
The Engineers Australia Award

PRIZE RULES

Note: The Institute of Engineers Australia Award (first made in 1977) is administered by Engineers Australia. Engineers Australia therefore contact the Faculty of ECMS in November and request to be advised of the name of the nominee by the following January. It is then the Faculty's responsibility to request a nominee from each of the Schools who offer the Bachelor of Engineering. The name of the winning nominee is then provided to Engineers Australia.

Establishment

The University has accepted the offer of Engineers Australia to provide an annual award for students enrolled in the degree of Bachelor of Engineering.

Value

The value of the Engineers Australia Award will be the Sir Arvi Parbo medal and a cash premium (determined by Engineers Australia).

Eligibility

A candidate will be determined annually by the University by considering final year students enrolled in Level IV of a program for the degree of Bachelor of Engineering (or associated double/combined degrees). Candidates will be chosen on the basis of academic excellence and qualities of character and leadership.

Selection of Candidate

The Head of each Engineering School or nominee may, with the consent of the nominated candidate in each case, recommend up to two candidates for the award. The nominees are then presented to the Executive Dean (or nominee) for final selection and the name of the winning nominee provided to Engineers Australia.

Alternatively, a candidate may be recommended for the award, after consultation with the President of Engineers Australia (S.A. Div.), or the President's nominee.

If, in the opinion of the Head of School or the Executive Dean, there is no candidate of sufficient merit in a given year then the prize will not be awarded.

Variations

The Executive Dean (or nominee) in association with Engineers Australia and subject to approval from both parties, may vary the rules in a manner consistent with the original objectives of the prize.