

PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY 2019



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Master of Ceremonies

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Associate Dean (Research)

Guest Speaker

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Karen is an ECU Adjunct Associate Professor, a valued and experienced senior nurse leader in Western Australia and Australia. Karen's current role is the Director of Clinical Services, at Hollywood

Private Hospital (HPH) part of Ramsay Health Care group. Karen has held various other clinical, managerial and educational positions in Perth, the UK and Australia. She currently holds several significant professional appointments including:

- Australian Private Hospital Association representative on the Nursing and Midwifery Strategic Reference Group for the Commonwealth Chief Nurse;
- Member of the WA Nursing and Midwifery Awards Operational Committee (Office of the Chief Nurse, WA Health);
- As appointed Member by the Minister of Health to the Western Australian Nursing and Midwifery Board (Committee of the Nurses and Midwives Board of Australia) following the change to Health Practitioners Regulation National Law (WA) Act;
- Chair of the West Australian Nursing and Midwifery Notifications Committee (subcommittee of the Western Australian Nursing and Midwifery Board).



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Joondalup Campus Awards

Australian Association for Gerontology Prize

Sponsor: Silver Chain Group

Awarded to the eligible student with the highest mark for unit NCS2201 – Older Adult Health – or equivalent unit.

Winner

Abbey Leigh Clayton

King Edward Memorial Hospital for Women Clinical Midwifery Prize

In memory of Jean Beadle and Mary Carson

Sponsor: King Edward Memorial Hospital for Women

Awarded to a student graduating from the Master of Midwifery Practice (180) (Joondalup Campus) in the year of the award, who is employed by King Edward Memorial Hospital as a midwifery student for the duration of the course, who demonstrates excellence in their final clinical practice Continuing Midwifery Practice (MIP6203) – or equivalent unit.

Winner

Monique Mazurek

Maxine Serrell Prize for Clinical Practice

Sponsor: School of Nursing and Midwifery, Edith Cowan University

Awarded to the eligible student who demonstrates excellence in stage 4 clinical practicum of the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) in the year of the award.

About: Maxine worked at ECU from January 1993 until her death in 2007. Maxine was a well-respected nursing academic and Fellow of the Royal College of Nursing Australia. She was an excellent nursing practice unit coordinator who was passionate about supporting students to develop in nursing. Staff really appreciated how she was part of the team and enjoyed a good laugh with everyone. Prior to her appointment at ECU she was a valued member of Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital where she held nurse manager and clinical nurse specialist positions.

Winner

Justin Tame

Nursing and Midwifery Citizenship Award

Sponsor: Chief Nurse and Midwifery Officer (CNMO), Nursing and Midwifery Office, WA Department of Health

Awarded to a student graduating from the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) or Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) who has been recommended by mentees and academic mentoring staff as having demonstrated positive mentoring and leadership skills for their nursing peers.

Winner

Rachelle Puffette



Nursing and Midwifery Award for Positive Professional Promotion

Sponsor: Chief Nurse and Midwifery Officer (CNMO), Nursing and Midwifery Office, WA Department of Health

Awarded to a student graduating from the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) or Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) who has the highest mark in unit NCS3202 Professional Portfolio.

Winner

Sara Gamble

Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital Prize for Clinical Practice

Sponsor: Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital

Awarded to a student graduating from the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) or the Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (NPP3201) who demonstrates excellence in Stage 6 clinical practicum.

Winner

Sara Batten

St John of God Healthcare – Undergraduate Nursing Award

Sponsor: St John of God Healthcare

Awarded to the graduating student who has achieved the highest weighted average mark (WAM) in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) in the year of the award.

Winner

Anne-Marie Denny

St John of God Hospital Subiaco Prize

Sponsor: St John of God Hospital Subiaco

Awarded to the student enrolled in the unit Professional Nursing Practice 1 (NPP2101) – or equivalent unit at Joondalup Campus in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) who demonstrates excellence in their clinical practicum.

Winner

Rebekah Burgis



Nurses Memorial Trust Olive Anstey Award (Mid-Year)

Sponsor: Western Australian Nurses Memorial Charitable Trust

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) or Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) at Joondalup Campus who achieves the highest final mark in the unit Evidence Based Practice in Healthcare (NCS1202).

Winner

Cristina Bamford

Nurses Memorial Trust Olive Anstey Award (End of Year)

Sponsor: Western Australian Nurses Memorial Charitable Trust

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) or Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) at Joondalup Campus who achieves the highest final mark in the unit Evidence Based Practice in Healthcare (NCS1202).

Winner

Amanda Fenlon

Doreen Collyer Prize for Children & Young People's Nursing

Sponsor: School of Nursing and Midwifery, Edith Cowan University

Awarded to the student graduating from the Graduate Certificate in Children and Young People's Nursing (L84) in the year of the award who has achieved the highest WAM for the course.

About: Doreen joined ECU as a lecturer in October 2011 where she taught across undergraduate and postgraduate courses and then became Postgraduate Courses Coordinator in December 2015. Doreen was an exceptional teacher, exemplary nurse and a much-loved colleague. She was a dedicated and passionate children's nurse and she readily shared her expertise with students and colleagues alike until her tragic death in June 2016.

Winner

Mikaela Blazevic

Sue Woodroff Prize for Clinical Practice

Sponsor: School of Nursing and Midwifery, Edith Cowan University

Awarded to the eligible student who demonstrates excellence and the most consistent high quality care as evidenced in the clinical practice document in stage 2 clinical practicum of the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33).

About: Sue was the inaugural Lab Manager from 1986 when nursing first came to ECU. She started at the Nedlands Campus and was instrumental in designing the wards for the new nursing building at both the Churchlands campus in 1988 and the Joondalup campus when we moved in 2008. Sue always had a positive, can do attitude. She gave every support to students, especially those in the first year to ensure their success. She retired from the School in 2013 due to ill health and subsequently died in April 2014.

Winner

Emily Halfacree

Australian College of Midwives (WA Branch) Prize

Sponsor: Australian College of Midwives (WA Branch)

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science Nursing/ Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) course at Joondalup Campus who has achieved the highest mark for the Portfolio (assignment) (MIP4210).

Winner

Emily Carter

Excellence in Mental Health Theory Prize

Sponsor: Ramsay Health Care – Joondalup Campus

Awarded to the student undertaking either NCS2201 – Mental Health and Illness in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33), Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/ Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) who obtains the highest grade for either unit during the academic year of the award.

Winner

Nina James

Excellence in Mental Health Clinical Placement, Next Step Workforce Development Award

Sponsor: Next Step Specialist Drug and Alcohol Service Mental Health Commission

Awarded to the student enrolled in either the Bachelor of Science Nursing (C33), Bachelor of Science Nursing/Bachelor of Science (Midwifery) (Y76) or Master of Nursing (Graduate Entry)(J46) course who has shown excellence in their clinical practice rotation for mental health.

Winner

Kylie Laverty

UniBank Joondalup Prize for Excellence in Clinical Science

Sponsor: UniBank

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) or Bachelor of Science (Nursing)/Bachelor of (Science) Midwifery (Y76) at the Joondalup Campus who demonstrates excellence in the unit Clinical Sciences 3 (NSC3103).

Winner

Biljana Trifunoska

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Student Citizenship Award

Sponsor: HESTA

Awarded to the student identifying as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander graduating from a course leading to clinical practice in the year of the award, and to recognise their contribution to the University life of fellow Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander students enrolled in a course leading to clinical practice, as assessed by a panel of three members of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Inclusivity Committee.

Winner

Tamara Glynn

HESTA Prize for Flexible Learning

Sponsor: HESTA

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Master of Nursing (Graduate Entry) (J46) with the highest WAM to recognise academic excellence throughout their studies.

Winner

Alexandra Kung

Silver Chain Prize for Excellence in Primary Health Care

Sponsor: Silver Chain Group

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) with the highest mark for the unit Primary Health Care (NCS3102), or equivalent unit.

Winner

Chloe Hamilton



South West Campus Awards

Dr Foster & Associates Prize

Sponsor: Dr Foster & Associates

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) at the South West Campus (Bunbury), who has achieved the highest WAM in the Course.

Winner

Rikki McCabe

University of the Third Age Bunbury (Inc) Prize

Sponsor: University of the Third Age Bunbury (Inc)

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) at the South West Campus (Bunbury), who has demonstrated exemplary practice in the care of the elderly in the unit Supportive Nursing Care Skills and Practice (NPP1201) as assessed by a panel of clinical supervisors, the Course Coordinator and the Workplace Learning Coordinator.

Winner

Chandler Salmon

WA Country Health Service – South West

Sponsor: WA Country Health Service – South West

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) at the South West Campus (Bunbury), in recognition of excellence in the clinical practice component of the course which has further developed the strategic alliance between the hospital and the nursing program.

Winner

Heather Combes

South West UniBank Prize for Excellence in Clinical Science

Sponsor: UniBank South West

Awarded to the student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science (Nursing) (C33) or Bachelor of Science (Nursing) /Bachelor of (Science) Midwifery (Y19) at the South West campus who demonstrates excellence in the unit Clinical Sciences 3 (NSC3103).

Winner

Teagan Bewick

Staff Awards

Excellence in Research, Early Career Researchers Award 2018

Sponsors: UniBank and School of Nursing and Midwifery, Edith Cowan University

Awarded to the early researcher with the strongest Field Weighted Citation Index (2015-2018).

Winner

Dr. Mandie Foster

Excellence in Engaged Teaching Award 2018

Sponsors: UniBank and School of Nursing and Midwifery, Edith Cowan University

Awarded to the teaching staff member who had the highest UTEI overall score in 2018.

Winners

**Ms Melanie Buhlmann and
Mrs Dawn Reid**

Excellence in Provision of Service and Demonstration of ECU Values 2018

Sponsors: UniBank and School of Nursing and Midwifery, Edith Cowan University

Awarded to the School of Nursing and Midwifery staff member who consistently demonstrated the ECU values of Integrity, Respect, Rational Inquiry and Personal Excellence in their role, and who went over and above to provide excellent service to the School and its students (where appropriate).

Winners

**Mrs Margaret Lee and
Dr. Mandy Towell-Barnard**

Thank you for your attendance.

Please join us for refreshments in the gallery.



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