

General Notes

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

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THE DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL SCHOOL, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

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

1990:		15–19 October		12–16 November
1991:	22–26 April	27–31 May	7–11 October	11–15 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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FROM 1ST TO 6TH JULY 1991

Conducted by Professor Michel Portmann, M.D.

Participation of Jean-Pierre Bebear, M.D., and Guy Lacher, M.D. (Bordeaux)
with collaboration of A. Richards, N. Shah (London, U.K.) and J. Garro (Washington, D.C., U.S.A.)
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