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Prizes

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ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 2017

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ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 1 Mar 2023

GE Award for Team Teaching
ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 2022

Hong Kong Baptist University Award for Outstanding Research Output
ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 2025

Hong Kong Baptist University Faculty of Arts Award for Excellence in Research Supervision
ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 2023

Hong Kong Baptist University Faculty of Arts Performance Award for Early Career Teaching
ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 2020

Hong Kong Baptist University Faculty of Arts Performance Award for Early Career Teaching
ROWLETT, B. J. L. (Recipient), 2020

Grants

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A Linguistic Landscape Study of the Gay Games in Hong Kong
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