

Kilpatrick Research Excellence Publication Award

Code:	P145
Faculty:	Medical and Health Sciences
Applicable study:	Master of Nursing or Master of Health Sciences
Closing date:	By nomination
Tenure:	Prize
For:	Prize
Number on offer:	One
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$5,000

Description

The Award was established in 2017 to mark the retirement of Associate Professor Judy Kilpatrick, foundation Head of School, in recognition of her contribution to nursing education and research, and is funded by the School of Nursing.

The main purpose of the Award is to recognise and reward excellence achieved during masters study as evidenced by the Master of Nursing thesis, Master of Nursing Research Portfolio or Master of Health Sciences thesis (for students enrolled in the School of Nursing) and to encourage the subsequent submission of an article to a peer reviewed journal.

Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

Regulations

1. The Award will be known as the Kilpatrick Research Excellence Publication Award.
2. The annual value of the Award will be \$5,000 and a plaque to be presented at a ceremony at the School of Nursing.
3. The Award will be awarded annually to the student who is enrolled in, and has submitted, a Master of Nursing thesis, Master of Nursing research portfolio or Master of Health Sciences thesis in Nursing in the year of the award, whose thesis or research is deemed by the Selection Committee to be the most worthy of submission for publication in a peer reviewed academic journal.
4. The School of Nursing Examinations Committee will identify those students to be considered for the Award when recommending a grade for the thesis or research portfolio. Students with a recommended grade of A or A+ may be considered for the Award. The recipient of the Award will be provided with assistance to prepare their research for publication in a peer reviewed academic journal (see Note I).
5. The Award will be made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Head of the School of Nursing and two members of the School of Nursing Postgraduate Committee.
6. In the event of a tie, the Head of the School of Nursing will determine, in consultation with the School of Nursing Postgraduate Committee, if the Award may be shared.

7. The University of Auckland Council will not be bound to make an award in any year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
8. 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 Award.