



## GUIDELINES CLINICAL RADIOLOGY EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS AWARD

*Clinical Radiology  
For trainees or junior Fellows (within 2 years post-Fellowship)*

**The RANZCR Terms and Conditions must be read in conjunction with these guidelines.**

### PURPOSE

The purpose of the Early Career Researchers Award is to recognise a clinical radiology trainee or junior Fellow (within two years post-Fellowship) who is the first author of a paper which has been accepted for publication by the Journal of Medical Imaging and Radiation Oncology (JMIRO) or another Medline Indexed peer-reviewed journal. This award provides candidates with a greater incentive for excellence, and a sense of achievement.

### THE AWARD

One award to the value of AU\$1,500. Funds will be paid directly to the award recipient following the College's Annual Scientific Meeting in October 2020.

### ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must be:

1. A registered clinical radiology trainee of the College's accredited training program or a Fellow (within two years post-Fellowship).
2. A financial member of the College.
3. The first author whose research requirement manuscript has been accepted for publication by JMIRO or another radiology peer-reviewed journal.

### ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

The following criteria are used in judging the applications:

1. Importance of the manuscript
2. Originality
3. Soundness of general method
4. Soundness of statistical methods
5. Style and clarity
6. Quality of illustrations, tables, etc.
7. Reader interest
8. Grammar, spelling, syntax
9. Contribution of the applicant

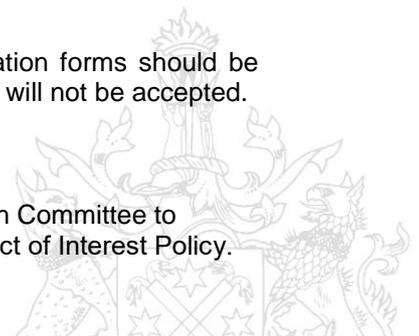
### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applicants must fill in the application form and submit a copy of their manuscript and acceptance letter or email notification that identifies the name of the journal, paper title, reference number, first author and date of submission/acceptance.

Application forms can be downloaded from the [College website](#). Application forms should be submitted along with relevant supporting documentation. Late applications will not be accepted.

### APPLICATION ENDORSEMENT

A panel of reviewers will be established by the Clinical Radiology Research Committee to assess and grade the applications, in accordance with the College's Conflict of Interest Policy.



**NOTIFICATION**

Once a successful recipient has been determined, further to endorsement by Faculty Council, the College will formally notify the successful recipient by email. Ordinarily this notification will take place by the end of July each year.

**PRESENTATION AND ANNOUNCEMENT**

The award recipient will be invited to attend the College's Annual Ceremony at the Annual Scientific Meeting, to be held at the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre between 15 and 18 October 2020, where they will be presented with their award.

Following the Annual Ceremony, the recipient will be added to the College Awards and Honours Roll, which is published on the College website.

**Please Note: Awards and Grants are subject to change on an annual basis.**