

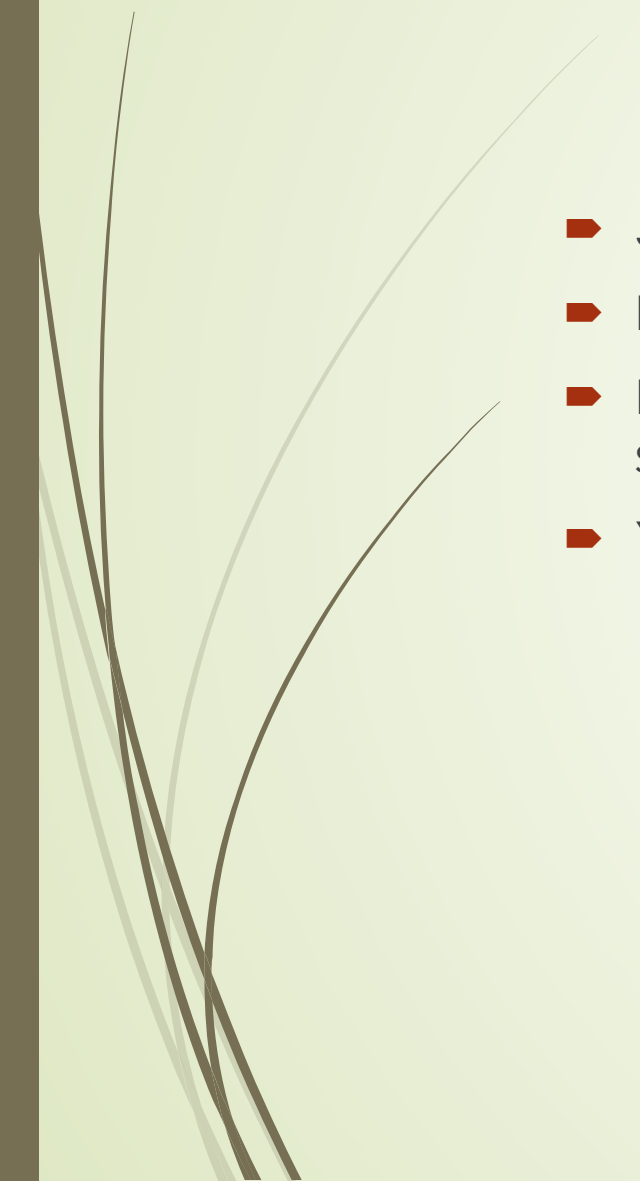


An Alternative Direction

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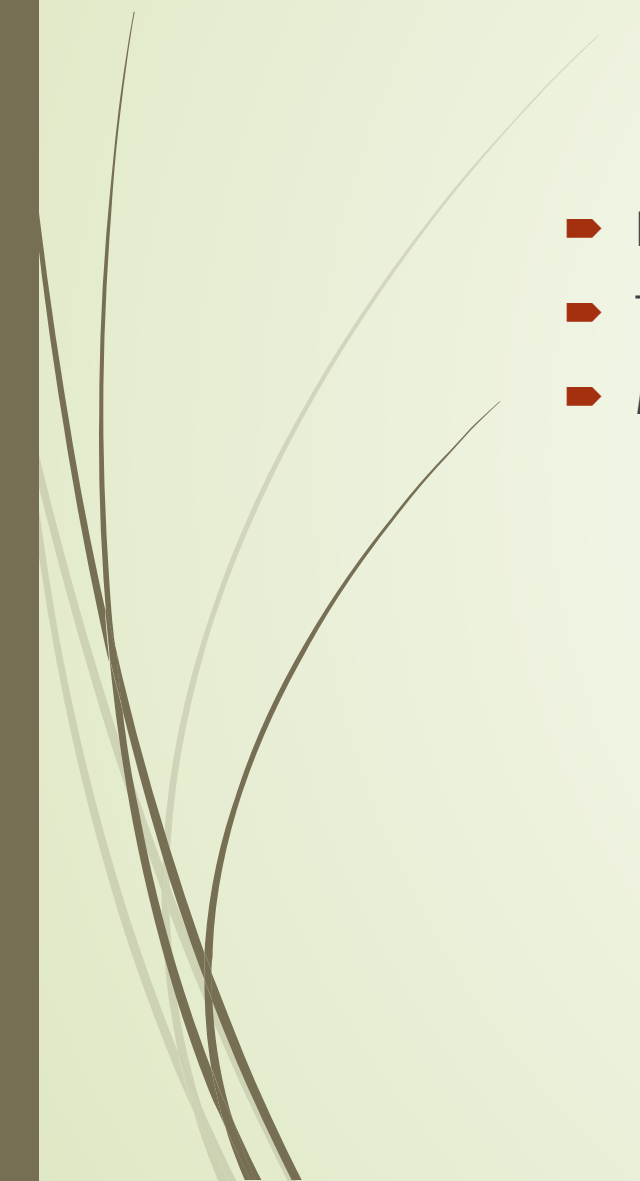


About me...

- ▶ 5 years experience treating musculoskeletal conditions
 - ▶ Patient centred approach
 - ▶ Background of a range of sports, such as: rugby, Brazilian jiu jitsu, snowboarding, weight lifting
 - ▶ Year three acupuncture student at Lincoln
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Why acupuncture?

- Pain relief
 - Treating the patient as a whole
 - More than just MSK
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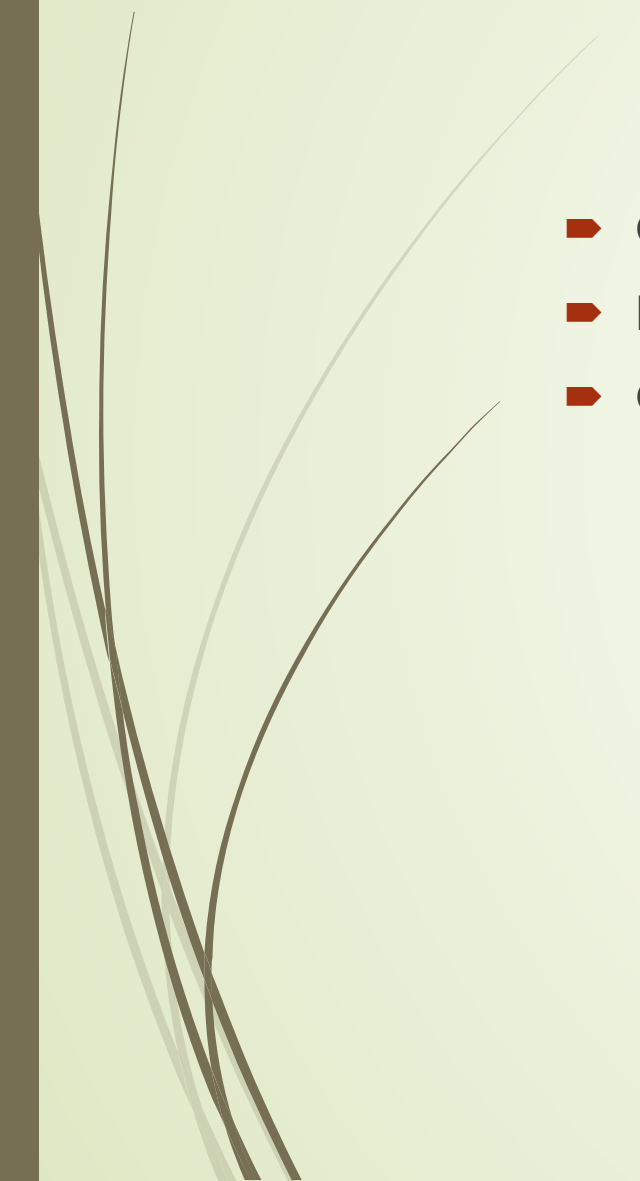


Learning acupuncture!

- Mentorship
 - Year one
 - Year two
 - Year three
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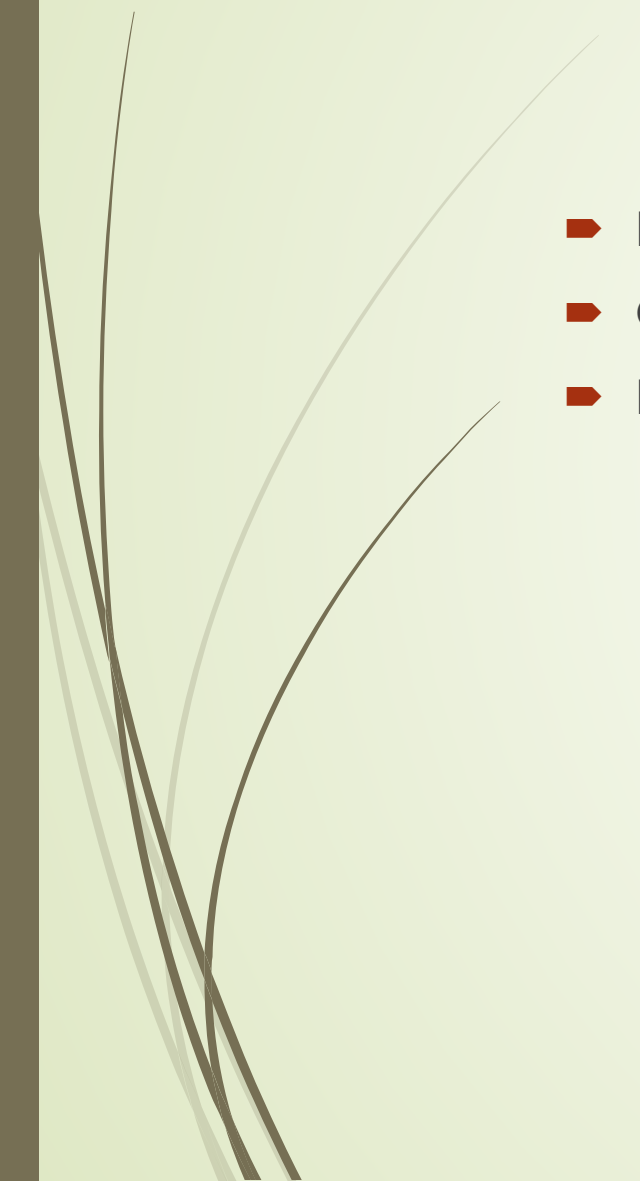


Trials and tribulations

- COVID – the proverbial spanner
 - Distanced learning
 - Open book exams
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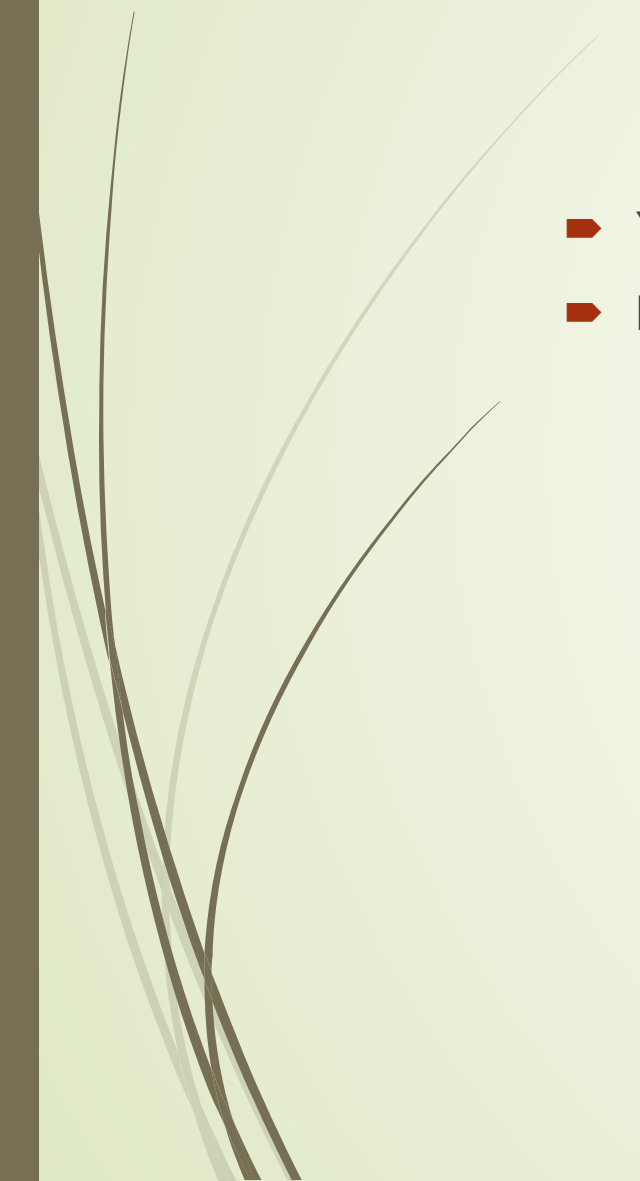


Trials and tribulations 2

- Restrictions
 - Guidelines
 - Return to normality?
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What the future holds

- ▶ Year three
 - ▶ Post pandemic
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Thank you