**Interview 8 – Mona discusses some of the challenges she has faced**

This clip contains an interview with Mona, an international medical graduate (IMG) from India. She briefly discuses some of the challenges she encountered when working in the UK e.g. racism, how the hospital works. Finally she outlines how she was successful in the CSA.

**Suggested Learning or Discussion Points for Educators and Trainees**

* Common areas of language difficulty egg pronunciation, volume, rate, accents, use of humour, colloquialisms.
* How trainees can best prepare for the CSA – in practice and out of the practice.
* Time management.
* Ethics.
* CPD and staying up to date.

**Resources**

* York and Humber resources on supporting IMGs

<http://www.yorksandhumberdeanery.nhs.uk/general_practice/trainees/IMGs.aspx>

* Also see PowerPoint presentation: ‘Addressing the Training Needs of IMGs ’