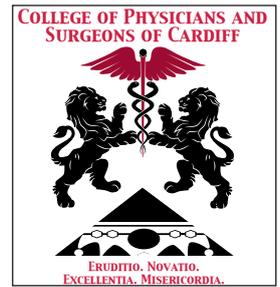


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Doctors Academy General Surgery ST3 Interview Preparation Course



Feedback - March 2025

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Doctors Academy General Surgery ST3 Interview Preparation Course

This highly interactive course was intended for those who had been offered a General Surgery ST3 Interview in 2025. It aimed to help candidates to perform well in the interview and to consequently secure a General Surgical National Training Number (NTN).

The course consisted of a number of small group and individual mock interview stations. Candidates were also given the opportunity to gain constructive individual feedback from experienced Consultants and Specialty Registrars who had recently gone through the process of obtaining an NTN.

Course Information

Course Date:	6th March 2025
Venue:	Online Course Held Via Zoom
Attendance:	31 Delegates
Aimed at:	Core Trainees (CT2), Trust Grade Doctors, Non-Training Registrars, Clinical Fellows and Research Fellows in Surgery
Course Fee:	£95.00



Programme

1815-1825 Introduction and What Is Expected of You in the Interview

1825-1830 Allocation to Stations

1830-1930 Mock Interview (1)

1930-1935 Break and Movement Between Stations

1935-2035 Mock Interview (2)

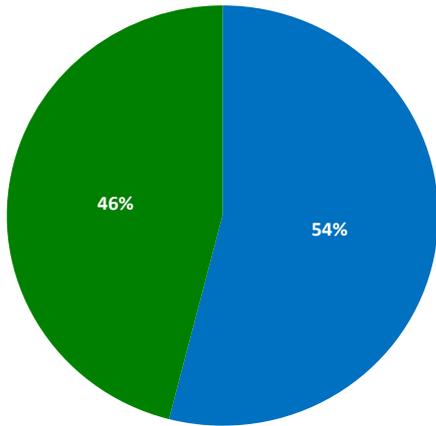
2035-2040 Break and Movement Between Stations

2040-2140 Mock Interview (3)

2140-2150 Questions and Summary

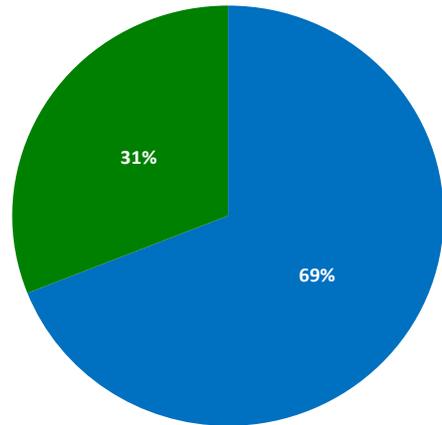
Overall Feedback

How was the content of the course?



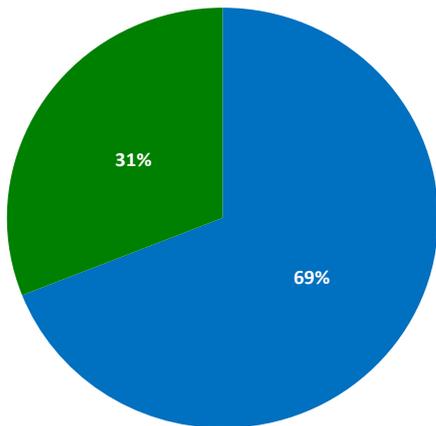
■ Excellent ■ Good ■ Neutral ■ Fair ■ Poor

How would you rate the general academic standard of the faculty?



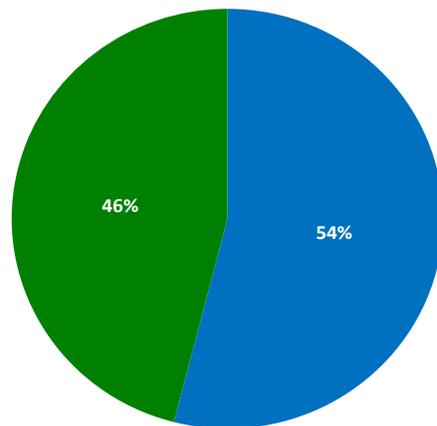
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How was the clarity of the information provided?



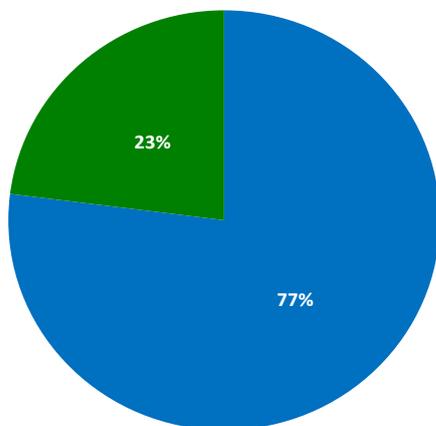
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Did the course meet your objectives?



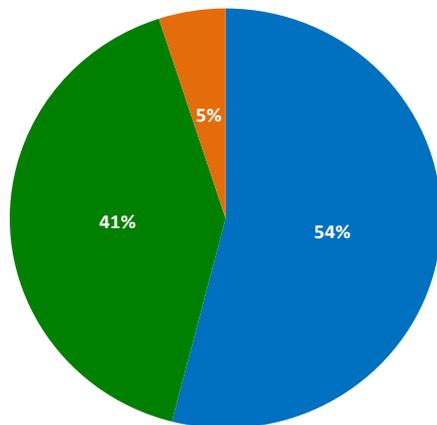
■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ A little ■ Not at all

Mock Interview (1): Clinical Scenario Station



■ Excellent ■ Very Good ■ Good ■ Neutral ■ Poor

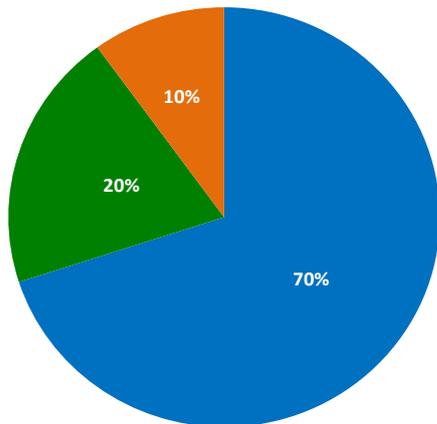
Mock Interview (2): Management Scenario Station



■ Excellent ■ Very Good ■ Good ■ Neutral ■ Poor

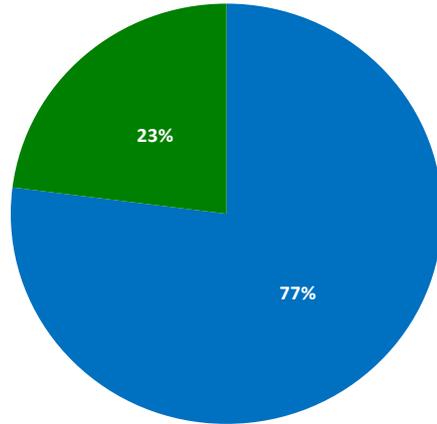
Overall Feedback

Mock Interview (3): Portfolio



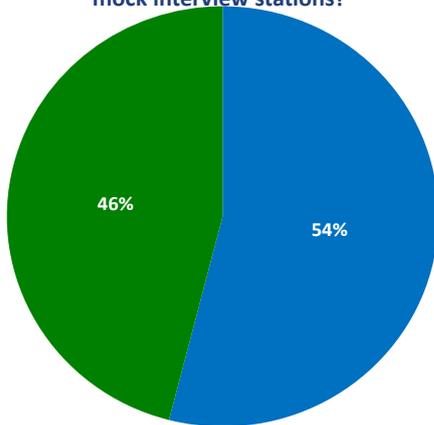
■ Excellent ■ Very Good ■ Good ■ Neutral ■ Poor

How would you rate the appropriateness of the Zoom platform for this course?



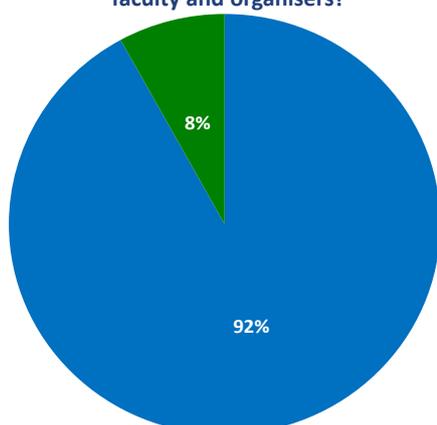
■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

Did you receive sufficient feedback in the mock interview stations?



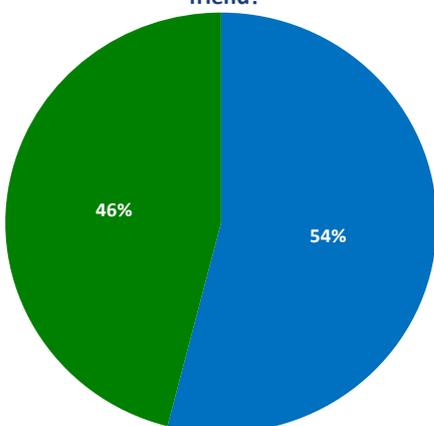
■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

How was the general friendliness of the faculty and organisers?



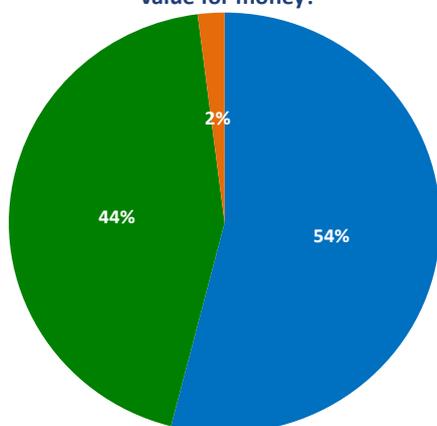
■ Very friendly ■ Friendly ■ Neutral ■ Not very friendly ■ Can't comment

Would you recommend this course to a friend?



■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

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



■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

Individual Comments

Great session. Lots of stations to practice. Very well organised.

VR
St Helens & Knowsley NHS Trust, United Kingdom

Very good course overall. It was definitely helpful for me to attend in the run up to my interview.

ZA
Royal Papworth Hospital, Cambridge

Very useful! Constructive feedback. Thank you!

CC
Whipps Cross University Hospital

Course was really useful great instructors highly recommended.

AE
Salford Royal, Salford

Good one to one feedback.

JG
Morrison Hospital, Wales

Really helpful course, feedback was very valuable.

GN
Belfast Trust (Belfast City Hospital/Royal Victoria hospital)



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- FRCS (General Surgery) Exit Exam
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