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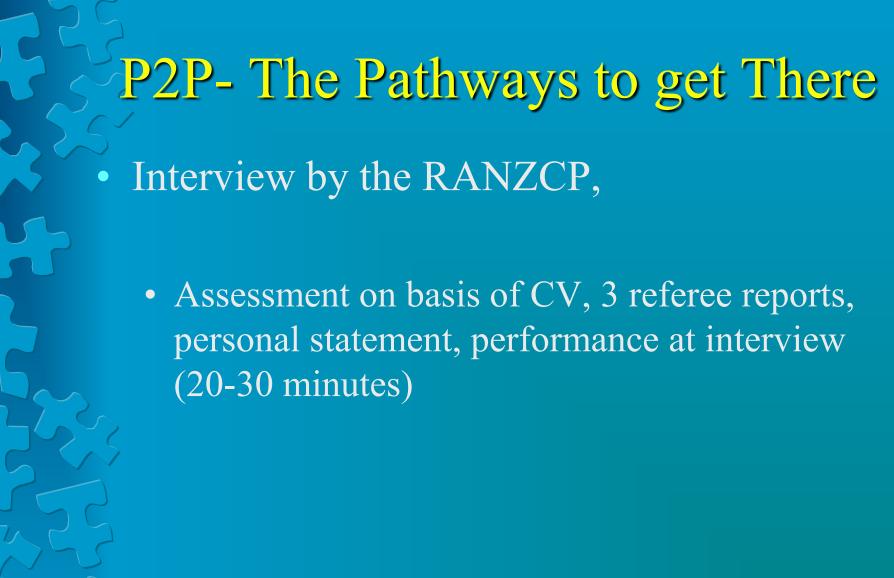
Personal Stories are informative

P2P- The Pathway to What

- Five year course:
 - Stage 1: 1 year adult psychiatry
 - Stage 2: 2 years, consultation-liaison, child and adolescent, 2 terms of interest
 - Stage 3: 2 years of generalist or subspecialty training: Addiction, Adult, Child & Adolescent, Consultation-Liaison, Forensic, Older Adult, Psychotherapy, (Neuropsychiatry)

P2P- The Pathways to get There Interview by the RANZCP

- June and November each year
- Absolute deadline including all referee reports
- Interview panel of 4 or 5 including trainee
- Employment in trainee position
- Completion Application to Register



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- Interview by the RANZCP
 - Assessment of:

- Academic performance
- Employment history
- Competence in general medicine
- Experience working as a doctor in a psychiatric setting
- Ability to work in teams
- Understanding of psychological factors in medicine and psychiatry
- Interpersonal and communication skills
- Information and Communications (ICT) skills
- Other useful experiences and skills
- Professional conduct

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Interview by the RANZCP,

- Strengthen your application
 - Skills development as a process, not just a list of skills
 - Gap year, what did you learn about cultures
 - Macca's, what did you learn about team work
 - Personal statement be reflective and future focused
 - Rural, ATSI, Cross-Cultural experiences to be emphasized
 - Second language skills
 - Work-life balance, exercise, yoga
 - Volunteer experiences