

General notes

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(OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGICAL RESEARCH SOCIETY)

THE above society meets on the first Friday in April and October of every year. The October meeting is held at the Institute of Laryngology and Otology, Gray's Inn Road, London WC1, and the April meeting is held at a provincial centre.

Those wishing to become members of this society, or to read a paper to the society should contact the Secretary at the undernoted address.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY

BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES

ADVANCED NASAL SURGERY COURSE

A ONE week course on the above subject will be held from 7 to 12 September 1980 at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3. The course will be largely devoted to the surgery of the nasal septum and the external pyramid. There will be an international panel of guest lecturers. The course will be quite comprehensive and will include lectures, televised operative demonstrations, films and opportunities for cadaver dissection.

The University can give assistance in obtaining suitable hotel accommodation in an adjacent hotel and there is a possibility of accommodation in University Halls of Residence.

Enrolment for the course is limited to 30 and early application is advised.

Course fee: £150.00.

Enquiries should be addressed to:

Mrs. V. Gilbert,
Administrative Assistant,
Board of Graduate Clinical Studies,
The Medical School,
Birmingham B15 2TJ.

DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY, EDINBURGH

A REVISION COURSE IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY

22-27 SEPTEMBER 1980

WILL be held in the City Hospital, Edinburgh from Monday, 22 September to Saturday, 27 September 1980 inclusive.

The Course, which is intended for those preparing for postgraduate examinations, will cover all aspects of modern otolaryngological theory and practice. Lectures will be given by all senior members of the staff of the Department. In addition there will be round table discussions and clinical demonstrations.

Course Fee £75.00.

Further particulars and application forms obtainable from:

Mrs. M. Rae,
Secretary,
Department of Otolaryngology,
Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh,
Lauriston Place,
Edinburgh EH3 9YW,
Scotland.

EUROPEAN RHINOLOGIC SOCIETY
8TH CONGRESS OF THE EUROPEAN
RHINOLOGIC SOCIETY (ERS)

AND

2ND INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM:
INFECTION AND ALLERGY OF THE NOSE
AND PARANASAL SINUSES (ISIAN)

BOLOGNA (ITALY), PALAZZO DEI CONGRESSI
20-23 OCTOBER 1980

POSTGRADUATE COURSE
IN FUNCTIONAL RHINOSURGERY

BOLOGNA, POLICLINICO S. ORSOLA
23-25 OCTOBER 1980

FOR further information about the above meetings, please apply to:

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

A EUROPEAN SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF THE HISTORY OF OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY

EFFORTS are being made to establish this society and it is hoped to hold the inaugural meeting later this year, probably in France. This will be concerned with the formal organization of the society and making plans for further regular meetings. Would any British ENT Consultants interested in this meeting please contact me at the following address:

D. J. Brain, F.R.C.S.,
30, Wellington Road,
Edgbaston,
Birmingham B15 2ES.

INSTRUCTIONAL COURSE IN HEAD AND NECK CANCER

A Course in Head and Neck Cancer will be held in Canniesburn Hospital from 22–26 September 1980. The topics will include pathology, diagnosis and treatment and the lecturers will be partly those from Canniesburn Hospital and partly guest lecturers.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from Professor T. Gibson, Glasgow and West of Scotland Regional Plastic and Oral Surgery Unit, Canniesburn Hospital, Bearsden, Glasgow G61 1QL.

THE 3RD ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL OTOLOGY CONFERENCE

GAMS, AUSTRIA

5–11 OCTOBER 1980

THE above Conference, sponsored by Richards International, will be given by Dr. Beverly W. Armstrong, Dr. T. Manford McGee, Professor Tauno Palva, Dr. S. Harold Reuter, Professor Harold F. Schuknecht and Mr. Gordon D. L. Smyth; the topics to be discussed will include the Loose Wire Syndrome, the Use of the Argon Laser in Micro Middle Ear Surgery, Stapes Surgery in Patients with Osteogenesis Imperfecta, Long Term Middle Ear Ventilation, the Diagnosis and Management of Acoustic Tumours, Long-term Results of Chronic Ear Surgery, Congenital Cholesteatoma, the Differential Diagnosis of Vestibular Disorders, Stenosis of the External Auditory Canal, and the Role of Biocompatible Materials in Middle Ear and Inner Ear Surgery.

There will also be a full and interesting social programme for delegates and their wives, and the conference fee will be 950 dollars per couple. The official language will be English.

Registration forms are available from:

Mr. C. C. Smith,
Richards,
1450 Brooks Road,
Memphis, Tennessee 38116,
U.S.A.

THE POLITZER SOCIETY
SYMPOSIUM ON THE SCLEROTIC MASTOID
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

27 JUNE 1981

THE Faculty for this meeting will include Drs. D. Austin and G. Jako (U.S.A.), Professor M. Bauer (Hungary), Professor H. Diamant (Sweden), Dr. C. Jansen and Professor D. Plester (Germany), Professor J. Marquet (Belgium), Dr. C. R. Pfaltz (Switzerland), Professor M. Portmann (France), Mr. G. D. L. Smyth (Northern Ireland), Dr. J. Sadé (Israel), Dr. M. Tos (Denmark) and Dr. G. Zechner (Austria).

For further information, write to either of the following:

Dr. C. Jansen (Chairman)
Winterbeckestrass 11,
5270 Gummersbach,
West Germany.

Professor J. Marquet (Co-Chairman)
Fruithoflaan 91/12,
B-2600 Berchem-Antwerpen,
Antwerp,
Belgium.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
ENT DEPARTMENT HEAD AND NECK SERVICE
SPRING STUDY DAY

CARCINOMA OF THE LARYNX AND PHARYNX
FRIDAY, 30 MAY 1980

THE first of a series of annual study days in Head and Neck Surgery is to be held at St. Mary's Hospital Medical School. Lectures on the management of carcinoma of the larynx and pharynx will be followed by discussion periods. Refreshments will be provided.

Approved for study leave under HM (67)27.

Please apply for a programme and enrolment forms to:

P. Chapman, F.R.C.S.,
Study Day Secretary,
ENT Department,
St. Mary's Hospital,
Praed Street,
London W2.