Expressions of interest (identified position): Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander member of the Australian Medical Council's Workplace-Based Assessment Result Panel

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Medical Council Limited

The Australian Medical Council (AMC) is a national standards body for medical education and training. Its purpose is to ensure that standards of education, training and assessment of the medical profession promote and protect the health of the Australian community.

The AMC is Australia's accreditation authority for the medical profession and works with the Medical Council of New Zealand on the accreditation of medical programs in New Zealand. It is committed to improving outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders and Māori through the assessment of International Medical Graduates who are embarking on the standard pathway for registration as a doctor in Australia.

The Role

To ensure the AMC meets its strategic goal of ensuring culturally safe practice to improve health outcomes, the AMC understands that we require Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander and Māori Peoples in our governance.

The AMC is seeking expressions of interest for membership of the WBA Results Panel from Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people with a range of backgrounds and experience, to bring their unique perspectives on Indigenous health to the Committee.

The member must demonstrate the following -

- Involved in medical education and thorough knowledge of assessment standards in Australian medical education
- Understanding of Indigenous health and cultural safety, particularly in relation to the work of the AMC
- Have full and current registration with the Medical Board of Australia.

Overview of the WBA Results Panel

The Workplace Based Assessment (WBA) Results Panel is one of three such groups established within the Assessment Committee structure to perform specific functions in connection with the conduct of the AMC examination processes. The WBA Results Panel is responsible for the confirmation of results for the AMC WBA program.

The role of the WBA Results Panel is to provide advice on and support the continuous improvement of the AMC-accredited workplace-based assessment programs or international medical graduates.

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The role of the WBA Results Panel

- Review the assessment outcomes of the AMC accredited WBA program providers, and to confirm the results of the individual candidates who have participated in the WBA assessment according to the accredited AMC summative assessment plan approved by the Pre-Vocational Accreditation Committee (PreVAC).
- Provide feedback to the accredited WBA providers on the delivery of the WBA program.
- Liaise with the AMC PreVAC on the assessment outcomes of the accredited WBA programs as required.
- Liaise with the WBA Development Group on the delivery of the WBA program and the assessment outcomes.
- Report to the Assessment Committee on the WBA assessment result outcomes.

The AMC is committed to a working environment that is inclusive and culturally safe for all. The AMC encourages Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander and Māori Peoples to apply for all roles advertised.

Time Commitment

Members of AMC Committees are appointed for four-year terms. The WBA Results Panel is scheduled to meet five times per year. Meetings will occur via videoconference.

Arrangements by the AMC to support Chairs and members

The AMC will:

- Provides induction support for members
- Pays a fee to members for participation in meetings of committees
- Pays superannuation for individual members as required under Superannuation Guarantee legislation
- Arranges and meets the cost of necessary accommodation and travel
- Meets the cost of meals and incidental expenditure, such as taxi fares.

The AMC does not pay for time responding to correspondence (e.g. emails, phone calls) from AMC staff.

The AMC is committed to memberships that have a range of skills and experiences, diversity and different geographical locations and levels of academic, clinical or professional expertise.

How to apply

To nominate for the position, candidates must complete and return the Expression of Interest Form along with their CV by COB Friday, 13 Ocotber 2023. All applications will be reviewed by an AMC Selection Panel and shortlisted candidates invited to participate in an interview.

Email enquiries and completed applications should be directed to: joanne.lebihan@amc.org.au

Diversity and inclusion are considered essential to the AMC's continued success. The AMC values the diversity of thought and experience and believes that an inclusive and collaborative culture underpins the accreditation and assessment of medical education. We celebrate and promote diversity as a significant strength in our organisation.

Australian Medical Council Limited

Expression of Interest Form: WBA Results Panel – Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander member

Please complete this form and return (Word format) to by close of business Friday, 13 October 2023

Name	
Family Name:	
Given Name/s:	
Title:	
Personal Information	
I identify as:	□ Aboriginal and/or
	Torres Strait Islander and/or
	🗆 Māori
Contact details for this application	
Preferred phone contact	
Alternative phone contact	
Email	
Qualifications	
List qualifications and please indicate any specifically relevant to the role	
Current role and experience	
Current role	
Summary of relevant experience	

Declaration of interests relevant to AMC role e.g., fellow/trainee of AMC accredited medical school or college; health profession registration; director, staff or committee member of relevant organisation	
Interest in the role	
Why do you wish to be considered for the position?	
Please list your contributions to the AMC if any?	
Selection criteria	
Involved in medical education and thorough knowledge of assessment standards in Australian medical education	
Understanding of Indigenous health and cultural safety, particularly in relation to the work of the AMC	
Have full and current registration with the Medical Board of Australia.	
CV	
Please include a PDF copy of your full CV with your submission	□ CV Attached