UTR1.58 – THE REG SPRIGG PRIZE IN GEOLOGY

In 1955 the University was given shares in Nickel Mines of Australia at the behest of one of the Directors Dr R.C. Sprigg. Funds from the sale of the shares were invested and the Council in 1983 resolved that $3,295 of the accumulated income be reserved for a prize in Geology, in accordance with a wish expressed by Dr R.C. Sprigg. In 1989 Dr Sprigg indicated his intention to supplement the prize by $200 annually until and including 2008 at which time it will be reviewed.

1. The value of the prize is $500.
2. It is awarded annually to the student whose performance is adjudged the best amongst the candidates who pass with distinction in the Level 1 geology courses and proceeds to take second year Geoscience courses.