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ORL/HEAD AND NECK—SECOND ASEAN CONGRESS

THE Second Asean ORL/Head and Neck Congress will be held at Genting Highlands Resort in Malaysia from 14-17 April 1984.

Highlights include Guest Lectures, Quiz, Plenary and Instructional sessions. Four simultaneous sessions daily will cover Otology, Maxillofacial, Head and Neck and General Surgery. Free papers, posters and film presentations are invited.

Pre-Congress courses in 'Lasers in Medicine and Surgery' and 'Endoscopy of the Head and Neck' will be held in Kuala Lumpur. Post-Congress Tours to Malaysia, Thailand, Singapore, Indonesia and Philippines.

Details from: Professor Madya Imran Gurbachan, Head Department of ORL/Head and Neck Surgery, Faculty of Medicine, National University of Malaysia, P.O. Box 2418. Jalan Raja Muda, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC CONFERENCE ON IMMUNOLOGY AND IMMUNOPATHOLOGY AS APPLIED TO OTOLOGY AND RHINOLOGY

UTRECHT, THE NETHERLANDS,

11-12 April 1984

Organized by the Department of Otorhinolaryngology, University of Utrecht, The Netherlands.

Otology chairmen:

Professor Brian McCabe, Iowa City, Iowa, U.S.A.

Dr. Jan E. Veldman, Utrecht, The Netherlands.

Rhinology chairmen: Dr. Niels Mygind, Copenhagen, Denmark.

Professor Dr. E. H. Huizing, Utrecht, The Netherlands.

A conference with an international guest faculty from the disciplines of Immunology, Immunopathology and Otorhinolaryngology has been organized to discuss new clinical and fundamental problems in the science of otology and rhinology.

Requests for further information to:

Dr. Jan E. Veldman, Department of Otorhinolaryngology, University of Utrecht, P.O. Box 16250, 3500 CG Utrecht. The Netherlands.

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COURSE OF TEMPORAL BONE DISSECTION

Sponsored by ENT Department of

San Juan De Dios Hospital, Barcelona (Spain)

and

THE PORTMANN FOUNDATION, BOURDEAUX (FRANCE)

7, 8 AND 9 NOVEMBER 1983

Course Directors: Pedro Claros, M.D., Ph.D., (Barcelona, Spain) and Jean Pierre Bebear, M.D., Ph.D., (Bourdeaux, France).

A three-day course in wet Temporal Bone dissection designed for the practicing Otologist who wants to refresh his surgical techniques and to learn advanced surgical procedures.

Each dissection in the well equipped temporal bone laboratory will be preceded by videotape instruction and closed circuit television demonstrations. Stress will be placed on temporal bone dissection and individualized instruction, with a minimum of laboratory lectures.

Tuition Fee: \$270; Limited Enrolment.

For registration and further information, please write to:

Pedro Claros, M.D., Ph.D., Department of ENT, Hospital San Juan De Dios, Carretera de Esplugas s/n, Barcelona-34, Spain.

17TH COURSE IN NASAL PLASTIC AND SEPTAL SURGERY

7-10 FEBRUARY 1984

AT THE INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY

in association with

THE ROYAL NATIONAL THROAT, NOSE AND EAR HOSPITAL GRAY'S INN ROAD, LONDON WC1X 8EE

A four-day surgical teaching course in practical rhinoplasty and surgery of the septum, including lectures and operations, with an opportunity to assist with the surgery. There is colour television demonstration of the operations, and video-tape teaching sessions with cadaver dissections. The faculty is chosen from recognized authorities in otolaryngology, general plastic surgery, and oral surgery.*

Course Organiser: T. R. Bull.

*Surgical Faculty: T. R. Bull, Michael Hackett, Professor Malcolm Harris, Ian Mackay,

Claus Walter.

Registration Fee: £276.

Applications to: The Dean's Secretary, Institute of Laryngology and Otology, 330/332 Gray's Inn Road, London WC1X 8EE.

FACIAL SOFT TISSUE SURGERY COURSE

13-15 FEBRUARY 1984

at THE INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY

in association with

THE ROYAL NATIONAL THROAT, NOSE AND EAR HOSPITAL GRAY'S INN ROAD, LONDON WC1X 8EE

A three-day surgical teaching course involving cadaver operations, video-tape teaching sessions, lectures, operations with an opportunity to assist with the surgery. Otoplasty, mentoplasty, face incisions and scar revisions are amongst the subjects to be covered.

Course organiser: T. R. Bull Registration fee: £212

Applications to: The Dean's Secretary, Institute of Laryngology and Otology, 330/332 Gray's Inn Road, London WC1X 8EE.

COURSE IN SURGERY OF THE NOSE AND PARANASAL SINUSES 1-6 April 1984

University of Bristol

THE above course is suitable for all levels and will consist of theoretical lectures and demonstrations in all aspects of anatomy, pathology, investigation and treatment of nasal and paranasal sinus conditions.

The speakers will include Professor W. R. Hudson of Duke University, North Carolina, and a number of British speakers.

The course fee of £300 is inclusive of accommodation and meals.

Further details from Mr Mansel V. Griffiths, F.R.C.S., Course Organizer, Department of Otolaryngology, Bristol Royal Infirmary, Bristol BS2 8HW. Closing date for applications—29 February 1984. (Only a limited number of places are available.)

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council on 8 December 1983 will elect a member of the Court of Examiners as follows to take office on 12 January 1984:

OTOLARYNGOLOGY—one examiner to be elected.

Fellows of the College desirous of becoming candidates for the office must make application by letter to the Secretary of the College on or before 28 October 1983, stating their date of birth in the application. (A member will not normally be elected or re-elected after his or her 62nd birthday.)

R. S. JOHNSON-GILBERT, O.B.E., M.A., HON.F.F.A.R.C.S., Secretary

35/43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN.

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THE TWJ FOUNDATION

The Trustees of the TWJ Foundation invite applications for

AN OTOLOGICAL CLINICAL AND RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

tenable at
The Department of Otolaryngology, Ann Arbor
in the University of Michigan

in the University of Michigan for six months commencing April 1984

PROFESSOR Malcolm Graham will act as Clinical Tutor to the Fellow, where emphasis will be on neuro-otology and skull bone surgery. The Fellow will also participate in a research project in the Kresge Laboratory under the direction of Dr. Merle Lawrence.

Applicants must be Fellows of one of the Royal Colleges of Surgeons and a Senior Registrar in Otolaryngology in an appointment recognized for Higher Surgical Training. Further details concerning applications should be obtained *now* from:

The Trustees of the TWJ Foundation, Rustlings, Grayshott, Hindhead, Surrey GU26 6DP.

The closing date for formal applications will be Saturday, 5 November 1983.

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSES OFFERED BY

THE DEPARTMENT OF OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL SCHOOL, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

MALCOLM D. GRAHAM, M.D.—COURSE DIRECTOR

31 October-4 November 1983 14-18 November 1983 9-14 January 1984 9-13 April 1984

11-15 June 1984 24-28 September 1984 15-19 October 1984 12-16 November 1984

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 is \$1,000.00.

For further information write: Malcolm D. Graham, M.D.,

Department of Otorhinolaryngology,

University of Michigan,

Ann Arbor,

Michigan 48109,

U.S.A.

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1st INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON FIBRINOGEN GLUE AND ITS APPLICATIONS IN OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGY, MAXILLO-FACIAL SURGERY, PLASTIC SURGERY, NEURO-SURGERY

BORDEAUX, FRANCE

18-19 NOVEMBER 1983

President:

Pr. M. Portmann

Organizing Committee: Pr. Ag. J.-P. Bebear Dr. M. Bagot D'Arc

Scientific Committee:

Pr. J. Baudet (Plastic surgery)

Pr. P. Leman (Neuro-surgery)

Pr. F. X. Michelet (Maxillo-facial surgery)

Pr. M. Portmann (ENT Surgery)

TOPICS: Basic views.

Clinical utilization in:

ENT.

Maxillo-facial surgery.

Plastic surgery. Neuro-surgery.

Advantage, limits and future of fibrinogen glue.

(English/French with simultaneous translation)

Lectures and panels in plenary session with participation of outstanding international faculty of guest speakers.

For further information write to Symposium Secretariat, Clinique ORL, Tripode, Place Amélie-Raba-Léon, 33076 Bordeaux, France.

TEMPORAL BONE SURGERY COURSES

21-28 November 1983

25 November-2 December 1983

Course Tutor: Mr. D. Bagger-Sjöbäck

Faculty:

Mr. A. D. Cheesman

Mr. A. Corcoran

Professor L. Michaels

Dr. P. Phelps

Mr. N. Shah

Participants on these courses will do dissections and practise surgery of the ear upon wet temporal bones. There will be lectures covering the basic aspects as well as the surgical techniques of ear surgery. Video-taped surgical demonstrations will be given covering the standard procedures in current middle-ear surgery.

The number of students on each course is limited to eight. Course fee: £200 (includes morning coffee, lunch and tea).

Applications to the Dean's Secretary, 330/332 Gray's Inn Road, London, WC1X 8EE.