Solbo Village Prize

Code: P207
Faculty: Science
Applicable study: GEOG 101 & GEOG 102
Closing date: By nomination
Tenure: Prize
Number on offer: Two
Offer rate: Annually
Value: $500 each

Description

The Prize was established in 2021 and is funded by Associate Professor Hong-Key Yoon, an academic staff member in the School of Environment from 1976 to 2021, to commemorate his mother, who was born in the village of Solbo in 1910.

The main purpose of the Prize is to reward and recognise excellence in GEOG 101 Earth Surface Processes and Landforms and GEOG 102 Geography of the Human Environment.

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 School of Environment (or nominee)

Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Solbo Village Prize.
2. Two Prizes will be awarded annually and will be of the value of $500 each.
3. One Prize will be awarded to the student enrolled in the first year of a Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts, or associated conjoint degree, majoring in Geography, who achieved the highest marks in GEOG 101 Earth Surface Processes and Landforms, or an equivalent course, and intends to enrol in Stage II or Stage III Geography courses in the following year(s). As a minimum standard, the student must have achieved an A- grade. In the event of a tie, the Prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the highest mark in the examination.
4. One Prize will be awarded to the student enrolled in the first year of a Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts, or associated conjoint degree, majoring in Geography, who achieved the highest marks in GEOG 102 Geography of the Human Environment, or an equivalent course, and intends to enrol in Stage II or Stage III Geography courses in the following year(s). As a minimum standard, the student must have achieved an A- grade. In the event of a tie, the Prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the highest mark in the examination.
5. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Head of School of Environment (or nominee) in consultation with the Head of Geography (or nominee).
6. The Prize may only be shared when two or more students have achieved the same examination mark.
7. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if it is determined there are no candidates who meet the criteria and/or no candidates of sufficient merit.
8. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.