

## Ralph Reader Prize extended until after Easter! Deadline is now 6pm (AEST) Tuesday, 6 April 2021

Not sure you have what it takes? Go on have a go, you've got everything to gain and nothing to lose. [Read last year's winners and finalists' submissions here.](#)

If you have already submitted an abstract for the 2021 CSANZ ASM or ANZET meeting, you may wish to consider submitting a manuscript of the study for consideration for the Ralph Reader Basic Science or Clinical Prize.

Ralph Reader submissions will remain Open until after Easter. The deadline for submissions has been extended to **6pm (AEST) Tuesday, 6 April 2021.**



[Manuscripts should be sent to the CSANZ office \(info@csanz.edu.au\)](#) asap, together with a detailed letter of support from your supervisor and signed single best work statement. Please contact the CSANZ office if you have any questions regarding the Ralph Reader Prize.

[Am I eligible for the Ralph Reader? Read more...](#)

*NB: Manuscripts will not be published and will only be used for the assessment process.*

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### Seeking National Coordinator for INTERASPIRE study

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CSANZ is participating in the INTERASPIRE study in partnership with the World Heart Federation and the ESC EuroObservational Research Programme.

INTERASPIRE is an international study on cardiovascular disease prevention and diabetes based on the EUROASPIRE V methodology. The study has been expanded to 30 countries from all five WHO regions outside Europe.

CSANZ is calling for expressions of interest for a National Coordinator of the INTERASPIRE project in Australia.

[Read more about the National Coordinator position here...](#)

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## Join the CSANZ Quality Standards Committee - calling for EOI's



Interested in clinical governance, regulatory affairs, or the development of clinical guidelines?

Calling for expressions of interest to join the CSANZ Quality Standards Committee (QSC) of The Society.

This is an opportunity to support the future policy and direction of The Society at a time of rapidly evolving innovation and change in the practice of cardiovascular medicine

and surgery. [Read more](#)

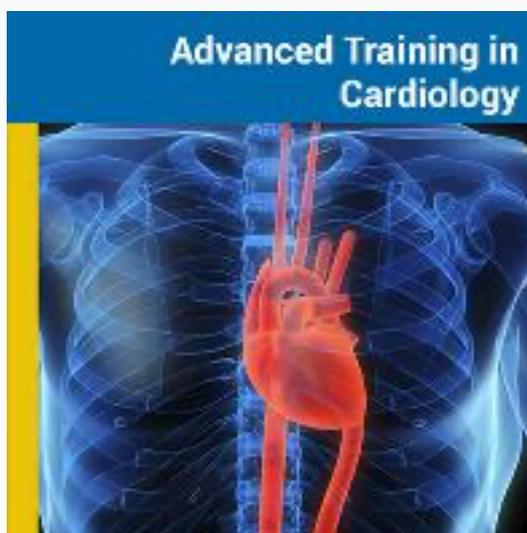
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## Request for Fellows to mark AT Research Projects

The Advanced Training Committee (ATC) in Cardiology is seeking assistance in marking Cardiology Advanced Trainee Research Projects in 2021.

The [marking criteria](#) are simple and straightforward and are available via the [RACP website](#). The [Research Project Guidelines](#) are also available on the RACP website.

Projects have a word limit of 5000 words and usually take 1-2 hours to completely assess. There are two markers given to each project and are given usually 3 to 4 weeks to mark a project.



The ATC appreciates Fellows' time and dedication to trainees hence markers can advise how frequent they wish to receive assessments and periods when they are unable to assist with marking.

Fellows are also welcome to inform us of your clinical interest so we can try and align research project topics to Fellows' interest where we can.

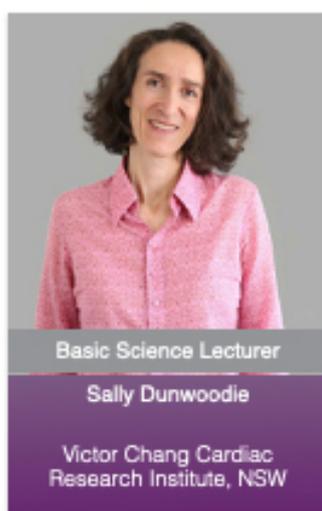
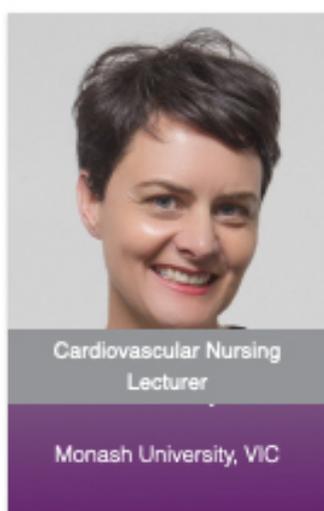
Marking assessments can also earn [Continuing Professional Development \(CPD\) credits](#).

If you could please confirm if you are available to assist in marking a Research project either in April –May, June – July or in September – October via email by Monday 19 April.

Please email us at [cardiology@racp.edu.au](mailto:cardiology@racp.edu.au)

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## #CSANZ2021 Named Lecturers Announced



[Keep an eye on the #CSANZ 2021 program](#) as it evolves and learn more about our esteemed Lecturers presenting at this year's #CSANZ2021.

[REGISTER FOR CSANZ 2021 & ANZET21](#)

[CATCH THE EARLY BIRDS - UNTIL 31 MAY 2021](#)

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**SEEKING CLINICAN VIEWS | Exploring anticoagulant use in obesity and AF**

You are invited to participate in the DOAC–COAF Research Study.

The study aims to explore and understand clinician beliefs, attitudes, and practices towards pharmacological management in obese patients with Atrial Fibrillation.



The study is being conducted by Fahad Shaikh, a Pharmacist and PhD candidate at Western Sydney University; working under the supervision of Dr Caleb Ferguson (WSU & WSLHD), Prof Rochelle Wynne (WSU & WSLHD), Dr Ronald Castelino (USYD & WSLHD) and A/Prof Sally Inglis (UTS).

Participation involves a 30-60 minute 1-1 interview via zoom or phone.

**To participate – please contact**

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*The study has received ethics approval by Western Sydney Local Health District.*

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**CSANZ  
2021**

49TH ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING  
OF THE CARDIAC SOCIETY OF  
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND  
HOSTED BY CSANZ NEW  
5 - 8 AUGUST 2021 | ADELAIDE CONVENTION CENTRE  
[WWW.CSANZASM.COM](http://WWW.CSANZASM.COM)



**ANZET21**

15th Annual  
Australia & New Zealand  
Endovascular Therapies Meeting  
Friday 6 August - Sunday 8 August 2021  
Adelaide Convention Centre  
[www.anzet.com.au](http://www.anzet.com.au)



**CSANZ21**

CSANZ New Zealand  
Annual Scientific Meeting  
Rotorua Events Centre | 16-18 June 2021  
[WWW.CSANZASM.NZ](http://WWW.CSANZASM.NZ)



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**LATEST  
NEWS**

## Welcome to CSANZ

We are looking forward to introducing you to our new look website. Choc-a-block full of fancy features that will have you leaping online whenever you have a spare 5 minutes...

The new [csanz.edu.au](http://csanz.edu.au) is full of interactive and educational pages, easy navigation that will have you connecting with other members from all over the cardiology community.

There is an exciting new "Members Only" platform where you'll find podcasts to listen to, video presentations to watch and chat forums to post, comment, like, upload images and information or ask a question.

LAUNCHING SOON - WATCH THIS SPACE!

## LATEST RESEARCH REVIEWS

## Events

### AUSTRALIA

#### **AMYLOIDOSIS VIRTUAL WORKSHOP | 22 MAY 2021**

Australian amyloidosis physicians will be joined by Prof Claudio Rapezzi and Prof Morie Gertz who will provide pre-recorded updates as well as attend real time question and answer sessions.

9.30am - 5pm (AEST)

[Read more and register now for the Live Webcast](#)

### INTERNATIONAL

#### **EUROGUICH 2021 | 4 - 5 MAY 2021**

[Tuesday, 04 May 9:00 - Wednesday, 05 May 2021 18:00 CEST](#)

Annual Meeting of the ESC Working Group on Adult Congenital Heart Disease (ACHD)

[Read more and register](#) - Topics include: Valvular, Myocardial, Pericardial, Pulmonary, Congenital Heart Disease

#### **ACC.21 | 15 - 17 MAY 2021**

The American College of Cardiology's 70th Annual Scientific Sessions will be streaming live from 15 – 17 May, 2021, with on-demand access following the meeting.

[Read more](#) about the different packages and register.

\*\*\* [See above re CSANZ offer to support your attendance with e-Fellowships](#)

## Notice Board

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

[Cardiologist \(Non-Invasive\)](#) - Albury Wodonga, NSW

[Cardiologist](#) – North Brisbane, QLD

[Cardiologist](#) - Emerald Hills, South West Sydney, NSW

[Research Scholarship on INFORM AF Study](#) - Western Sydney University, NSW

[Congenital Heart Cardiologist](#) - Melbourne, Victoria

## New Zealand

[Fellow - Adult Congenital Cardiology](#). Starship Child Health - Auckland, New Zealand (start date Oct 2021)

[Interventional Cardiologist](#), Bay of Plenty NZ (17 Mar 2021)

For all career opportunities visit the [CSANZ website](#).

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