

Jabez King Heydon Memorial Postgraduate Prize in Biological Sciences

Terms and Conditions

1. Background

- a. The Jabez King Heydon Memorial Prize in Biological Sciences is awarded for the most meritorious PhD in one or more of the fields of Biological Sciences such as Biology, Botany, Zoology, Ecology, Evolution, Conservation or Wildlife Biology.
- b. This Prize is funded by a bequest from Kathleen Joan Laurence in memory of Jabez King Heydon.

2. Eligibility Criteria

- a. To be considered eligible for this Prize, students must have submitted their PhD thesis in the 12 months preceding the award.
- b. The recipient must not have consumed more than 4 EFTSL.
- c. The thesis must be focussed in one or more of the fields of Biology, Botany, Zoology, Ecology, Evolution, Conservation or Wildlife Biology.

3. Selection Criteria

- a. The Prize will be awarded based on the most commendable PhD thesis.
- b. The successful recipient will be awarded the Prize by a selection committee comprising Head of School, School of Life and Environmental Sciences and a minimum of two academic staff with expertise in one or more of Biology, Botany, Zoology, Ecology, Evolution, Conservation or Wildlife Biology.

4. Value

- a. This Prize has a value of \$1,000 and will be paid as a one off payment.
- b. If more than one student is of equal merit, the value of the prize will be equally shared.
- c. No other amount is payable.
- d. The Prize will be awarded subject to the availability of funds.

5. Ongoing Eligibility

a. None apply.

6. Termination



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- a. The University reserves the right to withdraw the Prize, if the University determines that the student is guilty of serious misconduct, including, but not limited to, having provided false or misleading information that has a relationship to the awarding of this Prize.
- b. Once withdrawn the Prize will not be reinstated unless due to University error.