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## AOA ACCREDITED FELLOWSHIP WEBSITE SUMMARY

<b>TITLE OF FELLOWSHIP</b>	<b>Perth Sports Surgery Fellowship (WA17274)</b>	
<b>Chief supervisor</b>	Peter D'Alessandro	
<b>Supervisors</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Li-On Lam</li> <li>• Brendan Ricciardo</li> <li>• Sat Gohil</li> <li>• Andrew Mattin</li> </ul>	
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<b>Length</b>	6 Months (Starting February and August)	
<b>Stipend</b>	\$AUD 150,000 per annum pro rata	
<b>Institutions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fremantle, Fiona Stanley, Rockingham Hospitals (Public)</li> <li>• Bethesda, SJOG Murdoch Hospitals (Private)</li> <li>• University of Western Australia</li> <li>• Orthopaedic Research Foundation of Western Australia</li> <li>• Regional visits to Esperance and the Wheatbelt</li> </ul>	
<b>Educational goals and characteristics</b>	<p>The Perth Sports Surgery Fellowship will provide an outstanding and comprehensive experience in Arthroscopic Reconstruction. The fellowship is accredited by ISAKOS and the AOA. Based in Perth Western Australia, the fellowship offers a broad, high volume clinical experience of complex arthroscopic soft tissue knee reconstruction. This includes primary and revision ACL, PCL reconstruction, meniscal repair &amp; transplant, chondral restoration (MACI/OATS), patellofemoral stabilisation, osteotomy, and multi-ligament reconstruction. There is also sub-specialty exposure to arthroscopic shoulder surgery, hip arthroscopy, hamstring surgery and joint replacement for interested fellows, and case load is tailored to the fellows' specific interests and goals. Please see attachments and website for more details including application process and fellowship timetable.</p> <p>High level of clinical and surgical independence including own operating lists and clinics. High level academic exposure through ORFWA, with multiple ongoing research projects/RCTs allowing for fellow to present or publish. Possibility of</p>	

	combining with a further 6 months understanding the associated Arthroplasty and/or Trauma Fellowships.
<b>Requirements/ criteria</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completion of Orthopaedic Training in Home Country</li> <li>• Meets AHPRA English proficiency requirements</li> <li>• Eligible for Medical Board of Australia Registration</li> <li>• Keen interest in Arthroscopic Surgery</li> <li>• Willingness to learn and achieve surgical independence</li> <li>• Enthusiasm and ability to enjoy the Perth lifestyle is essential</li> </ul>
<b>How to Apply</b>	<p>The fellowship positions have been filled until July 2024</p> <p>Applications for AUGUST 2024 are currently open and being accepted. This window will be closed for shortlisting in December 2021. Please provide CV, covering application letter, 2 references <b>30 months prior to desired start date</b> and send to <a href="mailto:OrthopaedicFellowshipsWA@health.wa.gov.au">OrthopaedicFellowshipsWA@health.wa.gov.au</a></p> <p>Please contact Fellowship director (<a href="mailto:peter@coastalorthopaedics.com.au">peter@coastalorthopaedics.com.au</a>) if more information is required.</p>