

Rae Hammer Memorial Prize in Latin Studies

Code:	P132
Faculty:	Arts
Applicable study:	Stage II, III or Honours level study in Latin
Closing date:	By nomination
Tenure:	Prize
For:	Prize
Number on offer:	One
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$600

Description

The Rae Hammer Memorial Prize in Latin Studies was established in 2016. Margaret and Paul Hammer have endowed two prizes in memory of their mother, Rae Hammer, who majored in Latin and History during her BA degree. Rae had a long and successful career in secondary education, teaching Latin, History and English during her 31 years as the Papakura High School Deputy Principal. She remained closely associated with the University of Auckland due to her tireless voluntary work on committees and trusts.

The main purpose of the Prize is to encourage and reward student achievement in, and commitment to, the study of Latin 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 Humanities

Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Rae Hammer Memorial Prize in Latin Studies.
2. The annual value of the Prize will be \$600.
3. The Prize will be awarded annually to the student in Latin II, III or Honours who, in the opinion of staff teaching Latin, has demonstrated the highest level of commitment to the study of Latin. As a minimum standard, the student should have a GPA of at least 7.00 (equivalent to an A- grade) across all courses in Latin. In the event of a tie, the Prize will be awarded to the student at the highest level of study (see Note I).
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Humanities (or nominee) in consultation with the Discipline Convenor of Classics and Ancient History. The Prize will not be awarded to the same student more than once, save in exceptional circumstances.
5. The Prize may not be shared.

6. The Prize will not be awarded in a particular year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
7. 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.
8. Note [I] below is deemed to be a regulation.

Notes

- I. Commitment to the study of Latin will be determined by factors such as the number of courses taken in this subject at undergraduate or postgraduate level, and the level of contribution and engagement in classwork.*