



COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
MYINT ZAN PRIZE FOR THE PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE
CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION AND RECOGNITION

Each year the School of Philosophy may offer one prize per annum known as the Myint Zan Prize for the Philosophy of Science.

The objectives of the prize is to encourage undergraduate students who excel in the field of philosophy of science.

The value of the prize is \$500.00.

The prize will be on offer from 2019.

Funding for this prize has been provided by Dr Myint Zan. Dr Zan is a retired Burmese legal academic and ANU Alumnus.

2. ELIGIBILITY

The award is available each year to an ANU student who is:

- (a) a domestic or international student
- (b) enrolled in a Bachelor of Arts degree program and in one (or more) of the courses listed below:

Philosophy of Science PHIL2057

Philosophy of Cognitive Science PHIL2124

Philosophy of the Life Sciences PHIL3076

Philosophy and Science Fiction PHIL2123

Philosophy of the Cosmos PHIL2042

Science in Society: Ethics, Public Policy and Scientific Practice PHIL2126

Sex & Death: The Philosophy of Biology PHIL2082

Philosophy of Physics PHIL2082

- (c) achieves the highest mark for the major written work in any of the above undergraduate philosophy of sciences courses.

3. SELECTION AND CONSTRAINTS

The School of Philosophy reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit and will carry the prize into the following year. The School of Philosophy may also vary the number of prizes if multiple winners are identified by splitting the prize.

Where required, the University Medal Committee will be available for qualitative or subjective assessment determinants if a decision is not reached within the College to determine prize winners.

4. RECIPIENT OBLIGATIONS

The awarding of a prize is based on the information provided to the University. A prize may be declined by the recipient once they have been notified as the prize winner. This must be provided in writing to the Scholarships and Prizes Officer, College of Arts and Social Sciences, no later than 30 days from notification.

If the prize is accepted by the recipient, they agree to the publication of their name.

In some instances the recipient may be asked to participate in marketing activities, provide a reflective statement and/or give permission for the donor to read the paper in which they received the award for.

5. REVIEW OF PRIZE

The prize is in perpetuity. It will be reviewed:

- (a) if funding no longer exists
- (b) if any eligibility requirements are to be amended
- (c) after three years

whichever is earliest.

6. VARIATION TO CONDITIONS OF AWARD

In exceptional circumstances and on a case-by-case basis, these conditions of award may be varied by the Dean on the recommendation of the Head of School of Philosophy.

7. CONTACT WITH THE COLLEGE

All enquiries regarding the prize and changes, issues, or further information after acceptance should be made to:

*Scholarships and Prizes Officer
College of Arts and Social Sciences
Building 13, Beryl Rawson Building
The Australian National University
Canberra ACTON 2601
AUSTRALIA*

Email: awards.cass@anu.edu.au

DISCLAIMER

The recipient of this award is subject to The Australian National University Act 1991 as amended, and to the Statutes, Rules, Regulations and Resolutions of the University.

These conditions of award should be read in conjunction with the University's Coursework Scholarships Policy & Procedures available from the ANU website.

8. RELATED POLICIES, PROCEDURES & RULES

ANU Prizes Policy –
Include link (Prizes Office to update)

ANU Prizes Procedure –
Include link (Prizes Office to update)

ANU Academic Misconduct Rules –
<https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01785>

ANU Discipline Rules –
<https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01792>