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Department:	Section of Academic Surgery		
Title:	Surgical Research Society of Australasia Research Fund		

1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This policy sets out the terms of reference for the use of funds gifted to the College by the Surgical Research Society of Australasia.

2. KEYWORDS

Surgical Research Society of Australasia, SRS, Academic Surgery, Terms of Reference

3. BODY OF POLICY

3.1. Background

Established in 1961 with Professor Richard P Jepson as its inaugural President, the Surgical Research Society of Australasia (SRS) has a long history of contribution to the advancement of surgical research and support for academic surgery. As one of its most valuable achievements over the years, the SRS has provided an excellent forum for the presentation of original research by surgical Trainees. However, following a resolution

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benefit of the surgical community, the SRS expressed a desire that these activities be continued through the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons and has provided a gift of funds to the College to be used for this purpose.

3.2. Use of the funds

In keeping with the charter of the Society, the SRS Research Fund is to be used for the furtherance of surgical research and support for academic surgery. This includes the following specific purposes described below.

- 3.2.1. To support the running of an annual research meeting to be held jointly with the Section of Academic Surgery (SAS) Annual Meeting of Academic Departments. The name of of the research

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