

## R Morrison Cassie Memorial Prize

Code: P757
Faculty: Science
Applicable study: BIOSCI 220
Closing date: By nomination

Tenure:

For: Prize
Number on offer: One
Offer rate: Annually
Value: \$500

## **Description**

This Prize was established in 1976 from a fund raised by staff and students of the Departments of Botany and Zoology and by colleagues and friends, to commemorate the late R M Cassie, Professor of Biometry, who died suddenly in December 1974.

The main purpose of the Prize is to reward and recognise excellence in the application of statistical analysis to biological data.

## **Selection process**

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize shall be awarded by the University of Auckland Council after receiving a recommendation from the Head of the School of Biological Sciences

## Regulations

- 1. The Prize will be known as the R Morrison Cassie Memorial Prize.
- 2. The value of the Prize will be \$500.
- 3. The Prize will be awarded annually by the University of Auckland Council to the student who achieved the highest grade in BIOSCI 220 Quantitative Biology. As a minimum standard the student must have achieved at least an Agrade. In the event of a tie, the Prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the highest mark.
- 4. The Prize shall be awarded by the University of Auckland Council after receiving a recommendation from the Head of the School of Biological Sciences (or nominee).
- 5. The University of Auckland Council will not be bound to award the Prize in any year if in that year there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
- 6. The Prize may not be shared.
- 7. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.