



Ellen Dickeson Memorial Award (Associate Degree in Legal Practice (Paralegal))

Prize Name	Ellen Dickeson Memorial Award (Associate Degree)
Prize Value	\$200, a certificate and 1 x complimentary enrollment with the Institute (\$300 value)
Prize Sponsor	The Institute of Legal Executives (Vic)
Prize Description	\$200 1 x complimentary enrollment with the Institute (\$300 value)



Eligibility

Awarded to the most outstanding graduate of the **Associate Degree in Legal Practice (Paralegal)** .

All students who successfully completed the Associate Degree in Legal Practice (Paralegal) in 2019.



Selection Criteria

1. The Program Manager for the Associate Degree in Legal Practice (Paralegal) will nominate up to 5 students who completed the program in 2019. Nominees will be determined based on **outstanding work, contribution and attendance in class and demonstration of the RMIT values** of agility, courage, imagination, passion, impact and inclusion.
2. The nominees for the prize will be required to submit an application in the form of a 3-5 minute video addressing the following areas;
 - a. What area within your industry sector interests you the most and why?
 - b. Share a time you have shown initiative to make a positive impact.
 - c. What skills and attributes acquired through your study can you bring to the workplace that will make a positive impact for your organisation and/or industry sector?
 - d.

A panel of industry representatives will review each video submission and determine one recipient for this category.



Timeline

- Students must have completed the **Associate Degree in Legal Practice (Paralegal)** in 2019.
- Nominees will be notified in April, 2020.
- Students must submit their video application by the deadline to be considered.
- The prize recipient will be notified in May 2019 and invited to attend the Prize Ceremony event to be held in May 2020.
- For monetary prizes, prize recipients will be paid into their nominated bank account before the end of June 2020.