



Advanced Graf Ultrasound Course
for the Diagnosis and Management of Dysplasia of the Infant Hip



Feedback - November 2024

Advanced Graf Ultrasound Course for the Diagnosis and Management of Developmental Dysplasia of the Infant Hip

This Advanced course, previously run in Dorchester as the West Dorset Hip Update Course, was led by Professor Reinhard Graf, Professor of Orthopaedics at the University of Graz, Austria.

Aims & Objectives:

- o To ensure that participants are competent and confident in the technique of hip sonography.
- o To address any pertinent technical or knowledge-related issues that participants are encountering.
- o To discuss in greater depth the clinical and ultrasonic management of children with Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip (previously known as Congenital Dislocation of the Hip) including new developments.

Course Information

Course Date:	18th and 21st November 2024
Venue:	Theoretical Component Held via Zoom (18th November 2024) Practical Component Held at The Tower Hotel, St. Katharine's Way, London (21st November 2024)
Attendance:	13 Delegates
Aimed at:	Midwives; Obstetric Nurses; Orthopaedic Surgeons; Paediatricians; Paediatric Surgeons; Physiotherapists; Radiographers; Radiologists; Sonographers; Speciality Nurses; Speciality Registrars and Trainees in any of the above disciplines; Surgical or Advanced Care Practitioners.
Course Fee:	£325.00



Programme (18th November 2024)

0915 - 0920 Login to Zoom

0920 - 0930 Welcome and Introduction

0930 - 1010 Lecture 1 - Checklist 1: Anatomical Identification

1010 - 1030 Lecture 2 - Checklist 2: Usability Check

1030 - 1045 Questions and Group Practice

1045 - 1100 Break

1100 - 1145 Lecture 3 - Graf Types: Description/Eyeballing

1145 - 1230 Lecture 4 - Measurement and Classification

1230 - 1240 Questions

1230 - 1330 Lunch Break

1335 - 1345 Scanning Technique

1345 - 1420 Lecture 5 - Tilting Errors and Pitfalls

1420 - 1425 Questions

1425 - 1500 Lecture 6 - Treatment According to US Classification

1500 - 1515 Break

1515 - 1545 Lecture 7 - Clinical/Selective/Universal Screening

1545 - 1615 Lecture 8 - Why the Graf Method

1615 - 1620 Questions

1620 - 1630 Summary and Close

1630 End of Day 1

Programme (21st November 2024)

- 0900 - 0915 Registration and Coffee
- 0915 Welcome and Introduction
- 0915 - 0945 Workshop 1: Anatomical Identification
- 0945 - 1015 Workshop 2: Usability Check
- 1015 - 1030 Scanning Demonstration
- 1030 - 1230 Small Group Sessions (with Refreshment Break)

1230 - 1330 Lunch (phantom station available for practice)

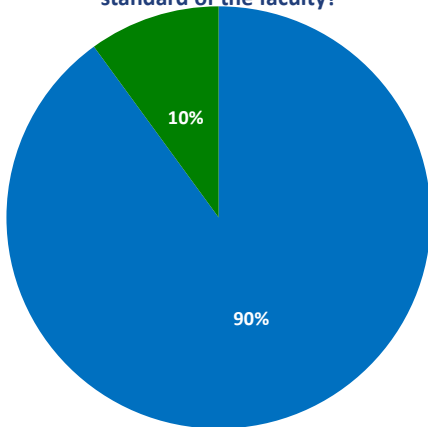
- 1330 - 1345 Workshop 3: Types of Hip
- 1345 - 1400 Workshop 4: Measurement and Classification
- 1400 - 1415 Workshop 5: Tilting Errors

1415 - 1445 Refreshment Break

- 1445 - 1615 Small Group Sessions
- 1615 - 1630 Reporting and Audit
- 1630 - 1700 Final Points and Questions
- 1700 End of Course

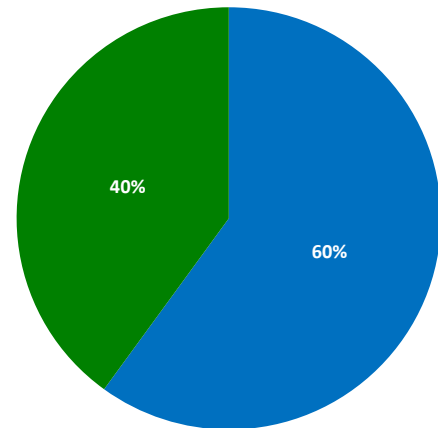
Overall Feedback

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



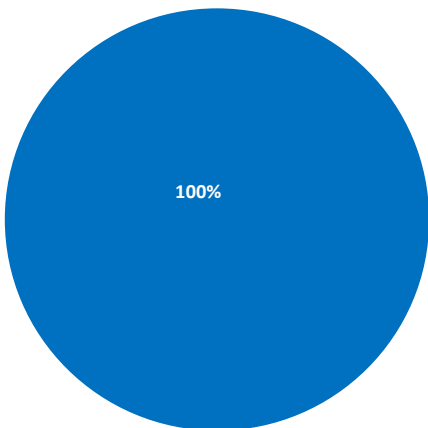
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How useful did you find the assessment at the start of Day 2 of the course?



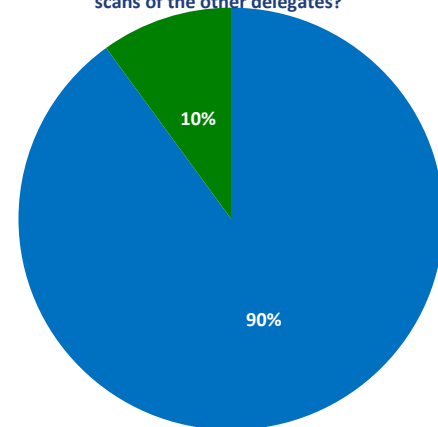
■ Extremely Useful ■ Very Useful ■ Useful
■ Somewhat Useful ■ Not Useful At All

How beneficial did you find the discussion of your own scans?



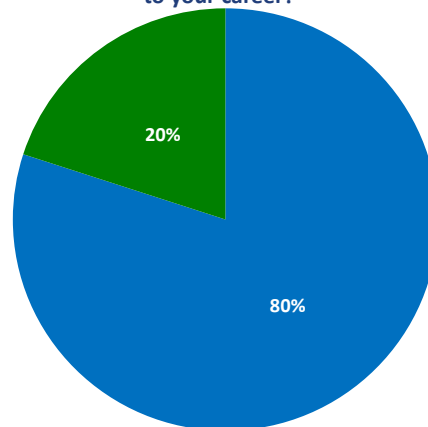
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■ Somewhat Beneficial ■ Not Beneficial At All

Did you enhance your understanding of the Graf method by going through your own scans and the scans of the other delegates?



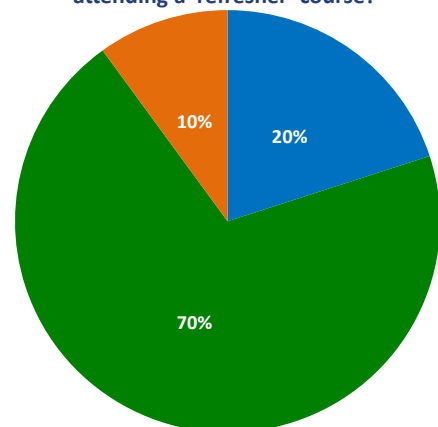
■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

How do you rate the relevance of the course to your career?



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

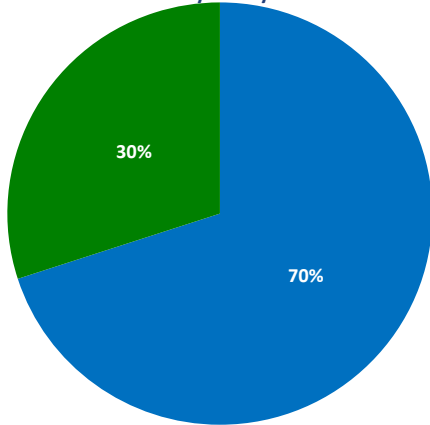
When do you feel you would benefit from attending a 'refresher' course?



■ After 2 years ■ After 3 years ■ After 5 years

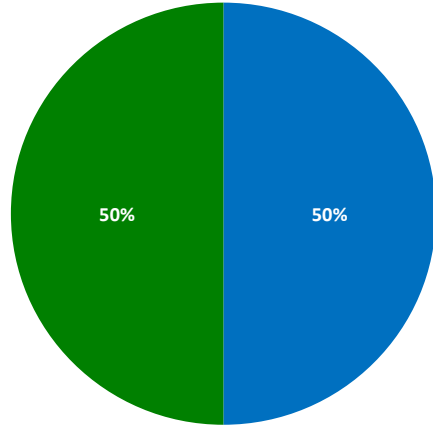
Overall Feedback

How would you rate the appropriateness of Zoom for the delivery of Day 1 of this course?



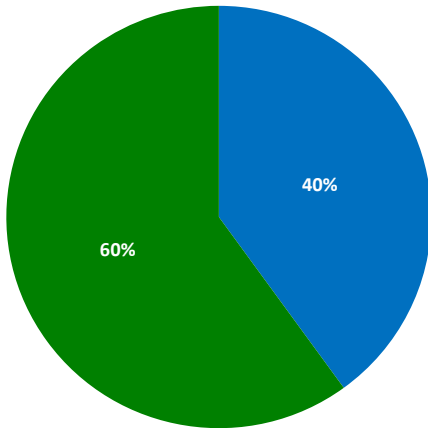
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How were the facilities and venue for Day 2 of the course?



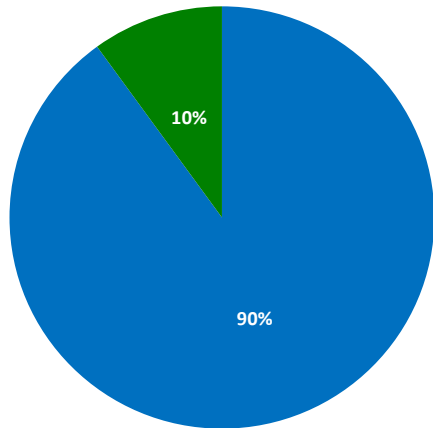
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How were the refreshments and lunch?



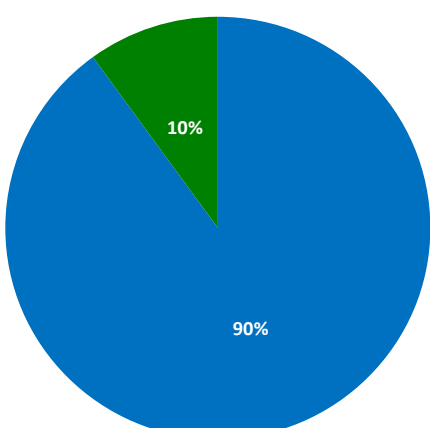
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How was the general friendliness of the faculty and organisers?



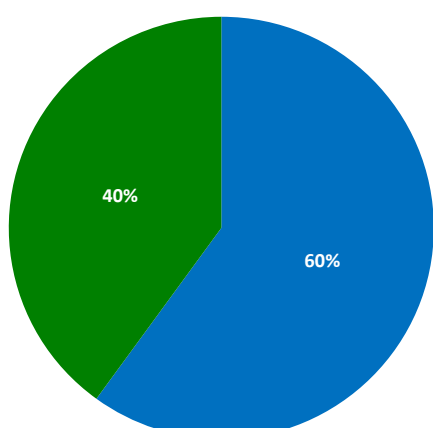
■ Very friendly ■ Friendly ■ Neutral ■ Not very friendly ■ Can't comment

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

Excellent. Very approachable lecturers.

JG

University Hospitals Birmingham, Birmingham, UK

Very useful to have an update on Graf technique, very well delivered and will definitely benefit my clinical practice.

KP

Western Sussex Hospitals NHS (St Richard'S Hospital At Chichester), UK

Great course, well organised, a course that is good to do every 3 yrs, as a refresher.

PB

Royal London Hospital, England, UK

Very relevant.

PL

Hospital doctor in MKUH

The course was delivered very well, keeping us all engaged. It has improved clinical practice and made us more critically analytic of our images, aiming for best sections fulfilling both Graf checklists.

SS

East Lancashire Hospitals, UK



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