



Congress of
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2023 SANS Written Boards Review Course

Saturday, January 21st, 2023
Zoom

Course Directors

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Course Description

The SANS Written Boards Review Course prepares neurosurgery residents for the ABNS Primary Examination (commonly referred to as the Written Boards). Using SANS questions that were specifically designed for this course, expert faculty cover the breadth of all subspecialty and general neuro topics included on the Written Boards Exam.

The one-day intensive review provides summative didactic sessions covering the breadth of neuroanatomy, neurobiology, neuropathology, neuroimaging, neurology, neurosurgery, critical care, and core competencies—from synaptic physiology to cranial nerve anatomy to complex spine surgery.

AGENDA

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All Sessions Occur in Central Time

8:00–8:15 am	Course Introduction, Khoi D. Than & Russell R. Lonser
8:15–9:15 am	Trauma and Critical Care, Ryan S. Kitagawa & Emily Sieg
9:15–10:15 am	Spine Surgery, Alexander E. Ropper & Jared Fridley
10:15–11:15 am	Neuropathology, Tarik Tihan & Matthew D. Wood
11:15–12:15 pm	Brain Tumors and Skull Base, Walavan Sivakumar & Rafael Vega
12:15–1:00 pm	Lunch Break
1:00–2:00 pm	Vascular, Adam J. Polifka & Jacob Cherian
2:00–3:00 pm	Peripheral Nervous System, Robert J. Spinner & Brandon Smith
3:00–4:00 pm	Pediatric Neurosurgery, Taryn M. Bragg & Jason Hauptman
4:00–5:00 pm	Pain and Functional Neurosurgery, Ashwin Viswanathan & Ahmed Raslan
5:00–5:30 pm	Course Wrap-up, Khoi D. Than & Russell R. Lonser

Agenda and faculty subject to change