Course Director
Khoi D. Than

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
Saturday, January 27, 2024
All Sessions Occur in Central Time

8:00–8:15 am Course Introduction, Khoi D. Than
8:15–9:15 am Trauma and Critical Care, Ryan S. Kitagawa & Emily Sieg
9:15–10:15 am Spine Surgery, Justin Lee & Jared Fridley
10:15–11:15 am Neuropathology, Tarik Tihan
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, Jacob Cherian & Ramesh Grandhi
2:00–3:00 pm Peripheral Nervous System, Robert J. Spinner & TJ Wilson
3:00–4:00 pm Pediatric Neurosurgery, Taryn M. Bragg & Jason Hauptman
4:00–5:00 pm Pain and Functional Neurosurgery, Ashwin Viswanathan & Rushna Ali
5:00–5:30 pm Course Wrap-up, Khoi D. Than
Agenda and faculty subject to change