Professional Society Awards

2023

Virginia Zhu

Oak Valley Middle School Advisor: Yangyang Yu



McCoy Powers

Coastal Academy

Advisor: Bridget Biernacki

Ryan Richardson

St. John School - Encinitas, CA Advisor: Gena Heins

Abby Cena

St. Michael's School - Poway Advisor: Kathryn de Venecia

Zackaria Ouchmame

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin



Sophia Conway

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald



Branden Soukup

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

Zoey Chen

Carmel Valley Middle School

Advisor: Tania Kim

Brooklynn Owen

Classical Conversations

Advisor: Kelly Owen

Olivia Marsh

Eastlake Middle School Advisor: Amanda Thacker

Agastya Sridharan

Scripps Ranch High School Advisor: Patty Fowler

Logan Brown

High Tech High North County

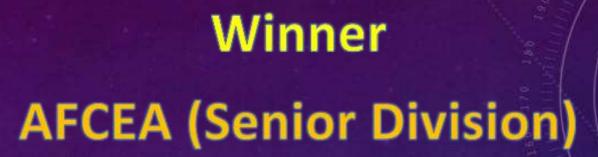
Advisor: Caroline Sailor



Nicholas Usher

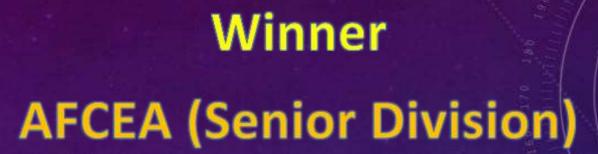
High Tech High North County

Advisor: Caroline Sailor



Arya Bosworth

Poway High School Advisor: Kelly Woldseth



Rohan Bosworth

Poway High School Advisor: Kelly Woldseth

Jai Badal

University City High School Advisor: Sumit Badal



Rohan Badal

University City High School Advisor: Sumit Badal

Junior Division 1st Place American Academy of Pediatrics Climate Change and Health Committee

Adam Anthony

De Portola Middle School Advisor: Michael Bridges

Omar Musse

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Haadi Naveed

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Senior Division 1st Place American Academy of Pediatrics Climate Change and Health Committee

Hudson Kim

Westview High School Advisor: Won Kim

Senior Division 1st Place American Academy of Pediatrics Climate Change and Health Committee

Kyle Tianshi

The Cambridge School High School Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Tejas Ravi

Canyon Crest Academy Advisor: Kaveh Shakeri

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School

Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Anvay Yadav

Del Norte High School Advisor: Andrea Callicott

Ethan Sun

The Bishop's School Advisor: Benjamin Heldt

Winner American Psychological Association

Aarushi Garg

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Junior Division 3rd Place American Society of Civil Engineers

McKayla Matkov

The Children's School

Advisor: Diana Quincannon

Junior Division 3rd Place American Society of Civil Engineers

Ahmad Zubaidi

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Senior Division 1st Place American Society of Civil Engineers

Rahul Rao

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Kavitha Rao

Senior Division 2nd Place American Society of Civil Engineers

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Senior Division 2nd Place American Society of Civil Engineers

David Wise

St. Augustine High School Advisor: Jessica Brophy

Senior Division 2nd Place American Society of Civil Engineers

Nitika Tatineni

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Anthony Mauro

Winner

American Society of Non-Destructive Testing (San Diego Section)

Angelina Kim

The Bishop's School

Advisor: Marcus Jaiclin

Winner

American Society of Non-Destructive Testing (San Diego Section)

Keanu Zeller

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Winner Association for Women Geoscientists

McKayla Matkov

The Children's School

Advisor: Diana Quincannon

Tanya Mandyam

Westview High School Advisor: Matt Christopher

Daanya Hussain

Bright Horizon Academy 9-12

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Shivani Ramesh

Scripps Ranch High School Advisor: Patty Fowler

Sophia Guan

The Bishop's School

Advisor: Marcus Jaiclin

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Nicolette Luna

Bonita Vista High School Advisor: Jennifer Ekstein

Cherise Magtoto

Bonita Vista High School Advisor: Jennifer Ekstein

Anabia Ehsan

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Lily Long

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Aminah Siddiqui

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Kayley Xu

The Bishop's School Advisor: James Jordan

McKayla Matkov

The Children's School

Advisor: Diana Quincannon

Zoey Chen

Carmel Valley Middle School Advisor: Tania Kim

Charlotte Birch

City Tree Christian School 6-8
Advisor: Michelle Lee

Junior Division 1st Place BIA Cares

Ahmad Zubaidi

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Junior Division 2nd Place BIA Cares

Ryan Richardson

St. John School - Encinitas, CA Advisor: Gena Heins

Junior Division 2nd Place BIA Cares

Maliya Montemayor

St. John School - Encinitas, CA Advisor: Gena Heins

Senior Division 1st Place BIA Cares

David Wise

St. Augustine High School Advisor: Jessica Brophy

Winner California Association of Professional Scientists (CAPS)

Kyle Tianshi

The Cambridge School High School

Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Winner

California Environmental Health
Association/County of San Diego
Department of Environmental Health

Kyle Tianshi

The Cambridge School High School Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Winner

California Environmental Health
Association/County of San Diego
Department of Environmental Health

Ethan Leem

Pacific Trails Middle School

Advisor: Ellen Main

Junior Division 1st Place California School Nurse Organization San Diego - Imperial

Dhruv Bantval

Pacific Trails Middle School Advisor: Ellen Main

Senior Division 1st Place California School Nurse Organization San Diego - Imperial

Daanya Hussain

Bright Horizon Academy 9-12 Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Winner DOD STEM Leadership Prize

Samuel Sternson

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Jocelyn Zhang

Del Norte High School Advisor: Frank Liao

Jai Badal

University City High School Advisor: Sumit Badal

Rohan Badal

University City High School Advisor: Sumit Badal

Vikramaditya Chandra

San Marcos High School Advisor: Sreelatha Bireddy

Sven Andersen

San Diego High School Complex Advisor: Nichole Raiewski



Branden Soukup

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

Rachel Susan

Coastal Academy

Advisor: Bridget Biernacki

Matthew Nagal

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

Zoey Chen

Carmel Valley Middle School

Advisor: Tania Kim

Olivia Marsh

Eastlake Middle School Advisor: Amanda Thacker

Junior Division Honorable Mention General Atomics Sciences Education Foundation

Jack Pacente

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

Junior Division Honorable Mention General Atomics Sciences Education Foundation

Jeyanth Narayan Parthasarathy

Pacific Trails Middle School Advisor: Adam Milholland

Senior Division Honorable Mention General Atomics Sciences Education Foundation

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Senior Division Honorable Mention General Atomics Sciences Education Foundation

Kara Fan

Westview High School

Advisor: Scott Halander

Senior Division Honorable Mention Kaiser Permanente Blue Ribbon Award

Leanne Fan

Westview High School

Advisor: Scott Halander

Senior Division Honorable Mention Kaiser Permanente Blue Ribbon Award

Zhijing Wang

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Winner Kaiser Permanente Blue Ribbon Award

Krish Pai

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Winner Lemelson Early Inventor

McCoy Powers

Coastal Academy

Advisor: Bridget Biernacki

Kyle Tianshi

Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Ethan Sun

The Bishop's School Advisor: Benjamin Heldt

Mila Wroblewski

Thurgood Marshall Middle School Advisor: Nicole Wroblewski

John Powers

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Winner NASA EARTH System Science Award

Aaron Cooper

Nazareth School

Advisor: Marilyn Reed

Winner National Geographic Award

Kyle Tianshi

The Cambridge School High School Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Winner NOAA Award

Jonathan Enriquez

Bonita Vista High School Advisor: Jennifer Ekstein

Winner NOAA Award

Olivia Robitaille

Bonita Vista High School Advisor: Jennifer Ekstein

Hudson Kim

Westview High School Advisor: Won Kim

Srija Sengupta

Westview High School

Advisor: Scott Halander



David Wise

Advisor: Jessica Brophy

Aaron Cooper

Community Montessori Charter School
Carlsbad

Advisor: Ilene Cooper

Mia Stevens

All Hallows AcademyÂ Advisor: Ali Branson

Omar Musse

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Haadi Naveed

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Winner Regeneron Biomedical Award

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School
Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Winner Ricoh USA, Inc.

Sarah Gao

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Junior Division 1st Place San Diego Astronomy Association

Matthew Nagal

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

Junior Division 2nd Place San Diego Astronomy Association

Zoey Chen

Carmel Valley Middle School Advisor: Tania Kim

Junior Division 3rd Place San Diego Astronomy Association

Olivia Marsh

Eastlake Middle School Advisor: Amanda Thacker

Senior Division 1st Place San Diego Astronomy Association

Vikramaditya Chandra

San Marcos High School Advisor: Sreelatha Bireddy

Senior Division 2nd Place San Diego Astronomy Association

Cindy Cai

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Yang Liu

Senior Division 3rd Place San Diego Astronomy Association

Demetrios Dresios

Carlsbad High School

Advisor: Anastasia Velentza

Junior Division 1st Place San Diego Chapter - American Society of Materials International (ASM)

Adam Anthony

Advisor: Michael Bridges

Junior Division Honorable Mention San Diego Chapter - American Society of Materials International (ASM)

Ahmad Zubaidi

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Senior Division 1st Place San Diego Chapter - American Society of Materials International (ASM)

Kara Fan

Westview High School

Advisor: Scott Halander

Senior Division Honorable Mention San Diego Chapter - American Society of Materials International (ASM)

Jocelyn Zhang

Francis Parker School
Advisor: Yu Sun

Winner San Diego County Dental Foundation

John Wang

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Winner San Diego County Dental Foundation

Adriano Shores

Advisor: Marilyn Reed

Winner San Diego County Veterinary Medical Association

Tanya Mandyam

Westview High School Advisor: Matt Christopher

Winner San Diego County Veterinary Medical Association

Anabia Ehsan

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Junior Division 1st Place San Diego County Water Authority

Ryan Richardson

St. John School - Encinitas, CA Advisor: Gena Heins

Junior Division 2nd Place San Diego County Water Authority

Joaquin Revilla-Harker

Junior Division 2nd Place San Diego County Water Authority

Tyler Rowe

Junior Division 3rd Place San Diego County Water Authority

Caleb Raagas

Senior Division 1st Place San Diego County Water Authority

Sarah Gao

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Senior Division 1st Place San Diego County Water Authority

Kyle Tianshi

Canyon Crest Academy Advisor: Alex Siegel

Senior Division 2nd Place San Diego County Water Authority

Srija Sengupta

Westview High School

Advisor: Scott Halander

1st Place - 7th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Medha Ravi

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

1st Place - 8th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Lily Long

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

1st Place - Senior Division San Diego Psychological Association

Aarushi Garg

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Ed Gerstin

2nd Place - 7th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Bella Schere

The Children's School

Advisor: Diana Quincannon

2nd Place - 8th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Eric Rodriguez

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

2nd Place - Senior Division San Diego Psychological Association

Safwa Khan

Bright Horizon Academy 9-12

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

3rd Place - 7th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Mason Potter

3rd Place - 7th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Philip Perkins

3rd Place - 8th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Joey Boniske

San Diego Hebrew Day School Advisor: Stephen Jones

3rd Place - Senior Division San Diego Psychological Association

Spencer Foss

San Diego Jewish Academy 9-12

Advisor: Patrick Hagarman

3rd Place - Senior Division San Diego Psychological Association

Alex Park

La Jolla High School Advisor: Kerry Dill

3rd Place - Senior Division San Diego Psychological Association

Isaac McGreevy

La Jolla High School

Advisor: Kerry Dill

Honorable Mention - 7th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Sofia Stidman

Nazareth School

Advisor: Marilyn Reed

Honorable Mention - 7th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Molly Gardner

Mt. Helix Academy

Advisor: Kayla MacDonald

Honorable Mention - 8th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Cielo Bartos

Stella Maris Academy

Advisor: Sara Eckmann

Honorable Mention - 8th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Sofia Sisitki

Stella Maris Academy

Advisor: Sara Eckmann

Honorable Mention - 8th Grade San Diego Psychological Association

Yosef Kantorovich

San Diego Hebrew Day School Advisor: Stephen Jones

Honorable Mention - Senior Division San Diego Psychological Association

Jialu Wu

La Jolla Country Day School Advisor: Daniel Lenzen

Winner San Diego Psychological Association

Aaron Li

Advisor: Yu Sun

Junior Division 1st Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Ethan Leem

Pacific Trails Middle School Advisor: Ellen Main

Junior Division 2nd Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Adam Jaimovich

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Junior Division 2nd Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Zakari Sayed

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Junior Division 3rd Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Yusra Qarar

Bright Horizon Academy 6-8

Advisor: Najwan Naserelddin

Senior Division 1st Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Andrew Tsui

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Alex Siegel

Senior Division 2nd Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Rishika Kulkarni

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Senior Division 3rd Place San Diego Section, American Chemical Society

Anirudh Kalyanaraman

Mt. Carmel High School

Advisor: Amy Klingborg

Senior Division Honorable Mention Scripps Research "Young Scientist" Award

Tanya Mandyam

Westview High School Advisor: Matt Christopher

Senior Division Honorable Mention Scripps Research "Young Scientist" Award

Medha Nandhimandalam

Westview High School

Advisor: David McMartin

Senior Division Honorable Mention Scripps Research "Young Scientist" Award

Maanaskumar Gantla

Advisor: Alex Siegel

Senior Division Honorable Mention Scripps Research "Young Scientist" Award

Shannon Cao

La Jolla High School

Advisor: Jade Zhang

Winner Scripps Research "Young Scientist" Award

Andrew Tsui

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Alex Siegel

Winner Scripps Research "Young Scientist" Award

Grace Sun

The Bishop's School Advisor: Lani Keller

Winner Society for In Vitro Biology

Shannon Cao

La Jolla High School Advisor: Jade Zhang

Aarushi Garg

Canyon Crest Academy
Advisor: Ed Gerstin

Leilani Pradis

Central Union High School Advisor: Alexander Ortiz

Natalie Botello

Central Union High School Advisor: Alexander Ortiz

Giselle Geering

Bonita Vista High School Advisor: Michelle Mardahl

Vivian Nguyen

Bonita Vista High School Advisor: Michelle Mardahl

Nitika Tatineni

Canyon Crest Academy Advisor: Anthony Mauro

Sidhaarth Parthiban

The Cambridge School High School

Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Dhruv Bantval

Pacific Trails Middle School Advisor: Ellen Main

Jeyanth Narayan Parthasarathy

Pacific Trails Middle School Advisor: Adam Milholland

Samuel Sternson

The Rhoades School

Advisor: Roxanne Hunker

Junior Division 1st Place Society of Women Engineers - San Diego County Section

Kayley Xu

The Bishop's School

Advisor: James Jordan

Junior Division 2nd Place Society of Women Engineers - San Diego County Section

Emily Diep

Connect Academy Poway Unified Advisor: Janice Teixeira

Junior Division 3rd Place Society of Women Engineers - San Diego County Section

Lyla Ko

St. Gregory the Great Catholic School Advisor: Sudipta Dasgupta

Senior Division 1st Place Society of Women Engineers - San Diego County Section

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Senior Division 2nd Place Society of Women Engineers - San Diego County Section

Jocelyn Zhang

Del Norte High School Advisor: Frank Liao

Senior Division 3rd Place Society of Women Engineers - San Diego County Section

Vidha Yadav Ganji

Del Norte High School

Advisor: Nagamalleswara Rao Ganji

Junior Division 2nd Place Torrey Pines Docent Society

Bernardo Marce

Our Lady of Guadalupe Academy
Advisor: Joshua Patton

Senior Division 1st Place Torrey Pines Docent Society

Tejas Ravi

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Kaveh Shakeri

Senior Division 1st Place Torrey Pines Docent Society

Kyle Tianshi

The Cambridge School High School Advisor: Melissa Mayne

Senior Division 2nd Place Torrey Pines Docent Society

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Winner US Agency for International Development

Sanjana Kumar

Francis Parker School Advisor: J.P. Pierce

Winner US Air Force

Jaden Martin

Central Union High School
Advisor: Lourdes Rueda

Winner US Air Force

Elena Marcuson

Holtville High School Advisor: Bonnie Sorenson

Winner US Air Force

Patrick Kozak

All Hallows Academy Advisor: Ali Branson

Jonathan Enriquez

Bonita Vista High School

Advisor: Jennifer Ekstein

Olivia Robitaille

Bonita Vista High School

Advisor: Jennifer Ekstein

WateReuse Association - San Diego Society

Tejas Ravi

Canyon Crest Academy

Advisor: Kaveh Shakeri

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Leilani Schelper

The Children's School

Advisor: Dianna Quincannon

Maia Poch

The Children's School

Advisor: Dianna Quincannon

Winner Yale Science and Engineering Association

Kyle Tianshi

The Cambridge School High School

Advisor: Melissa Mayne