



Australian
National
University

JANET ELSPETH CRAWFORD POSTGRADUATE LEADERSHIP PRIZE CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION

Each year the ANU College of Science may offer a prize known as the Janet Elspeth Crawford Postgraduate Leadership Prize.

The objective/s of the prize are to recognise a postgraduate student who has demonstrated significant leadership and outstanding academic achievement.

The value of the prize/s awarded is \$2000.

The prize will be on offer from 2022 to 2024.

Funding for this prize has been provided by the Crawford Prize Endowment which was largely funded by a bequest by Lady Jessie Crawford. One of Lady Crawford's wishes for her bequest was to support the existing JG Crawford Prizes but also to provide a prize in science in the name of her daughter, Janet Elspeth Crawford. This additional prize recognises the outstanding leadership and contributions to the University of Sir John Crawford, and the connection between Janet Elspeth Crawford and science.

2. ELIGIBILITY

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

- (a) a domestic or international student;
- (b) enrolled in or has completed a program leading to the award of a Graduate Coursework Degree or Higher Degree by Research in the ANU College of Science;
- (c) has demonstrated excellent academic achievement and outstanding leadership.

3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS

Selection is made on the basis of academic achievement and leadership with a particular focus on gender equity. Other factors such as study in an area where females are under-represented may also be taken into account. Preference may be given to a female student.

The College Prizes & Scholarships Committee, chaired by the Deputy Dean (Education) reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The College Prizes & Scholarships Committee may also vary the number of prizes if multiple winners are identified by splitting the prize.

Where required, the ANU Medals Committee will be available for qualitative or subjective assessment determinants if a decision is not reached within the College to determine prize winners.

4. RECIPIENT OBLIGATIONS

The award 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 ANU College of Science no later than one month 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 clause 6 of the ANU Prizes Procedure; 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 Dean on the recommendation of the Deputy Dean (Education).

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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Peter Baume Building #42
The Australian National University
Canberra ACTON 2601
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science.enquiries@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 Prizes and 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>