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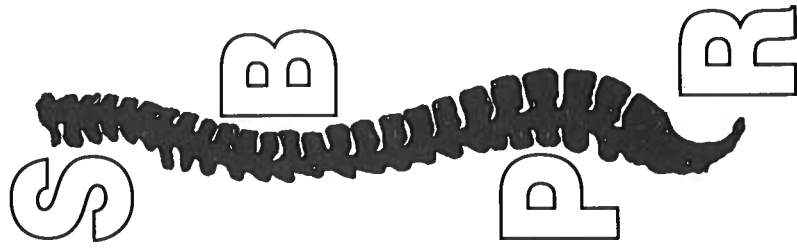
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# **Annual General Meeting**

*St. Mary's Hospital  
London*

*(Cockburn Lecture Theatre/  
Moran P.G. Centre,  
Second Floor  
Queen Elizabeth  
Queen Mother Wing)*

**Friday, 3rd November, 1989**

# PROGRAMME

- 9.00 onwards Erection of Posters
- 9.45-10.15 Registration and Coffee
- 10.15 Chairman's Introduction, *Mr M. A. Nelson, Leeds*
- The following are ten minute talks, with five minutes for discussion*
- 10.20-10.35 The effect of previous posture on straight leg raising  
*R. W. Porter, Doncaster*
- 10.35-10.50 A study of vascular lesions within and around the intervertebral disc. *Hoyland et al, Manchester*
- 10.50-11.05 Relation of disc pathology to physical loading and occupational factors: an autopsy study. *Videman et al, Finland*
- 11.05-11.20 A pedical screw modification for the Hartshill system: biomechanical and clinical results.  
*Valentine et al, Stoke-on-Trent*
- 11.20-11.35 Is a supple spine less susceptible to injury?  
*P. Dolan and M. A. Adams, Bristol*
- 11.35-11.50 Lumbar sagittal mobility and low back symptoms in patients treated with manipulation.  
*Burton et al, Huddersfield*
- 11.50-12.05 Chronic low back disability can largely be prevented. Results of a prospective randomised trial in industry.  
*Prof. A. L. Nachemson, Gothenburg*
- 12.05-12.50 Annual Guest Lecture  
*Professor Zhi-hu Zhang, University of Beijing, China*  
"Current management of back pain in China"
- 12.50 Chairman's Summary
- 1.00 Lunch (Executive Committee Meeting)
- 2.15 Presentation by Mr Peter Lapsley, of the National Back Pain Association, of the Back Pain Medal to Dr S. Nightingale of Birmingham for his paper "Features of Spinal Stenosis" presented at the Spring 1989 meeting of the Society
- 2.25 Annual General Meeting
- 2.45 **POSTER DISCUSSION**  
*Chairman: Mr J. Johnson, St Mary's*
- 2.45 Poster 1 The reliability of detecting intersegmental motion restriction (blockage) in the lumbar spine utilising a spinal model. *Byfield and Harvey, Bournemouth*
- 2.55 Poster 2 Lumbar spine instantaneous centres of rotation determined by digital videofluoroscopy.  
*Breen et al, Bournemouth*
- 3.05 Poster 3 Patterns of internal disc disorganisation in motion segments of the spine. *Shepperd and Rand, Hastings*
- 3.15 Poster 4 The measured vertical traction: A lumbar traction method used for the treatment of lumbago and sciatica.  
*Y. Istantiyadis, Greece*
- 3.25 Poster 5 The role of differential epidurals in the evaluation of sciatica. *Getty et al, Sheffield*
- 3.35 Poster 6 A comparative study of vertebral body blood flow in the thoracic and lumbar spine. *Thomas et al, Birmingham*
- 3.45 Poster 7 Spinal load, body height changes and perceived exertion in lifting work. *Leskinen et al, Finland*
- 3.55 Poster 8 Paraspinal muscle atrophy in patients suffering chronic low back pain. *Cooper and Jayson, Manchester*
- 4.05 Tea and close