BlackBull Markets Prize in Finance

**Description**

The Prize was established in 2022 and is funded by BlackBull Markets, a New Zealand Broker proud to contribute to New Zealand’s thriving finance industry, investing in local talent to improve diversity and opportunity.

The main purpose of the Prize is to recognise and reward academic ability in third year finance study in the Faculty of Business and Economics.

**Selection process**

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Accounting and Finance

**Regulations**

1. The Prize will be known as the BlackBull Markets Prize in Finance.
2. Two Prizes will be awarded annually and will be of the value of $1,000 each.
3. One Prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the highest grade in FINANCE 362 Risk Management in Semester One, and one Prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the highest grade in FINANCE 362 Risk Management in Semester Two. As a minimum standard, the student should have achieved an A- grade. In the event that FINANCE 362 is not taught, the Prize may be awarded to the student who achieved the highest marks in FINANCE 361 Modern Investment Theory and Management or an equivalent course.
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of Department of Accounting and Finance (or nominee).
5. In the event of a tie, the Head of the Department of Accounting and Finance (or nominee) will determine whether the Prize may be shared.
6. 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.
7. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the Code.
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