

# **New Zealand Business and Parliament Trust Prize**

Code: P191 Faculty: Arts

Applicable study: Honours or Masters study in New Zealand politics

Closing date: By nomination

Tenure: Prize
For: Prize
Number on offer: One
Offer rate: Annually

Value: \$1,500 (see Note I)

### **Description**

The Prize was established in 2019 and is funded by the New Zealand Business and Parliament Trust, an educational organisation dedicated to fostering goodwill and understanding between the business community and Parliament.

The main purpose of the Prize is to reward and recognise the student who has achieved the highest grade in a dissertation or thesis relating to New Zealand politics at honours or masters level at the University of Auckland.

## 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

## Regulations

- 1. The Prize will be known as the New Zealand Business and Parliament Trust Prize.
- 2. One Prize will be awarded annually, and will be of the value of \$1,500 (see Note I).
- 3. The Prize will be awarded to the student enrolled in a Bachelor of Arts (Honours), Master of Arts or Master of Public Policy at the University of Auckland who achieved the highest grade in a dissertation or thesis on a topic related to New Zealand politics. As a minimum standard, the student should have achieved an A- grade.
- 4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Social Sciences.
- 5. In the event of a tie, the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Social Sciences will determine whether the Prize may be shared.
- 6. 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.
- 7. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there are no candidates of sufficient merit.
- 8. Note [I] below is deemed to be a Regulation.

#### **Notes**

Recipients of the New Zealand Business and Parliament Trust Prize will be expected to visit the New Zealand	1
Business and Parliament Trust (NZBPT) in Wellington for a day within twelve months of receiving the award.	
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