2017 Essay Competition for Medical Students in New South Wales

The New South Wales Regional Committee of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons is keen to stimulate and encourage medical students to adopt careers in surgery and has run an Annual Essay Competition for Medical Students in New South Wales since 2010.

The Topic for the Essay:
“Respect in the Operation Theatres leads to enhanced patient safety”

The prize for the best essay:
Medal and Certificate of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (Medical Student Award)

Criteria for the Award
Written by a Final Year Medical Student of a NSW Medical School.
Meet the topic specified by the NSW Regional Committee.
2500 – 3000 words limit and written in the required Format.
Submitted by the due date: 31 August 2017

Judging
The essays will be assessed by a panel of the NSW Regional Committee Members of the Royal Australian College of Surgeons (RACS).
The winner will be announced after a decision has been made by the Panel.
The Award will be presented to the winner at the NSW Regional Office.

Publication
The Winner of the Essay Competition will be acknowledged in the NSW Chairman’s Newsletter and the presentation will be published on the College Website - NSW Region Page

Submission
For further information regarding the Format and Submission of the Essay, please e-mail the Manager, NSW Regional Committee of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons: Allan.Chapman@surgeons.org