

# Cardiff MRCS OSCE Courses: Surgical Anatomy & Surgical Pathology

**DATE:** 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2016 (Friday and Saturday)

**TIME:** 22<sup>nd</sup> January (Friday) 2016: 0815 hrs till 1900 hrs  
23<sup>rd</sup> January (Saturday) 2016: 0750 hrs till 1830 hrs

**VENUE:** Department of Anatomy, School of Biosciences, Park Place, Cardiff University

## COURSE PROGRAMME

### 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2016 (Friday)

- 0810 - 0820 Registration; E1.03
- 0825 Start of teaching at Anatomy Lecture Theatre (Ground Floor)**
- 0825 - 0835 Introduction to the format of the course; venue: Anatomy lecture theatre, School of Biosciences - *Mr S Enoch*
- 0835 - 0850 hrs Lecture; venue: Anatomy lecture theatre
- Overview of anatomy relevant to MRCS OSCE - *Mr S Enoch* (20 mins)

### Candidates arrive to Dissection Room at 0850 hours

- 0850 - 0900 Aprons and formation of groups
- 0900 - 1250 (including 20 minute break for refreshments from 1100-1120)

**Small group demonstration (25 minutes per station); venue: Dissection room**

- Station 1: sutures, vault of the skull, dural partitions, dural venous sinuses, cranial fossae, foramina and structures traversing the foramina
- Station 2: Thoracic skeleton, mediastinum (except heart and lung) and thoracic surgery
- Station 3: Pelvic bone, Hip joint, gluteal region and thigh
- Station 4: Autonomous Nervous System/Brain (Part 1)
- Station 5: Anterior abdominal wall, abdominal incisions, inguinal region and external genitalia
- Station 6: Osteology of Long Bones
- Station 7: Renal system, kidneys, ureters, urology

**1250 - 1340**

**Lunch break; venue E1.03**

**1340 - 1700 (including 20 minute break for refreshments from 1510 - 1530):**

**Small group demonstration (25 minutes per station); venue: Dissection room**

- Station 1: Blood supply of the brain, bony boundaries of the orbit, mandible, muscles of mastication, infratemporal fossa, lateral wall of nose
- Station 2: Heart and Lung
- Station 3: Knee, knee joint, ankle, ankle joint and foot
- Station 4: Autonomous Nervous System/Brain (Part 2)
- Station 5: Scapula, clavicle, humerus, brachial plexus and shoulder
- Station 6: Cross Sectional Anatomy
- Station 7: Pelvis and perineum

## 1715 - 1845:

Venue - Anatomy LT

- Consolidation - *Mr S Enoch* (30 mins)
- Surface Anatomy - *Mr S Enoch* (60 mins)

1845 - 1900      **Summary and Feedback**

1900 HRS      **END OF DAY 1**

## 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2016 (Saturday)

### Day 2

0745      Start of Day

0750 - 0850      Lecture; venue: C0.12

- Surgical Pathology - *Mr S Enoch*

0900 - 1250 (including break for refreshments from 1040 - 1100):

**Small group demonstration (25 minutes per station); venue: Dissection room**

- Station 1: Soft tissues of face and neck, larynx, pharynx, palate, floor of mouth, tongue
- Station 2: Hollow organs of abdomen
- Station 3: Vascular Surgery
- Station 4: Forearm and Hand
- Station 5: Posterior abdominal wall and retroperitoneal structures
- Station 6: Solid organs - Liver, gall bladder, pancreas and spleen
- Station 7: Male and female reproductive organs/Pelvis revision
- Station 8: Vertebrae and Spinal Cord

1250 - 1330

Lunch Break; venue: C0.12

1330 - 1800

**MOCK TEST AND VIVA/OSCE**  
Venue: Dissection room and C0.12

**Coordinator: Mr S Enoch**

**OSCE stations:**

- o Head and Neck
- o Spine
- o Thorax
- o Upper limb
- o Abdomen
- o Pelvis
- o Lower limb
- o Surface Anatomy
- o Osteology
- o Surgical pathology
- o Critical Care
- o Applied Physiology
- o Radiology

**1545 - 1600**

**Break for refreshments**

**1800 - 1830**      **Summary and general feedback**

**1830**              **End of Course!**