



# TSANZ

The Transplantation Society of Australia and New Zealand

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## Expressions of Interest - TSANZ SPEC

The TSANZ Scientific Program and Education Committee (SPEC) responsible for the scientific and educational elements of meetings run by the society, particularly the Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM), Frontiers and Challenges in Transplantation (FACT), Solid Organ Transplant Symposia (SOTS) and the virtual Grand Rounds. In addition, SPEC advises Board in several areas.

In terms of workload and service, being a SPEC member involves attending 3-4 meetings per year (predominantly teleconferences) and helping with organising the ASM, FACT and SOTS program format, international speakers, abstract review, and session chairs.

Members do not necessarily have to represent geographical regions or craft groups within TSANZ. However, in general, a range of expertise is useful so that the diversity of the scientific and educational activities of the society's members can be considered when arranging programs. Tenure on the committee is for 4 years, with a call of expression of interest every 2 years to allow for a staggered change to half the members.

The term of the co-chairs, Dr Lucy Sullivan and Professor Wai Lim as well as Dr Jeanette Villanueva expire at the next ASM in June 2025. Remaining on SPEC are Dr Karen Keung and Dr Siah Kim. In line with the terms of reference, it is therefore necessary to appoint 3 new SPEC members (including 2 co-chairs).

Potential members need to be enthusiastic and knowledgeable with the capacity to work together to improve the scientific and educational quality of the activities of the TSANZ. To ensure gender equity, we require equal representation of men and women and therefore encourage all **full members** to nominate for a position on SPEC.

Please email your interest (a 500-word application stating interests and potential contributions) and a recent CV to [tsanz@tsanz.com.au](mailto:tsanz@tsanz.com.au) by **5.00pm, January 31, 2025**.

The appointments will be made by Board.

[Click here](#) for the terms of reference for this committee.

Any enquiries should be directed to [tsanz@tsanz.com.au](mailto:tsanz@tsanz.com.au)  
*All EOI's from society members will be treated as confidential*

