

TONI MAKKAI PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN CRIMINOLOGY CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION

Each year the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences may offer one prize known as the Toni Makkai Prize for Excellence in Criminology.

The objective of the prize is to recognise and reward academic excellence in Criminology.

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

The prize will be on offer from 2017 to 2025.

Funding for this prize has been provided by Emeritus Professor Toni Makkai, former Dean of the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences (2008-2016), and Director of the Australian Institute of Criminology (2003-2008). Under her stewardship as College Dean, Professor Makkai was instrumental in the development and creation of the University's undergraduate criminology program.

2. ELIGIBILITY

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

- (a) a domestic or international student;
- (b) awarded, in the year of the prize, with a Bachelor of Criminology or Bachelor of Arts (Criminology Major) from the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences; and
- (c) assessed as having received the highest weighted average result across the best of 36 units comprising their Bachelor of Criminology or Criminology Major, excluding 1000-level units. It does not include units counted towards the awarding of another degree, award, major or minor. It does not include units for which unit substitution or credit has been granted from an external institution.

3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS

Selection is made automatically from the list of students who, in the calendar year of the prize, have been admitted to the degree of Bachelor of Criminology or Bachelor of Arts (Criminology Major).

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 College 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 College of Arts and Social Science Student & Education Office by emailing dm.students.cass@anu.edu.au and the Convenor of Undergraduate Criminology no later than one week 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; and
- 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 of the College of Arts and Social Sciences on the recommendation of the Convenor of Undergraduate Criminology.

7. CONTACT WITH THE COLLEGE

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

Student & Education Office ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences Beryl Rawson Building (#13) The Australian National University Canberra ACTON 2601 AUSTRALIA

Email: dm.students.cass@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 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