

General notes

OXFORD ENT COURSE

3–7 JULY 1981

The main sessions will be as follows:

1. Short papers on otological subjects by selected guest speakers—on topics of their own choice.
2. The Deaf Child.
3. Aspects of Tympanoplasty in Adults and Children.
4. Glue Ear.
5. Aspects of Nasal Surgery in Adults and Children.
6. Head and Neck Neoplasia in Children.
7. Childhood Airway Problems.
8. Micro-laryngoscopy.

The principal speakers will include: J. C. Ballantyne (London), D. Brain (Birmingham), T. R. Bull (London), Professor R. Cotton (Cincinnati), E. Douek (London), P. D. M. Ellis (Cambridge), J. Evans (London), Professor I. Friedmann (London), R. E. Gristwood (Adelaide), Miss E. Hadfield (High Wycombe), T. Manford McGee (Detroit), R. Pracy (London), H. J. Shaw (London), Professor I. G. Taylor (Manchester), J. L. W. Wright (London), as well as speakers from Oxford itself.

There will be an opportunity to present a limited number of free papers and these are now invited from individuals planning to attend.

A Trade Exhibition is being organized.

Accommodation for the period of the Course is available in St. Anne's College, Woodstock Road, Oxford (opposite the Radcliffe Infirmary).

There will be an informal reception one evening and a banquet in Oriol College another evening.

The inclusive cost is £150.

The Course is designed for people working at consultant and senior registrar level.

The Course programme is recognized by the Advanced Postgraduate Training Scheme for Study Leave purposes.

Application forms are now available from Mrs. D. W. Scott, Academic Secretary, Department of Otolaryngology, Radcliffe Infirmary, Oxford. To encourage informality the number will be limited to 60 and accordingly early application is advised.

THE HISTORY OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

THE annual congress of the Belgian Otorhinolaryngological Society will be held on Friday and Saturday, 4 and 5 December 1981 in the C.G.E.R. Auditorium, 12 rue des Boiteux, Brussels.

The meeting will be held under the Presidency of Dr. C. Van Fraeyerhoven and will be devoted primarily to the history of otolaryngology. The Saturday morning session, however, will be on the subject of practical aspects of vestibular testing.

The results of the study on the *History of Otolaryngology* will be presented on the Friday and Saturday afternoons by Dr. J. Willemot and 18 collaborators from different countries. This study is being published as four numbers of *Acta ORL Belgica*, and the last of these will be published shortly before the congress. These may be purchased during the congress.

Some additional papers on the same theme will be presented on the Friday morning of the congress.

Simultaneous translation into English, Flemish and French will be provided.

Further information may be obtained from Dr. J. Willemot, 90G Willemotlaan, 9910 Mariakerke, Gent, Belgium.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE TWJ FOUNDATION INVITE
APPLICATIONS
FOR
AN OTOLOGICAL RESEARCH AND CLINICAL FELLOWSHIP
AT
THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO
FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS FROM JANUARY 1982

THE holder will have an opportunity to attend some of the clinical work of the Department of Otolaryngology but the main emphasis will be on Research projects in the Coleman Laboratory under the direction of Dr. Merzenich.

Applicants must be Fellows of one of the Royal Colleges of Surgeons and be 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,
2 WEST ROAD, GUILDFORD,
SURREY.

The closing date for formal applications will be Saturday, 15 August 1981.

FIRST INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON
MINIMAL INVASIVE CANCER

ORGANIZED BY
THE UNIVERSITY CLINIC OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY
GRAZ

GRAZ, KONGREßHAUS, 1-4 JULY 1981

MAIN TOPICS:

Cervix, Vulva, Endometrium, Breast, Esophagus, Stomach, Large intestine, Lung, Thyroid, Urinary bladder, Prostate, Larynx, Oral cavity, Skin, Other organs.

Congress Language: English

Organization: President—Professor E. Burghardt, M.D.
Secretary General—E. Holzer, M.D.

Secretariat: Interconvention
P.O. Box 105
A—1014 Vienna
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THIRD NATIONAL CONGRESS
OF THE
SOUTH AFRICAN SOCIETY OF OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY

12-16 OCTOBER 1981
MAHARANI HOTEL, DURBAN

THE Congress will consist of a one-day Allergy Workshop followed by four days of general papers. Visiting speakers include Professor D. F. N. Harrison (London) and Dr. John Fredrickson (Toronto). Summaries of papers should be submitted by 31 August 1981.

Registration Fee: £40 (includes a full social/ladies programme).

Applications to: John Hamilton, F.R.C.S.,
1401 Durdoc Centre,
460 Smith Street,
Durban 4001,
South Africa.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF
OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGY

KARACHI, PAKISTAN

THE Pakistan Society of ORL is organizing an International Conference in Karachi on 17 and 18 December 1981.

Further details can be obtained from: M. H. A. Beg, F.R.C.S.(ED),
Anklesaria Nursing Home,
Garden Road,
Karachi,
Pakistan.

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

19–23 OCTOBER 1981	19–23 APRIL 1982
30 NOVEMBER–4 DECEMBER 1981	14–18 JUNE 1982
18–22 JANUARY 1982	20–24 SEPTEMBER 1982
8–12 MARCH 1982	8–12 NOVEMBER 1982

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.

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