



AUSTRALASIAN DIVISION OF INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF PATHOLOGY

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DISTINGUISHED PATHOLOGIST MEDAL

Background:

The Distinguished Pathologist Medal is awarded by the Australasian Division of International Academy of Pathology (IAP) to pathologists who have made an outstanding contribution to the discipline of anatomical pathology and the Australasian Division of International Academy of Pathology (IAP).

This medal was first awarded in 1991.

Guidelines:

1. Any board member of the Australasian Division of IAP is eligible to nominate a deserving pathologist to be considered to receive this award for the following year.
2. The nomination should be sent to the secretariat with a covering letter, before the October Board Meeting each year for the following year's Award.
Final decision will be made at the October board meeting following discussion as a consensus.
3. Current Directors of the Board of IAP are not eligible for the award.
4. The award will be presented by the President during the Annual Scientific Meeting of Australasian Division IAP to the recipient.
5. The award is available each year.
6. There shall be an award of a medal or equivalent with the IAP insignia. A certificate will accompany the medal.

Criteria for the award:

1. The person does not need to be a financial member of the Australasian Division of the IAP but must have made a contribution to pathology in Australasia.
2. The recipient has **consistently** demonstrated high level of performance in creating and fostering activities that are of significance in anatomical pathology such as achievements in pathology education, research and/or pathology practice.
3. Be of good standing within the Pathology community.
4. Has not won the award previously.
5. The recipient agrees to publication of his or her name.

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