

# **UTS Prize Conditions of Award Orthoptics Australia Prize**

#### **Graduate School of Health**

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 NAME: Orthoptics Australia Prize

#### 2. PURPOSE

The Orthoptics Australia Prize is awarded annually to the student with the highest overall mark in Professional Practice subjects in their final year of the Orthoptic course. Orthoptics Australia is the national professional organisation that represents orthoptic members across Australia.

## 3. VALUE AND BENEFIT

### 3.1 Number of Recipients:

One (1) Recipient will be awarded the Prize each year.

## 3.2 Benefit to Recipient:

• The value of the Prize to the Recipient is \$500.

## 3.3 Payment of benefit:

- The recipient will receive one payment of \$500 by electronic funds transfer to their nominated Australian bank account.
- A certificate of award will be presented to each recipient at the Orthoptics annual prize night.

# 4. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The Recipients must:

- have been a registered full-time postgraduate student in the Master of Orthoptics (C04299) in the year for which the award is made; and
- be eligible for registration with the Australian Orthoptic Board.

## 5. RECIPIENT SELECTION CRITERIA

- The Prize will be awarded to the student who received the highest cumulative mark in the subjects listed below.
  - o Professional Practice 2 (96038), and
  - o Professional Practice 3 (96075)
- In the event that two students receive the same highest mark, the prize will be awarded to the student with the higher mark in Professional Practice 3.

#### 6. SELECTION

The recipient will be nominated by the Head of Discipline (Orthoptics), Graduate School of Health, and approved by the Head, Graduate School of Health (or nominee).

#### 7. OTHER CONDITIONS

The prize may be awarded in respect of each academic year, but will not be awarded in the event that no candidate reaches an aggregate mark of at least 70%.