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TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

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COURSE DIRECTOR: STEVEN TELIAN, M.D.

16-20 November 1992:

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 \$1,000; Residents \$750.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The 28th Postgraduate Course in Ear Surgery will be held from April 18-April 23, 1993 in Nijmegen, The Netherlands.

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29 March-2 April 1993

The next annual course has been arranged by the ISVR for 29 March–2 April 1993. It is an advanced audiology course aimed primarily for specialists in otolaryngology and trainees in the specialty. It will be of particular benefit for consultants, senior registrars, registrars and for all candidates who are preparing for the final ENT fellowship examinations. The course contains information and demonstrations of the latest audiological and vestibulometric techniques.

Subjects covered will include:

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The 29th Head and Neck Course

The course this year will be held in Edinburgh from 21–23 January 1993.

Further details available from Mrs A. White, Otolaryngology Unit, Lauriston Building, The Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh EH3 9EN.

The course fee is £310.00 and the Faculty includes Professor A. G. D. Maran, Professor G. Snow and Mr D. Howard.

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.

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