UTR1.140 - THE H S GREEN PRIZE

Background

A. In 1996, funds were raised and given to the University to establish a prize in commemoration of the work of Herbert Sydney Green, Founding Professor in the Department of Mathematical Physics and Professor of Mathematical Physics for thirty-four years.

B. The University accepted the donations upon the trusts specified by the donors and the donations therefore became the capital subject to those trusts (‘capital sum’).

Name of the Fund

1. The capital sum, all income arising from the capital sum, and any accumulations and additions thereto together form a fund called ‘The H S Green Prize’ (‘fund’).

Investment of the Fund

2. The fund is to be amalgamated for the purposes of investment, and held in a common fund, and the net income earned by the common fund shall be credited, rateably, to the funds so amalgamated and thereafter distributed according to the trusts specified by the donors.

Obligations

In administering the fund, the University must adhere to the terms specified and is obliged to award a prize annually as set out in the following Rules.

Rules

This is an endowed prize with the capital held in the University’s Endowment Fund\(^1\) and the income distribution each year used to fund the prize.

Value

The value of the Prize will be $500.00 or such other amount as the University shall from time to time determine provided that the value does not exceed the annual income distribution available from the Endowment Fund.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the Prize, candidates must be enrolled in either the Honours Degree of Bachelor of Science in Physics or the Honours Degree of Bachelor of Science (High Performance and Computational Physics).

A recipient of the David Sutton Memorial Prize is not eligible for this Prize, except in exceptional circumstances as determined by the Head of the Department of Physics (or nominee).

Selection of Candidate

The Head of the Department of Physics (or nominee) will award the Prize to the student undertaking a theoretical physics project who is placed highest in the First Class for the Honours Degree of Bachelor of Science in Physics or the Honours Degree of Bachelor of Science (High Performance

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\(^1\) For further information on the University’s Endowment Fund and the distribution of interest available please see the Endowment Fund Investment Report

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Computational Physics). It is expected that the awardee would normally have done the core theoretical Honours Physics coursework modules.

If there is no candidate of sufficient merit in a given year then the prize will not be awarded in that year and the money will be added to the capital sum in the Endowment Fund.

If there is more than one candidate of equal merit, then the prize shall be shared equally.

**Variations**
The University may vary the rules from time to time in a manner consistent with the University’s legal obligations and policies.

Rules approved by Deputy Vice Chancellor & Vice President (Academic) 13 April 2018