

Roger Oppenheim Memorial Prize in Sociology and Criminology

Code:	P766
Faculty:	Arts and Education
Applicable study:	Masters level study in Sociology or Criminology
Closing date:	By nomination
Tenure:	
For:	Prize
Number on offer:	One
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$1,500

Description

This Prize was established in 1988 to commemorate the life and work of the late Roger Oppenheim, Senior Lecturer in Sociology. His family, friends, colleagues and students donated the funds which support the awards.

Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Social Sciences (or nominee)

Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Roger Oppenheim Memorial Prize in Sociology and Criminology.
2. One Prize will be awarded annually and will be of the value of \$1,500.
3. The Prize will be awarded annually to the Master of Arts student, majoring/specialising in either Sociology or Criminology, who completed the most meritorious 120-point sociological thesis by research in the previous academic year in the major/specialisations of Sociology or Criminology. As a minimum standard the student must have achieved at least an A- grade.
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Social Sciences (or nominee) in consultation with the Major/Specialisation Leaders of Sociology and Criminology (or their nominees).
5. 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.
6. In the event of a tie, the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Social Sciences (or nominee), in consultation with the Majors/Specialisation Leaders for Sociology and Criminology (or their nominees), shall determine if the Prize may be shared.
7. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided there is no departure from the main

purpose of the Prize.