



Flinders Arthroplasty Fellowship (SA20695)

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Length of program: 6 Months

Institutions: Flinders Medical Centre
Noarlunga Hospital

Stipend: \$90,000 AUD per annum

Educational Goals:

The program is to provide experience and training in total joint arthroplasty (knee, hip), training in navigation-assisted arthroplasty, revision arthroplasty of the hip and knee, arthroscopies and reconstruction, seminars on complex and difficult cases, and clinical discussions of surgical skills and techniques, common presentations, management alternatives, non-surgical and surgical intervention, infection control, rehabilitation, pre-operative planning, implant design and benefits, research programs and development in training and education.

Fellows will participate in an agreed program of trauma management which includes on-call subject to appropriate skills and experience. Be able to supervise junior staff on-call. At the successful completion of the Fellowship, it is anticipated that the Fellow will be competent in assessing and diagnosing a wide range of musculoskeletal injuries and conditions and be capable of implementing and monitoring the surgical and non-surgical management of patients with these injuries and conditions.

The fellow will be involved in the daily commitments of the Orthopaedic Unit, as part of a multi-disciplinary team.

The fellow will be involved in the Outpatient and Inpatient Service of the Department. The Fellow will attend outpatient clinics which, apart from trauma, include lower and upper limb specialty clinics.

Fellows are expected to engage in the Unit's research program. Paper presentation at local AOA SA Branch Meetings is encouraged.

Fellows are also expected to participate in the Unit's education and training programs with senior and junior colleagues, students and researchers.

Educational Qualifications/Requirements:

- Eligible for registration by AHPRA
- FRACS or equivalent
- Keen interest in developing arthroplasty skills
- Previous performance in arthroplasty research would be advantageous
- Log book required as this program is targeted at an individual post fellowship

How to apply:

Forward Curriculum Vitae, referee reports, contact details, signed off logbook, IELTS Academic English Test (7 or above in each section)

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