General Notes

THE XOMED PRIZE 1989

ENTRIES ARE INVITED FOR THE 1989 PRIZE FOR OTOLARYNGOLOGY

- ★ The Prize consists of a fully-sponsored visit to the American Academy of Otolaryngology Meeting In New Orleans, Louisiana, from 24–28 September 1989 together with a tour of Xomed's manufacturing facility in Jacksonville, Florida.
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- ★ Entrants should submit a written paper, which may be on any subject, but must be unpublished, and must not have been submitted previously for the Xomed, or other prizes.
- ★ The winning entry will be the one which is considered to be "The most significant contribution to Otolaryngology."
- ★ Entries will be judged by senior members of the speciality.

Please send 4 copies of your entry to the following address:

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Division of Zimmer Ltd
Dunbeath Road
SWINDON SN2 6EA
Attention Mr P. J. Smith

to arrive no later than Friday 13 January 1989

Receipt of all entries will be acknowledged.

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1986 Adrian Drake-Lee

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to be held at

NOTTINGHAM UNIVERSITY

on 16-19 April, 1989

In association with the Nottingham School of Audiology, the ninth 3-day course of lectures with discussion, video films, and practical session will be held on the causes, scientific background, investigation and management of tinnitus. The course fee (including accommodation for 3 nights, lunches, dinner and a course dinner) will be £195.00. Numbers will be strictly limited to a maximum of 48. The course is suitable for otologists, audiological physicians, scientists, technicians and hearing therapists. It is preferable that when the course is attended by a consultant, he/she be accompanied by an audiological staff member from the same hospital.

Further enquiries and place reservations to:

Mrs J. P. Willoughby,
M.R.C. Institute of Hearing Research,
University of Nottingham,
University Park,
Nottingham NG7 2RD, U.K.

NASAL PLASTIC SURGERY COURSE

7-10 February, 1989

at THE INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY & OTOLOGY

in association with

The ROYAL NATIONAL THROAT, NOSE & EAR HOSPITAL

Gray's Inn Road, London WC1X 8EE

A four day surgical teaching course in practical rhinoplasty including lectures and operations. There are colour television demonstrations for the operations, cadaver dissection and video tape teaching sessions.

Course Organizer:

Mr T. R. Bull

Course Fee:

£395

Applications to:

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

Telephone: 01-837 8855 extension 4218

THE HEAD AND NECK FOUNDATION ${\rm THE}\ 25^{\rm TH}\ {\rm HEAD}\ {\rm AND}\ {\rm NECK}\ {\rm COURSE}$ WILL BE HELD AT THE LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION

on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 20–22 January, 1989

This will be a basic course intended mainly for those in training.

The course fee will be £195 including coffee, lunch and tea, but NOT including accommodation.

The resident faculty are: Professor A. G. D. Maran, Professor P. M. Stell.

Application forms and further information may be obtained from:

Professor P. M. Stell,
Department of Otorhinolaryngology,
University of Liverpool,
Royal Liverpool Hospital,
PO Box 147,
Liverpool L69 3BX.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

The Court of Examiners reports to the Council that at the recent Final Examination for the Fellowship 37 candidates presented themselves for the Examination in Otolaryngology, 7 of whom acquitted themselves satisfactory.

Dixon, John Alexander, M.B., B.S. London
Joseph, Henry Theodore, M.B., B.S. London., F.R.C.S. (G.S.) 8 Jan. 1986
Morrison, Gavin Andrew John, M.B., B.S. London
Robinson, Philip James, M.B., B. Ch. Bristol., F.R.C.S. (G.S.) 9 July 1986
Sudderick, Robert Malcolm, M.B., B.S. London
Thompson, Adrian Charles, M.B., Ch.B. Leeds
Williams, Stuart Rhys, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., M.B., B.S. London

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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

for six months during 1989

Professor John Kemink will act as Clinical Tutor to the Fellow and the emphasis will be on neuro-otology and skull base surgery. The Fellow will also participate in research in the Kresge Laboratory under the direction of Dr J. Miller.

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, Courtlands, 61 Kingswood Firs, Grayshott, Hindhead, Surey GU26 6ER

The closing date for formal applications will be:

Saturday, 19 November, 1988.

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

OFFERED BY

THE DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL SCHOOL, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

COURSE DIRECTOR: JOHN L. KEMINK, M.D.

1988:

17-21 October:

14-18 November

1989:

24-28 April:

22-26 May:

16-20 October:

13-17 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 is: Physicians \$1,000

Residents \$750

For further information write:

John L. Kemink, M.D., Box 0312 Taubman Medical Center, 1500 E. Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109, U.S.A. Tel: (313) 936-8006

FACIAL SOFT TISSUE SURGERY COURSE

13 - 15 February 1989

at THE INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY & OTOLOGY

in association with

The ROYAL NATIONAL THROAT, NOSE & EAR HOSPITAL

Gray's Inn Road, London WC1X 8EE

A three day surgical teaching course in practical otoplasty, mentoplasty, including surgical techniques for excision, and repair of facial lesion, and surgical techniques for the aging face. There is opportunity for dissection and video television facilities.

Course Organiser: Mr T R Bull

Course fee: £345 Applications to:

The Dean's Secretary
Institute of Laryngology and Otology
330/332 Gray's Inn Road
London WC1X 8EE
Telephone: 01-837 8855 extension 4218

ANNOUNCEMENT

The 24th Postgraduate Course in Ear Surgery will be held from 2–7 April, 1989 in Nijmegen, The Netherlands.

For further information and registration forms:

Prof. Dr. P. van den Broek, Department Otorhinolaryngology, P.O. Box 9101, 6500 HB Nijmegen, The Netherlands.

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Conducted by Professor Michel Portmann, M.D. with collaboration of foreign personalities.

A six-day intensive course including:

- theoretical and practical lectures
- surgical demonstrations on colour TV
- temporal bone dissection (equipment provided to each participant)
- case presentations
- discussions

The course is taught in English.

CME Credit: 59 hours.

Information:

Secretary of the Course, Foundation G. Portmann, 114 avenue d'Arès, 33074 Bordeaux Cedex France Tel: (33) 56 24 30 15

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For further information:

Mr P. J. Bradley,

Consultant ENT Surgeon/Head and Neck Oncologist,

University Hospital, Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham NG: 2UH

Telephone: Nottingham (0602) 4106:9

PAKISTAN SOCIETY OF OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGY

is holding its

NINTH NATIONAL CONFERENCE IN KARACHI

on 25-26 January, 1989

The main conference will consist of invited guest lectures, symposia, free papers, poster exhibition and films. It will be preceded by a workshop. Contributions are now invited for freepapers, films and poster exhibition.

The last date for submission is 31 October, 1988. The Proceedings of this conference will be published following the conference.

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A CLINICAL AND RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP IN OTOLOGY FUNDED JOINTLY WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

and tenable in

THE DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY, THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

for a period of six to twelve months during 1989

The holder will be a member of the Department of Otolaryngology of the University of Toronto under the direction of Professor Peter Alberti and will carry out clinical and research work with Professor Michael Hawkes in the Ear Pathology Research Laboratory and eventually prepare papers for publication.

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.

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The Closing Date for formal applications will be Saturday, 15 October, 1988.

THE VOICE RESEARCH SOCIETY

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Applications to:

Juliet Glover,
Voice Research Society,
47 Thorneyhedge Road,
Chiswick,
London W.4.

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