



2020 Lincoln University Medal

David Perrin

David Perrin, along with fellow Lincoln University Medal winner John Haggart, turned Lincoln University Rugby Football Club into a high-profile rugby club in New Zealand, and one that has a great pathway for young men to develop.

David has given seven exceptional years of rugby coaching to Lincoln University. Being a rugby coach is a big commitment throughout the year, involving meetings with players, attending rugby camps, and putting a plan together for the forthcoming season. For David, this can be calculated to total 5,460 hours over seven years.

The then NZ Rugby Regional Coach Development Manager (South Island) for

the New Zealand Rugby Football Union, David was assistant coach of the Lincoln University Premier men's side, the Rams from 2011-2016 and Head Coach in 2017. He is a proud member of the Rams, and always keen to help the club whenever he can.

He helped oversee the start of an unparalleled run of Christchurch Metro competition first round cup wins, finals appearances and trophy wins. A three-time Metro championship winning coach, David is very loyal to the players and all others he has been involved with here at Lincoln University.

David is a worthy recipient of the Lincoln University Medal.

Professor Bruce McKenzie
Vice-Chancellor

Bruce Gemmell
Chancellor