

Terms and Conditions- Heritage Bank Photographic Awards 2019

1. The company conducting this promotional competition is Heritage Bank Limited ABN 32 087 652 024. AFSL and Australian Credit Licence 240984 (Heritage).
2. Eligibility: Entries are open to Australian citizens only. Entries are accepted in two categories:
 - a. Open
 - b. Theme (Change)

Entries must be submitted digitally on-line at www.heritage.com.au/photocomp between 9AM, May 1 and 5PM, June 28

3. The digital entry form must be completed by each entrant with a maximum of four images to be submitted by any entrant.
4. To be eligible, images must have been taken within the last 12 months and must not have been previously submitted to these awards.
5. Images should be formatted to JPG format, in RGB colour mode, size no more 2 Mb with a minimum of 3000 x 2000 pixels (or 2000x3000 pixels).
6. Images selected for the exhibition will be printed and framed by the Heritage Bank Photographic Awards organisers. If a higher resolution file is required, the organisers will contact the entrant directly.
7. Images submitted must be the original work of the entrant.
8. Winners will be selected for each of the below awards and will receive the prizes listed under that award;
 - **Overall Winners** – one (1) image from the Open category & one (1) image from the Themed category will be purchased by Heritage Bank and receive:
 - a \$1500 purchase price;
 - their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery; and
 - a Camera House voucher to the value of \$150.
 - **Runners-up** – one (1) image from the Open category & one (1) image from the Themed category will be awarded:
 - A \$750 prize;
 - their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery; and
 - a Camera House voucher to the value of \$100.
 - **Highly Commended** – one (1) image from the Open category & one (1) image from the Themed category will be awarded:
 - A \$350 prize;

- their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery; and
- a Camera House voucher to the value of \$75.
- **Encouragement** – one (1) image from the Open category & one (1) image from the Themed category will be awarded:
 - A \$150 prize;
 - their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery; and
 - a Camera House voucher to the value of \$50.
- **CEO's Choice** – From all entries received one (1) image will be selected by the Chief Executive Officer of Heritage Bank. The image will be purchased by Heritage Bank and receive:
 - A \$500 purchase price;
 - their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery; and
 - a Camera House voucher to the value of \$100.
- **Alwyn Kucks Memorial Award** – one (1) image will be selected from all entries received from entrants residing within a 50km radius of Toowoomba and receive:
 - A \$500 prize;
 - their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery; and
 - a Camera House voucher to the value of \$100.
- **Young Photographer Award** (Group 1: 14-17 years; Group 2: 10-13 years; Group 3: 7-9 years) – 1 image will be selected from each group and receive:
 - A Camera House voucher to the value of \$100;
 - their work displayed at USQ Arts Gallery and
 - a certificate of merit.

9. The total prize pool is \$7,750

10. Judging will be finalised 12PM Friday 12 July. Judges appointed by the organiser will choose the winners. The organiser's decision on all competition matters will be final and no correspondence regarding competition judging or organisation will be entered into.

11. The winners and Top 50 exhibitors will be notified via email, using the email address associated with the entry, on Friday, 19 July. The winners and Top 50 exhibitors will also be publicly announced at the USQ Artworx Exhibition Official Opening Night. The winners and Top 50 exhibitors will be announced online and via social media the business day following the USQ Artworx Exhibition Official Opening Night.

12. The entrant must be the sole owner of copyright on all images entered and must have obtained all (if any) permissions needed to take and publish the picture.

13. Entrants retain the copyright to their image/s at all times, except for the exemptions listed in clause 14 and 15.

14. Heritage reserves the right to exhibit at any place or reproduce by newspaper, book, television or internet without fee, any prize winning or Top 50 photograph(s) selected in the competition for purpose of promoting the Heritage Bank Photographic Awards. Heritage will endeavour to credit the photographer wherever customary and possible, however Heritage will not be liable for any reason if credit is not given. Acknowledgement of the Terms and Conditions on the Entry Form is evidence of photographer consent.

15. Heritage reserves the right to reproduce any image that receives an award that includes a purchase price of the image within the prize for promotional, archival and catalogue purposes.
16. If an image is selected as a winner or Top 50 photograph, entrants agree to their work being displayed on the Heritage website via an embedded Flickr slideshow. As part of this, the image/s will be uploaded onto the Flickr website and will be viewable under strict privacy & permission settings. Flickr users will be restricted from downloading, sharing, commenting or searching for the image(s) and all EXIF data will be hidden. Flickr users will be able to 'favourite' the image/s. Acknowledgement of the Terms and Conditions on the Entry Form is evidence of photographer consent.
17. All entry details, excluding the images, become the sole property of Heritage. Heritage collects your personal information so that it may process your entry, administer this promotion and contact you regarding information on products or services that may be of interest to you, including Heritage Bank Photographic Awards updates. Heritage will use and handle your personal information as set out in its Privacy Policy, which can be viewed at heritage.com.au/privacy-policy or obtained from a branch. The Privacy Policy set outs how you may access, update or correct your personal information, change your direct marketing preferences or make a privacy complaint. You may contact Heritage via the Privacy Officer, Heritage Bank Limited, PO Box 190, Toowoomba, Queensland, 4350, by calling 13 14 22 or by visiting any branch.