2023 ANZSOC Conference Registration Bursary

The ANZSOC Committee of Management has endorsed the establishment of a 2023 ANZSOC Conference Registration Bursary Scheme to support anyone who requires financial assistance to attend and participate. Members and non-members are also strongly encouraged to apply if their research or institutional travel and conference budgets have been limited by local budget limits and financial controls.

A maximum of \$10,000 has been allocated to the Registration Bursary Scheme. Applications will be assessed in the order they are received until the Registration Bursary funds have been fully allocated.

- 1. Applications must be received in writing by email to secretary@anzsoc.org
- 2. Applications submitted after 27 October 2023 will not be considered.
- 3. Applicants must provide a written statement that includes:
 - a. <u>The Request</u>: A statement specifying the proportion of the registration fee for which is being requested (25%, 50%, 75%, 100%), the registration type (member, non-member, student/retired/unwaged/lived experience, full conference or day registration), and whether the registration fee has already been paid.
 - b. <u>Statement of justification/support</u>: A statement setting out the grounds for the requested support in terms of financial need or other circumstances, including whether a paper or papers will be presented, any financial hardship or social disadvantage experienced, and any other relevant grounds.
- 5. Successful applicants will be provided a registration-code which discounts the fee payable upon registration. Where a successful applicant has already paid the full registration fee at the time of their application, a reimbursement will be made directly from ANZSOC to the applicant's nominated bank account.
- 6. All applications will be assessed by a panel of three ANZSOC Committee members who will determine eligibility and decide on the proportion of registration fees awarded (0%, 25%, 50%, 75%, 100%). The decision of the majority will be final.

2023 ANZSOC Conference Carers' Bursary

To foster inclusion of caregivers and families at the 2023 ANZSOC Conference, the ANZSOC Committee of Management has endorsed the establishment of a 2023 ANZSOC Conference Carers' Bursary scheme to help offset additional carer costs that conference participants may incur. The Carers' Bursary can be used to offset the costs of additional care at the conference or at home, or to defray the cost of travel to the conference for a person for whom care is provided, or for an additional caregiver.

A maximum of \$5,000 has been allocated to the Carer's Bursary Scheme, to a maximum amount of \$250 per applicant. Applications will be assessed in the order in which they are received and until such time as the Carer's Registration Bursary funds have been fully allocated.

- 1. Applications must be received in writing by email to secretary@anzsoc.org
- 2. Applications submitted after 1 December 2023 will not be considered.
- 3. Applicants must provide a written statement that includes:
 - a. <u>The Request</u>: A statement specifying the amount requested, up to a maximum of \$250 per applicant.
 - b. <u>Statement of justification/support</u>: A statement setting out the grounds for the requested support in terms of financial need or other circumstances, including whether a paper or papers will be presented, any financial hardship or social disadvantage experienced, and any other relevant grounds.
- 4. Reimbursement will be made directly from ANZSOC to the applicant's nominated bank account, on presentation of receipts for eligible expenses.
- 5. All applications will be assessed by a panel of three ANZSOC Committee members who will determine eligibility and decide on the amount of support to be provided (up to the maximum of \$250 per applicant). The decision of the majority will be final.