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Tips and Tricks for the Interventional Cardiology Fellowship Application Process

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Webinar Key Takeaways

1. Use websites and network with other fellows to learn about interventional programs.
2. For programs participating in ERAS (Electronic Residency Application Service), submit your application through the portal when the site opens in December.
3. Highlight what you are passionate about and communicate your goals in the personal statement.
4. Keep an open line of communication with programs once you have been chosen for an interview.
5. It is important to excel not only in technical aspects of catheterization, but pre- and post-procedure care.
6. Being recognized as a team player throughout your cardiovascular training is critical when being considered for interventional training.
7. Give critical thought to exactly what you hope to do with your career: Coronary (CTO/CHIP), Endovascular, Structural, Research—you cannot do it all.
8. Ensure that the programs that you are evaluating will give you the training you need in the area on which you hope to focus.
9. Seek out the fellows at the training programs that you are considering. They will be the best and most reliable source of information about the program.