

Raymond Harry Hawkins Prize in Undergraduate Optometry Research

Code:	P761
Faculty:	Medical and Health Sciences
Applicable study:	OPTOM 783
Closing date:	By nomination
Tenure:	
For:	Prize
Number on offer:	One
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$900

Description

The Prize was established in 1995 by Dr Robert Hawkins, in memory of his father Raymond Harry Hawkins, who practised optometry in Auckland for many years. Raymond Harry Hawkins was a British-trained optometrist who was also a qualified pharmacist, and had a keen interest in ocular pharmacology.

The main purpose of the Prize is to encourage excellence in undergraduate optometry research.

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 Head of the School of Optometry and Vision Science

Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Raymond Harry Hawkins Prize in Undergraduate Optometry Research.
2. The value of the Prize will be \$900.
3. The Prize will be awarded annually to the student producing the Optometry research project with the highest mark in course OPTOM 783 Research Project in Vision Science. In the event of a tie, the Prize will be awarded on the basis of a review of the tied projects by an external assessor.
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of the School of Optometry and Vision Science, in consultation with the external assessor to the course.
5. The Prize may not be shared.
6. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award in any year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
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.