Professor Robert Solomon Memorial Award

**Description**

The Award was established in 2010 and is funded by a bequest from Professor Robert Solomon.

The main purpose of the Award is to recognise the highest achieving student enrolling in a BA (Honours) in Philosophy each year and to provide support for subsequent graduate study at the University of Auckland.

**Selection process**

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

**Regulations**

1. The Award shall be known as the Professor Robert Solomon Memorial Award.
2. One Award will be made annually, and will be of the value of $1,500.
3. The Award will be made to a full-time Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (BA(Hons)) graduate who has paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for a Master of Arts (MA) or PhD in Philosophy.
4. The Award is tenable by domestic and international students.
5. The basis of selection will be academic merit as assessed by the grade point average (GPA) or grade point equivalent (GPE) calculated over all BA (Hons) courses and the quality and philosophical potential, evident in the applicant’s coursework in those courses.
6. The Award will be made by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Humanities and two members of staff from the disciplinary area of Philosophy.
7. The Award will be paid in one instalment.
8. The Award may be concurrently held with any other scholarship, award or grant as long as a) the terms of that scholarship, award or grant permit and b) the University of Auckland Council is informed and approves.
9. The University of Auckland has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with the Dean of Arts and the Head of the School of Humanities (or nominee), provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of
the Award.