John Tinline Prize in English

**Code:** P706  
**Faculty:** Arts  
**Applicable study:** Stage III English  
**Closing date:** By nomination  
**Tenure:** Prize  
**For:** Prize  
**Number on offer:** One  
**Offer rate:** Annually  
**Value:** $800

**Description**

This Prize arises from a donation of $1000 in 1886 by the late John Tinline, Esq., of Amuri, for the encouragement of English Literature and English Composition. Until 1946 the fund was administered by the University of New Zealand and the University Grants Committee, and one Scholarship was available. In 1965 the fund was divided to provide separate Prizes at the University of Auckland, the Victoria University of Wellington, the University of Canterbury and the University of Otago.

**Selection process**

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office  
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Humanities

**Regulations**

1. The Prize will be known as the John Tinline Prize in English.  
2. The value of the Prize will be $800.  
3. The Prize will be awarded annually to the student who achieved the highest aggregate marks over at least two Stage III courses in the disciplinary area of English.  
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Humanities.  
5. The Prize will not be awarded in a particular year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.  
6. The Prize may not be shared.  
7. The University of Auckland Council has power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.