



20 Dean's 25 Honours Awards & Prizes

Presentation

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Faculty of Architecture,
Building and Planning

Melbourne
School of Design

The Dean's Honours Awards recognises the academic excellence of Undergraduate and Graduate students.

The Faculty of Architecture, Building and Planning would like to acknowledge and congratulate the outstanding achievements of students who have made the Dean's Honours List.

The Dean's Honours Awards celebrate students whose dedication, drive and ability has placed them in the top 3 - 5% of their cohort in 2025.

As a Faculty, we are committed to evolving and advancing with changing times and circumstances – we are always striving to provide outstanding education to equip the next generation of built environment leaders, professionals and thinkers with the skills and knowledge to create and influence.

We acknowledge the enthusiasm and tenacity of our students, tackling complex design questions with fresh eyes, and consistently producing inspiring work of an incredibly high standard.

As built environment and design students, you have an opportunity to directly influence the world in which we live, to contribute solutions to some of the biggest issues of our times and to push forward the boundaries of knowledge and capability.

Such outstanding results are a sign of the hard work and determination that underlies your time studying with us. I encourage you to maintain this dedication and drive as you approach any challenge in the future – I have no doubt you will go far.

Professor Julie Willis

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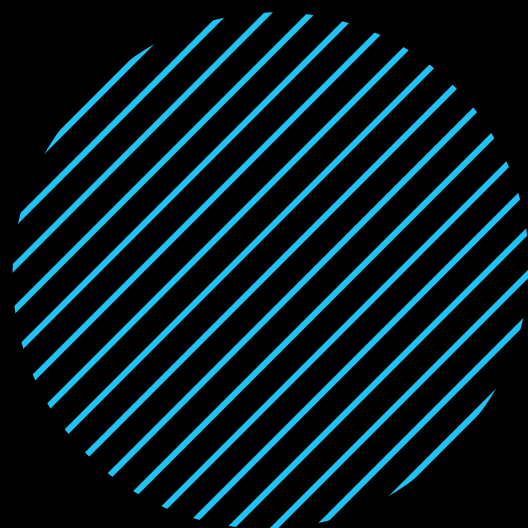
Dean of the Faculty of Architecture,
Building & Planning

Benefactors of prizes and awards

The University of Melbourne gratefully acknowledges the generosity of the benefactors who have supported its prizes and awards.

The generosity of our alumni and donor communities plays a key role by providing our students with the resources and opportunity to study, as well as providing recognition of success.

On behalf of our Faculty and our students, thank you to all our donors for your generosity. You are contributing directly to developing the next generation of industry leaders. Tonight, we celebrate your philanthropic support as an enabler of student achievement and potential. Thank you.



Dean’s Honours List

Undergraduate

Awarded for outstanding academic merit

Year 1

Rowan Amos
Sara Banjanin
Ziqi Cheng
Baptiste Emery
Neomi Gestano
Rosetta Giuliano
Genevieve Harris
Sooji Hong
Cherian Huang
Tristan Indrayanto
Collette Mullen
Thi Bao Ngoc Nguyen
Yimo Pan
Ven Qin Tan
Laura Tong
Chi Mai Tran
Sebastian Tse
Sophie Vourgoutzis
Ngoc Phuong Anh Vu
Angelina Wei
Audrey Zahra
Justin Zhu

Year 2

Yashua Aboumourad
Candice Chan Yai Ching
Wan Yin Lauren Chiu
Bethany Clare
Tess Gresley
Angela Han
Sooji Hong
Jiayi Hu
Cheuk Wai Li
Theo Lowry Pocock
Ryhan Morgan
Alison Parker
Ryan Pham
Annika Rasmussen
Astrid Smyth
Yuruo Wang
Naomi Wong
Mingqi Zhu

Year 3

Ella Creaton
Nhat Duy Dang
Vinh Dao
Chiara du Plessis
Kimberley Fiorentino
Emma Henrikson
Yiwen Huang
Anya Krbaleski
Geordie Marsh
Chen Shian Ng
Ng Kai Shi Kelsie
Julian Salzmänn
Allira Smith
Pippi Sparrius
Bryan Octavianthe Susanto
Mirai Tanabe
Hongyu Wang
Jacqueline Widodo
Yonglin Wu

Honours

Anna Nolan

Sponsored Prizes and Awards

AECOM Australia Prize for Urban Design and Landscape Architecture

Awarded for excellence in Landscape Studio 3: Urban Open Space

Natalya Armitage

Australian Property Institute Prize

Awarded for outstanding performance in the Property Major

Kimberley Fiorentino

Fieldwork Award

Awarded to high achieving Australian Indigenous students undertaking the Bachelor of Design with an Architecture major

Amali Gadd

Hugh O’Neill Prize

Awarded to a student majoring in Architecture at undergraduate level who has excelled in one or more subjects relating to design or architectural heritage

Anna Nolan

Neil Fraser Award for Sustainable Landscape Design

Awarded to a student enrolled in Landscape Architecture or closely related study that examines indigenous flora in urban or rural landscapes, with a preference for Australian indigenous flora

Natalya Armitage

Nell Norris Scholarship

Awarded to the best student in each year of the Architecture course, based on all-round merit

Year 1
Baptiste Emery

Year 2
Astrid Smyth

Year 3
Emma Henrikson

William C W Chen Award

Awarded for excellence in the subject Architectural Technologies 3: Implement

Mingqi Zhu

Undergraduate Medal

Awarded to the top performing graduating Bachelor of Design student

Bryan Octavianthe Susanto



Dean’s Honours List

Graduate

Awarded for outstanding Academic merit

Master of Architecture
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Allan Mathew Bantegui
Ammia Chrestman
Tara Durkin
Declan East
Charlie Eastwood
Nafisah Ezam
Jessica Hall
Tahli Hogberg
Laura La Scaleia
Jasmine Lam
Zixuan Li
Divya Mahesh
Mitchell Pianto
Elena Stefanos
Nicholas Axel Sugiarto
Je Yen Tan
Tan Yu Khoon
Oswald Tanim
Katherine Thomas
Inneke Wagner
Danna Wan
Kevin Wang
Hannah Worley
Jingqi Zhou
Amber Zou

Master of Architectural Engineering
—

Danial Lau
Yixuan Li

**Master of Architecture/
Master of Construction Management**
—

Junjie Mei

**Master of Architecture/
Master of Landscape Architecture**
—

Maisie Matthews

**Master of Architecture/
Master of Urban and Cultural Heritage**
—

Charlotte Schaller

Master of Architecture/Master of Urban Design
—

Alina Rose Sebastian
Gargi Tokekar

Master of Construction Management
—

Navya Arumugam
Muralikrishnaa
Vrunda Sanjay Bhutada
Des Chang
Zixuan Cheng
Dhanishta Juwaheer
Thomas Tang
Anjali Vasudevan
Buddhisidh Vongsey
Fiona Zhi

Master of Landscape Architecture
—

Nina De La Cruz
Xiaoyuan Liang
Sarah Marriott
Siying Wang

Master of Landscape Architecture/Master of Urban Planning
—

Matilda Murphy

Master of Property
—

Stefan Potts
Yue Ching Bryan Yiu
Yunxin Zhang

Master of Urban and Cultural Heritage
—

Jessica Richardson

Master of Urban Design
—

Raisa Firasyan
Judy Huang
Jinmeng Zhang

Master of Urban Planning
—

Bernhard Andersson
Junjie Cheng
Manasi Sadashiv Chopdekar
Dhia Fairus Shofia Fani
Kadek Risna Febriani
Oliver Hill
Hui Li
Madeline Abigail Lukito
Kellie-Anne Maddaford
Yiu Hei Mak
Julia Petousis
Amanda Saputri
Anita Ye

Master of Urban Planning/Master of Urban Design
—

Nicholas Ots



Sponsored Prizes and Awards

Architecture

**Anthony Auh Chew Kang
Master of Architecture
Scholarship**

Awarded to a domestic student entering the Master of Architecture course

Samuel Day

**Architect Michael Kaufman
Scholarship**

Awarded to high achieving students entering the Master of Architecture programs

**Kiana Babaie
Brianna Doyle
Sharon He
Arabella Marshall
Adinda Paraya
Fotene Yiappos**

**Architects Registration Board
of Victoria Professional
Practice Award**

Awarded for academic excellence in a subject that demonstrates specific knowledge, skills and industry preparedness related to architectural practice

Tara Nosko-Malberg

Bates Smart Award

Awarded for excellence, research and resolution at Thesis level

**Tahli Hogberg
Agnes Leonardi**

Denton Corker Marshall Award

Awarded to a student who has excelled in design at the end of the first year of the Master of Architecture program

Agnes Leonardi

**DesignInc Positive Legacy
of Design Award**

Awarded for the best design from any discipline that shows potential for ecological and social benefit

**Maisie Matthews
Nethuni Sumanaweera**

Dulux Colour Award

Awarded for exceptional use of colour

Kevin Wang

**Edward and Penelope Billson
Prize in Architecture**

Awarded for work which displays the most promise in architectural design, particularly regarding aesthetic content, in the Master of Architecture final year Studio subjects

Charlie Eastwood

Ernest Fooks Memorial Award

Awarded for excellence in Architecture Design Studios

Agnes Leonardi

**Graham Brawn and
Family Award**

Awarded to a high achieving Australian Indigenous student undertaking a Masters program

Ellin Minogue

Jock Simmie Prize

Awarded to high achieving students after the first year of the Master of Architecture/ Urban Planning or Master of Architecture/Urban and Cultural Heritage

Tallulah Pestell

John Charles Lloyd Exhibition

Awarded for excellence in Construction Technology subjects in the Master of Architecture

Shuaiqi Feng

Lebond Award

Awarded for academic excellence in the Master of Architecture

Je Yen Tan

Construction Management

Macdonald Scholarship

Awarded to students travelling outside the City of Melbourne to develop practical career skills and enhance their employability

Stephanie Wills

Nell Norris Scholarship

Awarded to the best student in each year of the Architecture course, based on all-round merit

Year 4
Zixuan Li

Year 5
Je Yen Tan

SJB Michael Bialek Award

Awarded for excellence in the penultimate year of the Master of Architecture program

Zixuan Li

Varney Travelling Scholarship

Awarded for international educational experiences; either studying in an approved school of architecture or working in an architect’s office

Lachlan Meckiff

**Australian Institute of
Building Prize**

Awarded for outstanding academic performance in the Master of Construction Management and contribution to university life and/or industry

Anjali Vasudevan

Brian Lewis Award

Awarded for academic excellence upon completion of the Project Management specialisation in the Master of Construction Management

**Navya Arumugam
Muralikrishnaa**

**Chartered Institute of
Building ‘Certificate of
Excellence’ Award**

Awarded for academic excellence upon completion of a Chartered Institute of Building accredited program

Zixuan Cheng

**Forster Family
Foundation Scholarship**

Awarded to high achieving students entering the Master of Constrution Management

Xinyue Wang

Hansen Yuncken Prize

Awarded to a high achieving student commencing the Master of Construction Management from a cognate background

Wilson Hao Jing Liew

Harry Wexler AIQS Award

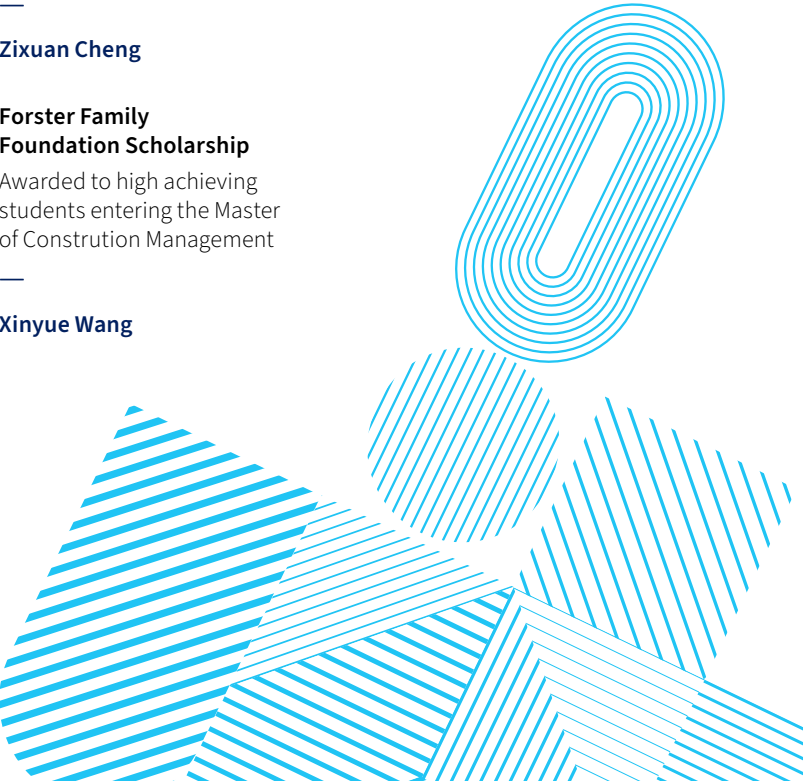
Awarded for excellence in the subject Construction Measurement and Estimating

Des Chang

Peter Williams Award

Awarded for academic excellence in the construction subject Building Services and Operations

Andrew Smith



Research Awards

Landscape Architecture

Catherin Bull Scholarship in Landscape Architecture

Awarded to high achieving students entering the Master of Landscape Architecture

Zixin Zhou

Ellis Stones Memorial Awards

Awarded for excellence in research in the Master of Landscape Architecture

**Maisie Matthews
Siying Wang**

Rina Mackley Award for Architects in Landscape Architecture

Awarded to high achieving students entering the Master of Landscape Architecture program from a non-cognate background

Ponie Curtis

Steve Calhoun Scholarship

Awarded to support the travel of students undertaking research relevant to their Landscape Architecture Design Thesis

**Karina Price
Qianhui Yu**

Property

Australian Property Institute Prize

Awarded for academic excellence in the Master of Property

Yunxin Zhang

Urban Cultural Heritage

Gabrielle Moylan Prize

Awarded for academic excellence upon completion of the Master of Urban and Cultural Heritage or Master of Architecture/Master of Urban and Cultural Heritage

Jessica Richardson

Richard Falkinger Scholarship

Awarded to a high achieving student whose interest is the study of heritage architecture and/or cultural studies

Oliver Goad

Urban Planning

Fred Ledger Prize in Urban Planning

Awarded for excellence in the Master of Urban Planning

Kellie-Anne Maddaford

John Bayly Award

Awarded for excellence in Urban Planning history

Ellen Martin

proUrban Award

Awarded for academic excellence in the Master of Urban Planning Thesis

**Dudley Robens
Adriana Tadic**

SGS Economics and Planning Graham Larcombe Award

Awarded for demonstrated interest in equity and social disadvantage issues in urban development

Dhia Fairus Shofia Fani

Tom Kvan Scholarship

Awarded for excellence to a student taking graduate studies outside of their undergraduate degree

Daisy Beale

UPco Phillip Borelli Award

Awarded for academic excellence in Planning Law and Statutory Planning

**Auryn Holmes
Amber Zou**

Bharat Dave Scholarship

Awarded to support research and learning in the fields of understanding design innovation for novel approaches, processes, tools or materials

Dorsa Fatourehchi

Dean's Prize for Published Graduate Research: Co-Author

Awarded for excellence in a peer-reviewed publication by a co-author

Jia Zhang

Dean's Prize for Published Graduate Research: Sole Author

Awarded for excellence in a peer-reviewed publication by a single author

Hannah McNicol

Ellis Stones Memorial Award - Research

Awarded for excellence in research in Landscape Architecture

Jianjiao Liu

Fritz Janeba Travelling Scholarship

Awarded to Master of Architecture alumni and/or alumni who are current graduate research students in the Faculty of Architecture, Building and Planning to pursue studies in design at overseas academic institutes

**Sophie Adsett
Agnes Leonardi**

Graham Treloar Fellowship for Early Career Researchers

Awarded to support early career researchers in the Faculty of Architecture, Building and Planning to develop their research career in their chosen specialty

**Paraic Carroll
Wendy Walls**

John Grice Research Award

Awarded for excellence in a PhD or Masters thesis completed by a postgraduate research student in the field of Architecture

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