

2007 SPORT AND RECREATION AWARDS

The Sport and Recreation Awards aims to encourage, recognise and reward innovation and exceptional achievements across all areas of the sport and recreation sector in Victoria. The 2007 Awards was presented by James Merlino, Minister for Sport, Recreation and Youth Affairs on 19 November 2007 at the Melbourne Cricket Ground. A total of \$50,000 in cash prizes was awarded. Victoria University is one of the ongoing award sponsors in the categories of Sport and Recreation Education Award and Applied Research in Sport and Recreation Science Award.

SPORT AND RECREATION EDUCATION AWARD

This award recognises outstanding achievement in sport and recreation education initiatives in both traditional and non-traditional educational settings.



From left: Assoc Prof Russell Hoyer and Dr Matthew Nicholson (finalists) La Trobe University, Cr Margaret Giudice (winner) Mayor Brimbank City Council, James Merlino, Minister for Sport, Recreation and Youth Affairs, Prof Peter Creamer Victoria University, Zane Job (finalist) Whitehorse Pioneer Football Club

APPLIED RESEARCH IN SPORT AND RECREATION SCIENCE AWARD

This award recognises significant research of value to the industry, undertaken within the past two years, by a research organisation or individual in the area of sport and recreation services.



From left: Prof Peter Creamer Victoria University, Dr Robin Daly (winner) Deakin University, James Merlino, Minister for Sport, Recreation and Youth Affairs, Dr Nora Shields (finalist) La Trobe University.