



UTS Prize Conditions of Award

Robert Greenwood QC Memorial Prize

Faculty: Law

This document sets out the conditions of award for the below prize ('Prize') and the obligations of recipients ('Recipient') and the University of Technology Sydney ('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: Robert Greenwood QC Memorial Prize

2. PURPOSE

To recognise the best performing Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander student enrolled in a UTS Law award course (undergraduate or postgraduate), who achieves the best academic performance in the academic year for which the Prize is being awarded.

3. VALUE AND BENEFIT

3.1 Number of Recipients:

Usually, one (1) 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 (1) payment of \$1,000 into their nominated bank account; and
- A certificate of award which 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 Recipient must:

- have been an enrolled student in any Law award course (undergraduate or postgraduate), conducted at the UTS Faculty of Law in the year for which the award is made;
- be identified and recognised as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander and provide either:
 - a Confirmation of Aboriginality from a Local Aboriginal Land Council or other Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander organisation; or
 - a UTS Statutory Declaration form accompanied by two written references from Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people from the applicant's community who can confirm their identity and are not an immediate family member; and
- achieve the highest Weighted Average Mark ('WAM') of all eligible Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander students satisfying clause above.

5. RECIPIENT SELECTION CRITERIA, IN PRIORITY ORDER

- The Prize will be awarded to the Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander student who achieves the highest WAM in the relevant academic year.
- In the event that two or more eligible students have the same WAM, the following criteria will be considered:
 - Overall academic performance, including whether the student has failed any subjects, received any academic cautions and rate of progression;
 - Whether any findings of misconduct have been made against the student;
 - Any other valuable contributions made by the student to the Faculty outside of academic achievement.

6. SELECTION

- The student(s) with the highest WAM will be nominated by Study Plan Management, Lifetime Learner Experience (LLE) according to the eligibility and recipient selection criteria as provided in clause 4;
- In the event that two or more eligible students have the same WAM, a selection committee of a minimum of two (2) people, chaired by the Dean, Faculty of Law (or nominee) will select a Recipient based on the specified selection criteria in clause 5;
- The endorsed Recipient will then be formally approved or declined by the Dean, Faculty of Law (or nominee) based upon the selection criteria in clauses 5 and 7.

7. OTHER CONDITIONS

The Dean may decline to offer the award to a recipient who achieves the highest WAM where the WAM is less than 75.