The University of Newcastle

Conferring of Awards

Friday 18th May, 1990
10.00am

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Friday 18th May, 1990
2.30pm

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
THE ARMS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE

The Arms of the University, granted in 1965, are based upon those of the Shortland family. This is appropriate as it was Lieutenant John Shortland, R.N., who discovered the entrance to the Hunter River where Newcastle now is. On 9th September, 1797, Shortland was pursuing escaped convicts when he entered the river. At the foot of the cliffs on the island lying off the river entrance, Nobby, his men found coal. The mineral was first shipped from "Coal Harbour" in 1799. The harbour became Port Hunter and the town was named, in 1804, after the then Secretary of State for The Colonies, Lord Newcastle. The site on which the University has been developed is in Shortland. For those interested in heraldry the inscription on the Crest of Arms is:

Azure a Sea Horse naiant in dexter chief a representation of the constellation of the Southern Cross of five Mullets all Argent.

ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

The Processional Fanfare.

Members of the University Conservatorium Brass Ensemble: Conductor, Robin Fischle.

The Congregation stands as the Procession enters the Hall.

The National Anthem sounded on the Organ and sung by the Congregation.

The Chancellor, The Honourable Justice Elizabeth Evatt, A.O.

The Head of the School of Education, Dr. A.O. Taylor, will present the candidate for admission to an honorary degree in the Faculty of Arts.

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A graduate will speak on behalf of the graduates.

The Vice-Chancellor, Professor K.J. Morgan.

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The Procession will retire, followed by the Graduates, the Congregation standing.

Morning tea will be served in the Union building.

Organist: Michael Dudman
MARGARET ESTELLE BOWMAN, BA(UNE), DipEd(UNSW), TCert(NSWDeptEd)

Presented for admission to the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Letters by the Head of the School of Education Dr A.O. Taylor

Chancellor,

I present to you Margaret Estelle Bowman, Bachelor of Arts from the University of New England, Diploma of Education from the University of New South Wales, Teachers Certificate from the NSW Department of Education, Principal of Wyong High School, President of the Council of the former Newcastle College of Advanced Education and a member of the former Council of The University of Newcastle.

Mrs Bowman was born in New Lambton and educated at St Theresa School New Lambton, San Clemente College Singleton, Newcastle University College (then under the auspices of the University of New England) and Newcastle Teachers College (the DipEd obtained was awarded through the Newcastle University College which at that time was under the auspices of the University of New South Wales). She was a member of the second intake into Newcastle University College and contributed to the early cultural life of the University through active participation in University Revues.

Her main work has been with children through a teaching career which included the teaching of Latin then English at Kurri Kurri High, Gateshead High and Newcastle Girls High before accepting promotion as Special Mistress (Kurri Kurri High, Swansea High), Deputy Principal (Wallsend High) and Principal (Wyong High — 1988). Her appointment as Principal was in the first group of school principals to be appointed by selection on merit in the NSW school system — previously all promotion positions were filled by seniority from a list of colleagues judged to warrant promotion. Her personal philosophy on education is based on the belief that the teaching of children should be directed towards their acceptance of responsibility for their own education and progress.

Maggie, as she is affectionately known, has had a long and distinguished career in education including serving the governing bodies of the major partners in the amalgamation which formed the present University of Newcastle. She was a Ministerial appointment to the Council of the former Newcastle College of Advanced Education from the 1st April 1981 for a four year term. She was initially elected Deputy President of the Council and became President in 1983. Following Ministerial reappointment for a second four year term and re-election, Mrs. Bowman continued as President until she stepped down in February 1988 by which time the Council was responsible for the Hunter Institute of Higher Education. She continued as Deputy President of Council until amalgamation. Concurrently Mrs Bowman served the Council of the former University of Newcastle from 1983 until 1988 when she retired from the position because of her inability to attend meetings as a consequence of her appointment to Wyong High School. During her service to the Councils of the University’s predecessors, Maggie was admired for her ability to grasp the essence and logic of propositions put and represent the issues with clarity and forcefulness. Her views were highly respected on both Councils, She reflects with satisfaction, the openness of the College Council and how it facilitated the opening of the administration and its processes to the College’s staff and students. She was also influential in establishing HUNTERSEARCH, the Institute’s first commercial venture and assisted the University in the appointment of the present Vice-Chancellor and a number of persons holding professorial rank by accepting positions on their selection committees.

The history of the University of Newcastle will record that Margaret Bowman has made a major contribution to and played a leading role in the development and growth of the University.

Within the wider community, Maggie Bowman has been equally influential. She is an active member of the Australian Labor Party and has served on Federal and State Electorate Councils as well as being a delegate to the National Conference of the Party. She has contributed to the cultural life of the City through active involvement with Newcastle New Theatre, the Theatre Arts Guild, Newcastle Dramatic Art Company and the Newcastle Chapter of the American Field Services (AFS) — a student exchange body.

Chancellor, I present to you Margaret Estelle Bowman to be the recipient of the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters honoris causa.
MORNING GRADUATION CEREMONY
FRIDAY 18 MAY
10.00AM

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
DIPLOMA OF TEACHING
(EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)
DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (PRIMARY EDUCATION)
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(HOME ECONOMICS EDUCATION)
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(PRIMARY EDUCATION)
GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES
(ADULT SPECIAL EDUCATION)
GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES
(SPECIAL EDUCATION)
GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATION
(SECONDARY EDUCATION)
GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATION
(TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION)

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
Presented by the Head of the School, Dr. A.O. Taylor

DIPLOMA OF TEACHING
(EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)
Linda Joan Allwood
Pauline Ausburn
Cheryl Ann Barker
Deborah Kay Brewer
Kathryn Therese Burrell
Elizabeth Mary Byrnes — with Distinction
Suzanne Margaret Cant
Sally Maree Collins
Barbara Gaye Cook — with Distinction
Elizabeth Cortaville
Corrina Joy Coulton
Cathy Ann Countee
Michelle Margaret Frohling
Linda Marie Gardiner
Christine Jane Hagan
Donna Lee Harris
Larissa Joy Harrison
Catherine Harrower
Kim Louise Hartmann
Karen Marie Hutchinson
Bronwyn Jane Jackson
Michelle Jensz
Fiona Johnston
Sylvia Maria Lanfranco
Donna Ann Leishman
Gaye Lorraine Marriott
Sally Anne Martin
Katrina Maree Mason
Raelee Ann Matthews
Ruth Alison McLellan
Catherine Shivawn Mitchell
Sheree Rochelle Morris
Elisabeth Carmel Moses
Kristen Ann Pittard
Monica Aileen Ritar
Susan Mary Robinson
Lindy Rae Robson
Leanne Marie Smith
Jacqueline Kate Storum
Susan Tooes
Teresa Mary Vidray
Bronwyn Gai Waldron
Alison Maree White
Lisa Gai Williams
Susan Faye Williams
Catherine Ellen Winsor

DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (PRIMARY EDUCATION)
Cindy Lee Adams
Maree Dominique Audet
Kim Maree Aurisch
Barry Edward Barlow — with Distinction
Jacqueline Barbour
Vicki Margaret Bilson
Carol Mary Bray
Andrew Warren Brown — with Distinction
Jan Maree Brown
Tracey Buckland
Janine Mary Chandler
Philip Cooke
Jan Dickinson
Kristine Louise Dom
Susan Fay Doyle
Lisa Golledge
Catherine Margaret Gordon
Susan Mary Hawker
Jennifer Ann Heggs
Wayne Mark Hellier
Donna Muriel Hemingway
Norman John Henderson
Ralph Martin Hieke
Carla Holmes
Lesley Elaine Holmes — with Distinction
David Russell Kelly
Catherine Mary Kidd

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)

Wendy Joy Currell
Robyn Lynne Henderson
Julie-Anne Kay
Margaret Kennedy
Robyn Louise Kitcher
Megan Louise Krisenthal
Toni Maxine Lyons — with Distinction
Joanne McCloskey
Christine Louise Notley
Ruth Peters — with Distinction
Natalie Shaw
Meredith Joy Wakeman
Susan Patricia Westacott
Gwendoline Olive Williamson
Margaret Lesley Wright

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(HOME ECONOMICS EDUCATION)

Janelle Gaye Allen
Joan Linda Anderson
Kaveri Apana
Lisa Gay Beacher
June Lynette Bishop
Jennifer Bradshaw
Jennifer Joy Bradstock
Jennifer Nerida Ann Brine
Tracey Anne Burley
Louise Marie Butcher
Phillipa Byrne
Kay Margaret Clifton
Karen Collinson
Leza Maree Cooper
Margaret Bernice Cumines — with Distinction
Carla D'Amico

Ann Denise Daskein
Denise Ann Donne
Jean Yvonne Duffy
Joanne Maree Edwards
Elizabeth June Galvin
Anastasia Giansac
Eva Irene Gibson — with Distinction
Kay Gordon
Christina Michelle Grimison
Michelle Jeanette Gunning
Rosalind Jill Hammond
Jennifer Mary Hayden
Beverley Rhonda Hopkins — with Distinction
Beverley Kay Hughes
Katrina Gaye Ibbotson
Elizabeth James
Wendy Leigh King
Julie Anne Lister
Lorraine Isabel Lodge — with Distinction
Joan Elizabeth Luckie
Anna Maddick
Vincenzina Magics
Kim Elizabeth McArthur
Michele Margaret McDonald

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (PRIMARY EDUCATION)

Linda Elizabeth Antaw
Marian Crowley
Janet Dobbie
Catherine Donna Donald
Suzanne Vicki Farmer
Linda Ruth Green
Ruth Margaret Hellyer
Mark Phillip Henderson
Deborah Mary Johnston
Beverley Jones
Linda J an Miller
Michelle Lee Mockovic
Catherine Charmaine Morton
Tania Joy Morton
Ruth Frances Mulholland
Rebecca Jane Murphy
Cheryl Ann Murray
Susan Gail Parker
Penelope Anne Potts
Alison Barbara Preston
Jennifer Elizabeth Reed
Lynette Richardson
Rhonda Alice Shepherd
Lynley Joy Slattery
Dorothy Helen Smith
Patricia Nola Smith
Kaeren Anne Sutherland
Christine Anne Terrill
Maureen Dianna Thomas
Judith Mary Utlick — with Distinction
Lee Walsh
Christine Robyn Williams
Diane Margaret Wilson
Susan Gai Woodcock
David John Palmer
Helen Maureen Scott
Janelle Maree Spicer
Lorraine Gai Thomas
Jennifer Ann Vanderjagt

GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES
(ADULT SPECIAL EDUCATION)
Deborah Anne Cremen
Barbara Joyce Kauter
Graeme Ross

GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES
(SPECIAL EDUCATION)
Peter Gregory Ayliffe
Brendan Anthony Barber
Melinda Anne Colley
Shirley May Creek
Nicole Margaret De Mestre
Norman Douglas Elvidge
Cassandra Clare Farrell —
with Distinction
Michael Neville Frost
Ronnie Otto Gajewski
Beverley Clare Holden
Paul Terence Hunt
Deone Lillian King

GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATION
(SECONDARY EDUCATION)
Nicole Avard
Michele Georgina Bailey
Deborah Therese Blacktop
Alan James Blue
Lisa Ann Crosscombe
Barry Paul Farrell
Anthony Peter Frost
Susanne Fulton
Christina Louise Gardner

Elizabeth Ann Sutherland
Karen Michelle Tollard

GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF EDUCATION
(TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION)
David John Batey
Catherine Frances Brindle
Alan Byrne
Bruce John Carpenter
William Robert Collins
Paul Mark Dalziel —
with Distinction
Luvisoura Ranjith Shirley De Silva
Karunasekara
Warwick Dean Ford —
with Distinction
Graeme Fullick —
with Distinction
Brian James Grennan
Stephen George Lee
Peter William Long
Carole Margaret Obre —
with Distinction
Anthony Charles Outteridge
Ian Henry Shaw

Tanya Christine Walsh
Belinda Jane Watson

Anne-Marie Hinde
Robin Ann Jones
Kerri Brita Kennewell
Anita Michelle Kwong
Paul Joseph Maher
Joanne Caroline Maier
Nicholas Anthony Moore
Lee-Anne Judith Parkes
Jayne Leanne Pinkerton
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Organist: Michael Dudman

JOHN FRANCIS MINER

Presented for admission to the Honorary Degree of Master of Law by the Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Commerce, Dr. W.C. Dunlop

Chancellor,

Omnia vince labor improbus remarked Virgil. In the case of Mr Miner, O.A.M., whom we present today for the degree of Master of Laws honoris causa, his career abundantly shows the truth of the eminence achieved by hard work and also the improbus, harsh or overbearing nature of it, when as a clever young man with no money, he surmounted the need to do everything the hard way.

Born in New Lambton, he completed a successful scholarship at St Joseph's, Hunters Hill, rowing in the College VIII and playing in the Second XV. Intent on a career as a schoolmaster, he found the expense of living away from home in the inflation-ridden, post-war Sydney of 1946 beyond his family and himself. This was an RSL age, when school leavers were told to move over and wait in the queue for their 'ex-service' betters' to become qualified and settled, so he also found no accounting firm at home willing to engage him in his second chosen profession. However, he was told that the optometrist Beresford Daley was in need of an apprentice. Thus began a distinguished professional career, and in the hardest possible way; the necessary academic qualifications could only be acquired at Sydney Technical College. After a day in Mr Daley's workshop, an evening trip to Sydney followed on four nights a week; for the return trip young John had to wait for the midnight paper train, reaching home at 5.30 a.m. just in time for a bath and breakfast before going to work. Oppressed modern youth takes vengeance on society by vandalism; John Miner took his on the Rugby field at weekends! But long hours of reading textbooks, while waiting at Central and in the train, enabled him to acquire his A.S.T.C. with some distinction and to adopt the profession in which he has won great eminence.

From Rugby came equally important opportunities. In 1950 his heavy professional burden in building up a practice and raising a family denied him first-class play, because of lack of time for training. Well respected as a capable and fair player, he then turned with enormous success to refereeing. His achievements in this are legendary, and his contribution to Newcastle, N.S.W. Country and Australian Rugby in this field are unparallelled. In the process he has become an international authority on the laws of the game, their history, and their purposes and design. If anyone might in Australia claim to be a master of the Jurisprudence of Rugby, then it would be John Miner.

It is a melancholy truth which we see constantly confirmed by our media minders that nothing important is allowed to happen in Newcastle. Members of the University have often found that their presence here
rather than in Sydney or Canberra prevents their message being heard, or their achievements noticed and recognised. John Miner's achievements remind us not so much that Pericles was right in saying that the whole earth is the sepulchre of famous men, but rather that any part of the earth can be a nursery of famous men. Thus it has been with Newcastle and John Miner.

Not merely has John deserved our salutations for such contributions to his profession and the sporting and community life of Newcastle, but he also deserves our grateful acknowledgement of his commitment and service, not only to University Rugby and sport generally, but to the whole idea of a University in this city. It is rightly remarked, that though the Duke of Wellington's mother was asked to remove him from Eton — a happy circumstance allowing him to top a French military academy — all his life the Duke sought to advance Eton and Etonians. In the same spirit, John Miner, denied a University education in his youth by post-war circumstances, has lavished love and care on the development of University life in this city.
DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Nina Ann Algie
Gary Armstrong — with Distinction
Belinda Maree Barwell
Annette Heather Booth-Jones
Stephen John Clayton
Donna Lee Crowe
Cesare Anthony D’Amico
Cheryl Anne Denny
Darlene Jean Eastman
Warren England
Scott Crawford Fairlie
Suzanne Michelle Frost
Robyn Maria Habraker
Helen Joyce Henderson
Kim Maree Hill — with Distinction
Gregory John Hollis
Declan Albert Horan
Geoffrey Horsley
Charles Alexander Jefferies
Konrad Kandlbinder
Colin Lambert
Joanne Eileen Lane

DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION)

Brenda Lee Baker — with Distinction
Arna Bleakley
Rhonda Bobako — with Distinction
William Andrew Bullman
Anne Bunt
Neville Kenneth Charmers
Jeffrey Crichton
Warren John Cumming
Moira Dalla
Sue-Ann Eather

DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Jason Edward Luckett
John Douglas McAuley
Susan Maree McKinnon
Susan Therese McMurray
Kenneth Peter Milner
David Sheldon Moore
Leah Joanne Mowatt
Margaret Maree Robinson
Peter Charles Robson
Rachel Rose
John William Seacombe
Noel Patrick Smith — with Distinction
Neryle Smurthwaite
Gerald Wayne Squires
Bridget Rosemary Toon
Mandy Anne Tooth
Jeffrey Vanderwyk
Janelle Maree Wilson
Thomas Raymond Wilson
Peter Whittaker — with Distinction
James Edward Winder
Frank Klaus Zart

DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION)

Michael John Ellis
Ruth Fay
Margaret-Sue Finlayson — with Distinction
Mark Stuart Graham
Ross Hartley
Michelle Hermis — with Distinction
Keith Muir Jensen
Stewart Lindsay Kenworthy
Julie Kubus
Kathleen Joyce Lawson

DIPLOMA OF TEACHING (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Mark Joseph Lewis
Jeffrey Lance Livingston
Neil Alexander MacPherson
Lindsay Dianne Marshall — with Distinction
Judith Martin
Lorraine McEwan — with Distinction
Louise Ellen McLean
Helen McLoughlin
Antonia Mereles
John David Michael
Robert Anthony Mills
Allan Bruce Montgomery
Greggory Morris

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ART EDUCATION)

Selina Nicole Ash
Rowena Thea Booker
Helene Elise Nicole Bruncher
Samantha Leigh Case
Jamie Cole
Trinite Jane Colette
Neville George Dawson
Belinda AnneDouglass
Scott Ronald Eastment
Lisa Ann Gibson — with Distinction
Robert George Gillett

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ENGLISH/HISTORY EDUCATION)

Gillian Bishop
Robyne Ann Calabria — with Distinction
Julie Ann Cutbush — with Distinction
Patricia Anne Giltinan
Carolyn Ruth Hayman
Catherine Anne Martin

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ART EDUCATION)

Louise Carroll Greenwood
Louise Annette May Halpin
Giselle Simone Penn
Alison Margaret Peters
Anne Rachelle Pitcher
Anne Talei Robinson
Pauline Elizabeth Ryan
Lisa Ann Simpson
Maree-Louise Smith
Sharon Odette Sopher
Michael Frederick Wilkins

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ENGLISH/HISTORY EDUCATION)

Gregory James O’Keefe
Helene Maree O’Neill
Margaret Frances O’Neill
Roger Geoffrey Pryor
Peter Anthony Quinn
Stephen Rippon
Sue-An Tassell
Kellie Louise Wright
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(INDUSTRIAL ARTS EDUCATION)

Uve Edward Anderson
John Samuel Appleton
Jeffrey Charles Baker
Laurence Edward Baker
Wayne Richard Baker
Shane Maurice Baldwin
Ronald James Ballard
Mark Jason Bassett
Michael Gary Beaton
Richard Leslie Bennett
Paul Gualtiero Bordignon
Philip Bridgeman
Anthony John Brown
Steven Rodney Brown
Kevin Franklin Bull — with Distinction
Mark Andrew Cameron
Peter John Chapman
Ian Bruce Corby — with Distinction
Peter William Coulter
Kenneth Noel Coyte
Neil Davies
Richard Earl Dibley
Barry Dobson
Michael Joseph Duggan
Gavin James Fletcher
Peter John Fordham
Steven John Foxwell
Peter John Gallagher
Glenn Anthony Grimmond
James Hall
Stephen Christopher Hick
Graeme Joseph Hubbard
Sydney Ronald Jakies
Stephen Robert Jones — with Distinction
Andrew David Kelly
Terry William Kouwenhoven
Stanko Kovac
Livj Denis Krevatin
Ty Liversedge
Bradley Harold Main
Neil Lindsay Marshall
Bradley John Milburn
Edward James Morgan
John Anthony Morrell
Paul Robert Moylan
Peter Kirwan Palmer (Posthumous)
Leonard Charles Paproth
John Victor Parker
Michael John Parker
Wayne Richard Poulter
Brian John Ragius
Wesley John Randall
Garren Brett Robinson
John Rutkay
Grant Rohan Semmler
Gregory James Sheen
Steven John Somerset
Terrence Clive Stanger
Mark Stariha
David John Strong
William Thomas Sykes
Peter William Taylor
Kevin Roy Thomson
Stephen Allan Threlfo
Anthony John Veale
Curtis George Whatham
Craig Bertram Whelan
Raymond William Whelan
Frank James Wrightson
Iain James Yule

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(MATHEMATICS EDUCATION)

Julie Anne Brooke
Justin Terence Byrnes
Judith Costley
Rae Pamela Doak
Michael David Garaty — with Distinction
David Robert Elliott
Lance John Miller
John Matthew O'Brien

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(PHYSICAL EDUCATION)

Karen Joan Barbey
Brendan Michael Barrett — with Distinction
Phil Christiansen
Elizabeth Tracy Cohen
Louise Yvette Cohen
Terry Leonard Coombes
Jacqueline Ann Ellis
Edward Anthony Martin Groughan
Catherine Ruth Hall
Richard James Harman
Julie Ann Hutcheson
Anne Maree James
Natalie Allison Johnson
Clive Martin Jones
Mark Sean Jones
Ralph Joseph Maier
Robert Roy McHarg

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(SCIENCE EDUCATION)

Susan Maree Brown
John Dalessandro
Graeme Scott David Dunn — with Distinction
Gregory Thomas Ferguson
Colleen Gilroy

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(POSTHUMOUS)

Leonard Charles Paproth

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(Posthumous)

Peter John Smith
Kylie Samantha Tassell

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(ENGINEERING)

David John McMahon — with Distinction
Wayne Patrick Mullavey
Kellie Louise Murphy
Mark Francis Ogilvie
Albert Papichio
Shelley Joan Parker
Peh Phillip Peng Hock
Nicole Lee Piper
Elizabeth Louise Robson
Sonia Gai Sparre
Leanne Margaret Talbot
John Michael Tobin — with Distinction
Peter Daniel Vanderpoel
Rosemary Ellen Wilkinson
John Graham Wright

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(NURSING)

Linda Irene Henderson — with Distinction
Margaret Anne Lang
Michael John Lennon
Dale Roxanne Loveday
Ralph William McIntyre
Peter Craig Parkinson  
Jeffrey George Piggott  
with Distinction  
Brett Scott Price  
Therese Helen Rankin

Karyn Louise Robertson  
William David Thompson  
Frank Heyman Walter  
Andrew Stuart Watts

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION  
(SOCIAL SCIENCES EDUCATION)

Ian Andrew Backhouse  
Amanda Joy Cowen  
Robyn May Cox  
Kathryn Louise Hooper  
Shane Kelly  
Joanne Marie Lawrence  
Jennifer Eva Mary McEwan

Nancy McFadyen  
Darren James Mitten  
Glenn Jeffrey Newell  
Cathie Louise Ott  
Nicholas James Wall  
Stuart Bruce Webster — with Distinction

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION  
(Technical and Further Education)

Patrick Charles Beckitt  
Jeanne Kathleen Boote  
Walter Cameron  
Kaylene Connor  
Raymond Lindley Dupen  
Carol Ann Mackee  
Kevin Reginald McNamara

Kathryn Maree Mead — with Distinction  
Davina Helen Parkinson  
Gordon Douglas Price  
Margaret Phoebe Unwin — with Distinction  
Thomas Mark Wallis  
James Arthur Wiseman

PRIZES

FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE

The Board of Architects of NSW Prize — Michael Joseph Ostwald
The N B Pitt - RAIA Newcastle Division Prize — Tan Chye Hin
The Neville Clouten Architectural Synthesis Prize — Christopher Charles Tucker
The RAIA Annual NSW Chapter Prize — Michael Joseph Ostwald
The Sydney C Morton Prize — Michael Joseph Ostwald
The Newcastle Gas Company Prize — Chan Hou Thong

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

The Psychology in Education Prize — Neville John Schofield
The Institute of Educational Research Prize — John Maurice Schiller
The Margaret Auchmuty Prize — Neville John Schofield
The Department of Education Staff Prize — Susan Elizabeth Carter
The Minor Thesis in Educational Studies Prize — Judith Catherine Smith — Not Awarded

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

The Engineering Fraternity Prize — Neil Andrew Petherbridge
The Australian Water and Wastewater Association (Newcastle Group) Prize — Darren Mark Bailey
The Institution of Engineers Australia (Newcastle Division) Prize — Richard James Mazzaferrri

Department of Chemical Engineering

The Australian Corrosion Association (Newcastle Branch) Prize — Katherine Anne Holmes
The Institution of Chemical Engineers (NSW Group) Prize — Tracey Ann Day
The Newcastle Chemical Engineering Group Prize — Peter Douglas Dennis
The BHP Company Prize in Chemical Engineering — Paul Anthony Jakes
The Spruson and Ferguson Prize in Chemical Engineering — John Lenis Lerch
Department of Civil Engineering and Surveying

The Australian Photogrammetric Society Prize
Darren James Lewis

The Association of Consulting Surveyors NSW Prize in Land Studies
Darren James Lewis

The Board of Surveyors Medal
Darren James Lewis

The Institution of Surveyors Australia Hunter-Manning Group Prize in Surveying
Adam Victor Smith

The Tony Herzog Award
Peter Gordon Ward

The Hunter District Water Board Gold Medallion
Peter Gordon Ward

The James Hardie Water Resources Engineering Prize
Peter Gordon Ward

The ACSE Prize in Structural Engineering
Peter Gordon Ward

The BHP Company Prize in Civil Engineering
David Robert Sparkes
Timothy Ives Harrold

The Hot-Dip Galvanising Prize
Peter Gordon Ward

The Spruson and Ferguson Prize in Civil Engineering
Peter Gordon Ward

The Metal Building Products Manufacturers' Association Prize
Peter Borelli
Navdeep Singh Brah
Anthony Robert Dockrill
Andrew Thomas Jones
Peter Gordon Ward
Damien Richard Zammit

The Astley Pulver Prize for Second Year Surveyors
Trent Matthew Seale

Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

The Purdue Prize in Computer Engineering
Michael Walter Bentink

The Purdue Prize in Circuit Fundamentals
Peter Maxwell Dower

The BHP Company Prize in Electrical and Computer Engineering
Robert Mitchison
Randall John Gallimore

The Digital Prize in Computer Science II
Anthony Colin Murman

The IBM Prize for Computer Engineering
Adriano Bastiani

The Spruson and Ferguson Prize in Electrical Engineering or Computer Engineering
Ross John Hughes

The Institution of Electrical Engineers Prize
Anthony Geoffrey Pomfrett

Department in Mechanical Engineering

The Ernest J Egan Prize
Christopher John Brucki

The Les Gibbs Prize for Creative Design
Matthew Eric Bechly
Gary Raymond Whybin

The Morison Prizes in Mechanical Engineering
Shared

Junior Prize
Paul Raymond Ebert

Senior Prize
Russell James Davies

The W E Clegg Memorial Prize
Russell James Davies

The BHP Company Prize in Mechanical Engineering
Stuart Bruce Lee

The Spruson and Ferguson Prize in Industrial Engineering or Mechanical Engineering
Not Awarded

FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND COMMERCE

The Shell Prize in Economics and Commerce
Donald Lambert Watson

The CJ Chandler Memorial Prize
Helen Louise Symonds

Department of Economics

The Morison Prizes in Economics:
1st Year
Shared
Sally Ann Cowling
Maxwell John Shirley
Jeffrey Robert Mepham

2nd Year
Shared
Joann Yvonne Condon
Tamara Lea Keniry

3rd Year
Shared
Ross Anthony Barry
Annette Elizabeth Beacher

4th Year
Shared
Wylie Douglas Bradford
Anthony Garnett Webber

The Universities Credit Union Prize in Quantitative Methods
Shared
Maxwell John Shirley
Paula Elizabeth Jarvie

The AJ Day Memorial Prize
Quentin John Croft

The Australian Finance Conference Prize
Karen Maree Ongley
Wylie Douglas Bradford

The Economics Society Prize
Shared
Anthony Garnett Webber

The Hunter Valley Social Science Teachers' Association Prize
Annette Elizabeth Beacher

The VW Turnbull Prize in International Economics
Ross Anthony Barry
The Industrial Relations Society of New South Wales Prize for Industrial Relations II
Suzanne Kay Murphy

The Newcastle Branch of the Industrial Relations Society Prize for Industrial Relations III
Mark Francis Herrett

Department of Commerce
The BHP Company Prize in Accounting I
Maxwell John Shirley
Gaylene Dawn Kennedy

The Coopers and Lybrand Prize
Yu Ming Yap

The Universities Credit Union Prize in Commercial Electronic Data Processing
Katrina Louise Logue
Kathryn Louise Saxby

The Corporate Affairs Commission Prize
Shared

The PD Henderson Memorial Prize
Malcolm Luke St Hill
Gaylene Dawn Kennedy

The Tubemakers of Australia Ltd Prize

The Australian Society of Accountants Prizes:
1st Year
Stuart Barry Bailey
Grant Andrew Richardson
Paul Andrew Tattersall
Lisa Jane Phillips
Peter John Bowles

Accounting IIA

Accounting IIIA

The William Forsythe Prize in Auditing
Peter John Bowles

The Bain Company Prize in Business Finance
Not Awarded

The Price Waterhouse Prize in the Diploma in Taxation Studies
Peter John Bowles
Malcolm Luke St Hill
Grant Andrew Richardson

The Institute of Chartered Accountants (Newcastle Branch) Prize in Financial Accounting
Nicolas John Foster

The Commonwealth Bank Prize
Not Awarded

RA Derkenne Prize in Commerce

Department of Mathematics
The Margaret Pitcher Prize in Mathematics I
Teresa Gay Bates

The Margaret Pitcher Prize in Mathematics II
Kerri Anne Hall

The Mathematics Prize in 2nd Year Mathematics
Richard James Mazaferri

The Mathematics Prize in 3rd Year Mathematics
Anthony Colin Murnain

Digital Prize in Statistics and Computing
Peter Maxwell Bower

The Huldah Turner Prize for Mathematics
Prue Elizabeth Sailer
Teresa Gay Bates

The Ivan Lincoln Rose Prize
Anthony Colin Murnain

Department of Statistics
The Statistical Society of Australia Prize in Statistics IV
Stephen Ryan

FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

The Konica Business Machines Prize in Marketing Concepts and Strategies
Kevin John Young

The Commonwealth Steel Company Limited Prize
Gaylene Dawn Kennedy

FACULTY OF MEDICINE

The Australian Medical Association Prize
Penelope Ann Roe

The CIBA-Geigy Prize
Steven James Chadban

FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

The BHP Company Prize in Science
Martin Andrew Ebert

Department of Biological Sciences
The Barry Boettcher Prize in Biology I
Leigh Michael Bennie

The Peter Hendry Prize in Biochemistry
Benjamin John Curry

The Don Angus Memorial Prize
Melissa Nobbs

Department of Chemistry
The Donald Peterson Prize
Martin Andrew Ebert
The Royal Australian Chemical Institute Prize in Chemistry IIIA
Anne Bayada
The RACI Prize in Chemistry IV
Bronwyn Louise Elliott
The Department of Chemistry Staff Prize
Ralph Noel Brown

Department of Geology
The CRA Exploration Mapping Prize
Todd Steven Hutchings
The Edward John Phillips Memorial Prize
Roslyn Pamela O’Sullivan
The Frank Stoddart Prize
Raymond Francis Ramage
The John Fallins Memorial Prize
Rodney Ronald Wetzel
The Irene Vitnell Memorial Prize
Raymond Francis Ramage
The Western Mining Corporation Prize
Raymond Francis Ramage
The Beryl Nasher Prize in Geology I
Not Awarded
The Beryl Nasher Prize in Geology IIA
Richard John Gibson

Department of Physics
The Apollo Commemorative Prizes in: Physics II
Shane Gregory Smith
Physics III or IV
Stephen John Howlett
The Australian Institute of Physics Prize in Physics IV
Robert George Emery
The George Arkla Harle Memorial Prize
Robert George Emery

Department of Psychology
The Australian Psychological Society Prize
Richard Geoffrey Flanagan
The Ivinskiis Memorial Award
Pia Anita Salmelainen
The WH Ward Prize in Psychology
Dean Andrew Sherringham

Institute of Aviation Studies
The Chris Smith Memorial Prize
Mark Geoffrey Thibault
The Ernst & Whinney Prize in Aviation
Donna Lee Porter
The McDonnell Douglas Trophy
John Matthew Maguire
The SHL Aviation Psychology Prize
David Rhys Donnelley
The Boeing Prize for Excellence in Aviation
Gavin Phillip Jones

FACULTY OF ARTS

Department of Classics
The Douglas Ashworth Memorial Prize
Tracey Lee Haydon
The Andrew Dahl Memorial Prize
Not Awarded
The Bart Roos Memorial Prize
Vicki Gail McKenzie
The Classical Civilisation Staff Prize
Paul Francis Wilson
The James King Memorial Prize
Lamprini-Nitsa Panagopoulos
The Ann Lowry Memorial Prize
Michael William Sternbeck
The Hunter District Classical Association Prize
Eleanor Mary Hanks

Department of English
The Newcastle Herald Prizes:
1st Year
Stephen John Williams
2nd Year
Catherine Anne Fuller
3rd Year
Lyndal Matthews
4th Year
Craig Norman Williams

Department of Geology
The PG Irwin Prize
Anthony Robert McKay
The WF Geyl Prize
Lucy Skilbeck

Department of History
The Geoffrey Alan Cranfield Memorial Prize
Suzanne Lorraine O'Connor
The Vicki Jordan Memorial Prize
Not Awarded
The Ruth Higgins Prize
Not Awarded
The Alex Dowling Prize in Labour History
Paul Bryant Mantle

Department of Linguistics
The J & E Fenwick Prize
Rhonda Joy Reynolds
The Ray Cattell Prize
Not Awarded
Department of Modern Languages
French
The Helmore Prize in French IA
Erica Anne Rowley
The Gertrude Helmore Prize in French IIA
Penelope Jane Curran
The Ernest Helmore Prize in French IIIA
Cornelia Elizabeth Dijke
Not Awarded
The Michelin Price Prizes:
French IS
Vicki Drewe
French IIS
Kerry Anne Mills
French IIS
Jennifer Anne Fianagan

German
The Goethe Prize in German Studies
Craig Douglas Shaw
Andrea Elisabeth Pulati
Theresa Anne Roberts
Dirk Gerard Brugman

The German Community Prize
The Germania Club/Goethe Institute Prize

Japanese
The Australian Japan Society in Newcastle Prize
Suzanne Zeltins
Diana Kirsten Mainprize

The Newcastle/Ube Prize
Jamie Scott Evans
Rosemary Lea Lovell
Anne-Louise Channon

Department of Philosophy
The Philosophy I Staff Prize

The Association of Graduates of the University of Newcastle Prize

The Sir Edward Parry Memorial Prize in Religious Studies

ART
Signor A. Dattilo Rubbo Prize
Highest Grade Point Average Amongst Graduates of Bachelor of Arts (Visual Arts) Course
John Paul Cliff

Quota — Jean Wright Memorial Award
Margot Louise Dugan

Encouragement Award for Achievement in the Graduate Diploma in Art Course
Jacqueline Kay Henderson

The Hunter Region Sculpture Prize
Rachael Samuels Memorial Award
Most Promising Student in Sculpture

A.F. Bambach Pty Ltd Prize
Best Final Year Fibre/Art Student across all Art courses
Philippe Ribbons

University of Newcastle Certificate for Associate Diploma in Creative Arts and Crafts
Highest Grade in final Assessment
Alan John Fields

John A. Anscombe Memorial Prize
Best Carving or Sculpture or Construction in Wood
Lindy Jane Bovill

ART EDUCATION
University of Newcastle Certificate for Bachelor of Education (Art)
Outstanding Final Year Student
Lisa Ann Gibson

Fordel Prize
Best Student in Final Year, Jewellery or Silversmith or Goldsmithing
Not Awarded

COMMUNICATION STUDIES
Melinda Moore Memorial Award
Awarded to the Student who has Contributed Most to the Bachelor of Arts (Communication Studies) course
Mark Matthew Crosdale

Westpac Prize for Research in the Bachelor of Arts (Communication Studies) course
Kellie Louise Bisset

Outstanding student in the Research strand of the Bachelor of Arts (Communication Studies) course
Adriana Jennifer Mauric

Cogan Associates Pty Limited Prize
Outstanding Public Relations student in the Bachelor of Arts (Communication Studies) course
Hunter Chapter of the NSW Society of Business Communications Prize
Kellie Louise Bisset
COMPUTING STUDIES
Word Express Computers (Newcastle)
Pty Ltd Prize for Outstanding Final Year Student in the Associate Diploma in Computing Studies course
Ernst and Whitney Prize for Outstanding Performance in Business Applications in the Associate Diploma in Computing Studies course
Michael Gerard Hickey
Magennis James Weate
Athol James Smith
Shaun Michael Keegan
Stephen Alexander Watts

DRAMA
George Hutchinson Memorial Prize for Drama. Outstanding Final Year Student in Drama
Noel Patrick Smith

EDUCATION
J.W. Staines Prize for Diploma in Education (Secondary). Outstanding Final Year Student
University of Newcastle Certificate for Bachelor of Education (Primary). Outstanding Final Year Student
University of Newcastle Certificate for Diploma in Teaching (Primary). Awarded to Highest Grade Point Average
University of Newcastle Certificate for Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood). Outstanding Final Year Student
University of Newcastle Certificate for Diploma in Teaching (Early Childhood). Awarded on Highest Grade Point Average
Elizabeth Ann Sutherland
Eric John Gerard Law
Andrew Warren Brown
Ruth Peters
Ellen Rose Memorial Award: The Mature-Age Student who has shown Outstanding Citizenship and Leadership in the area of Early Childhood
Elizabeth Mary Byrnes
Lindy Rae Robson

ENGLISH
Huldah Turner Prize for English Outstanding Final Year Student
Sue-Ann Tassell

HOME ECONOMICS
Mabel Grady Memorial Prize: First Across all Subjects in Bachelor of Education (External) degree
Eva Irene Gibson
Hunter Home Economics Teachers Association Prize, First Across all Subjects in Bachelor of Education degree
Catherine Charmaine Morton
D. Burton Prize, First Across all Subjects in Diploma of Teaching
Shirley Irene Dalton
University of Newcastle Prize for Home Economics, First in Family and Consumer Studies, Bachelor of Education degree
Catherine Charmaine Morton
Frances Baker Prize, First in Home Science, Bachelor of Education degree
Karen Collinson
Leila Whittle Prize, First in Textiles, Bachelor of Education degree
Eva Irene Gibson
Pauline Clark Prize, First in Food Science, Bachelor of Education degree
Leza Maree Cooper

INDUSTRIAL ARTS
Institute of Industrial Arts (Newcastle Branch) Prize, Industrial Arts Course Year I, General Proficiency
Peter Raymond Huish
Institute of Industrial Arts (Newcastle Branch) Prize, Industrial Arts Course Year II, General Proficiency
Geoffrey Raymond Thick
Institute of Industrial Arts (Newcastle Branch) Prize, Industrial Arts Course Year III, General Proficiency
Graham Richard Cassells
Institute of Industrial Arts Prize, Industrial Arts Course Year IV, General Proficiency
Stephen Robert Jones
Institute of Metals and Materials Australasian Prize, Most Outstanding Materials Science Project by a Year IV Student in Bachelor of Education (Industrial Arts) course
Richard Earl Dibley

MATHEMATICS
Colin C. Doyle Memorial Prize Outstanding Final Year Student
Christopher Anthony Piscopo
MUSIC
The Keith Noake Memorial Prize (Conservatorium of Music) Elizabeth McKeon
University of Newcastle Certificate of Merit for Music, Outstanding Final Year Student Janet Louise Hatfield

NURSING STUDIES
College of Nursing Australia (Hunter Regional Group) Prize, Outstanding Final Year Student in Diploma in Administration (Nursing) Judith Joy Cornish
University of Newcastle Prize for Academic Excellence in the Vocational Discipline of Nursing, Highest Grade Point Average in Diploma in Applied Science (Nursing) course Victoria Christina Wray
Lisa Farina Memorial Prize in Nursing The Highest Mark for the Theory of Nursing Practice Jennifer Louise Burrows

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
The H.W. Gillard Prize for Physical Education, Outstanding Final Year Student John Michael Tobin

POLICE STUDIES
Newcastle Police District Prize, Best Grade Point Average Over Four Years of Course William Leslie Pattison
Police Association of N.S.W. Award Best Research Project William Leslie Pattison

RADIOGRAPHY
Australasian Institute of Radiography N.S.W., Newcastle and District Sub-Branch Prize, Third Year Radiography (prize donated by Hanimex) John Andrew Thomas
Kathy Fitzgerald Memorial Prize Best Grade Point Average over Three Years of Radiography Course John Andrew Thomas

SCIENCE
University of Newcastle Certificate for Diploma of Teaching (Science), First in Final Year Kim Maree Hill
University of Newcastle Certificate for Bachelor of Education (Science) First in Final Year Linda Irene Henderson

SOCIAL SCIENCES
University of Newcastle Certificate for Social Sciences, First in Final Year — Bachelor of Education (Social Sciences) Stuart Bruce Webster
Westpac Bank Prize, Outstanding Final Year Student in the strand of Commerce — Bachelor of Education (Social Sciences) Stuart Bruce Webster

SOCIAL WELFARE
Australian Institute of Welfare Officers Prize, Best Contribution to Welfare by a Final Year Student Shared Carol Dawn Bissett Gary Joseph Jolliffe
University of Newcastle Certificate Best Final Field Practice Performance in Assoc. Dip. Soc. Welf. Michael John Parker
University of Newcastle Department of Social Health and Community Studies Prize, Highest Academic Achievement in Bachelor of Social Science (Welfare Studies) Lynette Iris Wilkinson
University of Newcastle Department of Social Health and Community Studies Prize, Best Contribution to Field Work Practice in Bachelor of Social Science (Welfare Studies) Gayle Francis Tiernan

SPECIAL EDUCATION
Firstchance Prize for Special Education Outstanding Final Year Student Cassandra Clare Farrell
TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION

University of Newcastle Certificate for Diploma in Teaching (TAFE)
Best Grade Point Average
Brenda Lee Baker

University of Newcastle Certificate for Graduate Diploma in Education (TAFE)
Best Grade Point Average
Carole Margaret Obre
Shared
Graeme Fullick

University of Newcastle Certificate for Bachelor of Education (TAFE)
Best Grade Point Average
Kathryn Maree Mead

SPECIAL AWARDS

The Business and Professional Women’s Club of Newcastle Prize
Outstanding Final Year Woman Student with regard to Citizenship, Scholarship and Leadership
To be nominated

Plant and Wildlife Illustration Scholarship (Donated by National Parks and Wildlife Service and Patrons)
Lyndall Keller

William Fletcher Trust Grants for the Development and Advancement of Young Artists
John Turier
Heather Rhodes

THE GREAT HALL

The Great Hall was designed by Architects Ancher, Mortlock, Murray & Woolley, and was the winning entry in an Architectural competition. The Auditorium seats 1,450 people and the stage can accommodate a full Symphony Orchestra. The stepped ceiling of the Auditorium rises to over 19 metres and is lined with Brush-Box timber from the New South Wales north coast. The acoustic screen at the rear of the stage uses similar boarding.

The Great Hall was officially opened on 20 November, 1973. The project cost $1.3 million, more than half of which was donated by the community in response to an Appeal launched by the then Lord Mayor, Alderman Frank Purdue.

The Conn electronic pipe organ was made in the United States of America, and is the only one of its type and size outside that country. A wide range of music, from religious to avant-garde is played on the organ.

The lecterns on the stage were made by the Sydney woodcraftsman Leon Sadubin from Australian Blackwood (Acacia melanoxylon).

Some of the University’s works of art are on display in the foyer and environs of the Great Hall, others are located in the Auchmuty Library and academic buildings.

On the wall to the east of the stage is a stainless steel emblem of the University’s Coat of Arms which was made by the Sydney designer Michael Santry. This was originally mounted above the entrance to the McMullan Building and was relocated in 1979.

The tapestry on the east wall, running between the entry doors, is entitled “The Hunter Tapestry” and was designed and created by Mary and Larry Beeston. It was commissioned by the Friends of the University to commemorate the bicentennial. Its theme is the Hunter Valley and the events which have shaped it over the millenia, including its volcanic origin, the ice age, the inundation by the sea, the arrival of flora and fauna, the coming of man, the coming of the Europeans and what man has done to the valley.

The applique banners over the entrance doors to the Auditorium are by Newcastle artist Rae Richards. The banners facing into the Auditorium represent Arcadia on the left and on the right Academia. From the Foyer the banner over the right hand door is Bright Sun and over the left is Tree of Life.

The stained glass panels over the Convocation Doors at the main entrance into the Foyer were created by A.C. Handel and donated by the Joint Coal Board. They depict the Faculties of the University, and the Coat of Arms of the University and the City of Newcastle.

The large woven tapestry on the Foyer wall opposite the Convocation Doors, by Mary and Larry Beeston, is called Procession and is appropriately based on academic gowns worn at Graduation.
The bronze sculpture on a pedestal in the garden to the left of the main entrance to the Great Hall is by Marilyn McGrath, and is an abstract interpretation of growth from a single cell. It is entitled *Nucellous*.

To the right of the main entrance in the corner of the upper terrace stands a recently acquired work by the late Otto Steen. It is a large head in terracotta and was made available to the University by the artist's widow, Mrs Irene Steen.