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Our student awards ceremonies provide an opportunity for us to come together to celebrate the outstanding accomplishments of Faculty of Health students in the 2023 academic year.

It is a pleasure to recognise academic achievement, clinical excellence and contributions to the QUT community, as well as provide support for clinical placements and financial need through the provision of a range of scholarships, bursaries and prizes.

Congratulations to the award recipients. QUT Health is proud to have played a role in your continued development, and I look forward to hearing of your continued success as health professionals of the future.

Thank you to the corporate sponsors and philanthropic donors who share our vision to recognise and reward outstanding students. Your continued support and generous contributions make these recognitions of excellence possible.

**Distinguished Professor Patsy Yates AM**Executive Dean, Faculty of Health

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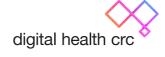


















































































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# Australasian Association for Clinical Biochemistry and Laboratory Medicine

The Australasian Association for Clinical Biochemistry and Laboratory Medicine (AACB) is the principal professional association dedicated to the advancement of clinical biochemistry and laboratory medicine in Australasia.

### Australasian Association for Clinical Biochemistry and Laboratory Medicine Prize for Clinical Biochemistry

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student with the highest overall achievement in the units, Chemical Pathology and Diagnostic Endocrinology.

#### **Emma Poole**

# Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists

The Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists (AIMS) is the peak professional body representing medical and clinical scientists working throughout Australia in all disciplines of laboratory medicine.

### Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists Barbara Bain Prize for Haematology

Professor Barbara Bain is an eminent haematologist who grew up in Maryborough, Queensland. She is currently a Professor of Diagnostic Haematology at the Imperial College London Faculty of Medicine, and an Honorary Consultant Haematologist at St Mary's Hospital, London. Professor Bain contributes to the World Health Organisation classification system on haematological malignancies and has long established connections with AIMS and the training and professional development of haematology scientists.

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest aggregate percentage in the haematology units, Principles and Practice in Clinical Haematology and Applied Clinical Haematology.

#### **Rachel Kenrick**

### Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists JR Saal Prize for Outstanding Performance in Medical Laboratory Science

John R Saal was a lecturer in histopathology and established the medical science course at QUT. He was awarded a Churchill Fellowship in 1969. In 1970 he became Head of the Department of Paramedical Studies at QUT, and then in 1977 became Head of the School of Health Science. John held many offices within AIMS, including Branch and National President, and was National Registrar at the time of his death in 1979. Each year, there is a prestigious lecture named in his honour given at the AIMS National Scientific Meeting.

Awarded to a graduating Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest overall academic achievement across the course.

#### **Michelle Seeto**

### Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists (Queensland Branch) Prize for Quality in Pathology Practice

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest academic achievement in the quality assurance assessment items across the units, Chemical Pathology, Histopathology, and Transfusion and Transplantation Science.

#### **Katelyn Franks**

# Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists S. Walsh Memorial Prize for Transfusion Science

Stan Walsh was a medical scientist based at the Mater Hospital, Brisbane. He was very well known in the medical science field and was one of the first medical scientists to progress through into management, firstly as laboratory manager at the Mater Hospital, then as hospital administrator. Stan was very supportive of medical scientists, a natural leader and was very involved in the development of AIMS.

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest academic achievement in the unit, Transfusion and Transplantation Science.

### **Emma Poole**

### **Australian Society of Cytology**

The Australian Society of Cytology (ASC) is the sole national body whose activities are primarily directed at enhancing cytology. The objectives of ASC are to foster an interest in the training, status and conditions of employment of cytologists within the Commonwealth of Australia.

# Australian Society of Cytology Prize for Cytopathology

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest result in the unit, Diagnostic Cytopathology.

#### **Nadia Clifton**

#### **Bellberry Limited**

Bellberry Ltd is an independent, not-for-profit organisation providing high-quality, time-efficient, and internationally-accredited scientific and ethical review of research projects. Driven by two key objectives – to protect the welfare of human research participants and improve the quality, efficiency and effectiveness of research – Bellberry is now the single largest reviewer of clinical research in Australia. Bellberry donates surplus funds raised from its professional review service back into the medical research community.

#### **Bellberry Biomedical Ethics Prize**

Awarded to the first-year Bachelor of Biomedical Science or double degree student with the highest achievement in the unit, Introduction to Biomedical Science, assessment 2 and 3 – Communication and Biomedical Ethics.

#### **Daniel Jude Larsen**

#### Elsevier

Elsevier is a global information analytics business that helps institutions and professionals advance healthcare, open science and improve performance for the benefit of humanity.

#### Elsevier Encouragement Prize

Awarded to a first-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student in recognition of their academic efforts and contributions to the QUT community.

#### **Monique Clifton**

#### Patheon

Thermo Fisher Scientific provides industry-leading contract pharma services solutions for drug development, clinical and commercial manufacturing of drug substance and finished dose forms as well as clinical trial support and logistics to customers through the Patheon brand.

#### Patheon 'Healthier World Delivered' Prize

Awarded to the final-year Bachelor of Biomedical Science or double degree student who delivered the best oral presentation pertaining to an innovative bio-technology based solution for rural Australians, as part of the unit, Advances in Medical Biotechnology.

### Ethan Moore Dylan Brister

#### **Professor Damien G. Harkin**

This prize is awarded by Professor Damien Harkin on behalf of the histopathology teaching team at QUT. The histopathology teaching team at QUT, led by Professor Harkin, includes a dedicated team of academics, professional staff members and industry-based colleagues, and provides training in techniques required for the preparation of solid tissue samples for the diagnosis of disease. The funding for this prize is derived from the team's public engagement activities including Professor Harkin's educational channel on YouTube (@damienharkin).

### The QUT Prize for Histopathology

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest academic results in the unit, Histopathology.

#### **Melanie Wye**

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#### **QIAGEN**

QIAGEN's broad product portfolio encompasses consumables, instruments, and bioinformatics that allow our customers to unlock insights from these molecules and address molecular testing challenges from Sample to Insight.

# QIAGEN Outstanding Student Prize for Genes, Genomes and Genetics

Awarded to the first-year Bachelor of Biomedical Science or Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student who achieved the highest academic results in the unit, Genes, Genomes and Genetics.

**Oskar Schnaak** 

### **QUT School of Biomedical Sciences**

QUT's School of Biomedical Sciences is internationally renowned for combining innovative research with high-quality teaching programs to address global health issues.

Dr Ron Epping was an inspirational teacher of biochemistry and biotechnology who esteemed the science of inquiry and investigation that underpin the processes of research and problem-solving that are encountered throughout careers. Dr Epping was ahead of his time when he established a student-led investigative subject that drew together the elements of many subjects that students had undertaken into a coherent capstone final subject. He felt rewarded and invigorated by the development of students over the course of their studies.

#### **Dr Ron Epping Memorial Prize**

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Biomedical Science student who demonstrated the greatest improvement in grade point average from first- to final-year. The Memorial Prize is kindly funded through staff giving in the School of Biomedical Sciences.

**Godfrey Neame** 

# School of Biomedical Sciences Excellence Award (in memory of Dr Ron Epping)

Awarded to full-time Bachelor of Biomedical Science or double degree student who had a GPA of 5.5 or above, completed two years of study, and demonstrated a commitment to a career in the biomedical professions through participation in extra-curricular professional development activities and opportunities. The Excellence Award is kindly funded through a member of staff who wishes to remain anonymous.

**Shao Jun Xiao** 

#### **Siemens Healthineers**

Siemens Healthineers is a leading medical technology company with more than 120 years of experience and 18,500 patents globally. At Siemens Healthineers, their mission is to enable healthcare providers to increase value by empowering them on their journey towards expanding precision medicine, transforming care delivery and improving patient experience – all enabled by digitalising healthcare.

#### Siemens Healthineers Healthcare Encouragement Award

Awarded to a second-year Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science student in recognition of their academic efforts and contributions to the QUT community.

Sara Pennisi

### MEDICAL RADIATION SCIENCES

### **Australasian Sonographers Association**

The Australasian Sonographers Association (ASA) is the professional organisation for Australasian sonographers who are the experts in ultrasound. With over 7,000 members, the ASA has a significant role in supporting and advising the profession on the highest standards to provide the best possible outcomes in ultrasound for patients.

# Australasian Sonographers Association Best Case Report Prize

Awarded to the graduating Graduate Diploma in Medical Ultrasound student with the most outstanding clinical case report.

#### **Kate Postle**

# Australasian Sonographers Association Cardiac Ultrasound Clinical Excellence Prize

Awarded to a final-year Graduate Diploma in Cardiac Ultrasound student who has demonstrated the highest standards in sonography scanning capability and patient care.

### Peta Eagle

# Australasian Sonographers Association Medical Ultrasound Clinical Excellence Prize

Awarded to a final-year Graduate Diploma in Medical Ultrasound student who has demonstrated the highest standards in sonography scanning capability and patient care.

### **Keris Lay**

# Australian Society of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy

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# Australian Society of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Prize for Medical Imaging

Awarded to the final-year Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours) student with the highest academic achievement in the units, Transition to Professional Practice 2 and Advanced Imaging Practice 2.

#### **Alex Banlusack**

### **Canon Medical Systems**

Canon Medical Systems is a global diagnostic medical imaging solutions leader, engaging in the development of technology and products in the pursuit of offering the optimum healthcare solutions.

# Canon Medical Systems Prize for Medical Ultrasound

Awarded to the first-year Graduate Diploma in Medical Ultrasound student with the highest academic achievement across all first-year units.

#### **Paige Roberts**

#### **I-MED Radiology Network**

I-MED Radiology clinics offer a range of imaging procedures including MRI, CT, x-ray, ultrasound and nuclear medicine. With the largest team of sub-specialist radiologists, practitioners and patients can be assured of the highest quality imaging and diagnosis.

# I-MED Radiology Network Medical Imaging Bursary

Awarded to a third-year Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours) student who upholds and embodies the values of I-MED Radiology Network.

#### **Shannon Yap**

#### **Philips**

Philips is a leading health technology company focused on improving people's health and enabling better outcomes across the health continuum – from healthy living and prevention to diagnosis, treatment and home care.

### **Philips Cardiac Ultrasound Prize**

Awarded to the first-year Graduate Diploma in Cardiac Ultrasound student with the highest academic achievement.

### **Bhavya Arora**

### **Philips Medical Ultrasound Prize**

Awarded to the graduating Graduate Diploma in Medical Ultrasound student who has shown academic excellence throughout the course.

## **Emily Pilgrim**

#### **Queensland X-Ray**

Queensland X-Ray is the largest private provider of radiology in Queensland with over 50 practices throughout the state. Our success can be attributed to our unwavering commitment of providing the highest level of care to patients and referring clinicians.

# Queensland X-Ray 1st Year Prize for Excellence in Radiographic Practice

Awarded to the first-year Bachelor of Medical Imaging student with the highest achievement in General Radiography and Radiographic Practice.

#### Simran Kumar

### Qscan Group

Qscan Group rewards and supports a radiography, sonography and nuclear medicine graduate each year who share their drive and passion for excellence.

### **Qscan Graduate Sonographer of the Year**

Awarded to a Graduate Diploma in Medical Ultrasound student for excellence in sonography.

### **Katrina Parisotto**

#### **Siemens Healthineers**

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#### Siemens Healthineers Australia Medical Imaging Prize

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours) student with the highest achievement in the units, Computed Tomography Imaging and Magnetic Resonance Imaging.

#### Shayla Nguyen

# The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists

The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists (RANZCR) is a not-for-profit professional organisation for clinical radiologists and radiation oncologists in Australia, New Zealand and Singapore.

# The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists Hugo Flecker Memorial Prize for Medical Imaging Technology

Hugo Flecker (1884–1957) was one of Australia's pioneer radiologists who was instrumental in the development of deep X-ray therapy treatment of cancer. Dr Flecker attempted to obtain his only supply of radioisotopes in 1923 by personally journeying by camel to Radium Hill, South Australia to search for radioactive ore with a gold-leaf electroscope. A decade later, Dr Flecker moved north and established himself as a radiologist and radiotherapist in Cairns, becoming one of the first specialists north of Brisbane. This prize commemorates Dr Flecker's dedication to the field.

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours) student with the best academic record.

#### **Chloe Webley**

# OPTOMETRY AND VISION SCIENCE

### CooperVision Australia

CooperVision designs and manufactures innovative, high quality contact lenses to meet a remarkably wide range of wearer needs. We conduct extensive ongoing research and development in optical science.

## CooperVision Australia Contact Lens Prize

Awarded to the first-year Master of Optometry student who gained the highest academic achievement in the unit, Contact Lens Practice.

#### **Georgia Matthews**

#### **Johnson & Johnson Vision**

At Johnson & Johnson Vision, we work with eye care professionals to connect cutting-edge insights, science and technology to solve a lifetime of eye health needs.

#### Johnson & Johnson MedTech - Vision Made Possible™ Prize

Awarded to the final-year Master of Optometry student who gained the highest result in clinical contact lens studies.

#### **Eliot Cook**

#### mivision

The prize has been established by mivision. mivision is the key communication platform for the eye care sector in Australia, New Zealand, Asia and India.

#### mivision Media Communication Award

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Vision Science student with the most innovative and engaging media communication tool that can be used in optometry practice, as part of the unit, Binocular Vision.

### **Angelina Chang**

# Optometry Queensland and Northern Territory

Optometry Queensland and Northern Territory (OQNT) is the peak professional body for optometrists in Queensland and Northern Territory. Their mission is to lead, engage and promote optometry, optometrists and community eye health and vision care. They have been shaping the optometry section in Queensland and Northern Territory for over 110 years.

# Optometry Queensland and Northern Territory First-Year Prize

Awarded to the first-year Bachelor of Vision Science student with the highest overall academic achievement.

#### Ming Chen Lin

# Optometry Queensland and Northern Territory Final-Year Prize

Awarded to a Master of Optometry student on the basis of performance in clinical optometry together with a rating by clinical instructors on clinical aptitude and professionalism.

Zibonele Vusumusi Bhebhe

### **QUT School of Clinical Sciences**

The QUT School of Clinical Sciences trains the next generation of industry professionals through courses that provide real-world clinical experience taught by contemporary, practising healthcare professionals. The school's globally recognised research is changing clinical practice for the better, advancing healthcare technologies and treatments to improve outcomes across six disciplines: medical radiation sciences, optometry and vision science, radiation therapy, paramedic science, pharmacy, and podiatry.

# Optometry and Vision Science Brian Brown Research Prize

Awarded to the Master of Optometry student who gained the highest academic achievement in the units, Research Methods in Optometry and Vision Science and Research Project.

**Lauren James** 

# Optometry and Vision Science Peter Swann Prize for Achievement in Eye Diseases

Awarded to the Bachelor of Vision Science student who gained the highest academic achievement in the units, Diseases of the Eye 5 and Diseases of the Eye 6.

**Chloe Cowan** 

### PARAMEDIC SCIENCE

#### **Australasian College of Paramedicine**

The Australasian College of Paramedicine (ACP) is the peak professional organisation supporting and representing over 10,000 paramedics and student paramedics from across Australia and New Zealand.

Malcolm McDonald OAM, now retired, was a foundation member of the Australian College of Ambulance Professionals (Queensland Branch) Inc., past president and state chair. Malcolm was a driving force for clinical change and clinical excellence and a prominent member of the professional association. Malcolm followed his father into the ambulance service and spent all of his working life in the service. He was awarded a Medal of Order of Australia in 1992 for service to the community, particularly the ambulance, fire and emergency services.

# Australasian College of Paramedicine Malcolm McDonald OAM Prize for Paramedic Science

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Paramedic Science student who achieved the highest result in final-year studies.

#### Tara Hawking

### Australasian College of Paramedicine Malcolm McDonald OAM Prize for Paramedic Science and Nursing

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Paramedic Science/Bachelor of Nursing student who achieved the highest result in final-year studies.

Samantha Hunter Remington Brough

#### Rotary

Rotary, a network of 1.2 million members globally, seeks to provide practical answers to serious problems and challenges facing the world, especially in developing countries and in the rural/remote areas of more developed nations. The Feros Grants are a signature project of Rotary district 9620 and financed by contributions from the District and a dozen individual clubs. The purpose of the Feros Grants is to assist with the logistical costs of a clinical placement in a rural/remote health service.

#### **Rotary Feros Health Grants**

Awarded final-year, full-time, domestic Bachelor of Paramedic Science students with exceptional communication skills and knowledge of cultural health and safety issues in rural, remote and Indigenous populations, in the unit Paramedic Clinical Practice 2.

Arleen Nalule Cameron Powers Cassandra Prior Charlotte Deans

### **PHARMACY**

### **Chemist Warehouse**

Chemist Warehouse Group is the largest pharmacy group in Australia, operating more than 500 retail pharmacies across the country with 20,000+ staff. The group's mission is to provide affordable healthcare for all Australians.

### **Chemist Warehouse Prize**

Awarded to a second-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student for excellence in second-year person-centred care in pharmacy.

Elena Pavlou

#### **Good Price Pharmacy Warehouse**

Good Price Pharmacy Warehouse has become one of Australia's leading retailers in health, beauty and medicinal products. At Good Price Pharmacy Warehouse, their mission is to provide patients with the best possible health solutions at everyday low prices. Their pharmacists aim to provide the highest level of patient care and professional practice.

#### **Good Price Pharmacy Prize**

Awarded to a third-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student for excellence in semester one, person-centred care in pharmacy.

Jenna Isaac

#### **Guild Insurance**

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Guild Insurance has worked with Australian professionals for over 60 years, helping to grow the network that's dedicated to protecting you and safeguarding the future of your profession.

Find out how you can be part of something bigger by visiting guildinsurance.com.au or calling 1800 810 213.

### **Guild Insurance Prize**

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student who has made a sustained contribution to the QUT Pharmacy student community.

**Matthew Dark** 

#### **MSI Taylor**

MSI Taylor provides accounting, tax and advisory services. With extensive pharmacy expertise and a dedicated Pharmacy Services team, MSI Taylor is renowned in the industry for their knowledge and in being able to equip clients with the skills and tools required to successfully compete in an environment that requires increasing efficiency and innovation.

### MSI Taylor Prize for Pharmacy Business Management

Awarded to the fourth-year Bachelor of Pharmacy student who achieved the highest academic achievement in the unit, Business of Healthcare.

#### **Brooke Gibbons**

#### MSI Taylor Prize for Pharmacy Business Assessment

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Pharmacy student who achieved the highest academic achievement in the assessment "Evidence of a 'Manager' in Practice".

#### **Ryan Knight**

#### **Pharmaceutical Defence Limited**

As Australia's first national pharmacy body, Pharmaceutical Defence Limited (PDL) was established in 1912 by pharmacists, for pharmacists. Now over 110 years on, PDL is still owned by its pharmacist members, providing Professional Indemnity (PI) insurance, 24/7 incident support and risk management advice to over 31,000 members across the profession.

# Pharmaceutical Defence Limited Prize for Fourth-Year Clinical Practice

Awarded to a fourth-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student for excellence in fourth-year clinical practice.

#### **Brooke Gibbons**

# Pharmaceutical Defence Limited Prize for Fourth-Year Pharmacy Research

Awarded to a fourth-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student for excellence in research skills and applied pharmacy research.

### **Mannat Singh**

#### **Pharmaceutical Society of Australia**

The Pharmaceutical Society of Australia (PSA) is the peak national professional pharmacy organisation representing all of Australia's 36,000 pharmacists working in all sectors and across all locations.

# Pharmaceutical Society of Australia (Queensland Branch) First-Year Prize

Awarded to the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student with the highest academic achievement in their first year of study.

#### Jayda Lowe

# Pharmaceutical Society of Australia (Queensland Branch) Second-Year Prize

Awarded to the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student with the highest academic achievement in their second year of study.

#### **Gabrielle Schaffer**

# Pharmaceutical Society of Australia (Queensland Branch) Third-Year Prize

Awarded to the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student with the highest academic achievement in their third year of study.

#### Jenna Isaac

# Pharmaceutical Society of Australia (Queensland Branch) Fourth-Year Prize

Awarded to the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student with the highest academic achievement in their fourth year of study.

#### **Brooke Gibbons**

## **Pharmacy Guild of Australia**

The Pharmacy Guild of Australia is a national organisation providing advocacy and clinical governance for the pharmacy profession including support services, education and training to the pharmacy industry, while also being a representative body to promote the needs of community pharmacy in Australia.

# **Chris Owen Leadership Prize for Pharmacy Students**

Awarded to a Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student who has achieved outstanding engagement with industry, community, the School of Clinical Sciences, and fellow students.

#### **Alicia Kwag**

# Pharmacy Guild of Australia (Queensland Branch) Prize

Awarded to a graduating Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student for sustained excellence in pharmacy practice throughout the course.

#### **Crystal Dutt**

### Society of Hospital Pharmacists of Australia

The Society of Hospital Pharmacists of Australia (SHPA) is the national professional organisation for more than 5,200 pharmacists, pharmacist interns, students, technicians and associates working across Australia's health system. SHPA is the only professional pharmacy organisation with a strong base of members practising in public and private hospitals and other health services.

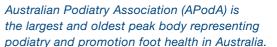
# The Society of Hospital Pharmacists of Australia (QLD Branch) Prize

Awarded to a fourth-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student for excellence in their hospital placement.

### **Brooke Gibbons**

#### **PODIATRY**

### **Australian Podiatry Association**



# Australian Podiatry Association Charles W. Graves Prize

The late Charles W. Graves was a founding member of the Queensland Branch of the Australian Podiatry Association and a part-time lecturer in Podiatry at QUT's predecessor, Queensland Institute of Technology. This prize commemorates the services Mr Graves gave to the podiatry profession.

Awarded to a third-year Bachelor of Podiatry student who demonstrated excellence in orthotics.

#### **Lauren Anderson**

# Australian Podiatry Association Leonard K. Claxton Prize for Clinical Studies

The late Leonard K. Claxton was a founding member of the Podiatrists' State Registration Board and President of the Queensland branch of the Australian Podiatry Association for more than 20 years. This award commemorates Mr Claxton's dedication and service to podiatry.

Awarded to a fourth-year Bachelor of Podiatry student who demonstrated the highest proficiency in Podiatric Medicine.

#### **Joshua Amos Taylor**

# Australian Podiatry Association Phillip R. Perlman Prize

Phillip R. Perlman DPM was a revered lecturer in podiatry who spent his early career in the United States before commencing at QUT in 1991. With clinical and research interests in podiatric radiology and podiatry surgery, along with a memorable teaching style, Dr Perlman was a valuable contributor to the podiatry profession for many years. This prize commemorates the wide-reaching impact Dr Perlman's work had on his students and on the field.

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Podiatry student who achieved the highest result in the unit, Diagnostic Imaging for Podiatrists.

**Nicolas Manero** 

#### **Jason McLellan**

Jason McLellan is Queensland's first Certified Paediatric Podiatrist, as awarded by the Australasian Podiatry Council in 2016. Jason is also the Principal Podiatrist at Little Big Feet Paediatric & Adolescent Podiatry, with more than twenty years of experience in the Paediatric field. In addition to his professional career in private practice, he has spent the last 20 years contributing to the education of upcoming professionals at QUT as a Clinical Fellow of the Faculty of Health.

#### Jason McLellan Award for Paediatric Podiatry

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Podiatry or Bachelor of Podiatry (Honours) student who demonstrated the highest proficiency in paediatrics.

#### **Lauren Anderson**

#### My FootDr

My FootDr is Australia's leading and largest podiatry services group, operating 90+ podiatry clinics and striving for excellence in the field of podiatry and custom foot orthotic manufacturing, along with great customer service and patient outcomes. Co-founded by QUT alumnus, Greg Dower and business partner Darren Stewart, My FootDr's value extends beyond the organisation to make a position impact on local communities.

#### My FootDr Second-Year Podiatry Prize

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Podiatry student who has achieved the best academic record and demonstrated a strong commitment to the profession.

#### Xin Wei Chia

# My Foot Dr The Greg Dower Applied Biomechanics Award

Greg Dower is Chief Business Development Officer at Healthia. Greg's special interest in complex biomechanical cases has seen him work alongside some of Australia's leading sports teams. This award acknowledges the important contribution of podiatric biomechanics to the profession.

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Podiatry student with the highest proficiency in lower limb biomechanical assessment.

**Eunice Yang Eun Hwa** 

#### **Podiatry at Sports & Spinal**

Podiatry at Sports & Spinal is a standalone podiatry business that operates within the Sports & Spinal group. We pride ourselves on providing high-quality patient care, in particular in the area of sports and exercise podiatry. We have evolved into a team of 16+ passionate podiatrists across SEQ.

#### Podiatry at Sports & Spinal Prize

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Podiatry student who demonstrated the highest proficiency in Podiatric Clinical Gait Analysis.

#### **Carter Foley**

#### **Texas Peak: Brooks**

Brooks Running produce high-performance running shoes, clothing, and accessories. At Brooks their purpose is to inspire everyone to run and be active. Their products are a reflection of this philosophy and over 100 years of experience in creating the best running gear possible. With every design and engineering choice they make, they have one thing in mind, to make the run a better experience for runners everywhere. Find out more at brooksrunning. com.au

#### Texas Peak: Brooks Prize

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Podiatry student with the highest achievement in the unit, Sports Medicine and Rehabilitation.

#### **Ethan Blanchard**

#### **RADIATION THERAPY**

#### alphaXRT

alphaXRT specialises in the sales, service and support of equipment used in the treatment of cancer and for translational cancer research. This includes advanced radiotherapy treatment delivery systems, Al contouring, treatment planning systems, quality assurance instruments to check, monitor and measure the clinical energies delivered, and patient positioning and immobilisation equipment.

# alphaXRT Prize for Excellence in Radiation Therapy

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Radiation Therapy or Bachelor of Radiation Therapy (Honours) student with the highest academic achievement in their third-year studies.

#### **Amrita Nag**

# Australian Society of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy

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# Australian Society of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Prize for Radiation Therapy

Awarded to the final-year Bachelor of Medical Radiation Therapy student with the highest academic achievement in the units, Advanced Quality Assurance and Transitioning to Professional Practice 2.

### **Briley Devonport**

#### Elekta

For more than 50 years, Elekta is the leader in precision radiation therapy and ensures every patient has access to the best cancer care possible. They openly collaborate with customers to advance sustainable, outcome-driven, and cost-efficient solutions to meet evolving patient needs, improve lives and bring hope to everyone dealing with cancer.

#### **Elekta First-Year Radiation Therapy Prize**

Awarded to the first-year Bachelor of Radiation Therapy student who achieved the highest academic achievement across all first-year units.

#### Travis Mart

#### **Elekta Second-Year Radiation Therapy Prize**

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Radiation Therapy student who achieved the highest academic achievement across all second-year units.

#### **Tiffany Wu**

# Elekta Prize for Commitment to Improving Australian Indigenous Health

Awarded to the fourth-year Bachelor of Radiation Therapy student who demonstrated an exceptional understanding of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander perspectives within the health community through work integrated learning or research.

#### **Anna Tran**

# Elekta Professional Education Prize for MRI in Radiation Therapy

Awarded to an MRI in Radiation Therapy professional development course student who achieved the highest level of achievement across all modules, on their first attempt.

### Ting Fai Yuen

#### **Icon Cancer Centre**

Icon Cancer Centre offers a combination of day oncology hospitals that deliver chemotherapy and treatment of blood disorders, radiation oncology centres and comprehensive centres that bring both day oncology and radiation therapy under one roof.

# Icon Cancer Centre Carmel Garry Memorial Prize

Carmel Garry was a radiation therapy student whose sudden death occurred halfway through the second year of her program. Carmel was a hardworking student with a genuine caring nature, who would have made an excellent radiation therapist. She was posthumously awarded a prize for achieving the best academic record in the first year of the program. This prize commemorates Carmel's potential by recognising a student excelling in clinical practice.

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Radiation Therapy student with the best clinical performance in the units, Clinical Radiation Therapy 1 and Clinical Radiation Therapy 2.

**Tiffany Wu** 

#### **QUT School of Clinical Sciences**

The QUT School of Clinical Sciences trains the next generation of industry professionals through courses that provide real-world clinical experience taught by contemporary, practicing healthcare professionals. The school's globally recognised research is changing clinical practice for the better, advancing healthcare technologies and treatments to improve outcomes across six disciplines: medical radiation sciences, optometry and vision science, radiation therapy, paramedic science, pharmacy, and podiatry.

# Radiation Therapy Transitioning to Professional Practice Prize

Awarded to the fourth-year Bachelor of Radiation Therapy or Bachelor of Radiation Therapy (Honours) student for best clinical performance in the units Transitioning to Professional Practice 1 and Transitioning to Professional Practice 2.

**Briley Devonport** 

# The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists



# The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists Hugo Flecker Memorial Prize for Radiotherapy Technology

Hugo Flecker (1884–1957) was one of Australia's pioneer radiologists who was instrumental in the development of deep X-ray therapy treatment of cancer. Dr Flecker attempted to obtain his only supply of radioisotopes in 1923 by personally journeying by camel to Radium Hill, South Australia to search for radioactive ore with a gold-leaf electroscope. A decade later, Dr Flecker moved north and established himself as a radiologist and radiotherapist in Cairns, becoming one of the first specialists north of Brisbane. This prize commemorates Dr Flecker's dedication to the field.

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Radiation Therapy (Honours) student with the best academic record.

**Briley Devonport** 

#### **Dietitians Australia**

Dietitians Australia is the leading body for dietetic and nutrition professionals. As the leading voice in nutrition and dietetics, Dietitians Australia represents more than 8,000 members. Their mission is to champion the professional nutrition and dietetic workforce to empower people and communities.

#### Dietitians Australia (Queensland Branch) Prize

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics (Honours) student with the highest overall achievement in the course.

Wong Wei Shen Gerald

#### **Queensland Health**

The Rural Immersion Placement Program – Allied Health (RIPPAH) is a clinical education initiative for students undertaking allied health university programs in Queensland. RIPPAH experiences provide students with wrap around social and financial support during the extended placement as well as opportunities to immerse themselves in the rural community.

# Rural Immersion Placement Program – Allied Health

Awarded to full-time, Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics students.

Ella Smith
Ellen Noble
Gabrial Arnold
Hayley Bell
Megan Keith
Paige Smith
Tom Smith
Torwen Eerkens

#### Rotary

Rotary, a network of 1.2 million members globally, seeks to provide practical answers to serious problems and challenges facing the world, especially in developing countries and in the rural/remote areas of more developed nations. The Feros Grants are a signature project of Rotary District 9620 and financed by contributions from the district and a dozen individual clubs. The purpose of the Feros Grants is to assist with the logistical costs of a clinical placement in a rural/remote health service.

#### **Rotary Feros Health Grant**

Awarded to final-year, full-time, domestic Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics students, with exceptional communication skills and knowledge of cultural health and safety issues in rural, remote and Indigenous populations, in the unit, Clinical Practice in Nutrition and Dietetics – Community and Public Health Nutrition.

Darcy Smith Meg Callaghan Wenonah Oliver

N U R S I N G

# Australian College of Children and Young People's Nurses

The Australian College of Children and Young People's Nurses (ACCYPN) is the only national nursing professional organisation that has children and young people as its core focus. Through direct membership, ACCYPN forms an influential professional body acting on behalf of children, young people, families and the nurses who care for them.

### Australian College of Children and Young People's Nurses Lyn Frazer Postgraduate Nursing Award in Child and Adolescent Health

Lyn Frazer was a Queensland Nurse who commenced nursing in 1947 and worked in paediatrics from 1955 to 1996. As Director of Nursing at the Royal Children's Hospital Brisbane she modelled a strong commitment to nursing education and continual learning. The Australian College of Children and Young People's Nurses presents this award in Lyn's memory and in recognition of her contribution to paediatric and child health nursing.

Awarded to the Graduate Certificate in Nursing student who achieved outstanding clinical assessment and the highest grade in the clinical unit, Specialist Nursing Practice for Children and Families.

### **Christine Plumb**

### **Australian College of Critical Care Nurses**

The Australian College of Critical Care Nurses (ACCCN) is a not-for-profit membership-based organisation representing thousands of nurses both members and non-members nationally. ACCCN's members work across the critical care clinical spectrum, principally in the area of intensive care, in clinical, educational, management, and research roles.

# Australian College of Critical Care Nurses (Queensland Branch) Prize

Awarded to the Graduate Certificate in Nursing student who achieved the highest academic achievement in the units, Contemporary Issues in Emergency and Intensive Care Nursing and Health Care Context and Service Provision.

**Ysabel Wilson** 

### **Australian College of Mental Health Nurses**

The Australian College of Mental Health Nurses (ACMHN) is the peak professional mental health nursing organisation and the recognised credentialing body for Australia's mental health nurses.

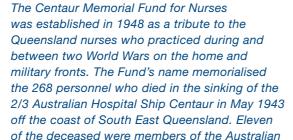
#### **Australian College of Mental Health Nurses Prize**

Awarded to two, second-year Bachelor of Nursing students who gained the highest achievement in the unit, Mental Health: Self and Others.

# **Elisabeth Freudigmann Stephy Stephen**

Army Nursing Service.

#### **Centaur Memorial Fund for Nurses**



#### Joy Croker Centaur Silver Medal Prize

This Prize is named in memory of long-serving Centaur Memorial Fund for Nurses President, Joy Croker, who passed away while in office in 2005.

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Nursing student with the highest grade point average in their final year of study.

## Jodie Eade

# **Dr Joan Penridge Commemorative Committee**

Dr Joan Penridge was a founding member of QUT's School of Nursing in 1978 and had an outstanding commitment to the School until her untimely death from cancer in 1994. Throughout her academic career, Joan made an enormous contribution to the development of nursing education in Queensland, particularly the transition of undergraduate nursing to the higher education sector. This prize honours Dr Penridge's dedication to nursing education.

#### **Dr Joan Penridge Commemorative Award**

Awarded to a final-year, full-time domestic Bachelor of Nursing student who has demonstrated a high level of academic and professional commitment.

#### Alysha Nuske

#### Elsevier

Elsevier is a global information analytics business that helps institutions and professionals advance healthcare, open science and improve performance for the benefit of humanity.

### **Elsevier Evidence-Based Practice Poster Prize**

Awarded to a second-year Bachelor of Nursing or double degree student who achieved a high score in the evidence-based practice poster assessment and highest score for the clarity of recommendations, relevance and uniqueness, as part of the unit, Inquiry in Clinical Practice.

#### Irma Imamovic

#### Hartmann

HARTMANN is a leader in healthcare solutions, working to improve outcomes for professionals, caregivers and consumers. Our focus is on solutions that support skin integrity outcomes. From continence management to skin care and wound care, HARTMANN accepts nothing less than excellence in the design of products and our services.

We have a simple promise – to help, care and protect.

# Hartmann Clinical Prize for Excellence in Skin Integrity

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Nursing student in the Clinical Practice Capstone units for demonstrating clinical excellence in skin integrity.

#### Lani Jensen

### Professor Bruce Lawford and Dr Susan Shadforth supporting the Garawa Nursing Scholarship

Through family connection and working in remote Aboriginal health centres we have identified an urgent need for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander nurses in these environments.

Cultural safety and cultural awareness issues often impede therapeutic relationships with First Nations peoples.

We seek to strongly encourage Indigenous nursing students to get back to country and make a real difference to health outcomes for mob in remote communities.

### **Garawa Nursing Scholarship**

Awarded to two, third-year Bachelor of Nursing students or Master of Nursing – Entry to Practice students in their final year of study to undertake a placement in a rural or remote Aboriginal or Torres Strait Island community.

**Courtney Minniecon Lydia Roberts** 

### **Simon Ashton's Family**

In 2005 while studying nursing at QUT, Mr Simon Ashton tragically lost his life in unexpected circumstances. With a passion to become a nurse and an ongoing commitment to his studies, he had managed full-time employment while also studying full-time and maintaining a grade point average of 6.0. This prize commemorates Mr Ashton's dedication to nursing studies.

### Simon Ashton Memorial Encouragement Award

Awarded to a high-achieving second-year Bachelor of Nursing student who demonstrated exceptional application, determination and enterprise during their studies.

**Emily Collins** 

#### **The Argent Family**

Brisbane education philanthropists, Shelley Argent OAM and Donald J Argent, adhere to the vision of education as key to overcoming barriers. The Argent Indigenous Nursing Scholarship is a welcome and strategic investment to provide transformative education to Indigenous Australian students. The scholarship supports the mission that success and empowerment of Indigenous Australian students will have a long and lasting impact on the lives of the scholarship recipients, as well as on the communities they serve.

#### The Argent Indigenous Nursing Scholarship

Awarded to an eligible full-time, Aboriginal and/ or Torres Strait Islander undergraduate Bachelor of Nursing student based on academic ability, their proposal to engage with QUT and the wider community, and financial need.

**Rose Webster** 

#### **The Cowled Foundation**

The Cowled Foundation funds the Ron Macnamara Rural Nursing Scholarship and other gifts as a legacy to the lives and achievements of Laurie Cowled and her husband, Ron Macnamara. The Cowled Foundation aims to foster leadership and scholarship amongst young Australian regional and country women.

### The Ron Macnamara Rural Nursing Scholarship

Awarded to eligible Master of Nurse Practitioner students with academic merit, and who are committed to working in rural or remote areas of Australia.

**Kimberley Withers** 

#### **Australian Psychological Society**

The Australian Psychological Society is the peak body for psychology in Australia. We stand together with our members and partners as advocates for applying psychological science and practice to improve the mental health and wellbeing of Australians so they can thrive and lead fulfilling lives.

#### **Australian Psychological Society Prize**

Awarded to the graduating Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Honours Psychology) student with the highest academic achievement.

#### Jacqueline Joanne Fyffe

#### College of Clinical Psychologists Student Prize

Awarded to a Master of Clinical Psychology student who demonstrated high levels of clinical skill, combined with the ability to design and conduct clinically relevant research.

#### **Cherie Sonnenburg**

#### **John Wiley & Sons**

Wiley Direct's mission is to provide tertiary students in Australia and New Zealand with premium learning resources at an affordable price. We believe that every student has a right to access quality resources, no matter their budget. Wiley Direct offers students affordability, accessibility, fast delivery and local support.

### John Wiley & Sons First-Year Psychology Prize

Awarded to the first-year Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology) student with the highest academic achievement in the units, Foundation Psychology and The Mind and the Brain.

Lok Wan Zhou

### **MindSpring Psychology Centre**

MindSpring Psychology Centre was founded by QUT Alumnus and Educational & Developmental Psychologist, Melanie Waugh. This prize aims to highlight the importance of applied Educational and Developmental Psychology in clinical and therapeutic settings, and in bringing a 'whole person' and biopsychosocial framework to the treatment of mental health.

#### MindSpring Psychology Prize

Awarded to the Master of Psychology (Educational and Developmental) student with the highest achievement in the unit, Applied Developmental Psychology.

#### **Laura Easton**

#### **Motor Accident and Insurance Commission**

The Motor Accident Insurance Commission (MAIC) is the regulatory authority responsible for the ongoing management of the Compulsory Third Party (CTP) scheme in Queensland. The Centre for Accident Research and Road Safety – Queensland (CARRS-Q) was established as a joint venture initiative of the MAIC and QUT to address the enormous human, economic and social costs resulting from road crashes.

# MAIC – CARRS-Q Prize for Best Thesis in Road Safety

Awarded to the fourth-year Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Honours Psychology) student who submitted an outstanding thesis in the area of road safety.

Amelia Ford

### **QUT School of Psychology and Counselling**

The QUT School of Psychology and Counselling offers a diverse learning experience that includes meaningful, real-world engagement with community partners to ensure graduates are exceptionally well-prepared for a rapidly changing world. The School undertakes impactful research that is highly collaborative, engages students and external partners, and produces outcomes that benefit individuals and the wider community.

# School of Psychology and Counselling Honours Thesis Prize

Awarded to the Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Honours Psychology) student who submitted the thesis that received the highest commendation and contributes to the advancement of knowledge within the discipline.

### **Brandon Slokar**

### School of Psychology and Counselling Indigenous Bursary

Awarded to Indigenous domestic undergraduate students enrolled full-time in the Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology) and associated double degrees, based on academic achievement.

Finn Elek Jessy Renouf Mya Fulwood

#### The Lacaze Family

Michael Edward Lacaze (1956-1993) was a beloved son and brother. Growing up, he excelled as a metropolitan swimming champion, was an outstanding board rider and demonstrated distinctive artistic abilities. He completed grade 12 and was accepted into university. From here. Michael led a turbulent life. He became a drug user at a time when there was no medical or psychological support for drug users. His personality and criminal behaviours shaped his interactions with the criminal justice system. Without accurate assessment and specific interventions, recidivism was inevitable. Michael was just one of many Australians for whom the benefits of applied forensic and clinical evidence-based psychology would come too late. This prize highlights the importance of research and improved practice to better assist people like Michael in successfully reshaping their lives.

# Michael Lacaze Memorial Prize for Forensic Psychology

Awarded to the second or third-year Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology) student for excellence in the unit, Forensic Psychology and the Law.

#### **Toni Smyth**

#### **UnitingCare**

Since the early 1900s, UnitingCare, Family and Disability Services has been helping people across Queensland and the Northern Territory live life in all its fullness. People are at the centre of everything UnitingCare does. UnitingCare is a courageous and creative health and community services provider and one of the largest charities in Australia.

#### UnitingCare Behavioural Science Social Impact Prize

Awarded to a second- or third-year Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology) student who has demonstrated exceptional social impact and made significant contributions to a community through the Psychology in Community placement.

Jessica Dewhurst

# Australasian College of Health Service Management

Australasian College of Health Service Management (ACHSM) advances the profession of health service management and leadership, and the careers of college members through initiatives that develop and support health leaders now and into the future.

### Australasian College of Health Service Management Queensland Duncan Palmer Memorial Prize

Duncan Palmer (1930–1986), Fellow of the College and former Under Secretary of the Department of Health who was a major driving force in the establishment of the Queensland Branch of the Australian College of Health Services Executives. He served in leadership roles in the public health sector, and was a strong advocate for formal training in health administration.

Awarded to a Master of Health Management student who has achieved the highest result in the unit, Leadership in Healthcare.

#### **Rick Fuh Chun Koh**

### Australasian College of Health Service Management Queensland Jack Richards Memorial Prize

Jack Richards (1918–2005), played a vital role in the establishment of the Queensland Branch of the College and was the inaugural Queensland Branch President. With Jack's death in February 2005, the Queensland Branch Council wished to establish an academic prize to promote the development of future health management leaders, to further the work started by Jack.

Awarded to a graduating Master of Health Management student with the highest academic achievement across the course.

## **Dr Marlow Coates**

#### **Australian Association of Social Workers**

The Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW) is the professional representative body of social workers in Australia. The Queensland Branch is a thriving Branch with over 2,800 members, servicing and representing social works from the southern border north to Rockhampton.

# Australian Association of Social Workers (Queensland Branch) Prize

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Social Work student with the highest achievement in the unit, Mental Health and Social Work.

#### **Casey Armstrong**

### **Dace Dambergs**

Dace Dambergs completed a Bachelor of Social Science degree at QUT in 1996, as a mature age student. Dace experienced a life changing event by being able to undertake her Bachelor of Social Science degree at QUT in the 1990s, and wishes for students of similar circumstances to have the opportunity and support to undertake a similar degree that will also change their lives.

## **Dace Dambergs Social Work Scholarship**

Awarded to a domestic mature-aged Bachelor or Master of Social Work student of Indigenous Australian, non-English, Migrant or Refugee background.

#### Ana Garcia del Barrio

### **Digital Health Cooperative Research Centre**

The Digital Health CRC partners with universities, industry and government to deliver transformational outcomes through expertise in health data research and knowledge application. The Digital Health CRC funded scholarships for the QUT Graduate Certificate in Digital Health Leadership and Management will help prepare emerging healthcare leaders to establish and implement digital health services and capabilities within their workplace settings and improve the quality and scale of adoption.

### DHCRC Graduate Certificate in Digital Health Leadership and Management Scholarships

Awarded to Graduate Certificate in Digital Health Leadership and Management students who are passionate about furthering their education to improve digital health leadership in healthcare.

Angela Jacques Isabelle Vicary Nikki Edwards Sarah Stirling Susan Treacy

### **Dr Susan Mahon's Family**

Dr Susan Mahon, a senior lecturer in health management within the QUT School of Public Health and Social Work, passed away in August 2014. At the time of her death, Susan had completed substantial work towards completing a PhD, balancing work, study and family commitments including caring for her pre-school daughter, Caley. Susan was passionate about improving the quality of health and had an excellent reputation for leading and managing change in service delivery and in undertaking service reform and development. In Susan's memory, her family and friends have created a prize to recognise high academic achievement and dedication to professional and personal spheres of life.

### **Dr Susan Mahon Memorial Prize**

Awarded to a Master of Health Management student who demonstrated high academic achievement in the unit, Quality Management in Health, and exceptional application and determination to succeed in studies while balancing the challenges of work, study and family.

Ananya Kashyap Balasubramhanya

# Environmental Health Australia (Queensland) Incorporated



Environmental Health Australia (EHA) is the premier environmental health organisation in Australia which advocates for environmental health issues and represents the professional interests of all environmental health practitioners.

# Environmental Health Australia (Queensland) Incorporated Jo Rolls Memorial Prize

The Jo Rolls Memorial Medal is to honour Jo's dedication and commitment to the organisation. Jo was the Executive Officer, AIEH (QLD) from 1991 to 2010.

Awarded to a graduating Graduate Diploma in Environmental Health student who achieved the highest academic achievement.

**Melanie Wilkes** 

# Health Information Management Association of Australia



The Health Information Management Association of Australia Ltd (HIMAA) is the peak professional body for health information management professionals in Australia. It has been serving the health information management profession since 1949. HIMAA promotes and supports our members as the universally recognised specialists in information management at all levels of the healthcare system.

# Health Information Management Association of Australia QLD Branch Prize for Excellence in Health Information Management

Awarded to the third-year Bachelor of Health Information Management student with the highest academic achievement in the units, Foundations of Health Information and Health Information Management.

**Katelyn Carr** 

# Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority

The Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority (IHACPA) is an independent government agency established to contribute to significant reforms to improve the Australian health and aged care sectors, through designing pricing systems that promote safe, efficient public hospital care and aged care for all Australians.

# The Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority Prize for Clinical Classification

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Health Information Management student who has the highest aggregate academic achievement in the units Introduction to Clinical Classification, Advanced Clinical Classification, and Practical Clinical Classification.

Kathryn Allen

# Office of Industrial Relations, Queensland Government

Work Health and Safety Queensland, Office of Industrial Relations, and is proudly supported by the Queensland Government. Work Health and Safety Queensland aims to foster a culture of health and safety across Queensland, undertakes and supports initiatives that embrace innovation and technology, and designs healthy and safe work environments.

#### Work Health and Safety Queensland Prize

Awarded to a graduating Graduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety student with the highest academic achievement across the course.

**Anne Wright** 

#### **Public Health Association of Australia**



The Public Health Association of Australia (PHAA) is Australia's peak body for public health, advocating for the health and well-being of all Australians. PHAA leads the conversation in public health policy across Australia and are a leading provider of public health professional development programs.

# Public Health Association of Australia (Queensland Branch) Prize

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Public Health student who achieved the highest grade point average across the course.

**Leah Waddington** 

### **True Relationships & Reproductive Health**

True is the state's leading provider of quality reproductive and sexual health clinical services, specialising in contraception and gynaecological care, and sexual health and relationship education.

### True Prize for Increasing Cultural Safety to Improve Indigenous Health Outcomes for First Nations Peoples

Awarded to a School of Public Health and Social Work undergraduate student with the highest achievement in the units Working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples and Communities and Health Needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians.

Rashmi Bandara

# True Prize for Academic Excellence in the Studies of Gender Equality

Awarded to the Bachelor of Public Health or double degree student who achieved the highest academic achievement in the unit, Gender Equity and Human Health.

**Emily Austin** 

### **TUH Health Fund**

TUH Health Fund was founded in 1972 by Queensland teachers to help fellow-teachers and the education community access first rate health care. TUH Health Fund vision is to be the trusted lifetime health partner for union members and their families.

#### **TUH Health Fund Pursuit of Excellence Prize**

Awarded to the second-year Bachelor of Health Information Management student with the highest aggregate marks in the units, Quality Management in Health, and Business Analysis.

**Kimberley Hilton** 

### UnitingCare

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### UnitingCare Health and Wellbeing Prize

Awarded to a second-year Bachelor of Social Work student with the highest achievement in the unit, Politics of Helping.

**Sunaina Pinto** 

### **UnitingCare Health**

UnitingCare Health is a progressive provider of quality hospital services across Brisbane, Sunshine Coast and Hervey Bay. Built on compassion, UnitingCare Health's core mission is for people to experience life in all its fullness.

# UnitingCare Hospitals Excellence Prize for Health Information Management

Awarded to a final-year Bachelor of Health Information Management student with the highest academic achievement across all units within the course.

**Elizabeth Grimmett** 

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