

# THE MARK EDWIN HURD MEMORIAL PRIZE RULES

### **Establishment**

This Prize was established in 2019 by a bequest to the University from Mark Edwin Hurd, who graduated with a Bachelor of Science (Mathematical Sciences) (Honours) in 1991.

This is an endowed Prize with the capital held in the University's Endowment Fund and the income distribution each year used to fund the prize

#### Title

The prize shall be called the "Mark Edwin Hurd Memorial Prize".

#### Value

The value of the Prize shall be \$1,000.00 per year, or such other amount as the University shall from time to time determine provided that the value of the Prize does not exceed the annual distribution of interest available from the Endowment Fund.

# **Eligibility**

To be eligible for the Prize students must:-

- have successfully completed their final year of their Undergraduate Degree in Mathematical Sciences or Computer Sciences or a combination of the two, in the year for which the Prize is awarded; and
- be enrolled in their Honours year.

# **Selection of Candidate**

The Prize will be awarded annually to a student who attained high achievement in their final year in Mathematical Sciences or Computer science to gain entry to an Honours degree. The candidate will be selected by the Mathematical Sciences and Computer Science Heads of Schools.

If there is no candidate of sufficient merit for the Prize in any year, then the Prize will not be awarded and the funds shall be added to the capital sum in the Endowment Fund.

If there is more than one candidate of equal merit, then the Prize may be shared equally.

## **Administration and Variations**

The Faculty of Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences will administer the Fund.

The University may vary the rules from time to time in a manner consistent with the University's legal obligations and policies.