

Election of Academic Staff of the University by and from the Academic Staff to the Council of James Cook University – Voting Open

Notice is hereby given that an Election by electronic ballot of two (2) Academic Staff of the University by and from the Academic Staff to the Council of James Cook University will be conducted between Friday 23 March and Friday 6 April 2018. Voting in the election is now open.

The election will be conducted in accordance with the [Conduct of Council Elections Policy](#) and the [Conduct of Council Elections Procedure](#).

Voting is electronic via the [Elections website](#) in *StaffOnline*, which also contains further details on the candidates.

Candidates have been placed on the voting paper in the order that their names were drawn in accordance with the [Conduct of Council Elections Procedure](#).

Each Academic Staff member is entitled to vote for up to two candidates i.e. you can vote for one candidate only if you wish or two. If you vote for one candidate and log out you will not be able to log back in to cast a second vote. If you wish to vote for more than one candidate you need to select your second candidate before you click 'cast vote'.

Elected Academic Staff members onto the Council of James Cook University are appointed for a period of four (4) years, commencing 20 April 2018.

The [Conduct of Council Elections Policy](#) defines Academic Staff of the University Staff as:

Academic staff of the University - for the purposes of the policy, includes:

- (a) the University's teaching and research staff, other than research assistants (research workers); and*
- (b) staff of the University whose instrument of appointment states they are members of the academic staff; and excludes:*
 - those persons who are not on a current contract*
 - those persons who are on sick leave or suspended*
 - those persons who are not employed directly by the University (e.g. JCU Brisbane and JCU Singapore).*

On behalf of M. Kern
University Secretary
(Returning Officer)
23 March 2018