YOUNGER FELLOWS CHAPTER



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The Younger Fellows Chapter organised the Preparatory Course for the Exit Examination in General Surgery on 9 July 2022 at the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine.

In the Examination, there were 22 participants and 14 observers, with 16 examiners recruited from public hospitals, private sector and academic institutions.



Examiners briefing beforehand with Dr Siu-kee LEUNG, Chairman of the CSHK General Surgery Board



Candidates and observers waiting for the bell



Observer's perspective

The Preparatory Course was conducted in the same style as the previous Exit Examination. There were three Viva stations (academic oral & surgical anatomy, general surgery, and emergency/trauma/critical care) and two Clinical

Examination stations. Because of the pandemic, the Clinical Examination stations have been replaced by medium cases of 15 minutes each.

To improve fairness and standardisation, questions and answers were preset beforehand. Independent marking was made by each examiner (two in each station). This format is also the same as that of the current Part 3 and Exit Examination.

Inside the examination station, the number and format of questions, marking scheme and even the venue was the same!

We are most grateful to the examiners for their time, and to the College staff for managing and running the Preparatory Course seamlessly.



Examination station



Debriefing participants and observers by Dr Shannon M CHAN, Chairlady of Younger Fellows Chapter



Examiners: (front row from left) Dr Sok-fei HON, Dr Wing-hang KWONG, Dr Simon CHU, Dr Violet YK TSOI and Professor Anthony YB TEOH
YFC members: (back row from left) Dr Samson YS CHAN, Dr Delon LIM, Dr Man-fung HO, Dr Patricia PC YAM and Dr Shannon M CHAN
Examiners (in absentia): Dr Fion SY CHAN, Dr Chi-yee CHOI, Dr Wei-hang HUI, Dr Chi-wai LAU, Dr Kit-fai LEE, Dr Siu-lan LEUNG, Dr Kwok-yu NGO, Dr Skyi YC
PANG, Dr Kandy KC WONG, Dr Ka-fai WONG and Dr Wai-man WONG