# New Zealand College of Optometrists Prize

**Code:** P929  
**Faculty:** Medical and Health Sciences  
**Applicable study:** OPTOM 783  
**Closing date:** By nomination  
**Tenure:** Prize  
**Number on offer:** One  
**Offer rate:** Annually  
**Value:** $1,200 to be shared by the group (see Reg. 2)

## Description

The New Zealand College of Optometrists Prize was established in 2008 by the New Zealand College of Optometrists in conjunction with the School of Optometry and Vision Science.

The main purpose of the Prize is to recognise the students who give the most outstanding presentations of their Research Project as part of OPTOM 783 Research Project in Vision Science.

## Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office  
- The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Head of the School of Optometry and Vision Science

## Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the New Zealand College of Optometrists Prize.  
2. The Prize will be awarded annually and will be of the total value of $1,200 to be shared equally between group members. Each group member will be awarded a minimum of $300.  
3. The Prize will be awarded annually to the team or individual who achieved the highest marks for their presentation in OPTOM 783 Research Project in Vision Science.  
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Head of the School of Optometry and Vision Science (or nominee).  
5. The Prize may not be shared with another group.  
6. The University of Auckland Council is no obliged to make an award in any year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.  
7. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.