**MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY REPORT**

**Annual General Meeting 2021**

Report prepared by Membership Secretary & Executive Officer

1. **Membership trend**

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| **Membership Category** | **Rolling membership** | | | | | |
| **as at 29/02/2016** | **as at 30/05/2017** | **as at**  **30/05/2018** | **as at**  **30/05/2019** | **as at**  **07/07/2020** | **as at**  **24/07/2021** |
| Individual | 142 | 153 | 355 | 356 | 241 | 380 a |
| Corporate | 18(87) | 18(86) | 19 (96) | 19 (65) | 19 (97) | 23 (102)b |
| Student/Retiree | 11 | 32 | 39 (36/3) | 28 | 24 (21/3) | 51 (45/6) c |
| Honorary | 20 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 17 |

adenotes active members; excludes 66 pending renewals (members receive a 2-month grace period to renew before they are considered lapsed)

b Number in brackets denotes total number of active individuals associated with the corporate memberships; 3 corporate memberships pending renewal

c 45 student members and 6 retirees

***Items of note:***

* the change from 2019 to 2020 is explained by 103 lapsed members (i.e. membership expired) who had taken membership with their conference registration in 2019 in Canberra – this is in line with a general trend where the spike in new members from the conference state/region tends to drop off.
* In 2021, membership has recovered strongly; 90 individuals took out membership as part of the Festival registration, and of these 67 are brand new members
* Corporate groups have increased by 4
* 220 people have attended at least one ANZAHPE ONLINE event since July 2020, and this includes non-members
* Pending memberships: Individual (66); Corporate (3); Student (5) and Retiree (2)

1. **Membership demographics (for members providing data as at 24 July 2021)**

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| **Profession**  **(n=551 responded)** | Medicine  (n=122) | | Health Professions Education (n=51) | | | | Other  (n=378) | | |
| **Age range**  **(n=317 responded)** | 40 – 55 years (n=148) | | 56 – 65 years (n=65) | | | | 25 – 40 years (n=84) | | |
| **Gender**  **(n=318 responded)** | Female (n=235) | | Male (n=82) | | | |  | | |
| **Location (n=453 responded** | NSW (n=101) | VIC  (n=130) | QLD (n=92) | SA (n=53) | WA (n=35) | NZ (n=24) | TAS  (n=7) | ACT  (n=5) | NT  (n=6) |

1. **Highlights from the 2020 - 2021 annual member survey**

Conducted from 15 Dec 2020 to 5 Feb 2021; Member response rate = 37.4% (n=143)

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| **Overall impressions** | |
| * ANZAHPE membership is valuable | 83.1% or n=103 |
| * Likely to remain a member next year | 91% or n=113 |
| * Likely to recommend | 76.6% or n=95 |
| **ANZAHPE Online (PD program)** | |
| * Supports professional growth | 90.1% or n=94 |
| * Likely to recommend | 87.5% or n=91 |
| * Useful for extending networks | 53.9% or n=56 |
| **Focus on Health professions Education (the ANZAHPE journal)** | |
| * Read FoHPE | 60.5% or n=106 |
| * Review for FoHPE | 23.4% or n=41 |
| * Publish in FoHPE | 14.2% or n=25 |
| * Do not engage with FoHPE | 29.7% or n=52 |
| **Fellowship scheme** | |
| * Current Fellow/Associate Fellow | 23.39% or n=29 (50% of scheme) |
| * Helps with demonstrating professional standing | 96.6% or n=28 |
| * Recommend to others | 93.1% or n=27 |
| * Helps with professional development | 62% or n=18 |
| **Key needs** |  |
| * PD opportunities in 2021 and beyond * Networking opportunities to make connections and expand professional network * Mentoring opportunities targeted at supporting career advancement and development in a rapidly changing landscape | |
| **Key recommendations** | |
| 1. Promote ANZAHPE as the premier professional network for educators, scholars, and leaders in the health professions, through a multipronged communications strategy designed to enhance reach and visibility, 2. Offer professional development that supports learning across the novice-expert continuum, provides opportunities for connectivity and professional networking, and responds to challenges and opportunities faced in the health and education sectors, 3. Enhance access, awareness, and appeal of the ANZAHPE journal Focus on Health Professional Education as a premier forum for disseminating high quality educational research in the health professions, 4. Support ANZAHPE members to advance their career pathways and trajectories in health professions education. | |

1. **Membership fees**

Not proposing an increasing in fees in any membership category

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| **Membership Category** | **Rolling membership** | | | | | |
| **Jan 2016 to Dec 2016** | **Jan 2017 to Jan 2018** | **Feb 2018 to Jan 2019** | **Feb 2019 to Jan 2020** | **Feb 2020 to Jan 2021** | **Feb 2022 to Jan 2023** |
| Individual | $260 | $270 | $275 | $285 | No increase | No increase |
| Corporate (up to 5 members) | $1040 | $1080 | $1100 | $1140 | No increase | No increase |
| Student/Retiree | $95 | $95 | $95 | $95 | $95 | No increase |