

KATE NORTH MEMORIAL PRIZE

CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION

Each year the School of Literature, Languages and Linguistics may offer a prize known as the Kate North Memorial Prize.

The objective of the prize is to recognise the student who has achieved the best result in the field of Russian, or if no Russian courses are offered, in the field of French.

The value of the prize awarded is \$500.

The prize will be on offer from 2022.

Funding for this prize has been provided by the Kate North Endowment. Kate North (d. 1992) worked for many years as Secretary in the Russian Department of Modern European Languages, ANU.

2. ELIGIBILITY

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

- (a) a domestic or international student
- (b) enrolled in an undergraduate or postgraduate coursework degree program in the School of Literature, Languages and Linguistics in the College of Arts and Social Sciences
- (c) enrolled in one or more courses in Russian (language or literature) in the year of the award.

If no Russian courses are offered, the prize may be awarded to a student enrolled in a French literature course. If no French literature courses are offered, the prize may be awarded to a student enrolled in a French language course.

3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS

Selection is made on the basis of academic merit. The prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the best result as shown by the award of the highest mark in the course(s) which are in the field of Russian.

If, in any year, no Russian courses are offered, the prize may be awarded to a student of French. In the first instance, the prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the best result as shown by the award of the highest mark in a French literature course.

If no French literature courses are offered, the prize will be awarded to the student who received the highest mark in a French language course at any level (introductory, intermediate, continuing or advanced).

A student is not eligible to be awarded the prize if the student is making a second or subsequent attempt at any of the courses.

The selection committee reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The selection 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 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 CASS Prizes officer no later than two weeks 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 Dean on the recommendation of the Chair of Selection Committee.

7. CONTACT WITH THE COLLEGE

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

Prizes Officer College of Arts and Social Sciences Beryl Rawson Building 13 Ellery Crescent The Australian National University Canberra ACTON 2601 AUSTRALIA

Email: <u>awards.cass@anu.edu.au</u>

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 Coursework Scholarship 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.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01785

ANU Discipline Rules – https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01792