

POST-FELLOWSHIP POSITION IN TRAUMA SURGERY JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL, NEWCASTLE.

Hospital: John Hunter Hospital, Newcastle.

Hunter New England Local Health Network. NSW. AUS.

Position: Trauma Fellow

Director: Prof Zsolt Balogh

Specialty: General Surgery, Orthopaedic Surgery or Traumatology

PFET Program in Trauma Surgery status: Accredited (General Surgery)

John Hunter Hospital is a University of Newcastle affiliated Level 1 Trauma Centre. It is the only Major Trauma Centre on the East coast of Australia between Sydney and the Gold Coast. It serves a population up to 1.5 M and manages over 500 trauma patients with ISS>15 per year, which consistently makes it the largest volume centre in NSW.

The Hospital has an ANZAST accredited clinical trauma fellowship program. The principal role of the Trauma Fellow is to facilitate the day-to-day optimal management of the seriously ill trauma patient from resuscitation to rehabilitation including operations within the relevant specialist background (general surgery, orthopaedic surgery). The functions which accompany this role, include, quality assurance, research, under and postgraduate education and defined administrative tasks.

The John Hunter Hospital's Department of Traumatology together with the Discipline of Surgery, University of Newcastle has an established clinical and basic science research/PhD program in Traumatology and convenes the Master of Traumatology international postgraduate program.

The Trauma Fellow must have a genuine interest in maintaining the highest standards in trauma care, demonstrate excellent interpersonal and communication skills, have the ability to work as a team member as well as take on team leadership and supervisory roles in all facets of trauma management.

The successful applicant will have demonstrated the ability to work independently within a supervised, complex clinical environment utilizing excellent clinical skills, judgement and expertise. He/she will show evidence of continued professional development and research, with a commitment to self-education. Experience in trauma teaching is desirable, with an expectation of teaching undergraduates and post-graduate students.

Requirements for Application:

Eligible for registration with AHPRA	Essential
FRACS or equivalent	Essential
ATLS/EMST Accreditation	Essential
ATLS/EMST Instructor status	Preferred
DSTC	Desirable
Research	Evidence of previous trauma research
Other	Post-Fellowship experience in
	General Surgery, Orthopaedics or
	Traumatology

Duration of appointment: 12 Months

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