

# **UTS Prize Conditions of Award**

# **New South Wales Bar Association Prize**

## **Faculty: Law**

This document sets out the conditions of award for the below prize ('Prize') and the obligations of recipients ('Recipient') and UTS in regards to this Prize. The administrative processes to support awarding this Prize will be managed, and may be amended, in accordance with UTS Rules, Policy and Procedures.

#### 1. PRIZE TITLE/NAME

New South Wales Bar Association Prize

#### 2. PURPOSE

To recognise the best performing student in the subject: 70104 Civil Practice.

#### 3. VALUE AND BENEFIT

**3.1 Number of Recipients:** Usually, one recipient will be awarded the Prize at the end of each academic year.

# 3.2 Benefit/s to Recipient:

The value of the Prize to the Recipient is \$1,000. The recipient will also receive a certificate of award.

### 3.3 Payment of benefit/s:

- The Recipient will receive one payment of \$1,000; and
- A certificate of award will be presented to the Recipient at the annual UTS Faculty of Law Awards Ceremony. If the Recipient is unable to attend the Ceremony, alternative arrangements will be made.

### 4. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The student must be enrolled in and receive a result in the subject 70104 Civil Practice in the
academic year for which the prize is being awarded.

If 70104 Civil Practice is not offered in the academic year for which the prize is to be awarded, then the Bar Association may:

- a. Nominate another subject for that academic year; or
- b. Decline to award the prize.

# 5. RECIPIENT SELECTION CRITERIA

- The Prize will be awarded to the student who receives the highest aggregate mark in the subject 70104 Civil Practice in the relevant academic year. 1
- In the event that two or more eligible students have the same highest aggregate mark, the following criteria will be considered:
  - a. Performance in subject 70104 Civil Practice outside of formal assessment that demonstrates mastery of and engagement in the subject;
  - b. No previous attempts of subject 70104 Civil Practice;
  - c. Overall academic performance in the Recipient's course, including GPA, whether the student has failed other subjects, received academic cautions or had a finding of misconduct against them.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If 70104 Civil Practice is not offered in the academic year and the Bar Association nominates another subject in its place, the Prize will be awarded to the student who receives the highest aggregate mark in the nominated subject according to the eligibility and selection criteria and selection process identified in these Conditions of Award.

#### 6. SELECTION

- The student(s) with the highest aggregate mark will be nominated by the Student Centre according to the eligibility and recipient selection criteria as provided in clauses 4 and 5;
- The nominated Recipient will be put forward to the relevant Subject Coordinator(s) for endorsement or rejection based upon the selection criteria in clause 5;
- The endorsed recipient will then be formally approved or declined by Faculty of Law Board based upon the selection criteria in clauses 5 and 7.

## 7. OTHER CONDITIONS

The Faculty of Law Board may decline to offer the award to a recipient who achieves the highest aggregate mark where the mark is less than 75.