

# Dean's Medal

Code: P105

Faculty: Medical and Health Sciences

Applicable study: BHSc, MBChB, BMedImag(Hons), BNurs, BOptom, BPharm or BPharm(Hons)

Closing date: By nomination

Tenure:

For: Prize

Number on offer: Varies

Offer rate: Annually

Value: Award of an engraved medal

#### **Description**

The Dean's Medal was first established by the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences to be awarded to final year students in the medical programme (MBChB) and has been awarded for over 20 years. With the growth of the faculty, additional awards were established in 2015 and 2023 to recognise the contribution of students from other undergraduate programmes.

The main purpose of the award is to recognise the outstanding contribution of students to the academic development of the faculty whilst undertaking their undergraduate studies.

## Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences

## Regulations

- 1. The Prize will be known as the Dean's Medal.
- 2. Prizes will be awarded annually and will each comprise an engraved medal.
- 3. The Prize will be awarded to the final year student(s) in the Bachelor of Health Sciences, Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours), Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, Bachelor of Nursing, Bachelor of Optometry, and Bachelor of Pharmacy or Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) (see Note I) who have made an outstanding contribution to the academic development of the faculty whilst undertaking their undergraduate studies (see Note II). The Prize may be awarded to more than one student from each degree programme.
- 4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (or nominee).
- 5. The University of Auckland is not obliged to make an award if it is determined there is no candidate that meets the criteria and/or no candidate of sufficient merit.
- 6. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the

main purpose of the Prize.

7. Notes [I]-[II] are deemed to be regulations.

#### **Notes**

- I. Bachelor of Pharmacy and Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) students will be considered collectively for the Prize.
- II. The Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences will be required to provide a brief outline of their selection process to the Scholarships Office.