

# General notes

## 8TH CONGRESS OF THE EUROPEAN RHINOLOGICAL SOCIETY

THE 8TH CONGRESS OF THE EUROPEAN RHINOLOGICAL SOCIETY

will be held at

BOLOGNA from OCTOBER 20th to 23rd, 1980

together with the

2ND INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM FOR INFECTION AND ALLERGY OF THE NOSE AND  
PARANASAL SINUSES

THE plenary sessions will be devoted to the subjects of (i) Functional and Reconstructive Surgery of the Nose, (ii) Facial Pain, (iii) Nasal Allergy, (iv) Sinusitis and (v) Rhinometry. In addition to the plenary sessions there will be opportunities for free communications either in connection with one of the main topics or independently.

All colleagues interested in Rhinology are cordially invited to attend this congress and those who would like to participate in one of the symposia are invited to contact the Congress President, Professor G. Sulsenti, as soon as possible.

The official languages of the Congress are English, French, German and Italian and simultaneous translations will be provided.

Further information from:—

Professor G. Sulsenti,  
Via Albertoni 4,  
40138 Bologna,  
Italy.

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## COURSE IN BASIC RHINOPLASTY

5-10 SEPTEMBER, 1980

SAN FRANCISCO, U.S.A.

THIS annual practical course is designed to cover all aspects of Corrective Rhinoplasty and Septal Surgery. Starting with basic principles, the program is quite comprehensive and includes a wide variety of simple and advanced techniques.

Guest faculty includes William K. Wright, M.D., Houston, TX, Robert L. Simons, M.D., Miami, FL, E. Gaylon McCollough, M.D., Birmingham, AL, and Roger L. Crumley, M.D., San Francisco, CA.

For further information, please write to: Leslie Bernstein, M.D., D.D.S.

U.C. Davis Medical Center  
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Sacramento, CA 95817  
(916) 453-2801

**SEMI-ANNUAL OCULOPLASTIC SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE****OCTOBER 22–25, 1980****TARRYTOWN, NEW YORK****Sponsor: New York Medical College, Westchester County Medical Center.****Fee: \$650.00. Approved for 40 credit hrs. CME in Category 1 of the AMA's PRA program.****Contact: Ms. P. Tamkin, c/o Dr. P. Guibor, 630 Park Ave., New York, NY 10021/call (212) 734-1010.**

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**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****OCTOBER 13–17, 1980    DECEMBER 1–5, 1980**

These Courses will be given in the new Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Laboratory of the Department of Otorhinolaryngology and the Kresge Hearing Research Institute of the University of Michigan.

These intensive one week courses will emphasize the surgical and anatomical approaches to the temporal bone and will be presented in a manner relevant for the otologic surgeon, utilizing lectures and videotape presentations of surgical techniques, as well as temporal bone dissection.

Both mornings and afternoons will be spent in the dissection laboratory, thereby giving extensive drilling experience in both temporal bone anatomy and surgical techniques. Lectures and demonstrations will be provided by members of the faculty of the Department of Otorhinolaryngology and Kresge Hearing Research Institute, thereby uniquely blending basic science and clinical otologic instruction. Drill handpieces and dissection instruments will be provided.

The fee for these courses will be \$1,000.00 for each physician.

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

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Kresge Hearing Research Institute  
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Ann Arbor, MI 48109

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(313) 763-5115

### TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

The Ear Research Institute, in cooperation with the University of Southern California, announces a two-week Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course demonstrating the multiple approaches to the structures of the temporal bone as currently used by members of the Otologic Medical Group, Inc.

Each day the course members spend four hours in the dissection laboratory and four hours observing live color telecasts of surgery. Evenings are devoted to lectures illustrated by slides and motion picture demonstrations. Video tapes in color from the Institute's Otologic Seminar Library are available for study by course participants.

Twenty-four board certified or board eligible otolaryngologists and residents will be accepted in each course. Courses will be presented in March, April, October and November annually. Advance registrations for courses in 1981 and 1982 are now being accepted. The tuition fee for otolaryngologists is \$1,200 and for residents \$900 in United States currency. Applications from residents must be accompanied by a letter from their Chief of Service.

For further information address communications to: Antonio De La Cruz, M.D., Director, Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course, Ear Research Institute, 256 South Lake Street, Los Angeles, CA 90057.

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### HISTOIRE DE L'OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGIE

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

The Belgian Society of Otolaryngology is publishing during the year 1981 a volume entitled 'The birth and development of Oto-rhino-laryngology in the context of the history of medicine'. This will consist of about eight hundred pages (in French) in three successive numbers of the journal and will also be presented at the Conference to be held in Brussels in December 1981 under the Presidency of Dr. C. van Fraeyenhoven.

The book will provide a very complete picture with an extensive bibliography, comprehensive index of personalities and a chronological table summarizing the development of the specialty from its earliest origins. It is being produced by contributors from Belgium, France, Germany, Italy and the United Kingdom.

The publication will deal with Rhinology and Pharyngology, Endoscopy, Otology, Disorders of the Larynx, Pathology of the Trigeminal and Facial Nerves, Disorders of the Sinuses, Voice-Disorders, Smell, Disorders of the Oesophagus, Goitre and Salivary Gland Disorders. It will also include four related topics: the birth of E.N.T. in Belgium, E.N.T. in Biblical texts, E.N.T. in the early medical manuscripts, and the evolution of song.

This volume will be indispensable for those writing on aspects of the history of otolaryngology and also for those interested in the history of medicine in general. It is included in the subscription to 'Acta Oto-Rhino-Laryngologica Belgica' and is also on sale by subscription at a price of 2,000 Belgian francs until December 1980, or 2,500 Francs after that date. All orders should be addressed to:

Association des Sociétés Scientifiques Médicales Belges (A.S.S.M.B.)  
rue des Champs Elysées 43  
B-1050 Bruxelles.

## INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

### ADVANCED COURSE IN PAEDIATRIC OTOLARYNGOLOGY

A ONE WEEK course in Paediatric Otolaryngology will be held at the Institute of Child Health, from 17-21 November inclusive 1980, in association with the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street.

Dr. Robin Cotton (Children's Hospital, Cincinnati, U.S.A.) will act as Moderator.

The programme will include the following aspects of paediatric otolaryngology:

- Management of the deaf child
- Paediatric oncology
- Immunological deficiency
- Paediatric laryngology
- Management of dysplasia of the ear
- The cleft palate child
- Paediatric anaesthesia
- Objective assessment of airway obstruction

Applications are invited from consultants, senior registrars, or those with a corresponding academic appointment. The number of participants will be limited. The fee for the course will be £100, and the course is approved under the Advanced Postgraduate Training Scheme of the Department of Health: senior doctors working in the U.K. should make this known to their employing authority, when applying for study leave.

Application forms are available from the Dean's Secretary, Institute of Child Health, 30 Guilford Street, London WC1N 1EH. (Tel. 01-242 9789).

The closing date for applications is 17 October 1980.

## INTERNATIONAL COURSE ON RECONSTRUCTIVE MICROSURGERY OF THE MIDDLE EAR USING HETEROGRAFTS

13-16 OCTOBER, 1980

PARMA, ITALY

THE Department of Otolaryngology, University of Parma, Italy, desire to announce an International Course on ear surgery using heterografts.

The Course which will be given in Italian and English (simultaneous translation will be provided) will include lectures, panel discussions, films, videotapes, live surgery and anatomic surgery (color television).

The Course will be organized by Professor Carlo Zini and his Staff, with the collaboration of Claus Jansen (W. Germany) and André Sultan (France).

Ladies' Program will be provided. Tuition fee: It. £. 200.000.

For registration and further information, write:

Mario Sanna, M.D. (Course Secretary)  
Second E.N.T. Clinic  
University of Parma  
Ospedale Maggiore, Via Gramsci 14  
43100 Parma, Italy  
Tel. (0521) 36886-21188

THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM  
FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY  
BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES

COURSE IN CLINICAL OTOLARYNGOLOGY  
10, 11 AND 12 OCTOBER, 1980

A THREE-DAY course, suitable for candidates for the Part II D.L.O. and the Final F.R.C.S. (E.N.T.) Examinations, will be held at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham B3 2HH, from Friday, 10 to Sunday, 12 October, 1980.

The fee for the course is £38.00 and applications to attend, accompanied by the course fee, should be addressed to: Mr. P. G. Bevan, Director, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham B15 2TJ. Cheques should be made payable to the 'University of Birmingham'.

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INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ORAL PATHOLOGISTS

THE first general scientific meeting of the International Association of Oral Pathologists will be held in Gothenburg, Sweden, from June 1st to 4th, 1981, in association with the Scandinavian Society of Oral Pathology and Oral Medicine. Highlights of the programme are a one-hundred case slide seminar to be conducted by Dr. J. J. Pindborg of the University of Copenhagen with the assistance of an international panel of oral pathologists, and a symposium on immunology conducted by Dr. L. A. Hanson of the University of Gothenburg. Dr. Pindborg and Dr. Hanson are international authorities in their respective fields. The programme will also include proffered papers on diagnostic, clinical and experimental pathology and related topics.

Further information on the meeting may be obtained from Dr. Guy Heyden, P.O. Box 33070, S-400, Gothenburg, Sweden. Abstracts of proffered papers should be submitted to Dr. J. H. P. Main, Faculty of Dentistry, University of Toronto, 124 Edward Street, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5G 1G6.

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XI INTERNATIONAL COURSE OF ADVANCES IN E.N.T.

From 24TH to 26TH NOVEMBER 1980, the CATALAN SOCIETY OF  
OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY will organize its

XI INTERNATIONAL COURSE OF ADVANCES IN E.N.T.  
with the main themes being

"PLASTIC SURGERY REPAIR OF MALFORMATIONS, AND CERVICO-FACIAL  
ONCOLOGIC SURGERY".

As in previous years we are proud to count on the support and co-operation of a number of well-known experts in this field, including KIRCHNER (Kansas), SAVARI (Lausanne), STELL (Liverpool), MIEHLKE (Göttingen), TRASERRA (Barcelona), JOST (Paris), DE LA FUENTE (Madrid).

For detailed information, please contact the Secretary of the Catalan Society of O.R.L., Dr Ramon Avellaneda, càtedra d'O.R.L., Hospital Clínic i Provincial, carrer Casanova n° 143, Barcelona 36.

COURSE IN RHINOPLASTIC SURGERY  
SOUTH AFRICAN SOCIETY OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

13-17 OCTOBER, 1980

CAPE TOWN

BASIC Aspects of the surgical anatomy, physiology, diagnosis and assessment and postoperative care will be covered, but prior exposure to this field of surgery will be an advantage. All aspects of septal surgery, tip problems and augmentation techniques will be discussed in depth.

GUEST SPEAKERS: Leslie M. Bernstein, M.D., T.R.Bull, F.R.C.S., M. Eugene Tardy M.D.

Assisted by select members of the South African O.R.L. Society.

Exciting sight-seeing program of this incomparable tip of Africa where two oceans meet has been arranged with a tour of the wine producing area as well as a full Social Program.

ENROLMENT strictly limited. FEE: 300 U.S. dollars.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Erich Kuschke, CH.M., Course Secretary, Olivetti Building, Blanckenberg Street, Bellville 7530, South Africa.

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INCREASE IN SUBSCRIPTION RATES

The Publishers regret that owing to rising production costs the Subscription Rates for *The Journal of Laryngology and Otology* from January 1981 will be £30, U.S.A. \$75 (Annual); £5, U.S.A. \$12 (Single copies).