

General Notes

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE

THE SECTION OF LARYNGOLOGY WILL MEET IN THE BARNES HALL AT 10.30 am
AND THE SECTION OF OTOTOLOGY AT 2.30 pm
FOR THE FORTHCOMING SESSION 1988–89

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| Friday 4 November, 1988 | Morning (Laryngology)
Presidential address Mr W. S. Lund
Title "Swallowing normal, abnormal and bizarre"
Afternoon (Otology)
Presidential Address by S. H. Richards
Title: "Otolaryngology in Wales, Past and Present." |
| Friday 2 December, 1988 | Morning (Laryngology)
"ENT Surgeon and the Orbit"
Speakers: Mr M. P. Rothera, Mr McCormick and Miss Clare Davey
Afternoon (Otology)
"Glomus Tumours of the Temporal Bone"
Speakers: Dr Brian Kendall, Mr D. A. Moffat, Mr C. P. Fielder. |
| Friday 3 February, 1989 | Morning (Laryngology)
"Nasal update"
Speakers: Mr D. J. Brain, Mr I. S. MacKay, Mr G. Hope, Mr M. Bailey
and Mr M. Poole
Afternoon (Otology)
Subject: "Diseases of the External Auditory Meatus" |
| Friday 3 March, 1989 | Morning (Laryngology)
"Tonsils and Adenoids revisited"
Professor M. Cinnamon, Mr D. Cowan and Dr Glenis Scadding
Afternoon (Otology)
Short Papers. |
| Friday 5 May, 1989 | Morning (Laryngology)
Short Papers.
Afternoon (Otology)
"Aids to Hearing" |
| 29 June–1 July 1989 (inc) | Summer Meeting—Cardiff
Laryngology:
"Sleep".
Otology:
"Surgery of Otosclerosis; revision operations and long-term results". |

THE TWJ FOUNDATION

The Trustees of the TWJ Foundation
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AN OTOLOGICAL RESEARCH AND CLINICAL FELLOWSHIP
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THE COLEMAN LABORATORY, SAN FRANCISCO
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SIX MONTHS DURING 1990

The main emphasis will be on research projects in the Coleman Laboratory under the supervision of Professor Michael Merzenich but the holder will also have the opportunity to observe clinical work in the Department of Otolaryngology as the appointment has the approval of both Dr Boles and Dr Dedo.

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:

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Closing date for formal applications will be
Saturday, 17 December, 1988.

4TH ASEAN OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGICAL HEAD & NECK CONGRESS
SINGAPORE

The 4th ASEAN Otorhinolaryngological Head & Neck Congress will be held from 6–9 April 1989, in Singapore.

Programme includes Plenary Lectures, Panel Discussions, Symposia, "How I do it" sessions, and Free Papers.

For further information, contact

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THE VITH WORLD CONGRESS OF BRONCHOSOPHAGOLOGY

It is our great pleasure to announce that the VIth World Congress of Bronchoesophagology is to be held in October 1989 in Tokyo, Japan. The organizing Committee earnestly hopes that many involved in activities related to the field of Bronchoesophagology will participate at the Congress.

Tetsuzo Inoue
Chairman of the Organizing Committee

Sponsored by: Organizing Committee of the VIth World Congress of Bronchoesophagology
The Japan Broncho-esophagological Society
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Under the Auspices of: International Bronchoesophagological Society

Date: 15–18 October, 1989.

Site: Grand Hill Ichigaya, Tokyo, Japan.

Official language: English.

Scientific Programmes: Symposia · Endoscopy
· Laryngeal tumour
· Laryngotracheal stenosis
· Respiratory defence system
· Dysphagia, its relative problems
· Esophageal cancer
· Laser
· Benign stricture of esophagus

Oral Sessions
Poster Sessions
Video Session

Abstract Submission Deadline: March 1989.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL SCHOOL, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

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

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XIV WORLD CONGRESS OF OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY

HEAD AND NECK SURGERY

10-15 September, 1989

MADRID, SPAIN

Full details may be obtained from:

Dr J. J. Alvarez-Vicent, M.D.,
 Secretary General,
 Velázquez, 90-5° Floor,
 28006, Madrid, Spain

Full registration:		(before 1 April, 1989)	(April/May)
	<i>payable in US dollars only</i>	\$680	\$778
Residents		\$340	\$389
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Instructions to Authors

Historical Articles. Articles of this type are generally encouraged, but it is obvious that they have to provide some new information or interpretation, whether it be about a well-known person or for example an instrument associated with him, but those from within a Hospital's own department who have made a hitherto less well-known contribution would be welcome.

Letters to the Editor. This feature is to be re-introduced to give those who wish to comment about a paper previously published within the Journal, an opportunity to express their views. Wherever possible, we shall ask the original author to add his further comment, thereby adding to the value of the contribution. Such letters should be sent as soon as possible after publication of each month's issue of the Journal in the hope of including them as soon as possible thereafter.

'Mini-papers, such as those which appear in the British Medical Journal, Lancet, or New England Journal of Medicine, will not be acceptable except on the rare occasion that they bring information of immediate interest to the reader.

Pathology. It is proposed to present on a monthly or bi-monthly basis, articles which are pathological interest with particular emphasis on the way the diagnosis was achieved, the techniques involved, etc. It is hoped that clinicians will involve their pathologists in these reports, and all illustrations must be of first-class quality. Where a department, particularly those overseas, may not have such specialized facilities, it may be possible, if a block or several unstained sections are provided for our Adviser to produce or supplement the illustration submitted. Only contributions of particular pathological interest will be accepted.

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