Arthur Sewell Prize in English

**Description**

This Prize commemorates the Professor of English in the Auckland University College for the years 1934-46 and the foundation Professor of English in the University of Waikato. It was established in 1973 by friends and students from the University of Auckland and the University of Waikato and is awarded by the two institutions alternately.

**Selection process**

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of English.

**Regulations**

1. The Prize will be known as the Arthur Sewell Prize in English.
2. The value of the Prize will be $400.
3. The Prize will be awarded in alternate years by the Universities of Auckland and Waikato (University of Auckland in even years).
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of English for the most outstanding work done during the year in the fields of Shakespeare studies or Milton studies; provided that if in any year no candidate is deemed to be of sufficient merit, no award shall be made and the University at which the Prize was to have been awarded in that year shall offer the Prize in the following year.
5. In the event of a tie, the Head of the Department of English shall determine if the Prize may be shared.
6. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these regulations with the agreement of the University of Waikato.