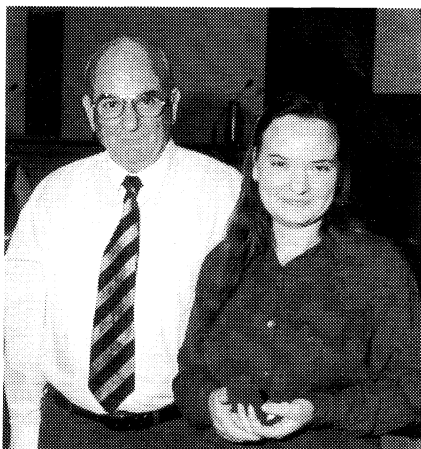


# NTU SCHOOL OF LAW PRIZE NIGHT

A crowd of well over a hundred people packed Court Room One in the Supreme Court on Wednesday evening 3 May. The occasion was the annual School of Law prize night.

The evening was presided over by the Dean of the Faculty of Law, Business and



Chief Justice Brian Martin presented the Supreme Court Medal to Emily Caldwell.

Arts, Ms Suzanne Oliver. Also in attendance was Chief Justice Brian Martin, Minister for Higher Education, Mr Chris Lugg and University Vice Chancellor, Professor Ron McKay.

In her welcoming speech the audience, Ms Oliver noted the excellent publication record of the School over the past year and its involvement in projects such as the training of a new judiciary for East Timor. In particular, Ms Oliver thanked the retiring Director of the Centre for South East Asian Law, Professor Jesse Wu (who resumes full time duties within the Law School), and welcomed the incoming Director of the Centre, Dr Christoph Antons.

The School of Law awards prizes to the students who top each of its subjects. Various firms, chambers, government departments and individuals generously donate the prizes, usually cash or a book, (and of course the law book publishers) as does the Law Society.

Following the presentation of prizes the party adjourned to the Supreme Court

foyer where wine flowed in celebration to the sounds of a wind quintet. The School of Law is grateful to the Supreme Court Access Committee for the opportunity to utilise the court facilities for this occasion

Prize night is also the occasion of the awarding of the annual Attorney General's Medal and Supreme Court Medal. The Attorney General's medal is awarded each year to the student who obtains the highest grade point average over the whole course of their studies while the Supreme Court medal is awarded to the student who, in the judgment of the School of Law of the Northern Territory University, has demonstrated outstanding professional promise though scholarship, character and leadership.

This year the Attorney General's Medal was awarded to Ms Amy Williamson who graduated the following Friday night along with thirty eight other law graduates. Amy was awarded a Bachelor of Laws with Second Class Honours

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