

## J. Mazumdar Prize in Engineering and Mathematics

### PRIZE RULES

#### Establishment

This endowed prize was established in 2004 by a contribution to the University by a committee of former students, colleagues and friends of Jagannath Mazumdar, Adjunct Professor associated with the School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering and the School of Mathematical Sciences. The sum of \$13,500 was raised for the purpose of providing a prize in acknowledgement of high achieving students across the two disciplines.

The capital for the prize is held in perpetuity resulting in the minimum annual prize distribution paid from the Endowment Fund<sup>1</sup>.

#### Value

The value of the Prize is \$1,000.00 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 distribution of interest available from the Endowment Fund.

#### Eligibility

To be eligible for the Prize, students must have completed the requirements for the Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic) with Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences double degree in the School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering in the year for which the Prize is awarded. The Mathematical and Computer Sciences component of the degree must include a major in Applied Mathematics.

In the event that there are no suitable candidates with an Applied Mathematics major, candidates with the following majors (in order of rank) may be eligible for the award:

1. Applied Mathematics
2. Pure Mathematics  
Statistics  
Mathematical Sciences
3. Computer Science

A student will be considered eligible for the Prize only in the year in which all of the requirements for the double degree are completed.

#### Selection of Candidate

The Heads of both the School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering and School of Mathematical Sciences (or nominees), will award the Prize to the student who has achieved distinction in the work and examinations of all courses presented towards the Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic) with Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences double degree

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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](#)

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 equally.

**Variations**

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

Approved:

  
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Deputy Vice Chancellor & Vice President (Academic)  
Professor Pascale Quester

Date: 20/03/20.....