



PETER AND LENA KARMEL ANNIVERSARY PRIZE IN MUSIC

CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION

Each year the School of Music may offer one award known as the Peter and Lena Karmel Anniversary Prize in Music.

The objective of the prize is to recognise the best graduating student of the School of Music who has displayed outstanding musical excellence throughout the course of their studies, and has the potential to make an outstanding contribution as a musician.

The value of the prize awarded is \$1,500.

Funding for this prize has been provided by the late Mrs Lena Karmel, and the late Emeritus Professor and former ANU Vice Chancellor (1982-87) Professor Peter Karmel (1922-2008). Peter and Lena Karmel were enthusiastic visual arts and music supporters and generous patrons. In the ANU Jubilee Year 1996, Peter and Lena very generously endowed the Peter and Lena Karmel Anniversary Awards for outstanding graduating students each year in music and art. In 2014, a Kingsley Street student accommodation building was named in honour of Lena Karmel. For ANU, the Karmels have left a significant philanthropic legacy.

2. ELIGIBILITY

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

- (a) a domestic or international student.
- (b) enrolled in any ANU School of Music degree program in the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences.

3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS

The Dean of the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences, acting on the advice of the Head of the ANU School of Music, will select a student who is deemed to have displayed outstanding artistic excellence throughout the course of their studies and to possess extraordinary potential to make an outstanding contribution as a musician. Selection is made on the basis of the student achieving the highest aggregate performance mark in the graduating year, and meeting the eligibility criteria. Other factors may be taken into consideration.

The Dean of the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The Dean may also vary the number of prizes if multiple winners are identified by splitting the prize.

Where required, the University Medal 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 ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences no later than four 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) if any eligibility requirements are to be amended
- (b) 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:

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College of Art and Social Sciences
Building 100, William Herbert Pl
The Australian National University
Canberra ACTON 2601
AUSTRALIA*

Email: music@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/ppi/document/ANUP_007803

ANU Prizes Procedure –

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

ANU Academic Misconduct Rules –

<https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01785>

ANU Discipline Rules –

<https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01792>