



OTAGO
POLYTECHNIC
Te Kura Matatini ki Otago

Graduation.

Friday 12 March 2010.

Welcome to the Otago Polytechnic Graduation Ceremony.

**Nau mai ki te whiwhika tohu mātauraka
o Te Kura Matatini ki Otago.**

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New Zealand National Anthem

TRANSLATION

E Ihoā, Atua
o ngā Iwi mātou rā
āta whakarongona;
Me aroha noa.
Kia hua ko te pai:
Kia tau to atawhai;
Manaakitia mai
Aotearoa.

*O Lord Jehovah,
God of all,
Listen to our humble plea
As we meet in love.
May your good grace be upon us;
May good things abound;
Defend and protect
New Zealand*

God of Nations, at Thy feet
in the bonds of love we meet;
hear our voices, we entreat
God defend our free land!
Guard Pacific's triple star
From the shafts of strife and war,
Make her praises heard afar,
God defend New Zealand!

Order of Ceremony

> Friday 12 March 2010

The audience is requested to rise as the Official Party enters the Town Hall.

KARAKA, MIHI MAIŌHĀ

Dr Khyla Russell

Mr Huata Holmes

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Graham Crombie BCom (Otago), CAPP – *Chair of Otago Polytechnic Council*

PRESENTATION OF ACADEMIC AWARDS

Academic Awards will be read by Heads of Department/School/Programmes and presented by the Chair of Council and the Chief Executive.

Postgraduate Degrees, Diplomas and Certificates

School of Nursing

School of Occupational Therapy

Degrees

School of Applied Business

School of Design

Educational Development Centre

School of Information Technology

Otago Institute of Sport and Adventure

School of Nursing

School of Occupational Therapy

Diplomas and Certificates

School of Applied Business

School of Architecture, Building and
Engineering

Central Otago

School of Natural Resources

School of Foundation Learning

School of Hospitality

School of Information Technology

Otago Institute of Sport and Adventure

School of Social Services

School of Veterinary Nursing

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PRESENTATION OF SPECIAL STUDENT AWARD

Special Student Award will be announced by the Master of Ceremonies and presented by the Chief Executive.

GRADUATION ADDRESS

Gary Tairaroa – *Chief Executive Officer, Enabling New Zealand Limited*

STUDENT REPLY

Meegan Cloughley – *Otago Polytechnic Students' Association President*

THE NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEM (First Verse)

in Māori and in English – *printed at the front of this booklet*

The audience is requested to stand as the Official Party leaves the Town Hall.

Karaka and Mihi Maiōhā



On January 28, 2004 Otago Polytechnic signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Papatipu Rūnaka ki Arai-Te-ūru (Moeraki, Puketeraki, Ōtākou and Hokonui). Since then there has been much progress in strengthening the relationship between the Papatipu Rūnaka and the Polytechnic. As part of this relationship Kai Tahu have been invited to participate in Graduation Ceremonies. Since March 2007, Otago Polytechnic Graduation Ceremonies commence with Karaka and a Mihi Maiōhā.

The purpose of the Mihi Maiōhā is to greet, in Māori, all visitors and all graduands to this place, while also acknowledging Kai Tahu's place in the Otago Polytechnic Graduation Ceremony. A Mihi Maiōhā is not surrounded by the formality of powhiri and differs from Mihi whakatau in that this ceremonial begins and ends with the woman's or women's voice through karaka (or karanga in Northern dialect).

The Mihi Maiōhā will contain an element of the recitation of the landscape and our tūpuna (ancestral names within it). It will briefly welcome all those attending the graduation to the place of those ancestors and will acknowledge that it is an honour for Kai Tahu to have been invited to participate in the graduation ceremony.

Following the Maiōhā there will be a waiata kī naki (song of support for the Maiōhā) E tu Kahikatea sung by staff and it will end with the karaka once more to signal its closure.

E tu Kahikatea

E tu kahikatea	Stand tall and firm like the kahikatea tree
Hei mau whakapai ururoa	Grasp all the good things
Awahi mai awahi atu	Support each other
Tātou tātou e	For each other

E tu e puriri	Stand steadfast like the puriri
Kaua takoto, kia reri	Do not be laid down, be in readiness
Awahi mai awahi atu	Support each other
Tātou tātou e	For each other

Awahi mai awahi atu	Support each other
Tātou tātou e	For each other

Postgraduate Degrees, Diplomas and Certificates



School of Nursing

Head of School – L Kinniburgh RN, BA(Otago), MN(Otago Polytechnic)

Master of Nursing

Maria Therese Stapleton (D)

Postgraduate Certificate in Professional Nursing Practice (Acute/Intensive Care)

Sheryl Ann Al-Qahwaji

Florian Benjamin Emil Schmidt (M)

Olivia Rose Deaker (M)

Angela Emma Tagg (D)

Amanda Lynne Harris (D)

Anna Mary Wallace (D)

Jessica Ulrike Sanford (D)

Postgraduate Certificate in Professional Nursing Practice (Mental Health)

Kerry Helen Cross (M)

Matthew Selwyn Hamblett (D)

Narissa Jane Mannix (M)

Paul Anthony Driver (M)

Karolina Maria Haswell

Ian William Smith (M)

Eileen Sheryl Evans

Shona Kaye Jackson (M)

Postgraduate Certificate in Professional Nursing Practice (Neonatal Intensive Care)

Lynette Anne Joyce (D)

Maree Leanne Paton (D)

(D) – *With Distinction*, (M) – *With Merit*

School of Occupational Therapy

Head of School – J Herkt MHSoc(Hons)(Auckland), DipOT(Wellington), NDAEdT(L5), NZROT

Master of Occupational Therapy

Jillian Robin Ford (D)

Susanne Elizabeth Keller (M)

Postgraduate Diploma in Occupational Therapy Practice

Kristi Mae Carpenter (M)

Sarah Elizabeth Ritchie

Mary Leonora Culver (D)

James Christin Sunderland (D)

Jill Diane Edwards (D)

Catherine Mary Swift (D)

Sarah Maree McDonald

Postgraduate Certificate in Adaptive Design

Tania Adair Allan Ross

Postgraduate Certificate in Occupational Therapy Practice

Gilberto Flores Azuela

Abbey Elizabeth Patton (M)

Melissa Jane Lamond (M)

Amy Elissa Prouse (M)

Carmen Dawn Lobb

Linda Christine Shaw (D)

Bronwyn Sarah McManus (M)

Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)

Kylie Jane Dodds (Second Class Honours – Division 2:1)

Rosalind Louise Jennings (Second Class Honours – Division 2:2)

Aften Annette Lyttle (Second Class Honours – Division 2:1)

(D) – *With Distinction*, (M) – *With Merit*

Degrees



School of Applied Business

Head of School – K Lion MBA, PGDipMgt, DipTchg

Bachelor of Applied Management (Innovation and Entrepreneurship, and Strategic Management)

Alison Ngairita Banks

Stuart Sinclair North

Bachelor of Applied Management (Food and Beverage Management)

Kristie Louise Hanley

Bachelor of Applied Management (Human Resource Management)

Kerry Maree Shea

Bachelor of Applied Management (Innovation and Entrepreneurship)

Adair Denise North

Bachelor of Applied Management (Strategic Management)

Tania Marie Henare

Malcolm Stuart Lawson

Piriwiritua Edward Rurawhe

School of Design

Head of Programmes – C Terpstra BAppMgt, NZDipBus, NZIM Diploma in Management, DipHsc (Otago)

Bachelor of Design (Communication)

Greta Recoules

Bachelor of Design (Fashion)

Leanne Janette Wild

Educational Development Centre

Team Manager – T Marler BVSc, (SQydney), GradDipEd, (Uni SA), GradCertFL (Uni SQ)

Graduate Certificate in Tertiary Learning and Teaching (Level 7)

David Rex Maslin

Helen Clare White

Jeanette Marie Rudd

Ruth Eunice Wilson-Salt

School of Information Technology

Head of School – L Smith BSc(Otago), BInfoTech(Otago Polytechnic)

Bachelor of Information Technology

Sik On Kong

Otago Institute of Sport and Adventure

Head of School – C Morland DipPhEd(Otago), MPhEd(Western Australia), Dip Tchg(Sec)

Graduate Diploma in Physical Conditioning (Level 7)

Marian Louise Baxter

School of Nursing

Head of School – L Kinniburgh RN, BA(Otago), MN(Otago Polytechnic)

Bachelor of Nursing

Joanna Maree Stirling

Danielle Mary-Anne Turnbull

School of Occupational Therapy

Head of School – J Herkt MHSc(Hons)(Auckland), DipOT(Wellington), NDAEdT(L5), NZROT

Bachelor of Occupational Therapy

Elizabeth Heather Anderson

Ella Frances Hoare

Jamie Lea Schipper

Carolyn Maree Ash

Vicky Anna Jackson

Melissa Jane Sherlock (M)

Emma Christina Blair Bishop

Anita Louise Jacobs

Emma Jane Smith

Jennifer Rae Brown

Kylie Ann James

Darya Solomkina

Elizabeth Judith Cook

Rebecca Jane Lovett (D)

Emma Louise Spiers

Sarah Jean Davie

Whitney Anniss Marett

Emma Michelle Tempest

Jenna Marie Dickson

Natasha Bina Mulligan

Emma Johanna van der Werff

Tiffany Jane Dodds

Natasha Maree O'Brien

Lorraine Ward

Emma Jayne Drake

Kim Stephanie Paterson

Hamish John Wohlers

Janice Mary Farrell

Veronica Kay Paulin

Paula Claire Wood

Sally Mary Hylma Guest

Nikki Lee Pilling

Maria Yvonne Hamelink

Lara Adrienne Sanderson

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Diplomas and Certificates



School of Applied Business

Head of School – K Lion MBA, PG Dip Mgt, Dip Tchg

New Zealand Diploma in Business

Ian Royle Shorter

School of Architecture, Building and Engineering

Head of School – John Findlay NDE (Mech Eng), NDAEdT(L5), NZCE (Mech), ATC

Diploma in Architectural Draughting (Level 6)

National Diploma in Architectural Technology (Level 6)

Daniel James Birtles	Dean Andrew Linklater (M)	David Alister Shand
Mathew Dean Broad	Stewart James MacBeth	Chang Yong Song
Corey John Bruce	Lyndon Craig Ian Marfell	Benjamin David Stace
Bryce David Cromar	James Andrew McInnes (D)	Isaac Andrew Still
Joshua Joseph Dooley	Ryan Gene Newman	Romeo De Asa Villanueva II
Simon Warryn Garth (M)	Hamish Lindsay Peter (M)	Nicholas Andrew White (D)
Justin Barry Hannon (M)	Diana Marjory Reid	
Michelle Katherine Keimig (M)	Jennifer Ruth Ross	

National Diploma in Building Control Surveying (Medium and Large Buildings)

National Diploma in Building Control Surveying (Small Buildings)

Stephen George Hull

National Diploma in Construction Management (Level 6)

National Diploma in Quantity Surveying (Level 6)

Daniel John Curline	Jasmine Saraya Kubala	Matthew Douglas Smith
Bruce Thomas Goodger	Bick Hung Ling	Samuel Neil Thorp
Von Zedlitz Clayton Murray Jackson	Micah Tarn Stephinson Simons	Heng Lip Wong

National Diploma in Quantity Surveying (Level 6)

Kane William Adam	Leroy John Hurring
Luke William Baxter	

(D) – *With Distinction*, (M) – *With Merit*

New Zealand Diploma in Engineering (Civil) (Level 6)

Angus Robert Ballard	Fred Joshua Goodwin	Fraser Alexander Miller
Clinton Robert Beavan	Michael John Harley	Gerard James O'Neill
Benjamin Douglas Boon	Joshua John Hedley	Declan Peter Pearson
Terence Leonard Broad	Ari Robert Jakobs	Michael Richard Pridham
Matthew John Burns	Timothy Allan Joss	Adam Ben Ronald
Robert Pourourangi Choveaux	Andrew Gibson Kerr	Michael John Walding
Dean Mark Elder	Timothy Ronald MacKersey	Morgan McEwen Walsh
Nicholas William Lunn Enright	Peter Hewat Mannerswood	Helen Margaret Wightman
Jamie Alan Galloway	Rodger Benedict McGaw	
Ting Ge	Shannon Leigh McMillan	

Diploma in Mechanical Engineering (Level 6)

Christopher Michael McCombie	Jarrold Mark Stewart	Nicholas William Wadworth
Jean Llewellyn Saurat	Felicity Claire Topp	

Certificate in Carpentry (Level 4)

James Robert Anderson	Taylor James Fiddes	Takuya Murakami
Nicholas Morgan Antunovich	James Samuel Gilbert	Ryan George Perkins
Joseph Alexander Baker	Ryan Clifford Glass	Michael Christopher Rawlings
Thomas Michael Frederick	Cameron John Grave	Jeremy Anthony Ruddle
Bankier	James Robert Griffin	Marc James Russell
Timothy Lester Beck	Matthew Scott Gulbrandsen (M)	Logan Philip Smart
Ashley William Blackler	Jayden Ross Henderson (M)	Kadmilos Somnium
Jarred Robert Buis	Charles John Hendry	Kerrod Charles Spratt
Alexander Reilly Caldwell	Cameron James Gardiner Horne	Ryan John Sutherland
Cole Mathew Chamberlain	Ace James Kelly	Bennett Luke Tattersall
Jamie Nathan Civil (M)	Blair Wilson Kennedy (M)	Blake Quinton Thomas
Jordan Michael Cooper	Karl Andrew Leishman	James Stewart Trendall
Danny Philip Coward	Sophia Leon de la Barra	Logan Michael Wannacott
Samuel William Cross	Thomas Donald John Martin	Scott Alister Ward
Leighton Carl Currie	Jethro William Matheson (M)	Keegan David Watson
Blair Charles Doherty	Michael Jason Colin Mathieson	Damian Stafford Yardley
Joseph Lionnel Duverge	Christopher Edward McDonald	
Max Henry Evans (M)	Scott James McGregor	

Certificate in Electrical Technology (Level 4)

Adam Stuart Campbell	Christopher James Lamb	Christian Peter Robinson
Benjamin Thomas Davidson	Duncan James Managh	Kori Rangi Tuffery
Paisa Jay Johnson	Sam James Robertson	

Certificate in English and Engineering

Hiroki Furuta	Soma Kondo	Takumi Takamura
Ryuichiro Higashitani	Takayoshi Minowa	Kenji Wada
Daiki Iida	Chihiro Oguma	Tatsuya Yamamoto
Toshiaki Ishibashi	Shunsuke Sugioka	

(D) – *With Distinction*, (M) – *With Merit*

Central Otago

Campus Manager – J Tilleyshort BA (Otago), Dip Tchg (Dunedin), MBA (Otago)

Diploma in Viticulture (Level 5)

Marc Raymond James Cooper	Murray Bruce Petrie	Thomas Frank Topping
Robert Leslie Crosbie	James Maurice Redgrave	

Certificate in Stonemasonry (Level 4)

Michael James Dacombe	Jamie Edward Robert McNoe	Reuben John Tait
Duncan James Direen	Shaun David Russell	Glenn Stuart Watson
Adam Gene Kirkman	Matthew Charles Smith	Toby Wheatley

National Certificate in Horticulture (Level 4)

Sreekumar Chellickal Narayanan	Barbara Anne Klee	Kathryn Mary Sutherland
Sajimon Chennamkulathu	Joy Koிக்கattil George	Sunny Thomas
Augusthy	Gandhi Krishnamurthy	Johnson Vattakatchery Chandy
Vikash Khanna Damodaran	Sijo Paul	
Maju Emmanuel	Prasanth Pulingampilly Subramanian	
Sebastian Karuthara Thomas	Sreenath Sreenivasan	

National Certificate in Horticulture (Level 4) Landscape

Brett Anthony Fahy	Emma Alexandra Urquhart
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National Certificate in Sports Turf Management (Level 4)

Tennille Mary Guttery

Certificate in Cookery (Level 3)

National Certificate in Hospitality (Basic Cookery) (Level 3)

Anita Clare Cook (M)	Xukun Ji (M)	Joanne Marie Vendt (M)
Aleisha Ruth Davidson (M)	Emily Susan Johns (M)	Kayleigh Elizabeth Waite (M)
Lisa Nicole Direen (M)	Luke Lewis Knight (D)	

(D) – *With Distinction*, (M) – *With Merit*

School of Natural Resources

Group Manager – J Tilleysort BA (Otago), Dip Tchg (Dunedin), MBA (Otago)

Diploma in Horticulture (Level 5)

Alistair Brian Pegg

Benjamin Paul Thew

Certificate in Arboriculture (Level 4)

David Ian Arthur

Harrison Robert John Hodgetts

Christopher Samuel Smith

Samuel William Bishop

Christopher Donald Hunter

Kenneth Rex Stuart

James Cruikshank

Regan Scott Mooyman

Sarah Ann Wright

Alvar Del Castillo De Aguinaga

David Edward Scrimgeour

Michael Benjamin Flint

Logan James Searle

National Certificate in Horticulture (Advanced) (Level 4) Amenity Horticulture

National Certificate in Horticulture (Advanced) (Level 4) Landscape

Christopher Michael Ferry

Lynley Jane Maxwell

Timothy James Webb

Thomas Nathaniel Keith Grigg

Mark Joseph Styles

National Certificate in Horticulture (Advanced) (Level 4) Amenity Horticulture

George Allan Noel Mackersy

Nooroa Matapo

National Certificate in Horticulture (Advanced) (Level 4) Nursery Production

Nicola Deanne Baines

National Certificate in Horticulture (Level 4) Amenity Horticulture

Gavin Joseph Cox

Jeanette Rosemary Spooner

Brad Alan Stewart

National Certificate in Horticulture (Level 4) Landscape

Samuel James Asplin

Brendan Stephen Simpson

Peter Takacs

National Certificate in Horticulture (Arboriculture) Basic Climber

National Certificate in Horticulture (Arboriculture) Ground Worker

Christopher Gerald Tipper

School of Foundation Learning

Head of School – M Doesburg M Applied Linguistics (TESOL) (Macquarie), BA (Hons) (Otago)

Certificate in Health (Level 4)

Kylie Louise Reedyk

School of Hospitality

Head of School – N Liddy City & Guilds 706/1,2,3,4, GCGI Dip(UK), FInstLM

National Diploma in Hospitality (Management) (Level 5)

Kurt Joshua Anderson	Tracy Ann Keightley	Rebecca Marie Worthington
Wing Cho Cheung	Mariska Tracey Robertson	

Certificate in Cookery (Level 3)

National Certificate in Hospitality (Basic Cookery) (Level 3)

Benjamin John Anderson	Douglas Emmerson Gray	Maree Anne Ravenscroft
Julia Catherine Bell	Brett Thomas Hayes	Rose-Anna Charlotte Saunders
June Bridgeman	Benjamin James Henry	Ly Phech Sok
Chloe Maree Helen Cousins	Nicholas Phillip Jowett-Moore	Laura Alice Still
Frances Margaret Cowan	Jacqueline Alice Lewis	Kelvin John Stokes
Courtne Ellise Evans	Fraser Howison Mackay	Nadine Hope Terry
Zeke Jesse Jacob Glover	Ryan James Olsen	

Certificate in Professional Cookery (Level 4)

National Certificate in Hospitality (Professional Cookery) (Level 4) Patisserie

Sheena Marie Booth	Aimee Lee Lukey	Kristen Lee Ngahua Ngakuru
Lauren Stacey Campbell	Jason Lunn	Zhen Ouyang
Nalinee Chutsethee	Josie Mae MacFarlane	Travis Morgan Pearson
Nicola Elizabeth Dymock	Renee Mercer	Leah Tairi
Christopher Llewellyn Gill	Sarah Anne Mockford	Yan Tong
Jamie Marie Lewis	David Lewis Morgan	Ross Douglas Wilson

Certificate in Professional Cookery (Level 4)

Mary Ann Bishop	James Quentin Phillips
Scott James O'Driscoll	Dyon Alan Ross

Certificate in Professional Restaurant, Bar and Wine (Level 4)

Joshua Ryan McCorkindale	Sharon Lee Oosterbroek
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School of Information Technology

Head of School – L Smith BSc(Otago), BInfoTech(Otago Polytechnic)

Certificate in IT Service and Support

Stacy John Bateman	Matthew James Gordon	Roy William Wright
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(D) – *With Distinction*, (M) – *With Merit*

Otago Institute of Sport and Adventure

Head of School – C Morland DipPhEd (Otago), MPhEd (Western Australia), Dip Tchg (Sec)

Diploma in Applied Sport and Exercise Leadership (Level 5) (Personal Training and Exercise Prescription)

Thomas James Hay

Diploma in Applied Sport and Exercise Leadership (Level 5) (Sport Management and Coaching)

George Anthony Blackmore

Certificate in Applied Sport and Exercise Studies (Level 4) (Personal Training and Exercise Prescription)

Kallan Gregory Crawford

Angela Jane Hancock

Certificate in Applied Sport and Exercise Studies (Level 4) (Sport Management and Coaching)

Catelin Nicol McIvor

Certificate in Outdoor Pursuits (Level 4)

Benjamin Bryce Martin

School of Social Services

Associate Head of School – C Williamson MEd (Counselling) (Otago), MNZAC

Diploma in Applied Social Services (Level 6) (Career Practice, and Disability Information and Provision)

Nicola Phyllis Carol Glenjarman

Diploma in Applied Social Services (Level 6) (Career Practice)

Gerarda Petronella Jacqueline Fogarty

Diploma in Applied Social Services (Level 6) (Counselling)

National Diploma in Counselling (Level 6)

Nicola Anne Maguire

Nina Lise Rivers

Natalie Marguerite Scott

Certificate in Applied Social Services (Level 5)

Simone Hortense Freeman

Certificate in Human Services (Level 4) (Social Services)

National Certificate in Social Services (Level 4)

Sarah Louise Beaumont

Eileen Zena Gerrard

Angela Lee Tait

School of Veterinary Nursing

Head of School – J O’Fee BSc (Zoology) (Otago), NDAEdT(L5), Certificate in Animal Technology (Otago)

National Diploma in Veterinary Nursing

Kathryn Rochelle Baird
Michelle Judy Bush
Haley Patricia Gray
Heather Lisa Gudsell

Sarah Joan Esther Harrison
Kellie Jean McLaughlan
Maree Ann McLaughlin
Pauline Janet McLeod

Shona Isobel Salisbury
Carol Louise Williams

National Certificate in Veterinary Nursing

Nicola Frances Amiss
Elise Susan Margaret Bailey
Natalie June Bain
Maria Cristina Batista
Sophie Elizabeth Begg
Narissa Elizabeth Blakely
Caroline Joy Bromley
Kendra Anne Brown
Heather Kirsty Cameron
Polly Catlin-Maybury
Melissa Cheah
Mabelina Cheah Bao Yu
Sarah Jane Churchouse
Kylee Louise Corden
Abbie Jean Deken
Sonja Rose Dobbie
Arron Edmund Dyer
Alison Gaye Edgar
Amanda Vicki Fahey
Hayley Jay Fisher
Emily Joan Fraser
Lynne Maree Fredericksen
Monique Heather Gaskin
Katrina Jane Gore

Carina Lee Gough
Melissa Jane Graham
Hayley Renee Green
Elizabeth Helen Harker
Erin Andrea Hartshorne
Xshikarna Mary Anne Harvey-
Ryder
Rochelle Valerie Jean
Hawthorn
Nicole Ann Herd
Tara Maree Hopwood Puhia-
Herangi
Jodie Leah Humphries
Hannah Kate Hunsche
Maartje Hyink
Alisha Helene King
Melanie Jayne Knapp
Sahrah Gwendoline Mai
Sarah Rawinia Marr
Tracey Elizabeth Mathewson
Laura Hope McConchie
Samantha Lee McCullough
Emma Jane McKay
Aileen Joy Middlemiss

Deborah Marie Murphy
Ritsuko Niino
Natalia Olerskaya
Jann Catherine O’Reilly
Heather Anne Osborne
Rachel Helen Palmer
Hayley Jade Parker
Annie Rose Perkins
Katrina Shalini Prasad
Alice Rose Rae
Lyane Maree Scarlett
Roanna Keren Scott
Shona Joanne Shortland
Nicola Shirley Smith
Kate Margaret Mary Strain
Tegan Elizabeth Sutherland
Sjaanie Michelle van der Kraan
Sarah Vaughan-Williams
Jasmine Anne Webster
Kylie Dawn Williams
Emma Louise Wingrove
Phillipa Alison Wyley
Melanie Maree Tapiukura Young

Certificate in Rural Animal Technology – Production Animal

Vicky Amanda Baker
Ruth Bashforth
Jessica Moana Clow
Lucy Cullen
Louise Anne Dorking

Juliette Lisa-Jayne McAuley
Megan Edna Mitchell
Karen Jane O’Dea
Judith Lynn Purvis
Shelley Anne Steward

Gemma Elizabeth Turner
Lynnsie Sylvia Walton
Lee Susan Whyte

Special Student Awards



J A Valentine Scholarship

Awarded by Naylor Love to a student of their choice completing the Certificate in Carpentry (Level 4) programme at Otago Polytechnic

Wyatt Devcich

Other Awards



School of Architecture, Building and Engineering

JOHN EDMOND CENTENNIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND (Trustees Executors)

Building student

James Gourley – *Certificate in Carpentry (Level 4)*

NAYLOR LOVE AWARDS

For the best all-round performed students completing their respective Certificate in Carpentry (Level 4) programmes at Otago Polytechnic

Jethro Matheson Matthew Gulbransen Jamie Civil

CENTRAL OTAGO MASTER BUILDERS SCHOLARSHIP

For students in tertiary programmes involved in the building industry

James Gourlay – *Certificate in Carpentry (Level 4)*

NEW ZEALAND DIPLOMA IN ENGINEERING (CIVIL) (LEVEL 6)

For the best performed students studying their respective New Zealand Diploma in Engineering (Civil) (Level 6) programmes at Otago Polytechnic

Blair Matheson – *Year One, full-time*

Angus Ballard – *Year Two, full-time*

Caitlin Donovan – *Year One, part-time*

Helen Wightman – *Year Two, part-time*

BUNKENBURG AWARDS

For the best all-round performed students studying their respective Diploma in Quantity Surveying (Level 6) programmes at Otago Polytechnic

Andre Copeland – *Year One*

Wong Heng – *Year Two*

Central Otago

National Certificate in Horticulture (Level 4)

TOP THEORY STUDENT	Sijo Paul
TOP PRACTICAL STUDENT	
– Otago Farmers Market Trust Prize	Sreekumar Chellickal Narayanan
BEST SPECIMEN COLLECTION	Emma Urquhart

National Certificate in Sports Turf Management (Level 4)

EXCELLENCE YEAR 1	Ben Payne
BEST PRACTICAL STUDENT YEAR 1	Logan Galloway
EXCELLENCE YEAR 2	Tennille Guttery

Certificate in Cookery (Level 3)

OVERALL TOP STUDENT	Luke Knight
DILIGENCE AWARD	Ken Ji

Certificate in Professional Cookery (Level 4) – 1st intake

OVERALL TOP STUDENT	Aidan Dickson
OVERALL SECOND STUDENT	Taro Isayama

Certificate in Professional Cookery (Level 4) – 2nd intake

OVERALL TOP STUDENT	Marivic Bernardo
OVERALL SECOND STUDENT	Andrew Soriano

Special Awards/Scholarships

ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS	Luke Knight	Emily Johns
	Dallas Kennedy	Gandhi Krishnamurthy
HEALTHY SOILS SCHOLARSHIP	Brendan Seal	
NEW ZEALAND CRICKET AWARDS	Phil McGrory	Yuki Waga
D&E/JOHN DEERE SCHOLARSHIP	Ben Payne	
PGG/WRIGHTSONS TURF SCHOLARSHIP	Tennille Guttery	

School of Occupational Therapy

FORD EMERY TROPHY	
For outstanding aptitude in occupational therapy clinical practice	Karline Danks
JOAN WALDEN CUP	
For best all round ability	Rebecca Lovett
NZ ASSOCIATION OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS GRADUATE AWARD	
Awarded to the top academic student	Rebecca Lovett

School of Veterinary Nursing

National Diploma in Veterinary Nursing

MERIAL MERITORIOUS AWARD FOR DIPLOMA IN VETERINARY NURSING	Maree Ann McLaughlin
OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD OF EXCELLENCE	Maree Ann McLaughlin
OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO CLASS	Heather Lisa Gudsell

National Certificate in Veterinary Nursing (Distance)

OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD OF EXCELLENCE, DUNEDIN BLOCK COURSE	Lyane Maree Scarlett
OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD OF EXCELLENCE, WELLINGTON BLOCK COURSE	Jann Catherine O'Reilly
OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD OF EXCELLENCE, AUCKLAND BLOCK COURSE	Natalie June Bain
OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO CLASS	Arron Edmund Dyer

National Certificate in Veterinary Nursing (Full-time)

OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD OF EXCELLENCE	Natalia Olerskaya
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National Certificate in Veterinary Nursing

MERIAL MERITORIOUS AWARD FOR VETERINARY NURSING	Jann Catherine O'Reilly (<i>Distance</i>) Katrina Jane Gore (<i>Full-time</i>)
SHOOF AWARD FOR SURGICAL EXCELLENCE	Arron Edmund Dyer (<i>Distance</i>) Sonja Rose Dobbie (<i>Full-time</i>)

Certificate in Rural Animal Technology

MERIAL MERITORIOUS AWARD FOR RURAL ANIMAL TECHNOLOGY	Lee Susan Whyte
OTAGO POLYTECHNIC AWARD OF EXCELLENCE, SOUTH ISLAND BLOCK COURSE	Karen Jane O'Dea

Academic Dress



The academic dress worn by all graduands participating in the ceremony was designed in 1994 by third year students of the Otago Polytechnic Diploma in Fashion and Design – Richard Moore (winner of the 1998 Smokefree Awards), Rebecca Vorrath and Carmen Shrimpton. By taking a Scottish-style Bachelors gown as inspiration, the designers maintained the traditional Celtic link with Dunedin, while adapting the unique colours and motif from the Otago Polytechnic shield. By combining these two influences, the students established an appropriately traditional but unique and very distinctive look.

The academic dress for Masters graduands comprises the blue gown, together with a satin hood and blue trencher with gold tassel, Postgraduate and Degree graduands comprises the blue gown, together with a satin facing and satin-lined hood, buttoned to the gown at the shoulders and a blue trencher. Honours graduands wear the blue gown together with a satin facing and a satin-lined hood with a blue strip around the edge and a trencher. The colour of the satin facing and hood lining denotes the qualification. Diploma graduands wear the blue gown together with a satin facing, and Certificate graduands wear the blue gown on its own. The sleeves and back yoke of the gowns are edged with gold braid, as is the outside edge of the hood.

Facing Colours

Architecture and Building	<i>Burnished Gold</i>
Art	<i>Silver</i>
Business/Applied Management	<i>Scarlet</i>
Civil and Mechanical Engineering	<i>Independence Blue</i>
Design	<i>Black</i>
Hospitality	<i>Leaf Green</i>
Information Technology	<i>Deep Red</i>
Midwifery	<i>Lavender</i>
Natural Resources	<i>Olive Green</i>
Nursing	<i>Purple</i>
Occupational Therapy	<i>Gold</i>
Social Services	<i>Light Aubergine</i>
Sports	<i>Light Blue</i>
Tertiary Teaching	<i>Cerise Pink</i>
Travel and Tourism	<i>Leaf Green</i>
Veterinary Nursing	<i>Old Gold</i>

The Ceremony



Members of the Council and staff of Otago Polytechnic enter the Town Hall in formal procession and take their places on the stage. The Chair of Council will greet the graduands, friends and guests of the Polytechnic. This is followed by the presentation of the awards.

Awards are presented by the Department/School, with Degrees presented first, each degree graduand being “capped” by the Chair of Council and having their award presented by the Chief Executive. Following the degree ceremony Diplomas and Certificates are then presented alphabetically by Department, with Diplomas read first followed by Certificates. Awards are presented by the Chair of Council. Graduands’ names are all read alphabetically by their respective Head of Department/School.

The Dunedin Town Hall and Organ



The Dunedin Town Hall, which is noted for the quality of its acoustics, has been used for most Polytechnic and University Graduation Ceremonies in Dunedin.

The foundation stone of the Town Hall was laid on 3 March 1928 and the completed building, which cost about £86,000, was opened on 15 February 1930. The entire Town Hall complex was extensively modernised and refurbished between 1985 and 1988.

The organ, which has 3,500 pipes (the largest being 12 metres long), was built in England in 1919 by William Hill & Son and Norman and Beard. Despite its bulk it was at first transported around England for performances in provincial towns and cities. It also played at the British Empire Exhibition held at Wembley in 1924. The Exhibition’s close saw the organ installed in the opera house, Tunbridge Wells until its last shift to Dunedin. The organ was bought for £16,000 by Mr and Mrs A S Paterson, enlarged before being sent to New Zealand and installed in time for the official opening of the Town Hall. Between October 1993 and October 1995 it was completely overhauled and restored.

Photographs



Arrangements have been made with McRobie Photographics Ltd for an individual photograph to be taken of each graduand who crosses the stage at the Graduation Ceremony. Photographs will be taken as degrees are conferred and awards are presented.

These photographs will be available for purchase in the foyer of the Town Hall directly following the ceremony. Frames and mattes with the Otago Polytechnic logo are also available.

Photographs will also be available from McRobie's studio from the Saturday onwards, or alternatively you may write to McRobie Photographics Ltd, quoting the date of the ceremony, the graduate's name and the page number they are listed on in the Ceremony Booklet. It is also advisable to add some extra, helpful details such as: hair colour, any distinctive clothing from the waist up, such as suit or dress colour, tie, jewellery etc.

For further photograph information, contact McRobie Photographics Ltd.

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Organist: Mr Peter Stockwell

Piper: Mr Dugald McKay

Appreciation

Otago Polytechnic is grateful for the interest shown in Continuing Education by the donors of awards acknowledged at this ceremony.



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Mission

To provide excellent life long learning opportunities relevant to our communities.

Key Facts

- 3,550 equivalent full-time students, representing more than 10,000 people in Otago
- A wide range of programmes at postgraduate, undergraduate, diploma, certificate and community level
- Employ 470 full-time equivalent staff in the region of Otago.



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