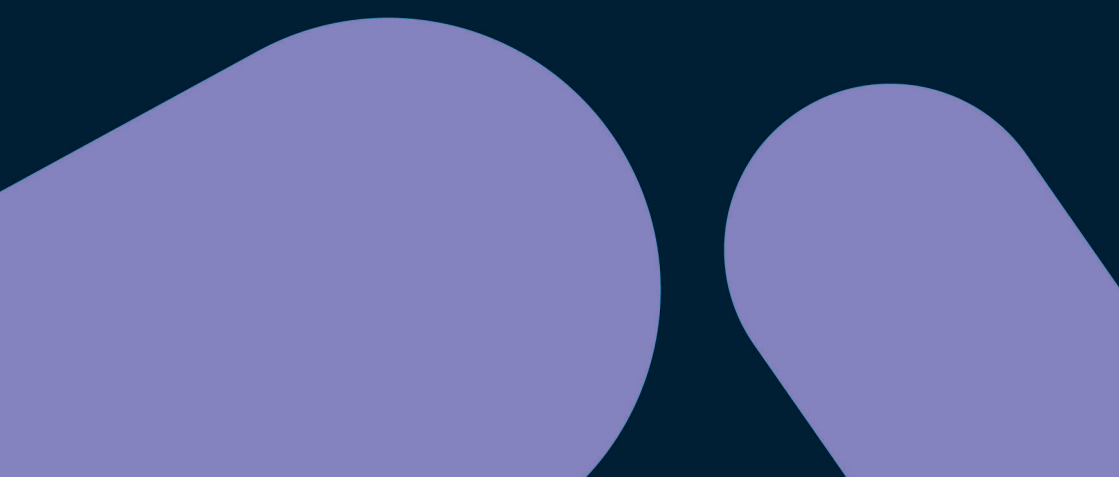


Student Prize Ceremony

Recognising outstanding achievement in
2023



SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND LAW STUDENT PRIZE CEREMONY

Tuesday 24 September 2024

**4:50pm
Registrations Open**

**5:00pm
Networking and refreshments**

**5:50pm
Students and sponsors to be seated**
Before the ceremony begins, students and sponsors will be seated and given a briefing on the event's proceedings.

**6:00pm
All guest to be seated**

**6:05pm
Welcome**
*Master of Ceremonies: Associate Professor Claire Lambert
Associate Dean Teaching & Learning*

**6:10pm
Executive Dean Welcome**
*Professor Maryam Omari,
Executive Dean, ECU School of Business and Law*

**6:15pm
Student Prize Ceremony begins**

**6:50pm
Networking and refreshments**
Students to stay back for a group photo with the Executive Dean,
Professor Maryam Omari

**7:45pm
Event Concludes**



PRIZES

AHRI Prize for the Bachelor of Commerce (Human Resource Management Major)

Donor: Australian Human Resources Institute

Winner: **Kayla Roberts**

AHRI Prize for the Master of Human Resource Management

Donor: Australian Human Resources Institute

Winner: **Kashf E Zainab**

Atul Chandra Master of Professional Accounting Prize

Donor: Dr. Atul Chandra

Winner: **Lina Xu**

Australian Human Rights Commissioner Human Rights Law Prize

Donor: Lorraine Finlay Australian Human Rights Commissioner

Winner: **Martin Cope**

Australian Marketing Institute Award for Excellence in Marketing (Postgraduate)

Donor: Australian Marketing Institute

Winner: **Nariman Heydari Bateni**



Australian Marketing Institute Award for Excellence in Marketing (Undergraduate)

Donor: Australian Marketing Institute

Winner: **Ame Halgryn**

Cambridge University Press Prize for Torts I LAW1117

Donor: Cambridge University Press

Winner: **Tenielle Louise Henson**

Cambridge University Press Prize for Torts II LAW1218

Donor: Cambridge University Press

Winner: **Emily Lora-Anne Forsythe**

CBA Prize

Donor: Commonwealth Bank

Winner: **Ame Halgryn**

CCI WA Fundamentals of Value Creation in Business Prize

Donor: Chamber of Commerce and Industry WA

Winner: **Chi Kit Leung**

CCI WA Leadership and Change Prize

Donor: Chamber of Commerce and Industry WA

Winner: **Ting Lung Chan**



CCI WA Strategic Leadership and Stakeholder Management Prize

Donor: Chamber of Commerce and Industry WA

Winner: **Mohamed Galal Eldin Elamin Al Gebail**

Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand Prize for Accounting Information Systems

Donor: Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand

Winner: **Jemma Goddard**

Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand Prize for Financial Accounting Theory and Practice

Donor: Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand

Winner: **Mitchell Joseph Freeman**

The Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport Australia Prize for Global Logistics

Donor: The Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport Australia

Winner: **Simon Bell**

Circle Green Community Legal Prize for Human Rights Law

Donor: Circle Green Community Legal

Winner: **Gary Casey**



City of Wanneroo Entrepreneurship Prize

Donor: City of Wanneroo

Winner: **Rebecca Parker**

City of Wanneroo New Product Development Prize

Donor: City of Wanneroo

Winner: **Courtney Megan Roy**

The College of Law Prize

Donor: The College of Law

Winner: **Kristin Laura Priest**

CPA Australia Master of Professional Accounting (MPA) Award for Financial Accounting

Donor: CPA Australia

Winner: **Lina Xu**

CPA Australia Prize for First Year Accounting Major

Donor: CPA Australia

Winner: **Birnadette Ciar Balbacal**

Criminal Lawyers Association of WA Prize

Donor: The Criminal Lawyers Association of WA

Winner: **Nerize Peyper**



Denton's Prize for Excellence in Corporations Law

Donor: Dentons

Winner: **Hugh Geoffrey McGowan**

The International Institute of Business Analysis Prize for Business Systems Analysis

Donor: International Institute of Business Analysis (IIBA)

Winner: **Ricky Chaiyadi**

K&L Gates Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Law Award

Donor: K&L Gates

Winner: **Griffin Andrew Davenport**

Landgate Property Law Prize

Donor: Landgate

Winner: **Claire Louise McAlaney**

Leach Legal Family Law Prize

Donor: Leach Legal Divorce and Family Lawyers

Winner: **Maria Zand**



Leo Cussen Centre for Law Award for Excellence in Legal Ethics and Professional Responsibility

Donor: Leo Cussen Centre for Law

Winner: **Elena Lucassen**

Leo Cussen Centre for Law Award for Excellence in Community Legal Practice

Donor: Leo Cussen Centre for Law

Winner: **Benjamin Clifton**

Lux Future Leaders Award

Donor: Dr Andrei Lux

Winner: **Aaron Bradley Baker**

Nashid Chowdhury Prize

Donor: Nashid Chowdhury

Winner: **Michelle Deighton**

PMI (Western Australian Chapter) Award for Student with Highest Marks in Project Management Major

Donor: PMIWA

Winner: **Elias Dafel**



Project 37 Prize

Donor: Project 37 Pty Ltd

Winner: **Mana Imai**

Rosalie Heaney Award for Excellence in Event Management

Donor: Jean Evans

Winner: **Samara Josephine Lette**

Scott Shorter Prize for Current Issues in Marketing

Donor: Scott Shorter Pty Ltd

Winner: **Kelsey Eastwood**

SKAL International Perth Clive Nelthorpe Memorial Award

Donor: SKAL International Perth

Winner: **Chloe Michelle Cantlay**

SportWest Award for Excellence in Sport Business Management

Donor: SportWest

Winner: **Timothy James Harris**



Mr. Udayan Jashbhai Patel Prize in Business Management

Donor: Mitesh and Shailee Desai - Capricorn Accounting Solutions

Winner: **Kristen Madureira**

UniSuper Prize for Excellence in Investment Management

Donor: UniSuper Management Pty Ltd

Winner: **Phurba Tamang**

Wanneroo Business Association Management Excellence Award

Donor: Wanneroo Business Association

Winner: **Luke Vivarelli**

West Coast Eagles Prize for Excellence in Sport, Recreation and Event Management

Donor: West Coast Eagles

Winner: **Muhammad Syafiq Bin Rohaizan**

Excellence in Social Media Marketing Prize

Donor: Anonymous

Winner: **Oliver Paul Driver**



STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

Listed below are some words of thanks from prize winners who were unable to attend the prize ceremony.

Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand Managerial Accounting Prize

Donor: Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand

Winner: **Ami Dique**

Thank you to the Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand and the ECU School of Business and Law for this award.

I'm honoured to receive such an award and sad to be missing this ceremony, however, I am currently away completing my final semester of studies on exchange at the University of Miami. I've loved every part of my studies at ECU and look forward to what the future holds once I graduate. Thank you again.

Dr Heather MacGowan OAM Award for Professional Practice in Sport, Recreation and Event Management

Donor: Sue Colyer

Winner: **Abby Hoare**

Thank you very much for the opportunity to receive the Dr Heather MacGowan OAM Award for Professional Practice in Sport, Recreation, and Event Management. I am honoured to be recognised during my time as a student at Edith Cowan University.

Although I would have loved to attend today's award ceremony in person, I am currently travelling around Australia, which has been a dream of mine since finishing school about five years ago! The FBL3501 Business Practicum unit, which I completed to a high standard, provided me with invaluable hands-on experience in

the workforce, enabling me to make significant connections and grow beyond the classroom.

Upon graduating from ECU in 2023, I secured a full-time position within the organization where I conducted my work placement. This would not have been possible without the opportunity to partake in the Business Practicum unit in my final semester at ECU.

I feel very grateful to receive this award, thank you.

Joondalup Business Association Prize

Donor: Joondalup Business Association


Winner: **Ranithri Sanjula Weerakkody Mudiyansele**

I am deeply grateful to the Joondalup Business Association and the ECU School of Business and Law for this award.

Starting the Introduction to Business Analytics unit felt like stepping into an unknown territory. I was both excited and nervous, especially since I had no prior experience working with data.

Luckily, this unit turned out to be an amazing experience as I delved into the power of different data types, learning how to analyse and interpret them to make informed business decisions. This newfound skillset will undoubtedly be invaluable as I navigate my future career path.

I am thankful to receive such recognition. It motivates me to continue learning and growing in my journey towards success. Thank you once again for this award. I am truly honoured.



Office of the Auditor General WA Award for Outstanding Performance in Undergraduate Auditing

Donor: Office of the Auditor General for WA


Winner: **Simone Nowland**

Thank you to the Office of the Auditor General WA and ECU School of Business and Law for this award.

I began my Bachelor of Commerce degree majoring in Finance and Accounting in 2018 with the aim of furthering my career and creating greater opportunities in the future. I completed my studies in 2023 and enjoyed being challenged throughout my six-year learning journey.

The experience has not only provided me with the technical knowledge and skills necessary to perform successfully in an accounting or finance role, but also encouraged reflection and personal growth and incorporated opportunities to develop soft skills such as communication, teamwork, critical thinking and time management.

After completing my course, I feel I am a much more valuable employee. I am currently enjoying working within my chosen field as an accountant and feel optimistic about the future.



Thomson Reuters Book Prize Supervised Legal Research Paper

Donor: Thomson Reuters


Winner: **Guido Locatelli**

I want to express my deepest gratitude to Thomson Reuters and the ECU School of Business and Law

My exchange at ECU was an exceptional experience that has significantly shaped my academic journey. During my time there, I had the privilege of learning from professors who exemplified professionalism and dedication. Their commitment to student support and their initiative in fostering an environment that values students made a lasting impression on me.

I would like to extend a special thanks to Professor Joshua Aston, whose guidance and support have been essential. His mentorship was invaluable, and without his encouragement, I would not have been able to achieve this honour.

Unfortunately, I was unable to attend the award ceremony as I am currently beginning my Master's degree in Private Law at Sorbonne University in Paris. While I regret not being able to be there in person, I am truly grateful to everyone who made this possible.



PRIZE WINNERS

Listed below are the prize-winning students who were unable to attend the prize ceremony.

AHA (WA) Valedictory Prize for Hospitality Management

Donor: Australian Hotels Association Western Australia

Winner: **Kelly Anne Petri**

AMD Chartered Accountants Prize

Donor: AMD Chartered Accountants

Winner: **Jackson Pedley**

Australian Institute of Project Management (AIPM) Postgraduate Prize

Donor: Australian Institute of Project Management

Winner: Requested not to publish

Australian Institute of Project Management (AIPM) Undergraduate Prize

Donor: Australian Institute of Project Management

Winner: **Annika Gnaedig**



CPA Prize for the Graduating Accounting Major Student with the Highest Weighted Average mark

Donor: CPA Australia

Winner: **Emily McPherson**

The Heather Jowett Prize for Excellence in Business Foundations

Donor: Ms Heather Jowett

Winner: **Emma Jade Morris**

RK O'Connor QC Prize in Taxation

Donor: RK O'Connor QC

Winner: Tammie Melissa Taylor

Scott Shorter Prize for Applied Digital Marketing

Donor: Scott Shorter Pty Ltd

Winner: **Sonia Louise Iustini**

Thomson Reuters Book Prize for Intellectual Property Law

Donor: Thomson Reuters

Winner: **Olivia Paige Caubo**



The Tourism Council Western Australia Award for Excellence in Tourism and Hospitality

Donor: Tourism Council Western Australia

Winner: **Kelly Anne Petri**

The Turner & Townsend Prize for Program Management

Donor: Turner & Townsend Pty Ltd (Perth Office)

Winner: **Beereka Iotebwa**

Wiley Company Law II Book Prize

Donor: Wiley

Winner: **Tammie Melissa Taylor**

Wiley Principles of Contract and Corporate Law Book Prize

Donor: Wiley

Winner: **Damanjeet Kaur**



Medal presented at the Graduation Ceremony

School of Business and Law Medal

Winner: **Elias Dafel**

Medal collected from Corporate Events

School of Business and Law Research Medal


Winner: **Ngoc Pham**




Congratulations to our prize recipients.

Thank you to the donors for sponsoring the awards and to the recipients' family and friends for joining the Student Prize celebrations.

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