

**SCHOOL OF OPTOMETRY AND VISION SCIENCE, UNSW  
PRIZES AND SCHOLARSHIPS WINNERS 2019**

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**The Stage 1 Optics Prize [Sponsored by Transitions Optical (Essilor)]**

for the best performance in Geometrical and Physical Optics (VISN1111) and Visual Optics (VISN1221)

**VEDANT AGRAWAL**

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**The Stage 2 Clinical Optometry Prize (Sponsored by BOC Ophthalmic Instruments Pty Ltd)**

for the best performance in The Clinical Environment (OPTM2133) and Optical Dispensing (OPTM2233)

**LINA SHEN**

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**The Stage 3 Ocular Diseases Prize (Sponsored by Essilor Australia Pty Ltd)**

for the best performance in Disease Processes of the Eye 1 (OPTM3105) and Disease Processes of the Eye 2 (OPTM3205)

**JENNIFER PACK**

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**The Stage 3 Environmental Optometry and Dispensing Prize (Sponsored by UVEX Safety Australia Limited)**

for the best performance in Stage 3 Environmental Optometry and Dispensing

**AARON TSE**

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**The CooperVision Prize in Contact Lenses Prize (Sponsored by CooperVision Australia)**

for the best performance in Contact Lenses (OPTM6411) and Binocular Vision, CL Fitting and Low Vision (Contact Lens strand – OPTM6421) in the Stage 1 of the Master of Clinical Optometry

**NATASHA TEIN**

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**The Optometry NSW/ACT Prize in Ocular Therapeutics**

for the best performance in Anterior Eye Therapeutics (OPTM6413) and Therapeutics and the Posterior Eye (OPTM6423) in Stage 1 of the Master of Clinical Optometry

**MAARDAVI PATEL**

**Mivision Prize in Recognition of Excellence in Social Engagement**

To recognise students that have demonstrated excellence in communication, advocacy or in promoting eyecare to the community or other professions

**SHALINI NANAYAKKARA**

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**The Neville Fulthorpe Prize for Stage 5 Clinical Optometry (Sponsored by Judy Rainsford-Fulthorpe)**

for the best performance in the Master of Clinical Optometry 5A & 5B, Stage 2 (OPTM8512 Clinical Optometry 5A and OPTM8522 Clinical Optometry 5B)

**NURIYE GUNLER**

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**The Designs for Vision Prize**

for the best overall performance throughout the Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Clinical Optometry program in Primary Care Optometry

**ERIC CHEN**

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**Dr Andrew Whatham Prize for Stage 5 Centre for Eye Health (CFEH) Clinical Excellence (Sponsored by Centre for Eye Health and Mrs Val Whatham)**

for the best performance in the Centre for Eye Health (CFEH) Stage 5 Clinical Rotation (Master of Clinical Optometry Stage 2)

**NICOLA LEE**

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**The Specsavers Prize for Excellence in Patient Management**

For excellence in patient management by a student in the final year of the Bachelor of Vision Science/ Master of Clinical Optometry program

**RICHARD CHENG**

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**The ACBO Prize in Binocular and Children's Vision (Sponsored by the Australasian College of Behavioural Optometrists)**

for the best overall performance throughout the Master of Clinical Optometry program in Binocular and Children's Vision

**BRIAN WONG**

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**The Research Project Prize in Master of Clinical Optometry (Sponsored by Optometric Vision Research Foundation)**

for the best overall mark in the research project in the final year of the Bachelor of Vision Science/  
Master of Clinical Optometry program

**Shared by:**

**NICOLA LEE  
JERMYN YOUNG**

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**The Luxottica Prize for the Best Performance in Clinical Ocular Therapeutics (Master of Clinical Optometry, Stage 2). [Sponsored by Luxottica]**

for the best performance in Clinical Ocular Therapy 5A (OPTM8513) and Clinical Ocular Therapy 5B (OPTM8523)

**SYLVIA LI**

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**The Specsavers Prize for Overall Excellence in the Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Clinical Optometry Program (Sponsored by Specsavers)**

for the best overall weighted average mark (WAM) in the Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Clinical Optometry program

**AND The University Medal**

**PHOEBE WONG**

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**The Postgraduate Ocular Therapeutics Prize (Sponsored by Luxottica)**

for the best performance in Postgraduate Ocular Therapeutics

**MICHAEL LUCAS**

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**The Brian Kirby Prize for Research Excellence in Optometry (Sponsored by The Brian Kirby Foundation)**

For the doctoral student in Optometry with the best thesis

**Shared by:**

**EPHREM SITIWIN  
DINESH SUBEDI  
MEMOONA ARSHAD**

**The David Bard Science Vacation Research Scholarship (Sponsored by David Bard Family)**

Awarded to

**DOGUKAN KAYHAN**

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**The OVRF-Maki Shiobara Scholarship (Sponsored by the Optometric Vision Research Foundation)**

Awarded to

**YEAN CHUA**

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**The Australian College of Optometry (ACO) Award**

Most outstanding graduate in the Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Clinical Optometry in the area of professional commitment

**SOPHIA DILLON**

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**The Dean's 2019 Prize List**

**BIXING YAN**

**ELIZABETH CHEN**

**ISABELLA PFAHLERT**

**LAUREN NGUYEN**

**VIVIAN TRAN**

**VEDANT AGRAWAL**

**BRIAN DU**

**REYNARD TAY**

**IRIS HUANG**

**CHEREE HE**

**JENNY ZHANG**

**FIONA GOLD**

**LINA SHEN**

**KELLY O**

**YEAN CHUA**

**SONIA CHEN**

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