COMPETITION DETAILS

• **TOPIC**
  Essays may be on any topic in the discipline of environmental law and should broadly relate to the theme “Are we Selling Ourselves Short?”

• **LENGTH**
  4000 to 7000 words.

• **SUBMISSION DATE**
  Essays must be submitted by email to the NELA Secretariat at secretariat@nela.org.au by 5pm, Friday 12 December 2014.

• **FORMAT and STYLE**
  Essays must conform to the competition guidelines at the NELA website – www.nela.org.au

• **OUTCOME**
  Entries will be reviewed by a panel of experts and the winning essay announced by mid January 2015.

SUBMIT YOUR ESSAY BY 12 DECEMBER 2014 AND YOU COULD WIN $1000 & FREE MEMBERSHIP TO THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW ASSOCIATION

• **ELIGIBILITY**
  The NELA Essay Competition is open to any student enrolled at an Australian tertiary institution including undergraduate and postgraduate programs. Evidence of enrolment as a student must be submitted along with the essay. Essays that have been submitted for assessment in a unit on environmental law are eligible (and encouraged).

• **PRIZES**
  There is an AU$1000 prize for both the best entry by an undergraduate student and the best postgraduate student. The author of the winning entries will also receive one year of membership to NELA commencing from 1 July 2015.

• **PUBLICATION OF ESSAYS**
  The winning essays will be considered for publication in the Environmental and Planning Law Journal or in NELA’s publications.

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