

UTS Prize Conditions of Award

The Institution of Engineering and Technology - E. C. Parkinson Prize

Faculty: Engineering and Information Technology

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: The Institution of Engineering and Technology – E.C. Parkinson Prize

2. PURPOSE

The Prize recognises outstanding academic achievement in the area of manufacturing. The Sydney Division of the Institution of Manufacturing of Engineers donated a sum of money in 1964 which was to be used to establish a prize for the purpose of perpetuating the memory of the late E.C. Parkinson, a distinguished production engineer and, for many years, a senior executive of the AWA Company. Since 1970 the prize has been awarded to a student of the University.

3. VALUE AND BENEFIT

3.1 Number of Recipients:

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

3.2 Benefit/s to Recipient:

- The value of the Prize to the Recipient is \$500; and
- The Recipient will also receive a Certificate of Award.

3.3 Payment of benefit/s:

- The Recipient will receive one payment of \$500 by either cheque or electronic funds transfer, and
- A Certificate of Award will be presented at the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology prize-giving event.

4. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be eligible for the prize, the Recipient must:

- be enrolled in one of the Bachelor of Engineering suite of courses, and
- have a major in Mechanical Engineering or Mechanical and Mechatronic Engineering, and
- have successfully completed, on the first attempt, 48663 Advanced Manufacturing¹ in the relevant academic year prior to the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology prize-giving event, and
- have achieved a minimum mark of 75 in 48663 Advanced Manufacturing.

5. RECIPIENT SELECTION CRITERIA, IN PRIORITY ORDER

- The eligible student with the highest aggregate mark in 48663 Advanced Manufacturing.
- In the event that two or more eligible students have the same highest aggregate mark, the following criteria will be considered:
 - Highest performance in 48663 Advanced Manufacturing based on the overall aggregate mark (rounded to two decimal places) of the assessment tasks in the subject;
 - Highest performance in the assessment tasks in 48663 Advanced Manufacturing, based on the mark (rounded to two decimal places) of individual assessment tasks, counting

¹ If 48663 Advanced Manufacturing is not offered in the academic year and the School of Mechanical and Mechatronic Engineering, and The Institution of Engineering and Technology, nominate 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 identified in these Conditions of Award.

back from the assessment task with the highest weighting to the assessment task with the lowest weighting;

- Highest overall academic performance by WAM in the session in which the subject was completed;
- Highest overall academic performance by WAM for the academic year in which the subject was completed.

6. SELECTION

- The Recipient with the highest final mark will be identified by the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology Academic Administrative Officer on the basis of the selection criteria as provided in clauses 4 and 5, and confirmed by the Associate Dean (Teaching & Learning).
- In the event that two or more eligible students have the same highest final mark, the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology Academic Administrative Officer will continue to apply the selection criteria in priority order as provided in clauses 4 and 5, and confirmed by the Associate Dean (Teaching & Learning).
- In the event that two or more eligible students are still ranked equally, a selection committee of the Dean (or nominee) (Chair) and a minimum of two (2) people will select a Recipient based on performance in 48663 Advanced Manufacturing outside of formal assessment that demonstrates mastery of and engagement in the subject.
- The proposed Recipient will then be formally approved or declined by Dean, Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology (or nominee). The Recipient will be selected by the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology Academic Administrative Officer on the basis of the selection criteria and confirmed by the Associate Dean (Teaching & Learning).

7. OTHER CONDITIONS

The Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology may decline to offer the award to a Recipient who achieves the highest final mark where the mark is less than 75.