THE SIR ARCHIBALD STRONG MEMORIAL PRIZE FOR LITERATURE

Background

In 1948, Misses Ruth and Alfreda Bedford, gave £500 to the University on behalf of their sister Sylvia Bedford, to provide for an annual prize for literary work in memory of Sir Archibald Strong, formerly Jury Professor of English Language and Literature.

Rules

The following conditions apply:-

1. A prize to the value of $550 to be called ‘The Sir Archibald Strong Memorial Prize for Literature’ shall be offered annually.

2. All students enrolled in upper-level courses in the Department of English and Creative Writing shall be eligible for the prize in that year.

3. The prize shall be awarded for the best literary essay, prose work or poetry work to a student enrolled in an upper-level course in English and Creative Writing.

Rules amended and approved by the Executive Dean 17 April 2015