

Registration for Radiologists

Radiology and Radiation oncology are specialty branches of medical practice in Australia. The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists is the specialist medical college responsible for assessment of overseas trained specialist qualifications. There are job opportunities areas at consultant level in Australia. There are also more super-specialised radiology positions available in interventional radiology, MRI, nuclear medicine and mammography.

It is the responsibility of the individual states (or territories) to confer registration in to doctors in Australia and each state has different regulations and legislations. There are two major categories of registration:

1. Registration without conditions (full registration)
 - a. Graduates from Australian and New Zealand Medical Schools, who have completed a period of intern training
 - b. Overseas Trained Doctors who have passed the AMC exam and have completed supervised training approved by the State or Territory
2. Conditional Registration
 - a. Doctors who are not eligible for full registration. These doctors may be eligible for the following categories: Postgraduate training, Supervised Training, Teaching and Research, AREAS OF NEED, Overseas Trained Specialists

Conditional Registration in Radiology

The following qualifications are recognised as equivalent (or substantially equivalent) to the Fellowship of RANZCR:

1. **United Kingdom** (FRCR, CCST): Fellowship of the Royal College of Radiologists of London usually in conjunction with the Certificate of Completion of Specialist Training.
2. **Canada**: Fellowship in Radiology of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.
3. **Republic of Ireland** (FRCR, CCST): Fellowship of the Royal College of Radiologists usually in conjunction with the Certificate of Completion of Specialist Training.
4. **South Africa**: Fellowship of the either the College of Radiologists of South Africa or the Faculty of Radiology of the College of Medicine
5. **United States of America**: Certificate of the American Board of Radiology

If you hold any of these qualifications you are eligible for conditional registration in the field of radiology in Australia and New Zealand. You are also eligible for Fellowship of RANZCR after passing a modified part II examination and film reporting test.

Western Europe: The qualifications and training programs from each region are assessed individually.

Every candidate is assessed on an individual basis. Please contact Plexus to discuss your individual situation.