

## **ANZLHS ANNUAL PRIZE IN LEGAL HISTORY**

1. The purpose of the Prize is to acknowledge and advance work in the field of legal history in relation to Australasia.

### **The Award**

2. The Executive of the ANZLHS will award the prize to the author or authors whose published book, essay, or article has, in the judgment of the ANZLHS Executive, made the most significant contribution to the field of legal history in relation to Australasia since the award of the last prize.

### **Eligibility**

3. In order to be eligible authors must be a current member of the ANZLHS.
4. Eligible authors includes those who write in the field of legal history in Australasia (broadly defined). In any cases of uncertainty as to eligibility, the decision of the Executive of the ANZLHS as to whether a work qualifies for the award is final.
5. In order to be eligible, the award must bear a publication date of the calendar year immediately prior to the year in which the award is to be made. For example, if the award is made in 2016, the publication must bear the date 2015.

### **Administration and Adjudication**

6. Nominations can be made by anyone. Nominations must be in writing. Nominations must be sent to both the current President and the current Secretary of the ANZLHS.
7. The award will be judged by the current Executive of the ANZLHS. For these purposes the Executive comprises the President, Vice-President, Australian Treasurer, New Zealand Treasurer, Immediate Past President, Secretary and the Editor of *Law&History*.
8. The Executive may delegate any tasks with relation to this award to other persons.
9. The Executive decision will be made by a majority vote and will not be open to review.
10. Where a member of the Executive has been nominated for the award, that member will abstain from voting on the award and will not be present when the Executive is considering the nominations.
11. The submission of nominations for the first prize must be made by 30 October 2016. The award will be announced in December 2014. Nominations are to be sent by email to [Libby.Connors@usq.edu.au](mailto:Libby.Connors@usq.edu.au) or [pamela.oneill@lexisnexis.com.au](mailto:pamela.oneill@lexisnexis.com.au).