



# INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA INC

ABN 99 043 289 493

## Position Description: Junior Committee Member

### 1. Overview

The Interventional Radiology Society of Australasia (IRSA) is a clinician-led member organisation established to pursue the charitable purposes of advancing health through the speciality of interventional radiology, and principally, to promote the prevention and treatment of diseases in humans through interventional radiology.

IRSA is governed by the Committee of Management of the Association ('the Committee'). The Committee includes the IRSA office-bearers, who are referred to collectively as 'the Executive'. The Committee and its Executive have responsibility for, and oversight of, the core objectives of IRSA.

This role is responsible for acting as the representative for matters that are especially relevant to a radiologist undertaking their IRSA fellowship. The Junior Member is an appointed role and does not have voting rights.

### 2. Roles and Responsibilities

The Junior Member provides advice and feedback to the Committee, based on the Member's experiences and awareness of IR Fellowship Training programs, on achieving the objectives and responsibilities of the Committee including:

- 2.1. Defining and identifying the mission, purpose and strategic priorities of IRSA;
- 2.2. Advancing the profession of interventional radiology through development of stakeholder relationships;
- 2.3. Enhancing stakeholder understanding of interventional radiology;
- 2.4. Providing expert assistance to the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists (RANZCR) and other relevant governance bodies in regard to the ongoing development of interventional radiology training, education, fellowship training and CPD.
- 2.5. Supporting and expanding the existing network of IRSA members;
- 2.6. Facilitating the further networking of IRSA members with an interest in the subspecialties of interventional radiology, e.g. interventional neuroradiology;
- 2.7. Developing and overseeing the education functions and accreditation of IRSA Fellowship training;

### 3. Application Process



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- 3.1 IRSA will advertise the role when vacant to all members.
- 3.2 The role will be filled through an Expression of Interest (EOI) process.
- 3.3 Applicants who meet the selection criteria should complete the EOI form and supporting documents and send to the IRSA Executive Officer.
- 3.4 Appointment to the role will be determined by the Executive.
- 3.5 The Junior Member is limited to a maximum of two terms of two years.

## **4. Selection Criteria**

The Junior Member must:

- 4.1 Be a Fellow of RANZCR;
- 4.2 Be currently undertaking a dedicated interventional radiology fellowship, or have completed a fellowship no more than four years prior to nominating for the position;
- 4.3 Be in good standing with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency or the Medical Council of New Zealand (MCNZ) with no outstanding conditions, undertakings or reprimands;
- 4.4 Have an interest and understanding of the IRSA Accreditation Standards, the Cardiovascular and Interventional Radiological Society of Europe (CIRSE) Curriculum and the European Board of Interventional Radiology (EBIR) examination process;
- 4.5 Have a good understanding of health policy, national health issues and political issues directly related to the profession of radiology and interventional radiology;
- 4.6 Have experience speaking publicly and/or representing a body, organisation, association or society.