
Film Studies Prize Rules

Establishment

This Prize has been established by a donation to the University by Associate Professor Ben McCann, who is keen to support this discipline by recognising outstanding scholarship. Assoc Prof McCann has agreed to support the prize for 5 years (2020 – 2024).

Value

The value of the Prize will be \$500.00.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the Prize students must be completing a Bachelor degree or a Bachelor degree (Advanced) within the Faculty of Arts and have completed at least two Film Studies units in the year for which the Prize is awarded.

Selection of Candidate

The School of Humanities Prize Selection Committee (Head of School (Chair) or his/her nominee) will award the Prize annually to the second or third year Film Studies student who, in the opinion of the Head of Department (or his/her nominee), has provided the best essay on a Film Studies topic in that year.

If two or more candidates eligible for the Prize are of equal merit, the Prize shall be shared equally among them. If there is no candidate of sufficient merit in any given year then the Prize will not be awarded in that year.

Variations

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