

THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
Faculty of Law

The Law Society of Hong Kong Prize for Professional Practice

Regulations

The Law Society of Hong Kong (“the Donor”) will donate a prize to the Faculty of Law of The Chinese University of Hong Kong (“the Faculty”) on an annual basis starting from the academic year 2008-09. Regulations governing the award of the prize, with effect from 2016-17, are detailed below:

1. The prize will be known as “The Law Society of Hong Kong Prize for Professional Practice”.
2. The prize shall be awarded to a PCLL student (the “Prize Recipient(s)”) who is an intending solicitor and who has achieved the highest overall mark of any intending solicitor in the Professional Practice course on the Postgraduate Certificate in Laws programme of the Faculty of Law in each academic year.
3. In the event that more than one intending solicitor achieves the highest overall mark in the Professional Practice course, the prize shall be shared and the amount of the prize shall be divided equally among those students.
4. The Prize Recipient(s) will be required to sign a declaration of the intention to practise as a solicitor and may be asked to provide documentary evidence such as a trainee solicitor contract to substantiate the professed intention to qualify as a solicitor.
5. The amount of the prize is HK\$8,000.
6. Each year, the Dean of the Faculty of Law will nominate the Prize Recipient(s) whose particulars shall be sent to the Donor for information.
7. The Prize Recipient(s) will be informed of the award by the Faculty and the prize will be presented formally at a Presentation Ceremony or other suitable occasion organized by the Faculty.
8. Confirmation shall be sought from the Donor before July every year on whether or not the prize shall be continued for the following academic year.

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