



## **GENDER AND MEDICINE ESSAY YEAR THREE PRIZE**

### **CONDITIONS OF AWARD**

#### **1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION**

Each year the School of Medicine and Psychology may offer a prize known as the Gender and Medicine Essay Year 3 Prize

The objective of the prize is to recognize the student who has demonstrated excellence in the Gender and Medicine essay in Year 3.

The value of the prize/s awarded is \$500.

The prize will be on offer from 2024 to 2027.

Funding for this prize has been provided by the Medical Women's Society of the ACT and Region, an affiliate of the Australian Federation of Medical Women. The Medical Women's Society of the ACT and Region aims to foster communication between medical women, both in the ACT and in the surrounding NSW towns. The society has strong links to the School of Medicine and Surgery.

#### **2. ELIGIBILITY**

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

- a. domestic or international student
- b. enrolled in Year 3 of the Doctor of Medicine and Surgery (MChD) Program in the School of Medicine and Psychology
- c. has submitted, by the due date a piece of work related to the Women's and/or Children's Health as part of the Gender and Medicine Portfolio

#### **3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS**

Selection is made on the basis of student submission of the Gender and Medicine Portfolio item. Submissions should be at least 1000 words long and reflect a detailed understanding of the implications of the topic for women's and children's health.

A short list of ten essays will be compiled by two members of the Social Foundations of Medicine staff. A selection committee made up from members of the Medical Women's Society of ACT and Region, nominated by the President of the ACT Medical Women's Society, will review short-listed student submissions, and will advise the Director, School of Medicine and Surgery of their recommendation.

To be considered for the prize students need to have completed and submitted the portfolio item by 31<sup>st</sup> October or be date stipulated in the portfolio (whichever is earlier)

The Director, School of Medicine and Surgery reserves the right to make no award if they consider there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The Director, School of Medicine and

Psychology, acting on the recommendation of the selection committee 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 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 donor (The Medical Women's Society of the ACT and Region)

#### **7. CONTACT WITH THE COLLEGE**

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

School of Medicine and Psychology  
ANU College of Health & Medicine Florey Building #54  
The Australian National University Canberra ACTON 2601 AUSTRALIA  
Email: [enquiries.health.smp@anu.edu.au](mailto: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 Student Financial Awards Policy

[https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP\\_007803](https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_007803)

ANU Coursework Scholarship Procedure

[https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP\\_009607](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>

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