

THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG  
FACULTY OF LAW

**The Deacons Prizes in Law for Young Leaders**

Regulations

Deacons (“the Donor”), a well-known and Hong Kong’s longest-established, independent law firm, has kindly agreed to donate two Prizes to the Chinese University of Hong Kong (“the University”) Faculty of Law on an annual basis starting from the academic year 2014-15. The Regulations governing the award of the Prizes are detailed below:

1. The Prizes shall be known as “The Deacons Prizes in Law for Young Leaders” (referred to herein as the “Prizes”).
2. A sum of HK\$5,000 shall be awarded to two LLB students respectively and totalling HK\$10,000 in an academic year. Eligible students are top one-third of the LLB Year 2 cohort based on cumulative grade point average in the degree.
3. Each year, the Dean of the Faculty of Law will invite the LLB Year 2 cohort to apply for the Prizes and he will then nominate suitable candidates for consideration and interview by the Donor.
4. The Donor shall consider the nominees and make the selection based upon academic merit, character, participation in extra-curricular activities, community involvement and interview performance.
5. The Prizes shall be awarded subject to the students completing 2-week internships with the Donor in the calendar year in which the students are selected to receive the Prizes respectively.
6. The Donor reserves the right to not award one or both of the Prizes after the selection process in any given year.
7. The Prize Recipient(s) will be informed of the award by the University.
8. The Donor shall notify The Chinese University of Hong Kong prior to the beginning of any academic year if arrangements set out in these Regulations are to be discontinued.

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