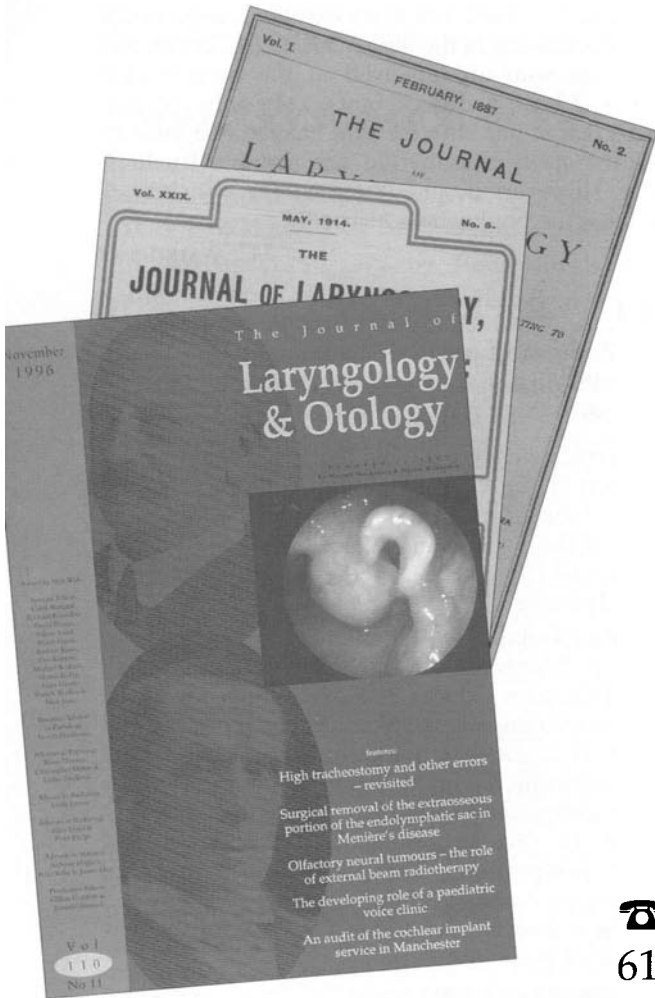


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*Rome (Italy) 12-16 June 1999  
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### MAIN TOPICS

#### **A) ACOUSTIC NEURINOMA**

#### **B) OTHER CPA TUMORS**

- 1) Meningiomas of the CPA
- 2) Petrous Bone Meningiomas extended to the CPA
- 3) Paragangliomas extended to the CPA
- 4) Jugular Foramen Schwannomas
- 5) Lipomas of CPA
- 6) Petroclival Meningiomas
- 7) Epidermoids

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The Editors  
*Journal of Laryngology and Otology*  
 2 West Road  
 Guildford  
 Surrey GU1 2AU

The closing date for applications will be Saturday 13th February 1999.

## XIth INTERNATIONAL COURSE on ENDOSCOPIC SURGERY OF THE PARANASAL SINUSES Brussels (Belgium) – Cologne (Germany) 24–28 August, 1999

**International faculty:** Bachert C. (Ghent), Bleys R. (Utrecht), Clement P. (Brussels), Close L. (New York), Hosemann W. (Regensburg), Michel O. (Cologne), Rice D. (Los Angeles), Schaefer S. (New York), Stennert E. (Cologne), Thumfart W. (Innsbrück).

Official course language: English (no simultaneous translation)

The course features lectures, video sessions, cadaver head demonstration of Messerklinger and Wigand technique, live surgery, post operative care demonstration. Basic as well as advanced techniques will be discussed with the faculty members. Every participant can familiarize himself with this type of surgery on 2 cadaver heads, one documented by high resolution CT-scans.

#### Registration fee

- 1050 US \$ ENT specialist
- 850 US \$ resident in training
- 650 US \$ lectures only
- 300 US \$ accompanying person

#### Information – course secretariat

Free University Hospital Brussels (AZ-VUB), Dept. of ENT, H&N Surg, Mrs. K. Nuyts, secretariat Prof. P. Clement, Laarbeeklaan 101, 1090 Brussels, Belgium.

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Live Tonsillectomy surgery will be performed with KTP/532 laser on several patients. The delegates will have 'hands on' training with KTP/532 Laser system with various animal tissue and pig's larynx with micromanipulator.

The course has a limited number of places and these will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

**Course Director:** Mr S. K. Kaluskar, M.S., F.R.C.S., D.L.O.(Eng.)

**Further information from:** Mrs. Martina Corrigan, Tyrone County Hospital, OMAGH, Co. Tyrone, N. Ireland BT79 0AP.  
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Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

March 7-9, 1999

*Guest Speakers:*

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Dr M. Al-Rabiah (Chairman)	

*For information, contact:*

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PO Box 7897  
Riyadh 11159  
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(966-1) 477 7714, ext 4933 or 4937  
Fax: (966-1) 476 0853 or 478 4057

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(Croatian International  
Rhinosurgical Autumn School)**

**September 7-10, 1999, Dubrovnik, Croatia.**

Celebration of the 15th Anniversary of FESS Concept under the auspices of the European Rhinologic Society and the American Rhinologic Society.

4-day boat cruise along the middle Dalmatia islands.

Faculty: Huizing, Passali, Tos, Tardy Jr., Kern, Kennedy, Rettinger, Benninger, Kotby, McDonald, Trenite, Mann, Park, Klossek, Kozlov, Lopatin.

Registration fee:

US\$ 1.200 (accommodation on the boat and all meals included)

**Info: Prof. R. Mladina, Dept. of ORL  
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Fax: +385-1-48-07-233; e-mail: Iva.Mladina@hrt.hr**



## COURSES 1999

### Percutaneous Tracheostomy under Endoscopic Control

27<sup>th</sup> May 1999 and 9<sup>th</sup> November 1999.

One-day practical course aimed at Intensivists and Otolaryngologists who wish an introduction to the skills necessary to practise this procedure using a safe technique. The course offers small group tuition and laboratory tissue models.

### Endonasal and Endoscopic Sinus Surgery for Registrars and SHOs

11<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> May 1999.

A two-day practical course designed for Junior Registrars and SHOs in ORL, who wish to extend their skills in the nasendoscope and sinuscope. This is a laboratory based practical course which concentrates on the skills required for procedures such as nasendoscopy, sinuscopy, endoscopic turbinate surgery, septal surgery, endoscopic middle meatal antrostomy. Faculty will include Mr Q Gardiner, Mr P White (Dundee), Mr G McGarry (Glasgow), Mr B Bingham (Glasgow). MATTUS approved.

### 5th Foundation Course in Middle Ear Surgery

20<sup>th</sup>–21<sup>st</sup> September 1999.

A two-day course aimed Specialist Registrar year 1–4. The course will cover the principles and practices of stapedectomy and tympanoplasty supported by tutorials, discussions, videos and practical sessions. The participants will be given "hands on" training on specially designed and temporal bone models during the practical sessions. Faculty will include Mr R Mills (Edinburgh), Mr B O'Reilly (Glasgow) and Mr W McKerrow (Inverness), Mr J Crowther (Glasgow). MATTUS approved.

### Practical Bronchoscopy and Oesophagoscopy with foreign body removal

8<sup>th</sup> November 1999.

One-day practical course for specialist registrars and SHOs who wish to advance their skills in rigid endoscopy. This is a laboratory based course which concentrates on skills required for rigid and flexible bronchoscopy, oesophagoscopy and foreign body removal.

Tutors: Robin L Blair, Paul S White, Rodney E Mountain

*This course can be attended solely or in conjunction with:*

### Percutaneous Tracheostomy under Endoscopic Control

9<sup>th</sup> November 1999.

One-day practical course aimed at Intensivists and Otolaryngologists

### Practical Total Laryngectomy Course

10<sup>th</sup> November 1998.

One-day practical course for Junior Otolaryngology trainees to develop practical skills in laryngectomy surgery. All courses offer small group tuition and laboratory tissue models.

### Anatomical workshop for Laryngeal Framework Surgery

12<sup>th</sup> November 1999.

A one-day practical course for Senior Otolaryngology trainees and Consultants who wish to develop and extend their surgical skills in Laryngeal Framework Surgery. Extensive faculty to include tutors from the University of Iowa.

**Further details and registration form are available from Julie Struthers, Unit Co-ordinator, Surgical Skills Unit, Ninewells Hospital and Medical School, Dundee DD9 1SY.**

**Tel: 01382 645857, Fax: 01382 646042.**

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**Mr. C. Fielder** – Swansea, **Mr. T. Lesser** – Liverpool,  
**Mr. J. Osborne** – Clwyd, **Mr. J. J. Phillips** – Swansea,  
**Mr. R. Rivron** – Pontypridd, **Mr. C. Roberts** – Bridgend,  
**Mr. G. Shone** – Cardiff, **Mr. H. Whittet** – Swansea,  
**Mr. H. Williams** – Pontypridd,  
**Mr. R. G. Williams** – Cardiff

**Course Fee £300**

*Closing date for registration 1st February 1999*

*Further Details: Mrs. Sandra Workman*

**Gwent Postgraduate Medical & Dental Centre  
The Friars • Friars Road • Newport • NP9 4EZ**

**Tel: 01633 238143 Fax: 01633 238123**

## 17th International Course in Functional Aesthetic Nasal Surgery

June 15 through June 18, 1999

Utrecht, The Netherlands

The course will consist of live TV-surgery, anatomical dissection, TV-demonstrations and lectures.

*Local Teacher Board:* Dr. R.L.A.W. Bleys,  
Dr. J.A.M. de Groot, Prof. B. Hillen, Dr. A.F. van Olphen

*International Teacher Board:* Prof. S. Hellmich (Dortmund),  
Prof. E.B. Kern (Rochester, Minnesota),  
Mr. I.S. Mackay (London), Prof. W. Pirsig (Ulm),  
Prof. G. Rettinger (Ulm)

*Language:* English.

*Information:* Dr. A.F. van Olphen

*Secretariat:* Ms. T. Kortleve  
Dept of O.R.L.

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## **32<sup>nd</sup> Annual IOWA Head and Neck Cancer & Reconstructive Surgery Course**

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**Tuesday, June 8 - Saturday, June 12, 1999**

This 5-day course, designed for both residents and practicing head and neck surgeons, provides a comprehensive review of current techniques in the management and reconstruction of head and neck neoplasms. Areas covered include treatment of salivary gland, oral cavity, oropharyngeal, laryngeal, paranasal sinus, and thyroid carcinomas. Cadaver dissection under the supervision of the faculty includes practical application of local, myocutaneous and free flaps. An evening Bone Plating Workshop is also offered. A certificate of participation is provided following successful completion of the course.

Course Director:	Henry T. Hoffman, MD	
Assistant Course Directors:	Gerry F. Funk, MD, Scott M. Graham, MD, Timothy M. McCulloch, MD	
Guest Faculty:	Brian B. Burkey, MD	Nashville, Tennessee
	W. Jarrard J. Goodwin, Jr., MD	Miami, Florida
	Jeffrey R. Haller, MD	Salt Lake City, Utah
	Dennis H. Kraus, MD	New York, New York
	Ollivier Laccourreye, MD	Paris, France
	Rodney Mountain, FRCS	Dundee, Scotland
	James L. Netterville, MD	Nashville, Tennessee
Randal Weber, MD	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	

Fee \$1550.00 • 40+ hours CME credit • Enrollment limited to 60 participants  
[\$950.00 for residents with a letter from their department head]

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## **7<sup>th</sup> Annual IOWA Head and Neck Laser Course**

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**Sunday, June 6 - Monday, June 7, 1999**

This 1.5-day course includes lectures and laboratory sessions addressing the physics, safety and clinical applications of lasers used for head and neck surgery. An animal laboratory and a temporal bone laboratory will provide "hands-on" experience for laser management of oral cavity, oropharyngeal, laryngeal, tracheal and otologic pathology with CO<sub>2</sub>, Nd-YAG, Argon and KTP lasers. A certificate of participation is provided following successful completion of the course.

Course Director:	Nancy M. Bauman, MD	
Assistant Course Directors:	Al S. Aly, MD, Margaret M. Browning, MD, Bryan P. Fong, MD, Glenn E. Green, MD, Brian P. Perry, MD, Jay T. Rubinstein MD	
Guest Faculty:	Bruce H. Haughey, MD	St. Louis, Missouri
	Joseph Valentino, MD	Lexington, Kentucky

Fee: \$750.00 • 16.5 hours CME credit • Enrollment limited to 48 participants  
[\$450.00 for residents with a letter from their department head]

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## **7<sup>th</sup> Annual IOWA Advanced Concepts in Endoscopic Sinus Surgery Course**

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**Friday, June 4 - Saturday, June 5, 1999**

This 2-day course includes lectures and laboratory sessions addressing advanced techniques and approaches in endoscopic sinus surgery. A certificate of achievement is provided following successful completion of the course.

Course Directors:	Richard J.H. Smith, MD, Scott M. Graham, MD	
Guest Faculty:	William E. Bolger, MD	Bethesda, Maryland
	Donald C. Lanza, MD	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Fee: \$1000.00 • 15.5 hours CME credit • Enrollment limited to 15 participants  
[\$500.00 for lectures, materials, breakfast, lunch and refreshments with no laboratory]

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For further information regarding these courses, contact Henry T. Hoffman, MD, Department of Otolaryngology,  
University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Iowa City, Iowa 52242 • 319-356-2166 • FAX 319-356-4547

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# JL Calendar

## EVENTS, COURSES AND CONFERENCES

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### The Sixth British Head & Neck Surgery Course

January 19-22, 1999  
Nottingham, England  
Further details from  
Ms Jackie Ellis  
Dept of Otolaryngology/ Head & Neck Surgery  
University Hospital  
Queen's Medical Centre  
Nottingham NG7 2UH  
Tel: 0115 924 9924 ext 44847  
Fax: 0115 970 9748

### Basic Science Class for Part 1 DLO

January 18-29, 1999  
London  
For information:  
Yvonne Pugh  
Administration  
The Institute of Laryngology & Otology  
330/332 Gray's Inn Road  
London WC1X 8EE  
Tel: 0171 915 1514  
Fax: 0171 837 9279  
Email: y.pugh@ucl.ac.uk

### Orbital and Peri-orbital lesions 7th Rotterdam International Skull Base Day Esser course

January 23, 1999  
Rotterdam, Holland  
Info: (Monday, Wednesday or Thursday)  
Mrs K. Sipman,  
PO Box 1738,  
3000 DR Rotterdam,  
The Netherlands  
Tel: +31 10 40897787  
Fax: +31 10 4362762

### Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course

January 23-27, 1999  
Savannah, Georgia, USA  
For information, contact:  
Shirley Johnson, RN, MSA  
Medical Education Department  
Memorial Medical Center  
P.O. Box 23089  
Savannah, Georgia 31403 3089  
Tel: 912 350 7365 Fax: 912 350 8998

### 21st Annual Sisson International Head and Neck Workshop

January 23-30, 1999  
Vail, Colorado, USA  
Contact:  
Wendy Prostick  
Department of Otolaryngology,  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center,  
S-1200 MCN, Nashville  
Tennessee 37232-2559  
Tel: +615 343 3434 Fax: +615 343 7604

### XXVI Congress of the French Association of the Maxillofacial Surgeons

January 27-30, 1999  
Courchevel, France  
For further information:  
Secrétariat du Service de Chirurgie Maxillo-  
Faciale  
CHU Nord-Place Victor Pauchet, 80054  
Amiens Cédex 01, France  
Tel: (3) 22 66 83 25 Fax: (3) 22 66 83 29

### Temporal Bone Dissection Course

January 30-February 1, 1999  
Singapore  
The three day programme will include:  
didactic lectures on anatomy, histopathology  
and surgery of the temporal bone; update on  
cochlear implant, tinnitus and vertigo  
management; adaveric dissection (fresh  
cadaver specimen will be provided) with

Midas drill. Fees (in Singapore dollars):  
Day 1 (lectures only) S\$200;  
Day 1 to 3 (Lectures and Cadaveric  
Workshop) S\$600.  
International Faculty: A. G. Kerr, Dept of  
Otolaryngology, Royal Victoria Hospital,  
Belfast, UK  
Address: Course Coordinator Dr Chan Yew Meng  
Secretary: Ms Alicia Tong, Nollu Yuslinda,  
Dept of Otolaryngology,  
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Singapore 169608  
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Fax: (65) 226 2079  
Email: drchanym@pacific.net.sg

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### Plastic Surgery of the Nose

February 10-12, 1999  
London  
For more information:  
Yvonne Pugh, Administration  
Institute of Laryngology and Otology  
330-332 Gray's Inn Road  
London WC1X 8EE

### 18th International Symposium on Infection and Allergy of the Nose (ISIAN); 4th Asian Research Symposium on Rhinology (ARSR); 3rd ASEAN Rhinology Group Congress (ARC)

February 14-18, 1999  
Theme: *LOVE THE NOSE*  
For more information, please contact:  
Gil M. Vicente, MD  
Congress President, Dept of ORL-HNS, Jose  
Reyes Memorial Medical Center, Rizal  
Avenue St. Cruz,  
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Tel: 632 743 6921  
Fax: 632 732 1077  
eMail: isian@pshohns.com  
Website: <http://www.pshohns.com/isian>

### Techniques in Facial Plastic Surgery

February 15-17, 1999  
London  
For more information:  
Yvonne Pugh, Administration  
Institute of Laryngology and Otology  
330-332 Gray's Inn Road  
London WC1X 8EE

### Head, Neck & Facial Reconstruction

February 18-20, 1999  
London  
For more information:  
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Institute of Laryngology and Otology  
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London WC1X 8EE

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### The Penn Rhinology Course: Advances in Management of Sino-nasal Disease

March 4-6, 1999  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA  
For information:  
Tel: 215 662 2137 Fax: 215 349 5977  
Web site: [www.med.upenn.edu/pennorl](http://www.med.upenn.edu/pennorl)

### Clinical training course on prosthetic vocal and pulmonary rehabilitation after total laryngectomy (the Provox® system)

March 5, 1999  
Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
Further details: Frans J M Hilgers, MD PhD  
Department of Otolaryngology-Head and  
Neck Surgery,

The Netherlands Cancer Institute,  
Antoni van Leeuwenhoek Hospital  
Plesmanlaan 121,  
1066 CX Amsterdam,  
The Netherlands  
Tel: +31 20 512 2550  
Fax: +31 20 512 2554

### 2nd International Symposium on Recent Advances in Otolaryngology Head & Neck Surgery

March 7-9, 1999  
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia  
Information: Dr. Mohammed A. Soffi  
Dept. of Postgraduate & Academic Affairs  
Riyadh Armed Forces Hospital  
Fax: 00 966 1 476 0853

### 2nd International Symposium on Recent Advances in Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery

March 7-9, 1999  
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia  
Information: Dept of Postgraduate and  
Academic Affairs  
Riyadh Armed Forces Hospital, PO Box 7897,  
Riyadh 11159  
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia  
Tel: + 966 1477 7714 ext 4933/37  
Fax + 966 14760853

### Gray's Inn Road ENT Fellowship Course

March 15-24, 1999  
Information: Yvonne Pugh  
Administration: The Institute of Laryngology  
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330/332 Gray's Inn Road, London WC1X 8EE  
Tel: 0171 915 1514  
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### International Course on Otoplasty and Reconstruction of Auricular Defects

March 21-22, 1999  
Lübeck, Germany  
Scientific Program:  
PD Dr. Dr. R. Siebert  
Information: PD Dr. Dr. R. Seigert/M. Haase  
Dept. of Otorhinolaryngology and Plastic  
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email: [Siegert@medinf.mu-lvebeck.de](mailto:Siegert@medinf.mu-lvebeck.de)

### International Head & Neck Oncology Congress

March 24-26, 1999  
Cape Town, South Africa  
Information:  
Postgraduate Conference Division  
UCT Medical School  
Observatory 7925  
Cape Town, South Africa  
Tel: +27 21 406 6381  
Fax: +27 21 448 6263  
email: [Sally@medicine.uct.ac.za](mailto:Sally@medicine.uct.ac.za)

### The Joint Newcastle/GIR course for the Intercollegiate FRCS Examination in Otolaryngology

March 24-26, 1999  
Newcastle upon Tyne, England  
Suitable for candidates sitting in spring  
1999. Programme to include vivas,  
lectures and slide quizzes. The course is  
designed to improve viva technique and he  
covers the more controversial areas of the  
speciality that frequently form the basis of  
viva questions  
For information:  
Mrs A Graham  
Dept of Otolaryngology  
Freeman Hospital  
Newcastle upon Tyne TE7 7DN  
Tel: 0191 2843111 Ext: 26627

### Otorhinolaryngology Research Society Spring Meeting

March 26, 1999  
Oxford, England  
Closing date for abstract 15 January 1999  
Information:  
Mr Ian Johnson  
Dept of ENT,  
Freeman Hospital  
Newcastle upon Tyne NE7 7DN  
Tel: 0191 284 3111

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### 34th Annual Postgraduate Course in Ear Surgery

April 5-10 1999  
Nijmegen, The Netherlands  
Lectures, televised surgery from 2 operating  
theatres with discussion on large screen  
television. Temporal bone exercises and  
demonstrations of temporal bone.  
Local faculty: P. van den Broek, C. Cremers,  
J. Mulder  
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(Fr), J. Grote (NL), K. Jahnke (D), A. Kerr  
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Fax: +31 24 354 0251  
Email: [j.cornelisse@kno.azn.nl](mailto:j.cornelisse@kno.azn.nl)

### Twelfth Functional Endoscopic Sinus Surgery Course and KTP/532 Workshop

April 6-9, 1999  
Omagh, N. Ireland  
For information:  
Mrs Martina Corrigan  
Tyrone County Hospital  
Omagh, Co. Tyrone  
N Ireland BT79 0AP  
Tel: 01662 245211 Ext 2100  
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### Rhinoplasty & Septal Surgery Course

April 7-9 1999  
London  
Course includes: One full day cadaver  
dissection (7th April) with soft fixed  
specimens. Surgical demonstrations and  
expert panel discussions. Lectures covering  
the science behind rhinology, psychology,  
photography and instrumentation, septal  
surgery including perforation repair. Closed  
and open rhinoplasty techniques, grafts and  
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