor Josef Miller. The value of the Felowship will be £13,000.
- 3. An Otological Research Fellowship to work in the Coleman/Epstein Laboratory at the University of California, San Francisco, for six months during 1999. This Fellowship will offer the holder exposure to ear surgery including cochlear implantation, with the opportunity of attending grand rounds and meetings in the Department of Otolaryngology. The value of this Fellowship is £13,000.
- 4. TWJ/Toronto Hospital Fellowship at the University of Toronto. A six month combined clinical/research Fellowship in neurotology, skull base and advance otologic surgery is offered at the University of Toronto under the supervision of Drs Rutka and Hawke during 1999. Resources include the archival collection from the Ear Pathology Research Laboratory of the University of Toronto, the temporal bone dissection laboratory, the multidisciplinary neurotology clinic of the Toronto Hospital and the Advanced Center for Hearing and Balance Testing. Exposure to functional endoscopic sinus surgery and aspects of sleep medicine is also available. Fellows will have the unique opportunity to travel to Thailand and participate in an outreach programme with the Thai Rural Ear Nose and Throat Foundation. Attendance at all University and hospital based academic rounds and sponsored events will further enrich the Fellow's experience. Extension of this Fellowship with guaranteed match funding from the Toronto end is also possible for upwards of a further six months. The value of this Fellowship is £13,000

Applicants should send their curriculum vitae together with a letter of support from their Senior Consultant to:

> **David Wright, FRCS** Chairman — TWJ Foundation **Mount Alvernia Hospital Harvey Road** Guildford **Surrey GU1 3LX**

Closing date for applications: 31st August 1998.

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

of the British Association of Otorhinolaryngologists -Head and Neck Surgeons

Friday 18th September 1998 • The Royal College of Surgeons This meeting will attract 6 C.M.E. Credits

Programme

08.30 Registration ● Coffee ● Trade Exhibition

09.20 The President's Address Mr David Wright

09.40 EMERGENCIES IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY - EVIDENCE BASED MANAGEMENT

Chair: Prof. George Browning Prof. Tony Wright

Sudden sensorineural hearing loss * Foreign bodies in the aero-digestive tract Mr Grant Bates

Epistaxis Mr Gerald McGarry * Paediatric airway emergencies
11.00 Coffee • Trade Exhibition Mrs Susannah Leighton

11.30 THE GORDON SMYTH LECTURE

Personal investments in surgical decision making Mr Alan G. Kerr POP - UP POSTERS Chair:

Ten 3-minute presentations; 1 minute for questions; maximum three slides Lunch • Trade Exhibition

13.00 Lunch ● Trade Exhibition 14.00 THE YEARSLEY LECTURE

Mr Ian Mackay Endoscopic sinus surge 14.15 EMERGENCY SERVICES - WHO, WHERE AND WHEN?

Chair: Mr Patrick Bradley

* The conflict between emergency cover and sub-specialisation

Mr Alan Johnson Training in ORL-HNS emergencies Mr Robert Slack

Mr Michael Rothera

Cross cover between specialties and hospitals
 Tea
 Trade Exhibition

16.45 PRIVATE PRACTICE IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY Chair: Mr Tony Narula

* Current practice - findings of the BAO-HNS survey

Mr John Capper

 Expanding the private sector Dr Robert Hangartner (CMO, Guardian Health)

* Private and NHS practice - is there a conflict? Mr David Proops Private and NHS practice – can the NHS benefit? Mr Patrick Beasley

17.30 Close of meeting

19.00 Reception in the Museum at The College
19.30 Annual Dinner in the Council Room at The College (informal dress)

Registration fees: Consultants: £70 • Trainees: £45 • Dinner: £35 per person

Registration information and forms from: Barbara Komoniewska B.A. • B AO-HNS • 7

35-43 Lincoln's Inn Fields • London WC2A 3PN



The advertisement for the Fourth Annual Endoscopic Sinus Surgery Course in the June issue was inadvertently printed with several errors. The corrected version appears in this issue on the inside back cover.

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The Royal Hospitals Trust 2nd Rhinoplasty and Septal Surgery Course

Thursday 10th and Friday 11th September, 1998

The Robin Brook Centre,

St Bartholomew's Hospital, London

Course Organisers: Guy Kenyon, Andrew Prior and

Jeff Wilson

Faculty to include: Nick jones (Nottingham)

Charles East (London)
Tony Moss (London)

Clinical Anatomy and Physiology

Anaesthesia

Facial Analysis and Clinical Documentation

Septoplasty - Septal Reconstruction

Turbinate Surgery – Alar Valve Surgery

Closed and Open Rhinoplasty Techniques

Surgery of the Nasal Tip

Cleft Lip Rhinoplasty

The course is particularly suitable for surgeons and trainees in otolaryngology and plastic surgery. Numbers limited to 25.

14 CME POINTS

The course fee is £295 (to include lunch, refreshment and course dinner)

Full details and application form from:

Mrs R Doyle, Department of Otolaryngology,

The Royal London Hospital,

London E1 1BB

Tel: 0171-377 7430 e-mail: 100432.321@compuserve.com

SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON

CHOLESTEATOMA AND EAR SURGERY

June 29th to July 2nd 2000 Cannes Côte d'Azur - France

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ORGANIZING SECRETARIAT: M C O Congres

255, av du Prado 13008 Marseille France Tel: 33 4 91 78 90 74 – Fax: 33 4 91 78 90 71 E.mail: mcocongres@aix.pacwan.net

The British, Netherlands and Scandinavian Associations of Head and Neck Oncologists



Joint Meeting to be held at The Royal Society of Medicine, London October 5th, 6th and 7th 1998

Registration £50 for each day

Monday, October 5tb:

<u>Carcinoma of the larynx</u> with a focus on primary conservation surgery, as well as radiotherapy and chemotherapy. There will be speakers from France, amongst the contributors from northern Europe.

<u>Tumour Biology</u> – Latest developments will be covered in the afternoon programme.

Tuesday, October 6tb:

Imaging – A wide ranging programme with invited speakers from the three associations.

Wednesday, October 7th:

<u>Salivary gland malignancy</u> also less common malignancies of the head and neck

Oral cavity and Oropharyngeal Malignancy surgical and radiotherapeutic aspects

The programme is to include a discussion on the development of training programmes for head and neck surgeons. Members of the associations will be contacted with full details of the program

Further details are available from:
Hon. Secretary Mr M. Hardingham F.R.C.S.
Dept. of Head and Neck Surgery, Gloucester Royal Hospital
Great Western Road, Gloucester GL1 3NN UK
Tel: 01452 394574 Fax: 01452 394432
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ELEVENTH FUNCTIONAL ENDOSCOPIC SINUS SURGERY COURSE

AND

KTP/532 WORKSHOP

CME Accredited by BAO-NHS (23 Points) Approved by European Laser Association (ELA)

Tyrone County Hospital, Omagh, N. Ireland 8th – 11th September 1998

A two day course in Functional Endoscopic Sinus Surgery with hands on nose-sinus endoscopy will instruct the participant with an in-depth account of both morbid and endoscopic anatomy, pathophysiology, diagnosis including imaging techniques and surgical approach with post operative care. Complications and how to prevent them will be discussed in detail.

The course is aided by profuse illustrations, video presentations and live surgery.

The two day KTP/532 workshop aims to instruct the surgeons in both basic concepts and the varied applications in ENT and Head and Neck surgery including tissue interactions of various lasers. The latest techniques with KTP Laser in Tonsillectomy, Functional Endoscopic Sinus Surgery, UP3 and microlaryngeal surgery are discussed by didactic lectures and video presentations.

Live Tonsillectomy surgery will be performed with KTP/532 laser on several patients. The delegates will have 'hands on' training with KTP/532 Laser system with various animal tissue and pig's larynx with micromanipulator.

The course has a limited number of places and these will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

Course Director: Mr S. K. Kaluskar, M.S., F.R.C.S., D.L.O.(Eng.)
Further information from: Mrs. Martina Corrigan, Tyrone County
Hospital, OMAGH, Co. Tyrone, N. Ireland BT79 0AP.
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The ENT Surgeon looks at the Orbit

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20 Years Experience with Homografts in Ear Surgery

by Christian Betow

The author, a professor of Otolaryngology in West Berlin, gives a full account of his pioneering development of homograft materials in reconstructive surgery of the middle ear.

Pp 28 Printed 1982

Retail £10.00 (US\$20.00)

Experimental and Clinical Studies in Otitis Media with Effusion

by Jamsheed A. Khan

An experimental and clinical study on the effects of Carbocisteine on fluid in the middle ear.

Pp 28 Printed 1983

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Proceedings of the Sixth British Academic Conference in Otolaryngology

Edited by John Ballantyne and John Booth

Pp 134 Printed 1983

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Second International Tinnitus Seminar

Chairman: Abraham Shulman

A comprehensive study of the problems and treatment of tinnitus. Pp 323 Printed 1984

Retail £20.00 (US\$40.00)

Forensic Audiology

by Chuang Wei Ping

A clear concise and practical guide to industrial hearing damage by a barrister/physician. This is an unusual and highly specialised aide memoire for the personal injuries practitioner, well illustrated with recent case law. A commendable enterprise by the author.

Pp 57 Printed 1986

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The Acute Orbit

Preseptal (Periorbital) cellulitis subperiosteal abscess and orbital cellulitis due to sinusitis.

by J. R. Moloney, N. J. Badham and A. McRae

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Nasal Mast Cells: A Preliminary Report on their Ultrastructure

by A. B. Drake-Lee, F.R.C.S.

The ultrastructural morphology of mast cells in the nose and the adenoids are compared. Normal cells have a very varied morphology with electron dense granules which have scrolls occasionally. Cells from patients with perennial allergic rhinitis show variable degranulation in all areas examined. Few cells were seen in the surface epithelium. Cells from the adenoids had different degrees of degranulation which suggests that mast cell reactions are not a constant feature.

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Surgical Anatomy of Structures Adjacent to the Thyroid Apex and Post-operative Voice Change (A Review Including Dissection)

by K. L. Yerzingatsian, F.R.C.S.

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by Valerie Joan Lund, M.S., F.R.C.S.

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by R. P. Mills, M. Phil., F.R.C.S.

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Acquired Subglottic Stenosis

by John M. Graham, F.R.C.S.

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The University College Hospital/Royal National Institute for the Deaf Cochlear Implant Programme

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Place-pitch and vowel-pitch comparisons in cochlear implant patients using the Melbourne-Nucleus cochlear implant

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by R. L. Blair, W. S. McKerrow, N. W. Carter and A. Fenton

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Retail £15.00 (US\$30.00)

The Birmingham Bone Anchored Hearing Aid Programme 1988–1995

Departments of Otolaryngology and Audiology, University Hospital, NHS Trust, Birmingham

Pp 52 Printed December 1996

Retail £15.00 (US\$30.00)



EVENTS, COURSES AND CONFERENCES

JULY 1998

Minimally Invasive Techniques and Image Guided Surgery in ENT and Skull Base Surgery

July 2-4, 1998 Toulouse, France

Preliminary programme: Neuronavigation Materials in the OR.

Image Guided Surgery. Endoscopic Sinus and Anterior Skull Base Surgery. Minimally Invasive Techniques in Posterior

Fossa and Skull Base. Per-operative Imaging and Advances in

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Minimally Invasive Surgery and

Otoendoscopy.

Minimally Invasive Surgery and Endoscopy in

Rhinology. Professor Bernard Fraysse Professor Elie Serrano

Information:

Information: Gisèle Bovissou, ENT Department, Clinique Dieulafoy, CHU PURPAN, 31059 Toulouse Cedex, France Tel: +33 561 77 2401

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eMail: fraysse@mail.cict.fr

Xth International Course on Endoscopic Surgery of the Paranasal Sinuses

July 7-11, 1998 Brussels, Cologne

Information: Free University Hospital Brussels (AZ-VUB)

Drussels (AZ-VOB)
Department of ENT, Head and Neck Surgery
Mrs K Nuyts
Secretariat Prof P Clement

Laarbeeklaan 101 B-1090 Brussels

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July 28-August 1, 1998 For further information: AHR Congress Services
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August 1998

Practical Courses in Otorhinolaryngology Head & Neck Surgery of The University Hospital of Zurich - Switzerland

Zurich, Switzerland

Anatomical Institute of University Zurich Director: Prof. Dr. P. Groscurth

1. Otological (Lateral) Skull Base Surgery August 17–20

Course director: Prof. Dr. U. Fisch,

PD Dr. Schmid, Dr. T. Linder Microsurgery of The Temporal Bone August 21–22

Course director: Prof. Dr. U. Fisch, Dr. T. Linder

Microsurgery of Paranasal Sinuses August 24–26

Course director: Dr. D. Simmen
4. Head and Neck Surgery
August 26–28

Course director: PD Dr. S. Schmid Information: Mrs. A. Rapold ENT-Department, University Hospital CH-8091 Zurich, Switzerland Fax: 0041 1 255 41 64

SEPTEMBER 1998

14th Congress of the European Association for Cranio **Maxillofacial Surgery**

September 1-5, 1998

Helsinki, Finland

The main topics are bioresorbable materials, cranio-maxillofacial rehabilitation including implants and prosethetics, TMJ-surgery and arthroscopy and laser therapy. All other fields of cranio-maxillofacial surgery will also be covered.

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11th Combined British **Universities Advanced Otology** Course

September 6-11, 1998

Belfast, Northern Ireland

This course is aimed at Consultants

Accredited Specialists and those in Year 4-6

Specialist Register Grade.

For further information: Mrs I Dickon

Regional Cochlear Implant Centre Middle Dufferin

Belfast City Hospital, Belfast Tel: 01232 263603 Fax: 01232 263549

The Royal Hospitals Trust 2nd **Rhinoplasty and Septal Surgery** Course

September 10-11 1998

The course is particularly suitable for surgeons and trainees in otolaryngology and plastic surgery. CME applied for. Numbers limited to 25.

Full details and application form from:

Mrs R Doyle

Dept of Otolaryngology

The Royal London Hospital

London El 1BB

Tel: 0171 377 7430

eMail: 100432.321@compuserve.com

XXth International Bárány Society Meeting September 12–15, 1998

Würzburg, Germany

Pre-congress events:
The Role of the Vestibular System for The Kole of the Vestibular System for Oculomotor, Spinal and Perceptual Functions September 9–11 Freiberg Symposium of the Japanese Afternystagmus Study Group at Würzburg September 11–12, 1988

Post congress tours:

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Symposium on Neurotosurgery at the EuroMed-Clinic Fürth by Nürnberg
September 16–17, 1998
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One Week Residential Course 2nd Birmingham International Multidisciplinary Head and Neck Course

September 14-18, 1998

Birmingham, UK All enquiries: Mr Watkinson's Secretary, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham Tel: 0721 627 2295

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September 14-18, 1998

Edinburgh, Scotland The course which is intended for those preparing for post graduate examinations, will cover all aspects of modern Otolaryngological

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Mrs A J Pryde, Unit Secretary
Dept of Otolaryngology, City Hospital
Greenbank Drive, Edinburgh EH10 5SB
Tel: 0131 536 6395 Fax: 0131 536 6167

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in Cochlear Implantation September 19-22, 1998

Nottingham, UK

Information: Conference Secretariat

Information: Conference Secr Medical Physics Department, Queen's Medical Centre, Nottingham NG7 2UH, UK Tel: +44 (0) 115 970 9131 Fax: +44 (0) 115 942 2745

eMail: Colin.Barber@nottingham.ac.uk

4th Dundee Course in Middle Ear Surgery for Senior Registrars and Registrars

September 21-22, 1998

Dundee. Scotland

A two day course aimed Specialist Registrar year 1–4. The course will cover the principles and practices of stapedectomy and ossiculoplasty supported by tutorials, discussions, videos and practical sessions. The participants

will be given "hands on" training on specially designed and temporal bone models during the practical sessions. Faculty will include Mr R Mills (Dundee), Mr Brian O'Reilly

(Glasgow) and Mr William McKerrow (Inverness) Mr J Growther (Glasgow).

MATTUS approved. Contact Julie Struthers, Surgical Skills Unit,

Ninewells Hospital and Medical School, Dundee DD1 9SY.

Tel: 01382 645857 Fax: 01382 646042

ENT revision/Fellowship course

September 23-25 1998

Sheffield, England

Suitable for candidates for the 'part II' Fellowship, the course is also a revision aid for Senior House Officers and those entering

the Sp.R grade.

Enquiries/registration: Nicki Glover

ENT Department Royal Hallamshire Hospital Sheffield S10 2JF

Tel: 0114 2712784

Fax: 0114 2711985

Skull Base Surgical Dissection Course

September 24-26, 1998

Paris, France
43 CME credits
For further information contact:

Secretary of the course Socièté d'Otologie Pratique (S.O.P.) 23 Rue Cauchoix

95170 Devil-La Barre

Paris, France
Tel: 33 1 48 22 60 92 or 33 1 34 12 63 39

Fax: 33 1 49 40 06 43

2nd Scottish Advanced Rhinoplasty Skills Course: Open Structure Septorhinoplasty

September 24-25, 1998

Dundee, Scotland
The University of Dundee Departments of Otolaryngology and Anatomy will hold an intensive practical training course on Open Structure Rhinoplasty at the University Department of Anatomy and at Ninewells Hospital and Medical School on Thursday

24th and Friday 25th September 1998. The course will include tutorials on surgical technique, nasal tip surgery, cartilage grafting and revision rhinoplasty. Each tutorial will be fol-lowed up by individual "hands on" cadavar based anatomical dissection exercises. Live operating demonstrations will also be used to

further illustrate the technique The Faculty comprises: paul White (Dundee).
Robin Blair (Dundee), Nigel Padgam

(Canterbury), Brian Bingham (Glasgow) and Gerald McGarry (Glasgow). The course will be most suitable for consulthe course will be most suitable for consul-tants and specialist registrars with some expe-rience in rhinoplasty who wish to update to the open approach and expand their surgical repertoire. To accommodate anatomy dissection training places on the course are limited to 10 delegates only. The fee is £490 which includes lunches and the course dinner on

24th September. Further details:

Mrs M Bishop (mornings only)
Department of Otolaryngology
Ninewells Hospital and Medical School
Dundee DD1 9SY
Tel: 01382 660 111 ext 2726
Fax: 01382 632816

email: paulw@dth.scot.nhs.uk

The Sixth Meeting of the British Society for the History of ENT

September 25, 1998 Birmingham, England

All trainees and specialists in ENT and allied specialties are welcome.

It will also be of interest to anyone who is keen on the history of medicine The programme will include lectures and

presentations on different aspects of the history of Ear, Nose and Throat.

Further information:

Meeting Organiser Mr A L Pahor

Consultant ENT surgeon

City Hospital NHS Trust Dudley Road Birmingham B18 7QH

Temporal Bone Surgical

Dissection Course

September 26-30, 1998 Savannah, Georgia, USA For information, contact

Shirley Johnson, RN, MSA Medical Education Department

Memorial Medical Center P.O. Box 23089

Savannah, Georgia 31403 3089 Tel: 912 350 7365 Fax: 912 350 8998

Anatomical workshop for Laryngeal Framework Surgery

September 29, 1998

Dundee, Scotland

A one day practical course for Senior Otolaryngology trainees and Consultants who wish to develop and extend their surgical

skills in Laryngeal Framework Surgery. Further details and registration form are available from Julie Struthers,

Unit Co-ordinator. Unit Co-ordinator, Surgical Skills Unit, Ninewells Hospital and Medical School, Dundee DD9 1SY. Tel: 01382 645857

Fax: 01382 646042

Остовея 1998

Advaned Endoscopic Sinus Surgery Course

October 1-3 1998 Savannah, Georgia, USA Presented by the Memorial Georgie Ear

Contact: Shirley Johnson, RN, MSA Tel +912 350 7365 Fax: +912 350 8998 eMail: JohnSh1@memorialmed.com

Otorhinolaryngological Research Society Autumn Meeting

October 2, 1998

London

Closing date for abstracts 15 July 1998
Information and abstracts:

Closing date for abstracts:
Information and abstracts:
Mr Ian Johnson, Secretary ORS
Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham
Tel: 0115 924 9924 Fax: 0115 970 9748

Joint Meeting of the British, Netherlands and Scandinavian Associations of Head and Neck Oncologists

October 5–7, 1998 London Further details from: Hon. Secretary Mr M Hardingham, FRCS Department of Head and Neck Surgery Gloucester Royal Infirmay Great Western Road Gloucester GL1 3NN UK Tel: 01452 394 547 Fax: 01452 394 432

An Endoscopic Approach to Rhinosinusitus

October 7-10 1998

London

Applications and other details: Institute of Laryngolgoy and Otology 330-332 Gray's Inn Road London WC1X 8EE Tel: 0171 915 1514/92 Fax: 0171 837 9279

Danube Symposium International Otolaryngologic Congress

October 7-10, 1998
Bratislava, Slovak Republic
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1999 MARCH

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