

# ALUMNI OFFICE

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## MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY PRIZE

### PRIZE CONDITIONS

1. The Prize shall be known as The Macquarie University Science/Technology Prize, supported by the University's Alumni.
2. The Prize shall be to the value of \$2,500 or such other amount as may from time to time be determined and may be awarded annually, but shall not be awarded in any year in which no candidate is considered to be of sufficient merit.
3. The Prize shall be open for award to all candidates proceeding to the award of the Honours Degree of Bachelor within the Divisions of Environmental & Life Sciences, Information & Communication Sciences and Linguistics & Psychology.
4. The Prize shall be awarded for proficiency in the honours year and shall be awarded to a candidate whose work shows outstanding promise in a Science/Technology discipline and potential for industrial, commercial or professional application.
5. The Prize shall be made on the recommendation of a selection committee, which will comprise the Dean of each of the three Divisions and a representative of the Standing Committee of Convocation.
6. The Prize shall be in the form of a cheque or such other form that may be substituted therefore, together with a suitably inscribed certificate.

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### GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION

It is awarded to the Science/Technology Honours student whose work is outstanding and shows potential for industrial, commercial or professional application of research.

Nomination of a candidate (with candidate's student number supplied) is by recommendation, in the form of a letter or memorandum endorsed by the Head of Division.

To be eligible for consideration, a recommendation must address explicitly all the Prize selection criteria listed below.

Each nominee will be judged strictly on information provided in the recommendation.

Relevant documents (copies only) may be attached for the purpose of supporting information contained in the recommendation.

The recommendation and all the supporting documents must be forwarded to the Manager, Alumni Office by 15 February, 2008

#### Selection Criteria

1. Performance at undergraduate level – grade point average
2. Performance at Honours level:
  - Honours thesis mark and assessors' comments
  - prizes, medals, awards
3. Relevance of research to industry eg:
  - presentation as conference paper
  - acceptance for publication
  - take-up (application/recognition/acceptance) by a commercial or government institution or professional body