

2026 Election Notice

Faculty Councils

In accordance with Appendix 3 of the [Elections Policy](#) of the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners Ltd, nominations signed by not less than two members eligible to make nominations and countersigned by the nominee are hereby called for:

FACULTY COUNCILLORS

To hold office from the conclusion of the faculty's annual members meeting until either the conclusion of the faculty's 2028 or 2029 annual members meeting, noting that some seats will be two years as each faculty transitions from a two to three-year election cycle. Further information is available on the [faculty elections website](#).

Nominees must be Fellows, Members or GPs in Training of the RACGP (excluding the National Faculty of GPs in Training), Nominees for Councillors of the National Faculty of GPs in Training must be Fellows of not more than five years standing at the conclusion of the RACGP's 2029 Annual General Meeting or GPs in Training.

Nominations

To nominate, you must complete and submit a valid nomination form. Nominations must be written and otherwise comply with the [RACGP Constitution](#). Nominations must be addressed to the Returning Officer, Mr Gavin Ryan at elections@racgp.org.au from 12.00 pm AEST Friday 31 July 2026 and must be received by 4.00 pm AEST Friday 28 August 2026. Nominations cannot be accepted after this time.

Nomination form: Nomination forms are available on the [RACGP Elections website](#).

Candidate statements

To support the nomination, candidates may, along with their nomination form, provide the following:

- a candidate statement not exceeding 2000 words.
- a colour photograph in high resolution in a jpeg format satisfactory to the RACGP.
- a curriculum vitae* of no more than 2000 words for placement on the RACGP website.

All supporting materials must be submitted electronically and comply with the [RACGP Elections Policy](#). Statements must be submitted in a Word doc format.

***Please note that CVs will be publicly available on the elections website. Candidates are requested to remove any information they deem too sensitive to be made public such as homes addresses or personal phone numbers.**

Address for lodging nominations

By email: elections@racgp.org.au

By post:

Mr Gavin Ryan – Returning Officer
OGL Group
10–12 Gwynne Street, Cremorne, VIC, 3121

Ballot

If a ballot is necessary, voting instructions including a unique voting link to a secure voting website will be distributed to eligible members at their email address registered in RACGP records. If members do not have an email address registered with the RACGP, their voting instructions will be mailed to the postal address in the RACGP's records.

If required, the ballot will open at 12.00 pm AEST Monday 6 September 2026 and close at 12.00 pm AEST Thursday 17 September 2026.

Kind regards

Gavin Ryan

Returning Officer
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