# Janet Bain Mackay Memorial Prize

**Code:** P987  
**Faculty:** Science  
**Applicable study:** Hons or PGDip courses in Plant Sciences  
**Closing date:** By nomination  
**Tenure:** Prize  
**For:** Prize  
**Number on offer:** One  
**Offer rate:** Annually  
**Value:** $600  

## Description

The Janet Bain Mackay Memorial Prize was established in 1952 by Dr S B Mackay and friends as a memorial to Janet Bain Mackay, an Honours student who died shortly before graduating.

The main purpose of the Prize is to provide financial assistance to students enrolled in an Honours or Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Biological Sciences who has undertaken studies in plant sciences.

## Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Director of Biological Sciences

## Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Janet Bain Mackay Memorial Prize.
2. The value of the Prize will be $600.
3. The Prize will be awarded annually in March to the Honours or Postgraduate Diploma student enrolled in plant sciences courses in Biological Sciences with the highest GPA in two or more plant courses above Stage I.
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Director of Biological Sciences.
5. In the event of a tie, the Director of Biological Sciences shall determine if the Prize may be shared.
6. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.