

## Richards Prize in Primary Health Care

<b>Code:</b>	P763
<b>Faculty:</b>	Medical & Health Sciences
<b>Applicable study:</b>	MBChB Part VI
<b>Closing date:</b>	By nomination
<b>Tenure:</b>	Prize
<b>For:</b>	Prize
<b>Number on offer:</b>	One
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	\$500

### Description

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The Prize was established in 1986 to commemorate the contribution to General Practice of the late Doctors J F G and R D Richards.

### Selection process

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- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize will be made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Elective Subcommittee

### Regulations

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1. The Prize will be known as the Richards Prize in Primary Health Care.
2. The value of the Prize will be \$500.
3. The Prize will be awarded annually for the best elective report presented by students who choose to work in the field of Primary Health Care (General Practice or other areas of First Contact Care). This will include experience either in New Zealand or abroad. In the event that there is no elective candidate who meets these criteria, the Prize may be made to the MBChB Part VI student who performs best in the General Practice attachment.
4. The Prize will be made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Elective Subcommittee.
5. The University of Auckland Council will not be bound to award the Prize in any year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
6. In the event of a tie, the Head of the Department of General Practice and Primary Health Care will determine if the Prize may be shared.
7. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary the above regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.