Convocation Matilda Award for Cultural Excellence

Individual students or groups of students can be nominated for the award!

Convocation of UWA Graduates, in conjunction with the UWA Student Guild, makes an annual presentation of a cultural award (known as the Convocation Matilda Award) recognising excellence and outstanding achievement in cultural pursuits such as:

Music - Classical, rock, popular, jazz and any other form of music;

Literature & Creative Writing - Fiction, non-fiction, short stories, prose, poetry, and any other form of literature;

Public speaking - Debating, specialised expertise in a foreign language, and any other form of public speaking;

Dance - Ballet, contemporary, ballroom and all facets such as choreography, production and performance;

Visual Arts & Design - Painting, graphic design, textiles, sculpture and any other form of visual art;

Theatre and Television

The Convocation Matilda Award can be presented for excellence in any form of

cultural pursuit.

Nomination may be made on the basis of work as part of a University course or on the basis of participation in arts in the wider community.

The significance of the nominee's contribution either in terms of personal achievement or of contribution to group achievement, at international, national, state and internal and external community levels will be considered.

The award consists of a framed certificate and **$1000**.

Applications must be submitted by **11.59pm** on **29th May 2026.**

For further information and nomination forms contact:

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