

## Business School Prize for Best Doctoral Thesis

<b>Code:</b>	P135
<b>Faculty:</b>	Business & Economics
<b>Applicable study:</b>	PhD
<b>Closing date:</b>	By nomination
<b>Tenure:</b>	Prize
<b>For:</b>	Prize
<b>Number on offer:</b>	One
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	\$1,000

### Description

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The Business School Prize for Best Doctoral Thesis was established in 2017 by the Business School.

The main purpose of the Prize is to recognise excellence among the Business School's doctoral research students.

### Selection process

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- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Business School PhD Sub-Committee

### Regulations

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1. The Prize will be known as the Business School Prize for Best Doctoral Thesis.
2. The value of the Prize will be \$1,000 and the winner will also receive a certificate.
3. One Prize will be awarded annually to the student who, in the opinion of the Business School PhD Sub-Committee, completed the best doctoral thesis impacting New Zealand and global business, in the previous year.
4. To be eligible for consideration, a student must have been enrolled in a PhD at the University of Auckland Business School. The thesis must have been submitted and examined in accordance with University regulations, and the award of the degree approved by Council between 1 January and 31 December of the previous year.
5. Nominations must be made to the Business School PhD Sub-Committee, and include the thesis abstract, supporting statements from the student's supervisor(s), and supporting statements from at least one external referee. If examiners' reports are included, these must be accompanied by specific permission of the examiner to use them for the purpose of nomination for this Prize.
6. Nominations will be assessed in terms of the quality of the research, its contribution to the relevant field of knowledge, and timely completion.
7. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Business School PhD Sub-Committee.
8. In the event of a tie, the Business School PhD Sub-Committee will determine, in consultation with the Dean of the

Business School (or nominee) if the Prize may be shared.

9. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.