

DON STRANKS AWARD

Don Stranks was a leading member of the Australian and International Inorganic Chemistry community. Prior to his appointment as Vice Chancellor of the University of Adelaide, Don Stranks had been Professor of Inorganic Chemistry at the University of Adelaide and Professor of Inorganic Chemistry at The University of Melbourne. The Don Stranks Awards commemorate his substantial contribution to inorganic chemistry in Australia, and particularly his nurturing and encouragement of students. The Don Stranks Awards are open to student member of the RACI, and recognize outstanding performance in research within a current PhD candidature. The Awards are made at National Conferences of the Division of Inorganic Chemistry.

Student members of the RACI (or an affiliated society) attending a national conference of the Division of Inorganic Chemistry should indicate that they wish their work to be considered for the Awards when submitting abstracts for posters for the conference. There is a limit of one application per student delegate.

From the applications, a short list of up to six students will be selected, and in addition to their poster presentation, each of these students will be invited to make an oral presentation of their work in a special session in the Conference program.

There will be two Don Stranks Awards which each carry a cash prize of \$300. All students selected to give oral presentations of their work in the Don Stranks Awards session will have their registration costs reimbursed.