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GENERAL SURGEON

QUALIFICATIONS & FELLOWSHIPS

- Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery
- Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of England
- Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons
- Fellow of the American College of Surgeons
- Member of the Order of Australia

CURRENT / FORMER POSITIONS

- Private Practice
- Consultant Surgeon, Director of Surgery, Mater Adult Hospital, South Brisbane
- Past Chairman of the Department of Surgery, Mater Adult Hospital, South Brisbane
- Professor of Surgery, University of Queensland
- Clinical Director, Mater Melanoma Research Group

SOCIETIES

- Queensland Gastroenterological Society
- Gut Foundation
- Clinical Oncology Society of Queensland
- International Gastrosurgical Club
- Head and Neck Society (U.S.)

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Breast Tumours</u> – diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Soft Tissue Sarcomas</u> - malignant (cancerous) tumors that develop in muscle, connective tissues, and bones of the body
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Gastrointestinal Disease</u> - surgical management of conditions involving the oesophagus, stomach, liver, spleen and gall bladder. It also involves evaluation and treatment of complaints from the lower intestinal tract, colorectal cancer, polyps (precancerous growths), and inflammatory conditions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Endocrine Surgery</u> – specialising in surgical removal of endocrine glands – most commonly the thyroid gland, the parathyroid glands and the adrenal glands
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Skin Cancer</u> – malignant and non malignant tumours. Professor O'Rourke is a noted expert on skin cancer and is the author of "Malignant Skin Tumours", Churchill Livingstone, Co-editor with AJJ Emmett 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Hernias</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Burns</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Abdominal Trauma</u> and <u>Multiple Trauma</u>