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GARETH LONG PRIZE IN ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION

Each year the ANU Medical School may offer a prize known as the Gareth Long Prize in Orthopaedic Surgery.

This prize was established in 2008 by Professor Paul Smith in order to commemorate the contribution of Dr Gareth Long to Orthopaedic Surgery. Dr Long was tragically killed in a farming accident in 2006. He was a young Orthopaedic Surgeon with a strong commitment to student education and the development of the ANU Medical School (now the School of Medicine and Psychology) in our region.

The value of the prize awarded is \$1,000.

The prize will be on offer from 2024 to 2027

Funding for this prize has been provided by the Gareth Long Memorial Fund, an endowment with the ANU Endowment for Excellence program.

2. ELIGIBILITY

The award is available each year to an ANU student who is:

- (a) a domestic or international student;
- (b) enrolled in Year 4 of the Doctor of Medicine and Surgery (MChD) program at the ANU College of Health and Medicine;
- (c) achieved a CRS or HLP grade for MEDI8040; AND
- (d) obtained the highest mark in the formative multiple choice orthopaedic surgery quiz.

3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS

Selection is made on the basis of obtaining the highest mark in the formative multiple choice orthopaedic surgery quiz. If multiple students achieve the highest mark, then their examination results in orthopaedic surgery questions may be taken into account to determine the overall winner.

The School of Medicine and Psychology reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The School may also vary the number of prizes if multiple winners are identified by splitting the prize.

4. RECIPIENT OBLIGATIONS

The awarding of a prize is based on the information provided to the University. A prize may be declined by the recipient once they have been notified as the prize winner. This must be provided in writing to the School of Medicine and Psychology no later than 30 days from notification.

If the prize is accepted by the recipient, they agree to the Publication of their name.

In some instances the recipient may be asked to:

- 1) write a letter of thanks to the donor;
- 2) participate in marketing activities and/or asked to provide a reflective statement.

5. REVIEW OF PRIZE

The award will be reviewed:

- (a) at the conclusion of the period outlined in section 1; or
- (b) if any eligibility requirements are to be amended
- (c) after 3 years

whichever is earliest.

6. VARIATION TO CONDITIONS OF AWARD

In exceptional circumstances and on a case-by-case basis, these conditions of award may be varied by the Director, School of Medicine and Psychology on the recommendation of the Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery.

7. CONTACT WITH THE COLLEGE

All enquiries regarding the prize and changes, issues, or further information after acceptance should be made to:

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ANU College of Health and Medicine
Florey Building #54
The Australian National University
Canberra ACTON 2601
AUSTRALIA*

Email: enquiries.health.smp@anu.edu.au

8. DISCLAIMER

The recipient of this award is subject to The Australian National University Act 1991 as amended, and to the Statutes, Rules, Regulations and Resolutions of the University.

These conditions of award should be read in conjunction with the University's Coursework Scholarships Policy & Procedures available from the ANU website.

9. RELATED POLICIES, PROCEDURES & RULES

ANU Prizes Policy

https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_016212

ANU Prizes Procedure

https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_016213

ANU Student Financial Awards Policy

https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_007803

ANU Coursework Scholarship Procedure

https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_009607

ANU Academic Misconduct Rules –

<https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2015L02025>

ANU Discipline Rules –

<https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2021L00998>