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This Award recognises the highest level of contribution to psycho-oncology from amongst the membership of COSA and PoCoG. In 2019 we acknowledged our colleague Melanie Price and named the Australian Psycho-Oncology Award in her honour.

In choosing the recipients of this award, regard is given to the nominee’s achievements and ongoing contribution to the discipline of psycho-oncology in Australia.

The selection criteria are:

* Demonstrated excellence and leadership in their field
* Significant contribution to the discipline of psycho-oncology in Australia
* An inspirational role model for the psycho-oncology community
* Have worked in Australia in the field of psycho-oncology for a substantial period of time
* Membership of COSA and PoCoG
* Self-nominations will not be accepted

Checklist – each nomination should include:

An explanation of the nominee’s work in the area of psycho-oncology care and/or research

An evaluation of the accomplishments of the nominee

Review and critical appraisal of the nominee’s work from two individuals.

For further information about this Award, please contact Dr Laura Kirsten, Chair of the COSA Psycho-Oncology Group [Laura.Kirsten@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Laura.Kirsten@health.nsw.gov.au)

**Please return the completed nomination form along with supporting documents listed above by email to** [**cosa@cancer.org.au**](mailto:cosa@cancer.org.au?subject=Melanie%20Proce%20Psycho-Oncology%20Award%20nomination) **with Melanie Price Psycho-Oncology Award in the subject line.**

**Nominations close 5:00pm (AEST) Monday 30 June 2025.**

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| **Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms, Dr, Prof, etc.):** | **Surname:** |
| **Given Names:** | |
| **Profession:** | |
| **Position/Title:** | |
| **Organisation/Institution:** | |
| **Contact number:** | **Email:** |
| **Does the nominee know about this nomination? Yes or No:** | |

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| **Nominator** | |
| **Name:** | |
| **Signature:** | **Date:** |
| (An electronic signature or email acknowledgement is acceptable) |  |

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| **Previous Award recipients** |
| 2023 Professor Haryana Dhillon  2021 Professor Gail Garvey AM  2019 Ms Kim Hobbs  2017 Professor David Kissane AC  2014 Professor Jane Turner AM  2012 Professor Afaf Girgis AM |

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