

UK Fellowship Questionnaire

Did the Fellowship fulfil the BOFAS criteria \sqrt{Yes} No

A good quality F&A Fellowship should provide a balance between surgical practice in theatre and of decision-making in outpatients, with at least two clinics and at least three theatre sessions per week. There should be a regular multi-disciplinary team meeting, study leave with both protected time and a budget, a paid session for research or audit and a clear mechanism for feedback.

Please answer these questions in the free text box below

1. Which Year?

2. What was the annualised total number in your log book? (ie if 6/12 then double)

3. What was the % of cases that you were the lead surgeon for most of the procedure?

4. How many academic publications are you highly likely to submit from your Fellowship (be honest)?

5. What were the highlights?

1. Aug 2019	to F	eb 2021
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2.234

3.76%

4.3

5. This fellowship period has been busy and pivotal for my career. I thoroughly enjoyed learning from Prof Pillai not only surgical techniques but other aspects of managerial and leadership skills that soon came useful during my first consultant job. I was given ample opportunity in teaching, mentoring, research, and publication. Apart from enjoying an independent theatre list I was also empowered to lead MDT clinics, regional meeting and national trails such as UK-FALCON, SOLARIO, UKCoTS. I can not thank enough my supervisor for everything and highly recommend this fellowship for anyone interested.

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