General Notes

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSE

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THE DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

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

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15-19 October

12–16 November

Intensive one-week courses emphasize the surgical and anatomical approaches to the temporal bone, and are presented in a manner relevant for the otologic surgeon, utilizing lectures, videotapes, and dissection.

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Course fee is: Physicians \$1,000

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