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DUSS Annual Undergraduate Surgical Conference: The Evolution of A Surgeon

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Dundee University Surgical Society was proud to present the DUSS Annual Undergraduate Surgical Conference: The Evolution of A Surgeon. Aligned with this year's theme, the society aimed to take students through the journey of a surgeon, focusing on three main areas: Getting Into Surgery, The Challenges of the Modern-Day Surgeon, and The Future of Surgery.

Participants in the conference were not only able to listen to experienced surgeons speak about their experiences but also had the opportunity to participate in a Portfolio Station seminar and three speciallyprepared practical workshops, including Laparoscopic Skills, Bowel Anastomosis, and a Surgical Skills Competition.

This year, the society also introduced its new surgical speciality stands. Here, registrars and consultants from the different surgical specialties presented their insights into their respective fields. This was a great opportunity for students to ask and receive answers regarding specific questions about their speciality of interest.

Course Information		
Course Date:	15 th February 2020	
Venue:	Ninewells Hospital and Medical School, James Arrott Drive, Dundee	
Attendance:	41 Delegates	
Aimed at:	Medical Students	
Fee:	£10.00 (DUSS Members); £15.00 (Non-DUSS Members)	



Programme

1045 - 1100	Tea and Coffee Break
1000 - 1045	Talk 2: Developing a Gender Affirmation Surgery Service - Mr Michael Ng
0915 - 1000	Talk 1: The Scenic Road to Surgery - Mr David Walker
0900 - 0915	Welcome and Introduction
0815 - 0900	Registration

- 1100 1145 Talk 3: The Modern Surgeon Miss Meg Anderson
- 1145 1210Talk 4: The Future of Surgery Transoral Robotic Surgery in Head and Neck Cancer -
Mr Jaiganesh Manickavasagam
- 1210 1230 Talk 5: Surgical Career as a Doctor: Why Should I Commit to It? Professor Ghulam Nabi

1230 - 1345 Lunch, Poster Viewing and Surgical Specialities Stalls

1345 - 1745 **Practical Stations:**

- Bowel Anastomosis
- · Laparoscopic Skills
- Surgical Competition

Seminar:

- Portfolio Station
- 1745 Closing and Prize Ceremony

Faculty

Dr Damian Smith, MBChB Vascular Speciality Registrar, NHS Tayside

Mr Fergus Taylor, MBChB Foundation Doctor, NHS Tayside

Mr James Lucocq, MBChB Foundation Doctor, NHS Tayside

Dr Kirsty Brown, MBChB Speciality Registrar in Obstetrics and Gynaecology, NHS Tayside

Miss Saira Bibi, MBBS Speciality Registrar in General Surgery, NHS Tayside

Miss Sameera Sharma, MBBS Speciality Registrar in General Surgery, NHS Tayside

Mr Seraj Haque, MBChB Foundation Doctor, NHS Tayside

Miss Tamara Ali, MBChB Foundation Doctor, NHS Tayside

Miss Valerie Kim, MBChB Core Surgical Trainee, NHS Tayside

Speakers

Mr David Walker, MBChB, MSc, FRCS Consultant ENT Surgeon and Clinical Lead for ENT NHS Fife

Professor Ghulam Nabi, MCh, MD, FRCS (Urol) Professor (Clinical) and Personal Chair in Surgical Uro-oncology Imaging Science and Technology, University of Dundee, Dundee

Mr Jaiganesh Manickavasagam, MSc, FRCS (ORL & HNS), DOHNS, MRCSEd, MS (ENT), DipNB (ENT), MBBS Honorary Senior Clinical Teacher at The University of Dundee, Dundee

Consultant ENT Surgeon at Ninewells Hospital, Dundee

Mr Michael Ng, MBChB

Consultant in Plastic Surgery NHS Tayside and NHS Lothian

Miss Megan Anderson, MRes (Dist), MBChB Speciality Registrar in Plastic Surgery

NHS Tayside

Faculty

Organisers

Miss Jia Ying Lim President

Miss Hannah Prill Vice-President

Miss Rachel Kelly Secretary

Miss Jean Yu Choi Treasurer

Mr Mervyn Owusu Ayim Head of Events

Miss Rebekah Wilson Pearce Events Coordinator

Miss Flanna Barreto Events Coordinator

Mr Nemat Ahmad Media Coordinator

Mr James Johnson-Ogbuneke Upper-Year Representative

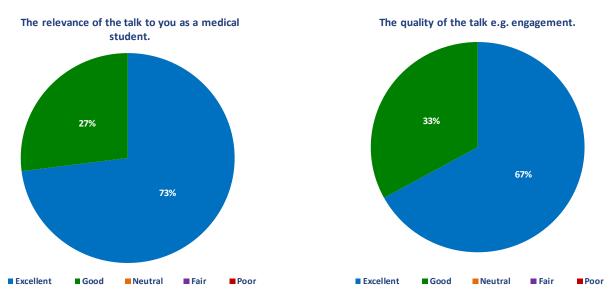
Miss Katie Hepburn First-Year Representative

Miss Caitlin Daff Second-Year Representative

Mr Shiraz Shafi Third-Year Representative

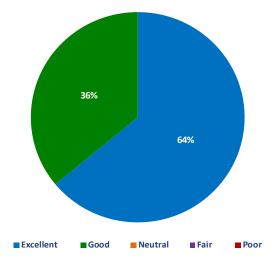
Mr Samit Majumdar, BMBS, BMedSci (Hons), FRCSEd, FDS RCPS, MFSTEd, FRCSEd (ORL-HNS) Overseeing Consultant

Consultant ENT Surgeon and Laryngologist at Ninewells Hospital, Dundee Honorary Senior Lecturer at The University of Dundee Medical School, Dundee

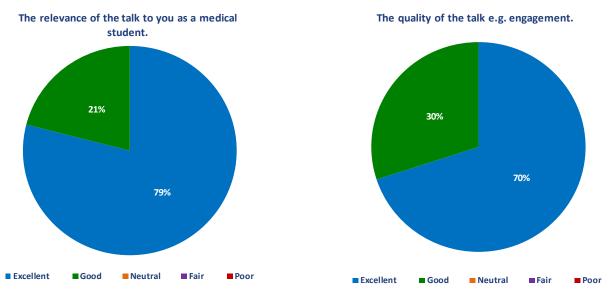


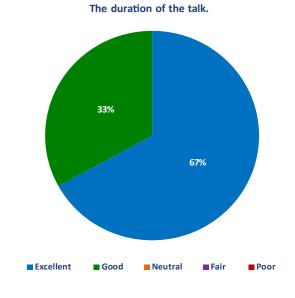
TALKS: The Scenic Road to Surgery



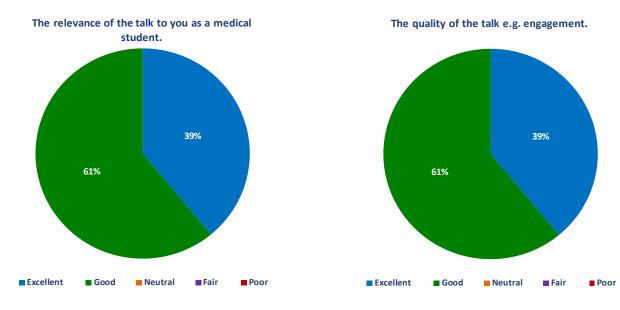




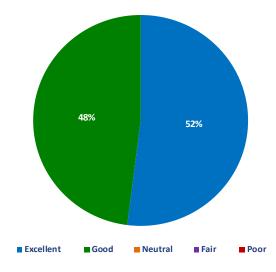


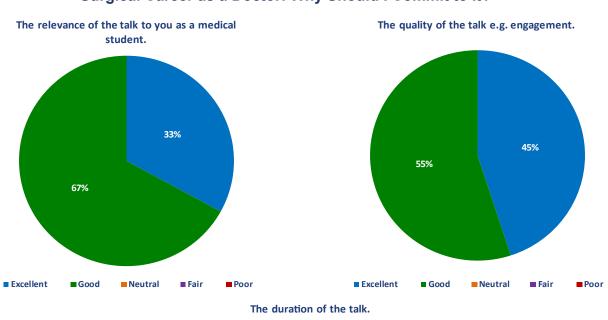


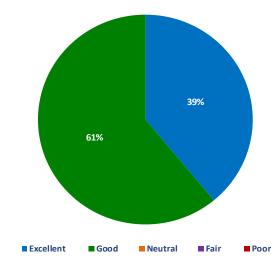
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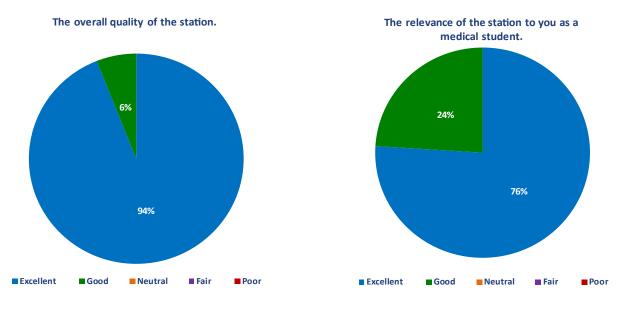




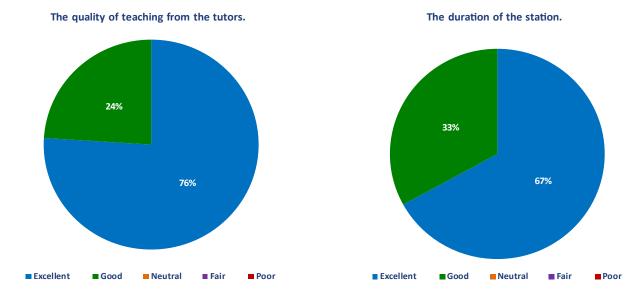




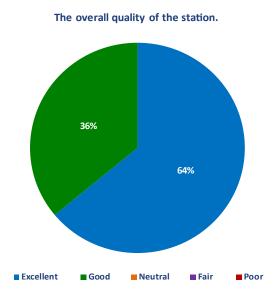




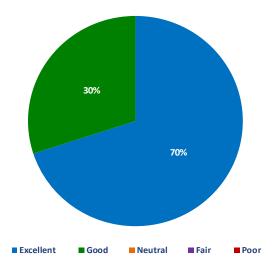
Surgical Career as a Doctor: Why Should I Commit to It?



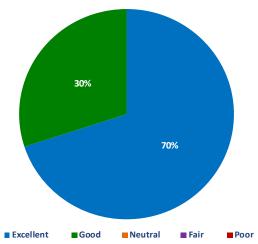
Portfolio Station



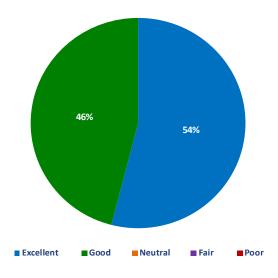
The quality of teaching from the tutors.

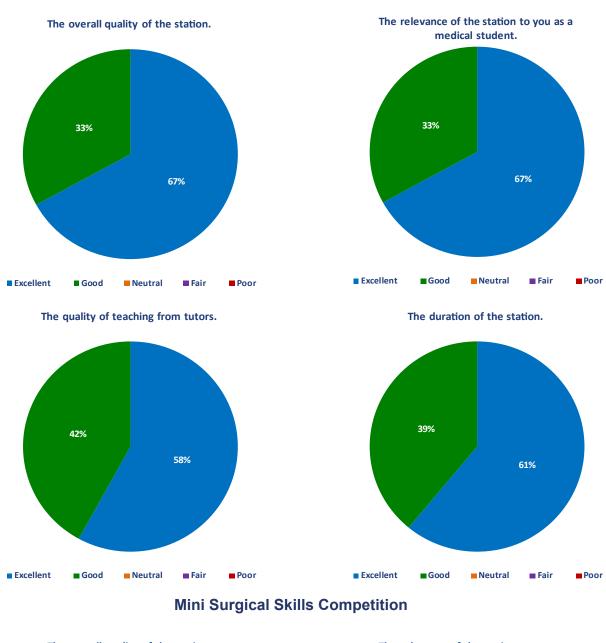


The relevance of the station to you as a medical student.

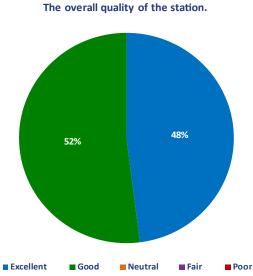


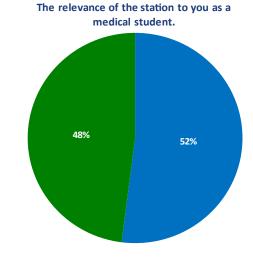
The duration of the station.





Laparoscopic Skills





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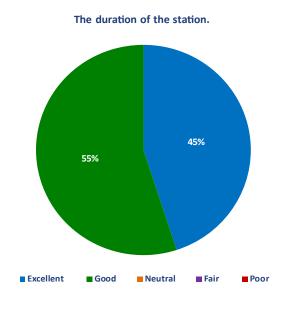
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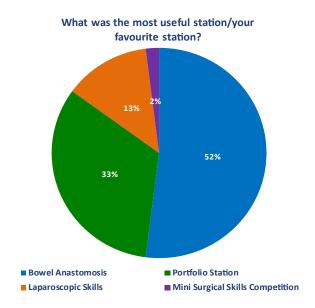
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Good

Poor

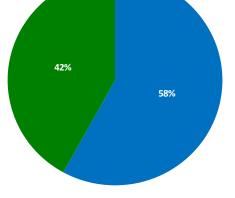
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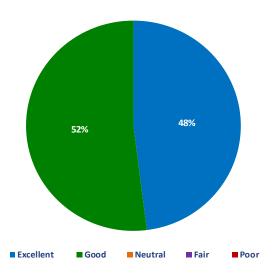


Speciality Booths

I found it useful to speak to the specialty registrars during the lunch-time booths.



Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree



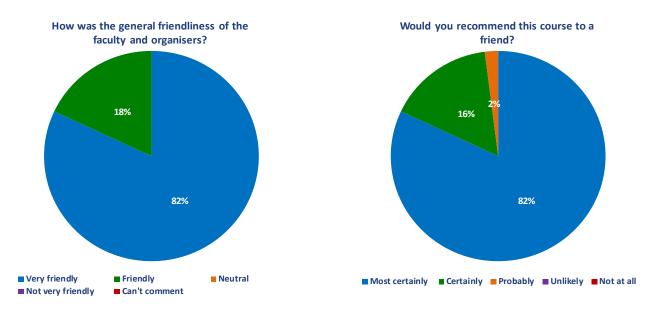
How were the facilities and venue?

I would like to see more of this at future events.

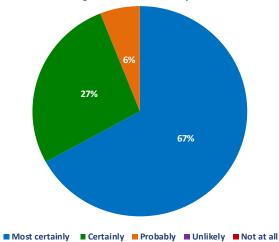
Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

How were the refreshments and lunch?

40% 60% Excellent Good Neutral Fair Poor



Do you think that this conference provided good value for money?



Individual Comments

It was very well organised.	
I thought it was very good.	DL University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
It was good.	AG University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
It was really good.	CC University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
It was very well organised.	LM University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
Overall, I really enjoyed it!	DH University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
I wouldn't change anything.	JD University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
It was well organised.	IE University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom
I really enjoyed the conference	Al University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom e! I would highly recommend it to everyone.
Univers Overall, it was generally very v	SK sity of St. Andrews School of Medicine, St. Andrews, United Kingdom well done!
,	SC University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

Individual Comments

It was very well organised - I look forward to the next event.

HA

University of St. Andrews School of Medicine, St. Andrews, United Kingdom

The students were extremely friendly, and everything was very well organised!

AJ

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

This was a great conference. I might reattend!

SK

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

This was an amazing conference, especially the afternoon workshop stations. The talks were organised very well and kept to time perfectly. Keep up the good work!

WS

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

This was a very good conference.

CL

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

Overall, it was very well organised and very enjoyable.

MB

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

It was very well organised and it ran smoothly.

KV

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

It was a good learning experience.

NS

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

It was very well-structured and organised. Thank you.

AD

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

It was great.

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