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## The David Murray Prize in the Mathematical Sciences

### Establishment

This prize has been established by the University as a result of a contribution by David Murray, late of London, England and Adelaide, Merchant and a former member of the Council of the University, who died in London on 6 January 1907. David Murray bequeathed a pecuniary legacy of 2,000 pounds to the University of Adelaide to be applied towards the Scholarship Fund of the University. The sum of \$4,500.00 may be awarded in each year by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, by the Adelaide Law School, by the Faculty of Sciences, by the Faculty of Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences and by the Faculty of Health Sciences. The rules below refer only to the David Murray Prize in the Mathematical Sciences.

### Value

The value of the David Murray Prize in the Mathematical Sciences will be \$900.00 per year, or such other amount as the University shall from time to time determine.

### Eligibility

The prize will be awarded annually by the University to a student who meets the following criteria.

- a) The student must have satisfied the academic requirements for the ordinary degree of Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences, the Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences (Advanced) or the Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences and have completed 12 units of Level III Mathematical Sciences courses.
- b) The student must have completed at least one such Level III Mathematical Sciences course in the year for which the prize is awarded.
- c) The student must be enrolled in the Honours degree of Mathematical and Computer Sciences, the Honours degree of Mathematical Sciences or the Master of Philosophy degree in the Mathematical Sciences as of the March 31<sup>st</sup> census date of the following year.

### Selection of Candidate

The Head of the School of Mathematical Sciences will award the prize to the highest-performing eligible student on the basis of performance in Mathematical Sciences courses, with particular emphasis on the Level III results.

If there is no candidate of sufficient merit in a given year then the prize will not be awarded in that year.

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

### Variations

The University may vary the rules from time to time in a manner consistent with the original objectives of the prize.