

# WG Norman Research Scholarship

## Research Guideline GDL-4881

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Governing Policy: POL-4832 Research Scholarship Policy

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| <b>Eligibility summary</b> | RACS Fellows, SIMGs, SET Trainees               |
| <b>Duration</b>            | 1 year  |
| <b>Interest area</b>       | Higher degree trauma research (South Australia) |

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The WG Norman Research Scholarship supports RACS Fellows and Trainees to undertake research in South Australia with a focus on trauma.

Founded following a bequest from the late Dr W G Norman of Adelaide, the scholarship originally funded advances in surgery on injuries resulting from accident or trauma to young persons and has now been broadened to include all trauma-focused research.

### 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 RACS Fellows, Specialist International Medical Graduates (SIMGs) and SET Trainees who are residents of South Australia and are enrolled (or intend to enrol) in a higher degree.

### Eligible activity

Research must be based in South Australia and undertaken at an approved institution under the supervision of an experienced investigator.

If two applicants are of equal merit, preference will be given to research with a trauma focus.

### Selection panel

The selection panel is comprised of the Chair (or their nominee) and two other members 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 RACS Corpus under the Foundation for Surgery.