



RACGP Fellows gown
Red facing, red cuff on sleeves



RACGP members gown
Red facing only

The RACGP is pleased to offer RACGP members and RACGP Fellows the opportunity to purchase the new Academic Gown of the RACGP.

The story behind the artwork

Creation story – Healing Place

Smooth iridescent skin caresses the earth, unfolding its many layers. Mounds rise up towards the sky; valleys are created. This is the land you belong to; these are the songs you sing. Thick smoke rises through the fresh morning air. Bodies are adorned for this rite of passage in a place of healing.

The Rainbow Serpent, the Creation Spirit, moves throughout the land, creating the landscape. It gives people the knowledge and wisdom of the land, ceremony, song, dance and lore – food to eat and medicine to heal.

Surrounding the Rainbow Serpent are patterns depicting locations across Australia from the Torres Straits through Queensland across to the Northern Territory, Western Australia, South Australia, New South Wales, Victoria, the Australian Capital Territory and Tasmania. The patterns also refer to carvings, markings, tracks, scarification and body adornments – what is found in the landscape and people's interpretation of this landscape reflected on their own bodies.

This artwork also represents the traditional possum skin cloaks worn by the People of the Victorian region. The squares of the checkerboard design represent individual possum skins that are sewn together to form the cloak. Old and new meld as this ancient design is placed on the modern – the RACGP's graduation gown. Through this, The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners pays its respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities across Australia and to the land on which general practitioners learn, teach and practice the art of medicine.

Contact

academicgowns@racgp.org.au
Tel: 03 8699 0501

Section A: Member information

Title	First name	Surname
Office use only – Current member and/or Fellowship verified		RACGP no
Delivery address		Postcode
Telephone	Email	

Section B: Gown selection and measurements on gown (One gown per form)

Cost \$560.00 (inclusive of GST and postage)

Select the gown you require	RACGP Fellows gown	RACGP Members gown
Size – Indicate your exact measurements below in centimetres		
Height (cms)	Chest (cms)	Arm length (top of shoulder to base of wrist) (cms)
Select fabric type	poly/rayon (cooler)	poly/wool (warmer)

Section C: Payment

Date	Credit card (an invoice will be issued)	Cheque (make payable to The RACGP)
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ABN 34 000 223 807. Please retain for your records.

Section D: How to submit your order

Please print clearly and keep a record of this form for your records.
Forward this completed order form to:

Email to **academicgowns@racgp.org.au**
Post to **RACGP, Academic gowns coordinator,
100 Wellington Parade,
East Melbourne VIC 3002**

For more information, please contact the Academic gowns coordinator
on 03 8699 0501 or via email at **academicgowns@racgp.org.au**

Delivery

Delivery will be 3–4 weeks
from the date the order
is submitted to the RACGP*

* Extended delivery times may
be applicable during peak
manufacturing periods and
the College will be in contact
with members whose orders
may experience a longer than
expected delay.

Cancellation policy

Cancellation of this order will
only be accepted if at the time
of cancellation, the manufacturing
process has not commenced, and
a 100% refund will be applicable.