# **Accredited Membership**

## Faculty of Psychotherapy





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### **Accredited Membership**

Fellows and Affiliates of the College may apply for Accredited membership of the Faculty of Psychotherapy (FOP) based on one or more of the following criteria:

- Completed the RANZCP Certificate of Advanced Training in Psychotherapy Psychiatry or an alternative approved training program in psychotherapies
- A Higher academic qualification in Psychotherapy
- Evidence of significant contributions in psychotherapy other than direct clinical work including teaching, research, publications, public health and/or an administrative focus on psychotherapy
- Evidence of substantial interest and experience in psychotherapy over time, considered on a case-by-case basis

#### **Eligibility Assessment:**

The Chair, Subcommittee Advanced Training in the Psychotherapies (SATPSY), is responsible for the initial assessment of the eligibility of the application. Applicants must then be approved by the FOP binational committee.

Applicants who are not successful in attaining Accredited membership of the Faculty will be provided with feedback (including necessary actions required prior to attaining Accredited membership of the Faculty), and will be able to retain membership of the Faculty.

#### **Application Process:**

Upon completion of the RANZCP Certificate in Advanced Training in Psychotherapy Psychiatry, all RANZCP Fellows will be invited the join the Faculty as an Accredited member.

All other applicants must complete a letter of application, outlining the relevant qualifications and experience that meet the Accredited membership criteria. The application should outline the extent of their experience, including any continuing education activity relevant to the practice of Psychotherapy psychiatry. Relevant reports from peers or supervisors supporting the application would be of assistance.

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