

# Werner Droescher Prize in German Linguistics

<b>Code:</b>	P799
<b>Faculty:</b>	Arts
<b>Applicable study:</b>	Undergraduate or postgraduate study in German
<b>Closing date:</b>	By nomination
<b>Tenure:</b>	
<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 1995 by the Department of German and Slavonic Studies to commemorate the contribution to the study of German linguistics by the late Mr Werner Droescher, Senior Lecturer in German from 1961 to 1975.

## Selection process

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- 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 Cultures, Languages and Linguistics

## Regulations

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1. The Prize will be known as the Werner Droescher Prize in German Linguistics.
2. The value of the Prize will be \$500.
3. The Prize will normally be expended in the purchase of works of, or about, German studies, particularly German language and linguistics.
4. The Prize will be awarded each year to the student who, in the opinion of the examiners, has shown the greatest distinction in German linguistics at any level. The recipient will normally be expected to do a Master of Arts in German, in Linguistics, or in Languages and Literatures with German as one language in a subsequent year. As a minimum standard, the student must have achieved a GPA of 7.00 (equivalent to an A- average). In the event of a tie, the Prize will be awarded to the student at the highest level of study.
5. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Deputy Head (Academic) of the School of Cultures, Languages and Linguistics (or nominee) in consultation with the Discipline Convenor of German.
6. The University of Auckland Council will not be bound to award the Prize in any year if in that year there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
7. The Prize may not be shared.
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 Prize.