

# Judge Avinash Deobhakta Memorial Prize in Criminal Procedure

<b>Code:</b>	P119
<b>Faculty:</b>	Law
<b>Applicable study:</b>	LAWPUBL 430
<b>Closing date:</b>	By nomination
<b>Tenure:</b>	
<b>For:</b>	Prize
<b>Number on offer:</b>	One
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	\$1,500

## Description

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The Prize was established in 2015 and is given in memory of Judge Avinash Deobhakta by his daughter, Kavita Deobhakta BA LLB (Hons) and his son-in-law, Sadesh Natali BHSc PGD (HSc).

The main purpose of the Prize is to recognise and reward the student achieving the best grade in Criminal Procedure.

## Selection process

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- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Law

## Regulations

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1. The Prize will be known as the Judge Avinash Deobhakta Memorial Prize in Criminal Procedure.
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 student enrolled full-time in a Bachelor of Laws (LLB), LLB(Hons) or associated conjoint degree who achieved the highest mark in LAWPUBL 430 Criminal Procedure. 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 upon the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Law (or nominee).
5. In the event of a tie, the Dean of the Faculty of Law shall determine if 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 main purpose of the Prize.