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Governing Policy: POL-4832 Research Scholarship Policy

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<b>Eligibility summary</b>	RACS Fellows (early career), SIMGs, SET Trainees
<b>Interest area</b>	Surgical research

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The Herbert and Gloria Kees Research Scholarship supports the advancement of surgical research, technologies, techniques and treatments.

The scholarship was established through a generous donation from the estate of the late Gloria Joyce Kees. Gloria's nephew, Mr Franklin Yee, is a General Surgeon Fellow from Sydney.

## Conditions

This guideline outlines information specific to the respective scholarship's purpose, value, duration, conditions and recipient eligibility. For all the conditions for this scholarship it is essential that you also read the Research Policy.

### Applicant eligibility

Applications are open to early-career Fellows (within ten years of obtaining Fellowship), Specialist International Medical Graduates (SIMGs) and SET Trainees.

### Eligible activity

A surgical research program or activity, undertaken at an approved research institute, that supports the advancement of surgical technologies, techniques and treatments.

### Selection process

Selection is assessed via written application with shortlisted applicants invited to interview.

The selection panel is comprised of representatives of the ANZ Scholarship and Grant Committee (ANZSGC).

### Financial arrangements

The scholarship will be paid to the administering institution upon receipt of a valid tax invoice as requested by the Scholarships and Grants department. Payment will be made in one instalment prior to 1 March in the scholarship year.

This scholarship is made up of a stipend component and a departmental component.

### Funding Source

This scholarship is funded from income derived from the Herbert & Gloria Kees Scholarship corpus under the Foundation for Surgery.