



International Examining as a visiting UK examiner

Eligibility Criteria

1. Fellow or Collegiate Member with an Edinburgh Examiner Number
2. Compliant with Examiner Criteria
3. Has completed fair assessment module within past three years
4. Has a current GMC license to practise
5. Has examined a minimum of 4 cycles of PACES within 12 months prior to recruitment diet
6. Has examined at least 12 cycles of PACES overall
7. Has expressed interest in overseas examining in availability questionnaire

Allocation Criteria

1. Eligible examiners who are current members of the College Council or the Council Committee on Examinations will be offered initial preferential access to up to a maximum of 20% of the international examination places allocated to the RCPE each diet
2. The remaining places will then be made available to all eligible examiners (*including members of the College Council or the Council Committee on Examinations*)
3. For purposes of allocation all examiners will be divided into 2 groups:
 - Group 1 - those with previous overseas examining experience
 - Group 2 - those with no previous overseas examining experience.
4. Member of each group will be allocated a random rank number for selection.
5. Examiners will be invited to submit their interest in examining at one or more centre.
6. Allocation will be according to rank order and examination centre preference from both Group 1 and Group 2 until all available examiner slots are filled.
7. Allocation will aim to ensure that 50% of selected examiners have no previous experience of overseas examining.
8. Where more than one Edinburgh examiner is required for a centre (*including the chair of examiners*), one examiner with no previous overseas experience should be selected.
9. The ethnic and gender diversity of overseas examiners will be monitored and reported each examination diet to the CCOE, with the aim that it should reflect the diversity of the current examiner pool.