



Sydney/Sydney Eye Hospital

Honorary Ocular Oncology and Oculoplastic Surgery Fellowship

Position Description

About

The Sydney Eye Hospital, established in 1882, is the largest eye hospital in the southern hemisphere. The hospital was originally the ophthalmic department of the old Sydney 'Infirmity' (Sydney Hospital), which was founded with the settlement of the Colony in 1788.

Sydney Hospital and Sydney Eye Hospital (SSEH) is now a major public hospital specialising in Ophthalmology, Hand Surgery, Drug & Alcohol and Sexual Health within the South Eastern Sydney Local Health District (SESLHD). Other specialty services include General Medicine and ENT. There is also a separate Eye Emergency Department as well as a General Emergency Department.

The Hospital has a long-standing reputation for treating the highest acuity and complex patient loads, attracting referrals on a state-wide and national basis.

The Hospital is a teaching hospital with an onsite ophthalmic academic unit for Sydney University and has academic associations with the University of NSW and the University of Technology, Sydney.

Sydney Ocular Oncology and Oculoplastic Surgery Fellowship

The Fellowship is an honorary fellow position working at multiple tertiary and quaternary hospitals in Sydney - Australia. It focuses on advanced training in ocular oncology with exposure to eyelid, lacrimal and orbital surgery. It's one of few international fellowships combining ocular oncology and oculoplastic surgery.

The fellowship is based at Sydney Eye Hospital and Sydney Children's Hospital with rotations to Prince of Wales Hospital. All the hospitals are principal teaching hospitals of either University of Sydney or University of NSW. There is the option of working with head and neck surgeons and other oncology teams for a broader oncology exposure.

Position Details

Position Title:	Honorary Ocular Oncology & Oculoplastic Surgery Fellowship
Reports To:	Director of Clinical Services and Unit Head
Responsible For (Staff):	Fellow is not responsible for staff but is involved in both formal and informal teaching of Registrars, Residents, Medical students and Allied Health Professionals.
Division:	Clinical Services
Unit:	Ophthalmology
Award:	Funded externally by Sydney Eye Hospital Foundation with a stipend of \$26,000 PA, and external funding from The Children's Hospital Westmead
Primary Location:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sydney/Sydney Eye Hospital is located on the same campus at 8 Macquarie Street – Sydney NSW 2000.2. Prince Of Wales Hospital High St, Randwick NSW 2031

Fellow will be working with:

Ocular Oncology

Dr Li-Anne Lim (Fellow Supervisor)

A/Prof Max Conway (Ocular Oncology Unit Head)

Dr Michael Jones

Oculoplastic Surgery

A/Prof Krishna Tumuluri (Fellow Supervisor)

Dr Simon Taylor

A/Prof Geoff Wilcsek

Main Duties and Responsibilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Work as part of, and contribute to a multi-disciplinary team- Provide assistance to registrars in the day-to-day care of inpatients- Provide assistance to the Outpatient Clinic- Provide assistance to Acute Ophthalmic Service (AOS) <i>NOTE: AOS clinic provides follow-up for patients who have been referred from the Eye Emergency department. Participation in this clinic provides fellows with the opportunity to organise and triage their own subspecialty referrals, and to maintain their clinical skills in other ophthalmic subspecialties.</i>- Attend operating sessions (under the supervision of the attending Ophthalmologist)- Provide assistance to the Eye Emergency Department to assess ophthalmic problems and advise on care (under the supervision of the attending Ophthalmologist)- Attend all relevant Clinical Meetings- Participation in Grand Rounds and Ophthalmic Teaching Sessions- Participate in clinical and laboratory research activities- Participation in the Postgraduate Teaching Program organised by the Corneal Unit- Participation in Clinical Risk Management- Teaching and supervising of Ophthalmic Registrars/Residents in wards, clinics, operating- To remain on the on-call roster for after-hours (for duration of Fellowship)- To fulfil duties as outlined in the position description.- Compliance with all legislative, policy/protocol requirements in relation to SSEH and other area health service hospitals.- Provide a report upon the completion of your Fellowship outlining your experience.- To exercise independent judgement initiative and problem-solving skills, in consultation with supervising medical staff as needed.- Fellow may require affiliation with the University of Sydney, through research undertaken at the Save Sight Institute (SSI) located at 8 Macquarie St, Sydney NSW.
Main Goals and Objectives
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Develop strong working relationships with a multidisciplinary workforce.- Understand and be committed to organisational mission and goals.- Ensure a high standard of medical care and documentation for all patients.

- Acquire the knowledge and skills required for critical assessment of the research literature and to become a productive clinical investigator.

Key Performance Areas

- The Fellow has nominated supervisors who will undertake quarterly performance assessment and review.
- This includes the assessment of clinical skills and knowledge base, clinical judgement, decision making, emergency skills, procedural skills, communication, teamwork and professional responsibility.

- **Fellowship Highlights:**

- Comprehensive ocular oncology experience in adults and children
- Comprehensive oculoplastic surgical experience in eyelids and lacrimal surgery with exposure to orbital surgery.
- Acquire skills in research leading to publication and presentation in national and international meetings.

Induction Training

All new Fellows that commence at the beginning of the Clinical Year will attend Junior Medical Officer (JMO) Orientation that is conducted by the Hospital's Medical Administration in addition to individual orientation provided by the Clinical Supervisor. Fellows that commence in July will need to liaise with SEHF Fellowship Coordinator to organise the following training:

- Pharmacy Orientation
- Medical Records Orientation
- Basic Life Support (BLS) Training
- eMR Training & Support
- Fire & Internal Emergency Training
- PPE Testing
- Mask Fit Testing

Indicative Fellow Timetable

Changes in the timetable may occur to accommodate required clinical activities. Please note Fellows will also review patients in emergency, AOS and for clinical trials throughout the week.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk1 AM	SEH OT (H Lee)	SEH Onc OT (Conway)		SEH/POW Research	
Wk1 PM	SEH Clinic (H Lee)	SEH Onc Clinic (Conway)		SEH/POW Research	
Wk2 AM		SEH Onc OT (Lim)		SEH/POW Research	
Wk2 PM	SEH Clinic (Taylor) / Onc MDT	SEH Onc Clinic (Lim)			
Wk3 AM	POWH Clinic (Wilcsek)	SEH Onc OT (Conway)			
Wk3 PM	POWH OT (Wilcsek)	SEH Onc Clinic (Conway)			
Wk4 AM	POWH OT (Wilcsek)	Onc OT (Lim)			
Wk4 PM	SEH Clinic (Taylor) / Onc MDT	Onc Clinic (Lim)			

The position holder agrees to work in accordance with the requirements of the position and accepts to comply with policies and procedures of the Area Health Service/GP Practice.

Applicant Signature		
NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE

Supervisor Signature		
NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE