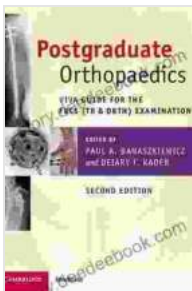


Viva Guide for the FRCS Tr Orth Examination: A Comprehensive Guide to Success

The FRCS Tr Orth examination is a challenging but rewarding examination that assesses the knowledge, skills, and abilities of orthopedic surgeons. The viva is a key component of the examination, and it is essential for candidates to be well-prepared in order to perform well.

This guide provides a comprehensive overview of the FRCS Tr Orth viva examination. It includes information on the format, structure, and content of the viva, as well as tips and strategies for success.

The FRCS Tr Orth viva is a 30-minute examination that is conducted by a panel of three examiners. The viva is divided into two parts:



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- **Part 1:** This part consists of questions on general orthopedic topics. The questions are designed to assess the candidate's knowledge of

the basic principles of orthopedic surgery, as well as their ability to apply this knowledge to clinical practice.

- **Part 2:** This part consists of questions on a specific orthopedic topic. The topic is chosen by the candidate in advance, and it is expected that the candidate will have a good understanding of the topic and be able to discuss it in detail.

The content of the FRCS Tr Orth viva is broad and covers all aspects of orthopedic surgery. The following are some of the topics that may be covered:

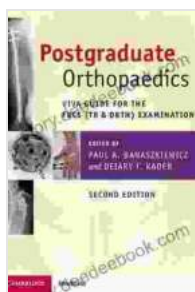
- **Basic principles of orthopedic surgery:** This includes topics such as anatomy, biomechanics, pathology, and radiology.
- **Clinical practice:** This includes topics such as diagnosis, management, and treatment of orthopedic conditions.
- **Surgical techniques:** This includes topics such as open and arthroscopic surgery, as well as the use of implants and devices.
- **Research and development:** This includes topics such as the latest advances in orthopedic surgery, as well as the role of research in the development of new treatments.

The following are some tips and strategies for success in the FRCS Tr Orth viva:

- **Be well-prepared:** This means studying the syllabus thoroughly and ensuring that you have a good understanding of all of the topics that may be covered.

- **Practice your viva skills:** This can be done by practicing with a friend or colleague, or by attending a viva preparation course.
- **Be confident:** This means believing in your own abilities and presenting yourself well to the examiners.
- **Answer the questions clearly and concisely:** This means being direct and to the point, and avoiding unnecessary detail.
- **Be honest:** This means admitting when you don't know the answer to a question, and asking for clarification if necessary.
- **Be professional:** This means dressing appropriately, being polite and respectful to the examiners, and behaving in a professional manner throughout the examination.

The FRCS Tr Orth viva is a challenging but rewarding examination. By following the tips and strategies outlined in this guide, you can increase your chances of success and achieve your goal of becoming a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Trauma & Orthopaedics.



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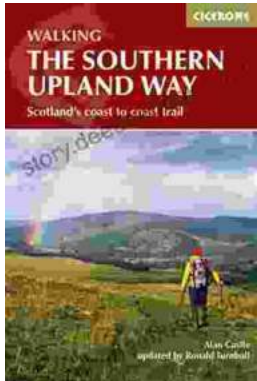
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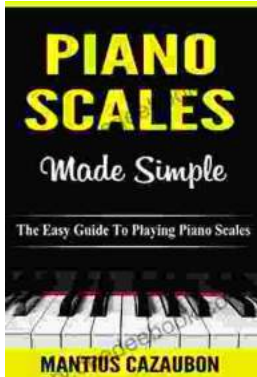
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