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ABOUT ROBERT KENNEDY

Robert Terence Kennedy trained as an architect in Manchester and worked in the office of (later Sir) William Holford before joining the new Ministry of Town & Country Planning, working on the reconstruction of war-damaged English towns and the new town development programme. In 1951 he was awarded a CBE for this work.

He resigned from the Ministry in 1955 and had a short stint as a consultant to Holford before coming to New Zealand in 1957 to head the newly established School of Town Planning at The University of Auckland. Robert Kennedy was the first professor of town planning at the University of Auckland. He was central in establishing university-based education for planning.

ABOUT THE GRANT

Te Kōkiringa Taumata | New Zealand Planning Institute (NZPI) Robert Kennedy Research grant recognises excellence in research that achieves a world-class level of success, exemplified by the dissemination of a significant body and depth of work, through peer reviewed publications in international journals, or books, of high repute.

The grant is open to joint research projects. The grant has a value of \$2,000

JUDGING CRITERIA

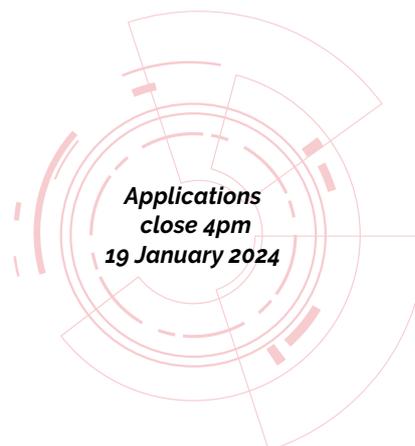
1. How the work has contributed to and enhanced planning in Aotearoa/New Zealand and/or the world.
2. How and in what ways their canon of work has contributed and expanded the theory and practice of planning in Aotearoa/ New Zealand and/or
3. How and in what ways their planning research has been recognised internationally.

The award will be formally presented at the 2024 Annual Conference in Kirikiriroa | Hamilton, 20 – 22 March 2024.

ELIGIBILITY

- The applicant(s) must be an NZPI member(s)

Please note: All applications must be made on this form. Only applications with all the required supporting material will be accepted. Completed applications must be received by 4pm 19 January 2024. The decision of the Awards Committee is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.



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APPLICANT DETAILS

Full name

Address

Phone

Email

NZPI membership status

NOMINATION FORM REQUIREMENTS

CV: Applicants must provide a full CV which demonstrates the width and quality of their research

Work examples: Applicants must submit 3 pieces of work which exemplifies the contribution to the national and international canon of planning research

Statement: In no more than 500 words they must also address the judging criteria.

Please note: If the application is for joint research projects, please provide applicant details and research achievements for all NZPI members involved in the research project.

✓ CHECKLIST

- Eligibility confirmed
- Applicant details completed
- Full CV attached
- Copies of three suitable research pieces

Applications close 4pm 19 January 2024

Please email your application to: Vanessa White,
Events Manager, NZPI,
vanessa.white@planning.org.nz
no later than 4pm 19 January 2024