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University of Chicago Women’s Business Group creates annual prize for Chicago Booth students

The University of Chicago Women’s Business Group has created an annual prize to be given to an M.B.A. student at the University’s Booth School of Business who is likely to advance the interests and achievements of women.

The prize was announced at the group’s annual meeting January 18.

A Chicago Booth faculty committee will select an annual winner of the \$2,500 prize, which is funded by a gift to the school from the women’s business group. Academic performance and recommendations from faculty, staff and students will be considered during the selection process. Students in Booth’s full-time M.B.A. program are eligible for the prize.

“Booth gives more than 100 student prizes each year to recognize and reward students who have excelled in their studies, thrived in the community, and made substantial strides toward career goals,” said Stacey Kole, deputy dean of the full-time M.B.A. program. “We are delighted to add this new prize with its emphasis on the advancement of women.”

The University of Chicago Women’s Business Group is an alumni association that addresses the professional, personal and career development needs of women, primarily

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graduates of Booth.

More information about the group is available at www.ucwbg.org.

The University of Chicago Booth School of Business is one of the leading business schools in the world. The school's faculty includes many renowned scholars and its graduates include many business leaders across the U.S. and worldwide.

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