

THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
Faculty of Law

Law Society of Hong Kong/Bloomsbury Books Prizes

Regulations

The Law Society of Hong Kong together with **Bloomsbury Books Limited**, (“the Donors”) have kindly agreed to donate \$3,500 and \$1,500 respectively making up a book prize of \$5,000 (“the Prize”) to each of the four (4) students from The Chinese University of Hong Kong in each academic year starting from 2008-2009. Regulations governing the award of the Prize, with effect from 2016-17, are detailed below:

1. The Prize will be known as “Law Society of Hong Kong/Bloomsbury Books Prizes”.
2. The Prize (a sum of \$5,000) shall be awarded to each of four selected students enrolled in the *Postgraduate Certificate in Laws* (PCLL) programme at The Chinese University of Hong Kong in each academic year starting from 2008-2009. At the Donors’ request, selection will be based on financial needs and/or particular merits.
3. The four selected students should be intending solicitors. They will be required to sign a declaration of the intention to practise as solicitors and may be asked to provide documentary evidence such as a trainee solicitor contract to substantiate their professed intention to qualify as solicitors.

Administrative Arrangements

1. The Dean of the Faculty of Law will be invited to select four suitable candidates for the Prize, and particulars of the candidates, including copies of the CVs, and other relevant information would be sent to the Donors for information.
2. Selection is carried out by a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the Faculty of Law (or his nominee) who shall be the Chairman, the PCLL Programme Director and one other member of the Faculty of Law nominated by the Dean.
3. Nominated candidates may be invited for an interview. Any such interviews will be conducted by the Selection Committee in February/March in each academic year.
4. The Donors will arrange for a presentation ceremony to be held at the Law Society of Hong Kong to present the book prizes to the selected students.
5. The Donors shall give the Faculty notice in the month of December of any academic year if arrangements set out in these regulations shall be discontinued in that academic year.

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