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## The Davey Prize for Excellence in Chemical Engineering

### PRIZE RULES

#### Establishment

This prize has been established by the University as a result of a donation of \$2,500 by Dr K R and Mrs M S Davey, to establish a prize to foster the development of biochemical engineering interest and practice within the School of Chemical Engineering.

The capital for the prize is held in perpetuity resulting in the minimum annual prize distribution paid from the Endowment Fund.

#### Value

The value of the Prize will be \$300.00 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 income distribution available from the Endowment Fund<sup>1</sup>. The prize shall also consist of a suitably inscribed medal.

#### Eligibility

The prize will be awarded annually by the University to an eligible student who meets the following criteria:

- a) The student must be enrolled in the Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Chemical) degree program or associated double degrees with a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Chemical) component
- b) The student must have completed at least 18 units of level 3 Chemical Engineering courses with at least one completed in the year for which the prize is awarded.

#### Selection of Candidate

The Head of School of Chemical Engineering or nominee will award the prize to the best performing third year Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Chemical) student who achieves the highest average mark in the 18 units of level 3 courses specified above. If a student has completed more than 18 units of level 3 courses, the average will be calculated taking into account the marks received for 6 level 3 courses (totaling 18 units) in which the student has performed the best.

If there is no candidate of sufficient merit in a given year then the prize will not be awarded in that year and the money will be used in subsequent years. In this case, provision may be made for multiple prizes in subsequent years.

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

#### Variations

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

Rules approved by Deputy Vice Chancellor & Vice President (Academic) 29 February 2016

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<sup>1</sup> For further information on the University's Endowment Fund and the distribution of interest available please see the [Endowment Fund Investment Report](#)