### General notes

### THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY

## BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES COURSE IN SEPTO-RHINOPLASTY

A course on the surgery of both the nasal septum and external nasal pyramid will be held at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital from 19-23 July 1976.

The course is primarily intended for Consultants and Senior Registrars. Although comprehensive, it should be suitable for novices in this field.

In addition to the lectures there will be numerous operative demonstrations, films and Cadaver dissections.

Enrolment for the course is strictly limited to 24 and early application is advised.

Enquiries to:

Mrs. V. R. Gilbert, Administrative Assistant, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham B15 2TJ.

Course Fee: £85.00.

#### WORLD CONGRESS OF OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGY

THE World Congress of Oto-Rhino-Laryngology will be held in Buenos Aires Argentina on 13—15 March 1977.

For information apply to the Secretary General:

Prof. Santiago A. Arauz, Av. Roque S. Peña 1110-2 piso. Buenos Aires, Argentina.

#### FACIAL NERVE SURGERY

THE HILD INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON FACIAL NERVE SURGERY' WILL BE HELD IN ZÜRICH, SWITZERLAND, FROM 9 TO 12 AUGUST 1976.

EMINENT invited speakers of all specialities involved in the treatment of facial nerve disorders will discuss the diagnostic techniques, surgical indications, recent advances in management of facial nerve palsy, and the classification of results.

For further information write to Prof. U. Fisch, Department of Otorhinolaryngology, Kantonsspital, 8091 Zürich, Switzerland.

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### INSTITUTE OF SOUND AND VIBRATION RESEARCH

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHAMPTON

### A SHORT COURSE ON ELECTRO-PHYSIOLOGICAL TESTING IN NEURO-OTOLOGY

PART I VESTIBULAR FUNCTION (MONDAY & TUESDAY, 19-20 JULY 1976)

PART II AUDITORY EVOKED RESPONSES (WEDNESDAY TO FRIDAY 21-23 JULY 1976)

Intended for otologists, neurologists, scientific officers, physiological measurement and physics technicians. Application is being made for inclusion under the Advanced Post-graduate Training Scheme which, if approved, will enable consultants and senior registrars to get DHSS central funding for the full course. Registrants can take either or both parts. The number of registrants will be limited to 24 (Part I) and 18 (Part II). Early application for a provisional registration is advised. Course fees (non-residential\*) are £32 for Part I, £48 for Part II.

Further information may be obtained from Mrs. O. G. Hyde, ISVR Conference Secretary, The University, Southampton SO<sub>9</sub> 5NH. Telephone Southampton (0703 in some cases) 559122 Extension 2310/2288(audiologysecretariat).

\* Help can be given in finding suitable hotel accommodation or a single room in one of the student halls (approximate cost £5 per night dinner bed and breakfast) if required.

# EUROPEAN SYMPOSIUM: "NEUROPHYSIOLOGY OF HEARING: INTERPRETATION OF HUMAN ELECTROPHYSIOLOGICAL DATA"

BORDEAUX, 20, 21, 22, MAY 1976 Simultaneous translation French/English

Organized by M. Portmann and J.-M. Aran, Bordeaux

Sponsored by the European Economic Community (Medical Research Committee—Ad hoc Working Group on Deafness)

Invited Speakers (45 minutes lectures):

A. Antonelli (Italy)

J.-M. Aran (France)

H. A. BEAGLEY (England)

E. BIONDI (Italy)

R. Brix (Austria)

J. DARROUZET (France)

J. J. EGGERMONT (Holland)

C. Elberling (Denmark)

M. Hoke (Germany)

S. IURATO (Italy)

W. D. KEIDEL (Germany)

R. PUJOL (France)

H. SPOENDLIN (Switzerland)

G. STANGE (Germany)

S. D. G. STEPHENS (England)

K. TERKILDSEN (Denmark)

A. R. D. THORNTON (England)

Registration to M. PORTMANN, 114 Avenue d'Arès—33000 BORDEAUX. Registration fees: 350.00 F.F. to M. PORTMANN.

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### THE AMERICAN NEUROTOLOGY SOCIETY announces UPDATE NEUROTOLOGY

16, 17, 18, SEPTEMBER 1976

Address inquiries to:

Kenneth H. Brookler, M.D., Lenox Hill Hospital. 100 East 77th Street, New York, New York 10021.

Registration Fee: \$100

### CLINICAL AUDIOLOGY COURSE

### **MARCH 1976**

A FURTHER non-residential Course in Clinical Audiology will be given by the Operational Acoustics and Audiology Group of the Institute of Sound and Vibration Research during the period 29 March to 2 April, 1976. The course, is intended primarily for specialists in otolaryngology and trainees in the speciality and will consist of lectures and demonstrations of the latest audiological and vestibulometric techniques.

To prevent overcrowding of demonstrations, the course number will be limited to twenty-four, and early application is therefore advised.

The course is now recognized by the D.H.S.S. under its Advanced Postgraduate Training scheme.

Further information may be obtained from the I.S.V.R. Conference Secretary (Mrs. O. G. Hyde), The University, Southampton SO<sub>9</sub> 5NH. Telephone: Southampton (0703) 559122—Extension 2130.

### IMPEDANCE MEASUREMENT COURSE at BRUNEL UNIVERSITY

27-29 April 1976

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.

Lecturers are Mr. M. J. Bennet, Brunel University, Dr. R. W. Keith, University of Cincinatti Medical School, Mr. Knud Terkildsen, University Hospital, Blegdamsvej, Copenhagen. Sponsored by Linco Acoustic Ltd.

Further information from Mrs. R. Sanders, Industrial Services Bureau, Brunel University, Uxbridge, Middlesex. Tel. 39234 answering service.