



# Cardiff MRCS OSCE course (BENGALURU, INDIA): Communication Skills for MRCS OSCE

From the providers of the highly acclaimed and prestigious Cardiff MRCS Courses in the UK, this intensive revision course covered the communication skills stations of the MRCS OSCE exam. The course aimed to consolidate the trainee's understanding of the clinical consultation skills and aid the trainee's ability to summarise the findings to the examiner in a systematic yet concise manner. The session was dedicated to structured interviews, communication skills workstations, information giving, information gathering and breaking bad news. About 15-20 patient-centred clinical scenarios were used to reflect the situations experienced in everyday practice in the National Health Service in the UK; these scenarios were in line with what is commonly tested in the MRCS OSCE exam. There was the opportunity for every participant to participate and engage in a number of role-play scenarios, enabling him or her to identify areas of weakness and to improve upon these.

Delivered by surgeons and advanced linguistic specialists, the teaching session focused more on the literary and linguistic aspects, British phrases, colloquial terminologies, mannerisms, and interpersonal skills - all within the context of the MRCS OSCE exam. This course, with a high tutor to delegate ratio, was particularly relevant for those with limited experience in the UK hospital setting and for those who have not done their training in the UK.

#### **Course Information**

Course date: 18th November 2018

Venue: Seminar Room, Taj Bangalore,

Near Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru, India

Attendance: 4 Delegates

Aimed at: Medical Students

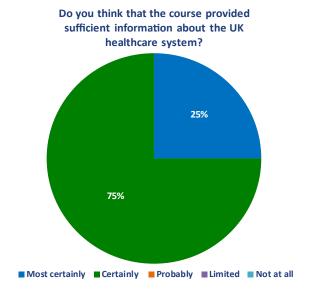
Course fee: £ 60.00



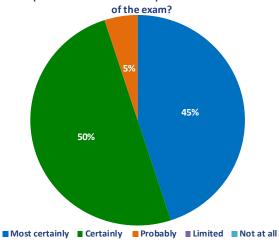
# **Faculty**

Professor Stuart Enoch, MBBS, MRCSEd, MRCS (Eng), PGCert (Med Sci), PhD Consultant in Surgical Studies
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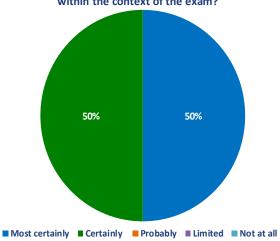
### **Overall Course Feedback**



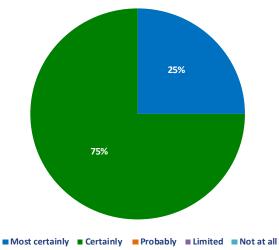
Do you feel that the course provided sufficient information regarding the importance of the patient-doctor relationship within the context



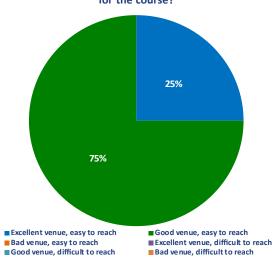
Was it useful to practice and to observe others practicing communication skills within the context of the exam?



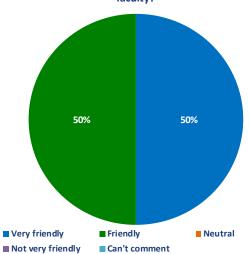
Do you feel more confident in appearing for the exam after having attended this course?



What is your impression about the venue for the course?

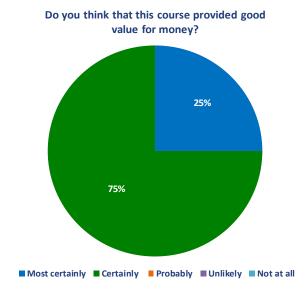


How was the general friendliness of the faculty?



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# **Individual Comments**

This course gives an insight into the importance of various parameters other than knowledge that is necessary to pass the MRCS OSCE exams. This thus helps any overseas doctor without any working experience in the NHS to appear more confident in the exam.

VR Sakra world hospital, Bangalore

It was a well structured course, and the faculty were friendly, well informed about recent Exams and shared experiences with us.

EV Government Medical College, Palakkad

Very good course.

JS Amala hospital



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- Training the Clinical Anatomy Trainer
- Clinical Anatomy as Applied to Trauma and Emergency Medicine
- Surgical Anatomy of Important Operative Procedures
- Future Surgeons: Key Skills (RCSEd delivered)
- Structured Introduction to Surgical Skills

#### Postgraduate:

- MRCS Part A
- MRCEM Part A
- MRCS Part B OSCE
- DOHNS: Intensive Revision & OSCE
- Intercollegiate Basic Surgical Skills (RCSEd delivered)
- MRCP PACES Part 2
- FRCS (General Surgery) Exit Exam
- Cadaveric Ultrasound-Guided Musculoskeletal Intervention Course
- Ultrasound-Assisted Botulinum Toxin Injection for Neuromuscular Disorders
- Live Advanced Laparoscopic Colorectal Course



### Forthcoming key events:

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