



Short Bio/CV

Germaine Wong is a transplant nephrologist, Director of Renal and Transplant Medicine at Westmead Hospital, Professor of Clinical Epidemiology, NHMRC Leadership Fellow at the University of Sydney, and Co-Director of Clinical Research at Centre for Kidney Research, Children's Hospital at Westmead. She is the Co-Chair of the Women in Transplantation and Associate Editor of *Kidney International* (KI) and *Transplantation*. She has an internationally recognised track record in transplant epidemiology, cancer and transplantation, social ethics in organ allocation, decision analytical modelling, clinical trials, health economics, and quality of life evaluation in people with kidney disease.

Candidate's Statement

As an ISN Regional Board Leader, my foremost objective will be to champion equitable access to safe, high-quality nephrological care—including prevention of kidney disease progression, dialysis and transplantation—across the entire region for all individuals affected by kidney disease and kidney failure. This is an ambitious goal, but one that I am deeply committed to achieving. If elected, I will ensure that equity is not just a guiding principle but is embedded in every aspect of our activities. Our actions will be driven by robust evidence and data, ensuring that our interventions are both effective and meaningful.

I will actively engage with communities, patients, and stakeholders to develop shared priorities that reflect the diverse needs of our region. By fostering collaboration and building capacity within our networks, I aim to strengthen both clinical and research capabilities across the region. Through these efforts, we will collectively advance the quality of care and improve outcomes for all patients with kidney disease, regardless of their location or socioeconomic status.