

Cardiology Registrar – 2019

Name of Unit/Specialty:	CARDIOLOGY
Head of Unit:	A/PROF OMAR FAROUQUE
Division:	Division of Surgery, Anaesthesia and Procedural Medicine
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Summary of unit and Position/s:

The Cardiology Department provides clinical services to inpatients and outpatients, teaching of undergraduates and postgraduates and is involved in clinical and basic cardiovascular research.

- Senior medical staff consists of 28 consultants, 4 registrars, 4 fellows (EP, Echo and Interventional) and 3 junior medical staff.
- The unit has clinical interests in all of the major subspecialties of cardiology: interventional and structural cardiology, clinical and invasive electrophysiology (device implantation, ablation for arrhythmia), heart failure (optimising cardiac function through pharmacologic and device therapy, exercise and outpatient support), valvular heart disease and non-invasive cardiac imaging (transthoracic, transoesophageal and stress echocardiography).
- Research – involvement in clinical and higher degree research projects are available in areas such as vascular function and biology, interventional cardiology, heart failure and valvular heart disease.
- Rotations – monthly rotations throughout the year include the cardiac care ward (5E), consultation service for the hospital, cardiology outpatient clinics, cardiac catheterisation laboratory and the echocardiography laboratory.
- Meetings: attendance and participation in the weekly departmental meetings, preparation and presentation of patients at the cardiac surgical conference.

Details of any pre-requisites/preferences for applicants:

Must have passed the written and clinical components of the FRACP examination.

Application Instructions / Selection Information:

The selection of candidates for cardiology advanced training positions in Victoria is now centralised and a computer matching system is utilised. The application process will likely open in early July 2018. The application will involve submission of a curriculum vitae and referee reports. Details about the application process will be made available on the RACP website: www.racp.edu.au

Important Dates to Remember:

Information Session – Friday 17 August 2018, 4.30pm, Austin Doyle Lecture Theatre, Education Precinct
Level 4, Austin Tower