

# Mayne Wetherell Prize

Code:	P226
Faculty:	Law
Applicable study:	Part I LLB
Closing date:	By nomination
Tenure:	
For:	Prize
Number on offer:	One
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$1,500

## Description

The Prize was established in 2024 and is funded by law firm Mayne Wetherell.

The main purpose of the Prize is to reward and recognise academic excellence in Part I of a Bachelor of Laws degree.

## Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Law (or nominee)

## Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Mayne Wetherell Prize.
2. One Prize will be awarded annually and will be of the value of \$1,500.
3. The Prize will be awarded to the student enrolled in a Bachelor of Laws (LLB) or LLB conjoint degree who achieved the highest grade point average (GPA) across LAW 121G, LAW 131 and LAW 141 (see Notes I and II). As a minimum standard, the student must have achieved a GPA of at least 7.00 (equivalent to an A- average) across the three courses. If more than two students achieved the same GPA, the Prize may be awarded to the student who achieved the highest weighted average marks.
4. Students who have repeated one or more of the courses will not be eligible for a Prize.
5. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Law (or nominee).
6. In the event of a tie, the Dean of the Faculty of Law (or nominee) will determine whether a Prize may be shared.
7. The University of Auckland Council 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.
8. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.
9. Notes [I]-[II] below are deemed to be Regulations.

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- I. GPA calculations will be undertaken after results for LAW 131 and LAW 141 are available each year.*
- II. The three courses are not required to be undertaken in the same year.*
- III. These regulations are subject to Senate and Council approval.*