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School Prizes for Postgraduate Students

The [application form](#) for the 2014 awards can be downloaded here.

The School of Molecular and Biomedical Science has established two prizes to recognise outstanding achievements of our postgraduate students during candidature.

1. School Postgraduate Academic Achievement Award

The Award

The 'Postgraduate Academic Achievement Award' in the School of Molecular and Biomedical Science consists of a cash prize of \$500, and a certificate. Up to four prizes may be awarded annually.

Aim

To recognise and reward outstanding academic achievement during postgraduate study.

Criteria

Outstanding academic achievement during candidature as evidenced by the quality of the thesis and journal publications, as well as prizes and awards for scientific achievement.

I. Research publications (80% of total)

Assessment will be based on examiners' reports for thesis, thesis awards, and contribution to the field by journal articles arising from the thesis work.

II. Honours and awards obtained during candidature (20% of total)

Factors considered include: prizes for presentation at meetings, awards from Scientific societies, competitive travel grants

Eligibility

Postgraduate students enrolled in the School of Molecular and Biomedical Science who qualified for the PhD or Masters by Research degree between 1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014 and submitted their thesis for examination within 4 years of candidature for PhD and 2 years of candidature for Masters by Research.



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2. School Postgraduate All-round Achievement Award

The Award

The 'Postgraduate All-round Achievement Award' in the School of Molecular and Biomedical Science consists of a cash prize of \$500, and a certificate. Certificates of merit may be awarded to several runners-up.

Aim

To recognise and reward outstanding all-round achievement during postgraduate study, taking into consideration academic achievement, and service to the School or University, scientific societies and community.

Criteria

Outstanding all-round academic achievement and service during candidature as evidenced by service to the School, University and communities, and publications, prizes and awards for scientific achievement.

I. Service to the University, scientific and general community (50% of total)

Factors considered include: service as a postgraduate student representative; School or University committee membership; contribution to school teaching programs; service for PGSA, scientific societies (e.g., ASMR), conference organising, community involvement, school visits, etc.

II. Research publications (40% of total)

Assessment will be based on contribution to the field by journal articles arising from the thesis work, examiners' reports for thesis (if available) and thesis awards.

III. Honours and awards obtained during candidature (10% of total)

Factors considered include: prizes for presentation at meetings, awards from scientific societies, competitive travel grants

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Application Process for both Awards

The application form for the 2014 awards can be downloaded here. Please follow the instructions on the form. Fill in the form electronically, print it out, have it signed as required and then scan it into .pdf file format for submission by email to Mrs. Jennifer Peters, Academic Programs Officer, School of Molecular and Biomedical Science.

(jennifer.peters@adelaide.edu.au).

The closing date for applications is 20 October 2014.

Selection process

Applications will be considered by postgraduate coordinators from each of the four disciplines of the School.

Announcement of outcome

Prize winners will be announced by the end of November.