

# The Australian Society of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery Awards Criteria and Selection

ASOHNS Council established these awards for services to Society and to the specialty of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck.

The Society Awards fall into three categories:

## **Category 1**

Society Medal for Distinguished Service to ASOHNS

# Category 2

Society Medal for Distinguished Contribution to the Art and Science of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery

# **Category 3**

Society Certificate of Appreciation for Services to ASOHNS

## Criteria

The awards are for individual members and, at Council's discretion, non-members, who have provided outstanding services and / or contribution to the Society.

### **Nominees must:**

- be held in good standing
- have a commitment to ensure that ASOHNS continues to set the highest standards of ethics
- be compliant with RACS CPD
- not subject to any disciplinary action by a regulator or medical body,
- not been convicted of or pleaded guilty to any criminal offence,

#### **Process**

- Nominations are called for each year
- Nominations received are reviewed by the Awards Sub-Committee\*
- The Awards Sub-Committee prepares its recommendations for the October Council meeting
- Final decision is made at the October Council meeting
- The Awards are presented at the following ASOHNS Annual Scientific Meeting

## \*Awards Sub-Committee

The Awards Sub-Committee members comprise the President, Immediate Past President, Adviser to Council plus one co-opted person.