International House UNSW

Research Collegian of the Year

CONDITIONS FOR THE AWARD OF THE PRIZE

1. INTRODUCTION

Each year International House, one of the residential colleges under the management of UNSW, may offer a prize known as the Research Collegian of the Year ("the prize").

Funding has been provided by various donors to the International House UNSW Scholarship fund.

2. BENEFITS

The award is paid in one instalment at the beginning of the second term unless otherwise stated in the letter of offer. The award is composed of two components: one, a single payment of \$2000 paid by the International House Trust to the recipient's bank account, and two, as reduction of the recipient's accommodation fees by \$2000 per annum applied at the commencement of term 2.

3. ELIGIBILITY

The award is available each year to a continuing a domestic or international student enrolled in a Higher Degree Research program at UNSW and who has been a resident at International House UNSW in the year of application and will be in residence for the full year at time of application. Up to three prizes may be awarded each year.

4. APPLICATION

Applications are called for with a closing date as set by the Dean, International House and advertised on the UNSW Accommodation website. The application is forwarded to the Dean, International House prior to the closing date.

International House is committed to equity, diversity, and inclusion. Applications from women, people of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, People with disabilities members of the LGBTIQ+ community, neurodiverse people, and people of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent are encouraged and warmly welcomed.

5. SELECTION

Selection is made on the basis of:

- (a) A demonstrable and active commitment to the values and mission of International House
- (b) A demonstrable attitude of respect: treating others with dignity, regardless of differences.
- (c) Evidence of the ability to relate to the perspectives of others.
- (d) Academic excellence
- (e) Significant contributions to a range of IH activities in the previous years of residence
- (f) Service to UNSW/the wider community.

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The award is offered to the recipient by a selection committee, chaired by the Chair of the International House Committee and the following:

- Head, UNSW Colleges and Apartments
- IH Committee Member, ICSA Student Representative

The selection committee reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit.

6. PROVIDING FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION

The awarding of this prize is based on the information provided to International House. An award may be withdrawn at any stage if incorrect, false or misleading information is provided, or relevant information is withheld.

7. TAXATION & CENTRELINK

Recipients are responsible for seeking taxation and Centrelink advice regarding their own individual circumstances. Prizes may be regarded as taxable income if a recipient is enrolled on a part-time basis.

8. PUBLICITY

The recipient must agree to participate in publicity for the award from time to time. Recipients may be contacted for an interview and photograph. The University will also publicize the award by publishing the names of the recipients. Arrangements for such publicity will be made through the UNSW Accommodation Office.

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