Faculty of Arts and Sciences
2013–2014 Student Prize Recipients

Cyrilly Abels Short Story Prize
• to Wanjiku Mungai, class of 2014
• to Keerthi Reddy, class of 2014

Matthew Abramson Prize for Best Senior Thesis in Fine Arts
• to Honor Rebecca Wilkinson, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Ruins and Remembrance: The Transformation of Function and Evolution of Collective Memory at Fountains Abbey and Whitby Abbey”

Academy of American Poets Prize
• to Amanda Beth Peery, class of 2014, for her project entitled “If God”

Ana Aguado Prize for Best Doctoral Student Paper
• to Thomas Covert, a prize of $2,000 for his project entitled “Experiential and social learning in firms: The case of hydraulic fracturing in the Bakken Shale”

Albert Alcalay Prize
• to Clarissa Hart, class of 2014

Herb Alexander Award
• to Gabriel Theodore Goldberg, class of 2014, a prize of $500

Richard Glover Ames and Henry Russell Ames Award
• to Sarah Ariella Rosenkrantz, class of 2014
• to Majahonkhe Mcebo Shabangu, class of 2014

Kwame Anthony Appiah Prize
• to Nicholas T. Rinehart, for his project entitled “Finding Francophone Equiano (in All the Wrong Places)”
Rudolf Arnheim Prize

• to Zena Mariam Seyoum Mengesha, class of 2014

William Harris Arnold and Gertrude Weld Arnold Prize

• to Matthew Scott Franks, for his project entitled “Edward Gordon Craig and the Reader’s Theater”

Santo J. Aurelio Prize

• to Rollin Kent Sanders, a prize of $2,500

Joseph L. Barrett Award

• to Keerthi Reddy, class of 2014

• to Daniel Zachary Wilson, class of 2014

Jeremy Belknap Prize

• to Denis Fedin, class of 2017

Helen Choate Bell Prize

• to Elizabeth McKinney Phillips, for her project entitled “The Commonplace and the Exception: Bourgeois Boredom in Jarrell and Chekhov”

• to Jennifer Soong, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Who’s that Staring Man? Revelation and Opacity in Elizabeth Bishop’s Objectified and Mirrored Self”

James Gordon Bennett Prize

• to Shannon Marie Grammel, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Old Soldiers Never Die, They Just Join the Court: Prior Military Service and the Doctrine of Military Deference on the Supreme Court”

• to Ha Hong Le, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Reinventing Education: How Charter Schools Impact the Budget Priorities of New York City Public Schools”

Philo Sherman Bennett Prize

• to Eric Yan Hang Chung, class of 2014, for his project entitled “The Economic and Political Origins of Tracked Secondary Education within OECD Countries”

• to Haemin Jee, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Resources vs. Censure: Social Media Strategies of Chinese Education NGOs”

Bernhard Blume Award–First Year Graduate Study

• to Miriam Annabelle Wray
**Bernhard Blume Award–Second Year Graduate Study**
- to Arndt Lümers

**“The Bohemians” (New York Musicians Club) Prize in Composition**
- to Trevor Bača, a prize of $2,000 for his project entitled “L’archipel du corps” for mixed quartet
- to Sivan Cohen Elias, a prize of $2,000 for her project entitled “To move you stay” for mixed quartet

**Derek C. Bok Award for Excellence in Graduate Student Teaching of Undergraduates**
- to Shane Bobrycki, a prize of $1,000
- to Emily Jacobs-Palmer, a prize of $1,000
- to Peter L. McMurray, class of 2005, a prize of $1,000
- to Trevor Stark, a prize of $1,000
- to Christine Michelle Zgrabik, a prize of $1,000

**Derek Bok Public Service Prize**
- to David Joshua Havelick, a prize of $2,000
- to David Robert Penn, a prize of $2,000
- to Linda Powers Tomasso, a prize of $2,000

**Arthur L. Boland Prize**
- to Elizabeth Yi-Wen Wang, class of 2014

**Charles Joseph Bonaparte Scholarship**
- to Hannah Mullen, class of 2015

**Francis Boott Prize**
- to Kai Johannes Polzhofer, a prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “Den 50300 Gezahlten und den Ungezahlten” for mixed choir

**Boston Ruskin Club Prize**
- to Nathan O’Neil Hilgartner, class of 2014, for his project entitled “Logos and Performance: or, You’re Nobody (Till Somebody Kills You)”

**Bowdoin Prize for Graduate Essays in the English Language**
- to Stephen Tardif, a prize of $10,000 for his project entitled “Flaws of Attraction: Pride and Prejudice in Pride and Prejudice; or, Why Jane Austen Never Married”
Bowdoin Prize for Graduate Composition in Greek

- to Julia C. Scarborough, a prize of $5,000 for her project entitled “A debate concerning the use of drones in war, after Thucydides”

Bowdoin Prize for Graduate Composition in Latin

- to Thomas John Keeline, a prize of $5,000 for his project entitled “Florilegium Housmanianum”

Bowdoin Prize for Undergraduate Essays in the English Language

- to Rumur James Harley Dowling, class of 2014, a prize of $10,000 for his project entitled “A State of Almost Savage Torpor: The Romantic Boredom of William Wordsworth’s *Lyrical Ballads*”
- to Nicholas T. Rinehart, a prize of $10,000 for his project entitled “Autobiography and Its Discontents; or, a Tale of Two Frontispieces”

Bowdoin Prize for Undergraduate Translation into Greek

- to Todd Edward Jones, class of 2016, a prize of $2,500 for his project entitled “The Life and Opinions of the Tomcat Murr”

Bowdoin Prize for Undergraduate Translation into Latin

- to Tyler Dobbs, class of 2016, a prize of $2,500 for his project entitled “An Excerpt from *The Life and Opinions of the Tomcat Murr*”

Bowdoin Prize for Undergraduate Essay in the Natural Sciences

- to Ian Boothby, class of 2014, a prize of $10,000 for his project entitled “Network Patterns of Neural Wiring: Understanding Synaptic Plasticity at the Neuromuscular Junction”

Boylston Prizes for Elocution

- to Matthew Blais Barrieau, class of 2016
- to Cassandra Elise Euphrat Weston, class of 2014

Le Baron Russell Briggs Commencement Prize

- to Sarah Abushaar, a prize of $1,000

Le Baron Russell Briggs Fiction Prize

- to Aisha Kehoe Down, class of 2014

Le Baron Russell Briggs Honors Thesis Prize in English

- to Rumur James Harley Dowling, class of 2014, for his project entitled “Romantic Boredom: Discourses of Distraction in Wordsworth and Coleridge”
Francis H. Burr, 1909, Fund

- to Lauren Mary DiNicola, class of 2014
- to Nicholas Oliver Madden, class of 2014

Edward M. Chase Prize

- to Molly Lampson Roberts, class of 2016, for her project entitled “Fear, Friction, and Flooding: Methods of Online Information Control”
- to Yuri Maximovich Zhukov, for his project entitled “A Theory of Indiscriminate Violence”

David Taggart Clark Prize for the Undergraduate Latin Commencement Oration

- to Timothy Barry-Heffernan, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000

Class of 1955/Robert T. Coolidge Undergraduate Thesis Prize in Medieval Studies

- to Valerie Jean Piro, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Society and Politics in the English Tournament, 11th–13th Centuries”

John Clive Prize

- to Amy Whittemore Bridge, class of 2014

Colton Award

- to Valerie Jean Piro, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Society and Politics in the English Tournament, 11th–13th Century”

James Bryant Conant Prize

- to Alexa Feuerman, class of 2017, for her project entitled “The Galilean Telescope: Its Creation, Limitations, and Impact on the Development of the Newtonian Telescope”
- to Jessica Rachael Glueck, class of 2017, for her project entitled “The Evolution of the Eye”
- to Ariana Mai-Ling Kam, class of 2016, for her project entitled “The Genetics of Mouse Burrowing”
- to Amy Renee Lorber, class of 2015, for her project entitled “The Modularity of the Mind”

Coolidge Debating Prize

- to Benjamin Sprung-Keyser, class of 2015, a prize of $3,000
- to Joshua Zoffer, class of 2014, a prize of $3,000

Council Prize in Visual Arts

- to Brooke Griffin, class of 2014
Annamae and Allan R. Crite Prize
• to Margaret Ann Bennett, a first prize of $1,000
• to Lisa Kyle Clark, a second prize of $500

Gerda Richards Crosby Prize in Government
• to Beatrice Aurelle Walton, class of 2014, a prize of $500

Edward Chandler Cumming Prize
• to Kate Marie Vinton, class of 2014

Louis Curtis Prize
• to Laura Margaret Hogikyan, class of 2014

David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies Prize in History and Literature
• to Joshua Hernandez, class of 2014

Mack I. Davis II Harvard College Prize
• to Maya Pema Dorje, class of 2015

Davison Fellowship for Travel in Music
• to Auburn Ho Lee, class of 2017, a prize of $2,000
• to Maxwell Perry Phillips, class of 2015, a prize of $1,000
• to Danielle Galler Rabinowitz, class of 2014, a prize of $2,000
• to Sarah Parsons Reid, class of 2015, a prize of $1,000
• to Cheng Hao (Sam) Wu, class of 2017, a prize of $2,000

Dean’s Prize for Outstanding A.L.M. Capstone Project
• to Walid Robert Norris, a prize of $1,000
• to Peter Reuell, a prize of $1,000
Dean’s Prize for Outstanding A.L.M. Thesis

- to Christopher George Brown, a prize of $1,000
- to Alice Tatiana De Araujo, a prize of $1,000
- to Sarah Frances Hallier, a prize of $1,000
- to Brandon Haynes, a prize of $1,000
- to Shane P. Larson, a prize of $1,000
- to Emily Samek, a prize of $1,000
- to Jill Anderson Sgro, a prize of $500
- to Rebecca Anne Smith, a prize of $1,000
- to Linda Powers Tomasso, a prize of $1,000
- to Laura Ann Zoll, a prize of $500

Arthur P. Dempster Award

- to Peng Ding, for his project entitled “A Paradox from Randomization-Based Causal Inference”

David Herbert Donald Prize

- to Julie Chen-wan Yen, class of 2014

Louise Donovan Award

- to Madeleine Foster Bersin, class of 2014

Dressler Traveling Grant

- to Lenica Morales-Valenzuela, class of 2015

W. E. B. Du Bois Award

- to Kristina Tester, class of 2014

John Dunlop Undergraduate Thesis Prize in Business and Government


Dunster House Fiftieth Anniversary Prize

- to Delara Zeynep Alameddine, class of 2014
- to Monica Christine Nesselbush, class of 2014
Seymour E. and Ruth B. Harris Dunster House Prize

• to Esther H. Chung, class of 2014
• to Marcin Kostecki, class of 2014

Sally and Cresap Moore Prize

• to Sheyda Michelle Aboii, class of 2014
• to Anton Yurievich Khodakov, class of 2014

Roger and Ann Porter Prize

• to Stephanie Rose Charles, class of 2014
• to Mathew Ryan Schnorenberg, class of 2014

Edward Eager Memorial Fund Prize

• to Christopher Alessandrini, class of 2015, for his project entitled “Congregation”
• to Benjamin Blumstein, class of 2015
• to Andrea Kim Cardinal, class of 2014
• to Rumur James Harley Dowling, class of 2014, for his project entitled “The Race for Kgale Hill”
• to Lauren Elaine Fields, class of 2014
• to Anna Adele Hagen, class of 2015, for her project entitled “Akimbo”
• to Rebecca Edna Handlin, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Quickening”
• to Miles Hewitt, class of 2018
• to Zoe K. Hitzig, class of 2015
• to Devi Kailasa Lockwood, class of 2014
• to Ethan Gabriel Loewi, class of 2015, for his project entitled “Enjoys Being Held”
• to Sorrel Westbrook Nielsen, class of 2014, for her project entitled “In Case of Fire and Flood”
• to Daniel Aaron Schwartz, class of 2016

Susan C. Eaton Fellowship in Organizing, Leadership, and Social Change

• to Gabriel Herrera Bayard, class of 2015, a prize of $750

Ralph Waldo Emerson Prize

• to Ethan Samet-Marram, class of 2015
Enel Endowment Prize for Best Undergraduate Paper or Senior Thesis

- to Basil Williams, class of 2014, a prize of $500 for his project entitled “Silent Sound: Uncertainty and Responsibility in the Wake of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill”

Senior Thesis Prize in Ethnicity, Migration, Rights

- to Nelida Garcia, class of 2014, for her project entitled “La Mejor Herencia: Mexican Immigrant Parents’ Perceptions of Mobility and Opportunity in the U.S.”
- to Mackenzie Sterling Hild, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Walking in Beauty: Navajo Women Navigate the Tensions between Tradition and Modernity within Healing Systems”

Extension School Commencement Speaker Prize

- to Elena B. Clough, a prize of $1,000
- to Jason Eddinger, a prize of $1,000
- to Reynoldo Vann Graves, a prize of $1,000
- to Adanna Woodson, a prize of $1,000

Claire Fairman History of Art and Architecture Undergraduate Thesis Award

- to Connie Fu, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Choreographing the Body, Performing Line: Edgar Degas’s Representations of Nineteenth-Century Ballet”

Suzanne Farrell Dance Prize

- to Melanie Jeanne Comeau, class of 2013

Captain Jonathan Fay Prize

- to Levent Hasan Ali Alpöge, class of 2014, for his project entitled “The average elliptic curve has few integral points”
- to Elizabeth Hockfield Byrne, class of 2014, for her project entitled “The female genital tract microbiome and hormonal contraception in the context of genital immune activation and HIV acquisition”
- to Sandra Yocheved Lynne Korn, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Sex, Science, and Politics in the Sociobiology Debate”

William Scott Ferguson Prize

- to Jessica Celeste Ross Salley, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Defining the Sacred: Constructing Space and Lives in the Nineteenth-Century Gold Coast”
Edward L. Fireman Award
• to Wen-fai Fong
• to Nathan Edward Sanders

Eric Firth Prize
• to Sheyda Michelle Aboii, class of 2014, a prize of $1,160 for her project entitled “The City as an Arbiter of Inclusion: Sanctuary Cities and Undocumented Immigration”

Howard T. Fisher Prize
• to Leif Tobias Estrada, for his project entitled “Temporal Morphology: Synthetic Growth and Natural Decline of Alameda Island”
• to Jacob Michael Sobstyl, class of 2014, for his project entitled “Zero-touch scale-free and climate independent thermal energy audits”

William Plummer French Prize
• to Frederic (Jake) Freyer, class of 2015

Sophia Freund Prize
• to Levent Hasan Ali Alpöge, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to Daniel Joseph Frim, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to Andrew Scott Lea, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to Younghoon Moon, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to Daniel Harrison Ranard, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to Marc Fong Shi, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to Sylvia May Warren, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000
• to William Pietro Whitham, class of 2014, a prize of $1,000

Friends Prize
• to Isabel Vogt, class of 2014, a first prize of $1,000
• to Felix Wong, class of 2014, a second prize of $500

Paul Revere Frothingham Scholarship
• to Erin Drake, class of 2014
Albert M. Fulton, Class of 1897, Prize

- to Francesca Smith, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Navigating Barriers, Mobilizing Strengths: How Immigrant Parents’ Perceptions of School Involvement Translate into Action”

Lloyd McKim Garrison Prize

- to Amanda Beth Peery, class of 2014, for her project entitled “If God”

Leo Goldberg Prize in Astronomy

- to Alexander Grant Krolewski, class of 2015
- to Natania Rose Wolansky, class of 2014

Gertrude and Maurice Goldhaber Prize

- to Ilya Eric Alexander Feige
- to Florian Gerhard Huber

Reverend Peter J. Gomes Prize in Religion and Ethnicity

- to ImeIme Umana, class of 2014

Graduate English Commencement Oration

- to Philip Andrew Harding

John Green Prize

- to Phillip Charles Golub, class of 2016, a prize of $5,000
- to Maxwell Perry Phillips, class of 2015, a prize of $5,000

Kate and Max Greenman Prize

- to Dhruva Bhat, class of 2017
- to Nathaniel Wald Donahue, class of 2015
- to Fanelesibonge Siphiwo Mashwama, class of 2017
- to Bo Seo, class of 2017
- to Benjamin Sprung-Keyser, class of 2015
- to Joshua Zoffer, class of 2014

James R. and Isabel D. Hammond Prize

- to Benjamin Shafer Raderstorf, class of 2014
Seymour E. and Ruth B. Harris Prize for Honors Thesis in Economics

- to Eric Westphal, class of 2014, a prize of $3,500 for his project entitled “Urban Slums, Pacification, and Discrimination: A Field Experiment in Rio de Janeiro’s Labor Market”

Seymour E. and Ruth B. Harris Prize for Honors Thesis in the Social Sciences

- to Ime Ime Umana, class of 2014, a prize of $3,500 for her project entitled “Racial Burden vs. Electoral Integrity: An Empirical Study of the Texas Voter Identification Law”

Harvard College Women’s Leadership Award

- to Amy Michelle Yin, class of 2014

Harvard Monthly Prize

- to Christopher Alessandrini, class of 2015
- to Ryan Stuart MacLennan, class of 2014

Harvard-Radcliffe Foundation for Women’s Athletics Award

- to Natalie Burrus Doyle, class of 2014

Roger Conant Hatch Prizes for Lyric Poetry

- to Zoe K. Hitzig, class of 2015, for her project entitled “Aniseed in Sand”

Department of History Prize

- to Julie Chen-wan Yen, class of 2014

Department of History Undergraduate Essay Prize

- to Leah Joetta Schulson, class of 2014, for her project entitled “The World of Today: The Polish Pavilion at the 1939 and 1940 World’s Fairs”
- to Alastair Su, class of 2014, for his project entitled “The Use of History in Economic Thought: Reconstructing Foxwell’s ‘Really Historical Edition’ of the Wealth of Nations”

Philip Hofer Prize for Collecting Books or Art

- to Benjamin Charles Germain Lee, class of 2017, a first prize of $3,000 for his project entitled “A History of the 193 Goudey Baseball Card Set: From Artwork to Copyright Registration”
- to Alexander Ioffreda, class of 2015, a second prize of $1,500 for his project entitled “Deeds of the People: Soviet Military and Civilian Medals and Documents, 1917–1991”
- to Manuel López Segura, a second prize of $1,500 for his project entitled “Books that Built Democracy”
Thomas Temple Hoopes Prize

- to Amsale Alemu, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Tilling Imagined Land: Student Protest and Generational Conflict in Twentieth-Century Ethiopia”

- to Levent Hasan Ali Alpöge, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The average elliptic curve has few integral points”

- to Victoria Ann Baena, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “An Essentially Democratic Institution? Literary Lectures, the Positive Method, and the Emergence of the French Third Republic, 1861–1870”

- to Sascha Bercovitch, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Bolívar Archive: Politicizing the Past in Venezuela, 1962–2010”

- to Madeleine Foster Bersin, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Self-Definition with a Vengeance: Modernist Objectives in the Art Criticism of Clement Greenberg and Michael Fried, circa 1967”

- to Ian Boothby, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Structural Patterns of Synaptic Connection in the Motor Neuron Circuit”

- to Haley Bowen, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The King’s Third Body: Representations of Christian Kingship in the Valois Tombs”

- to Valerie Campbell Bradley, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Revising the University Health Services’ Freshman Well-Being Survey”

- to Amy Whittemore Bridge, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Female Patriotism, Citizenship, and the Great War”

- to Elizabeth Hockfield Byrne, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The female genital tract microbiome and hormonal contraception in the context of genital immune activation and HIV acquisition”

- to Katryna Cadle, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Selling the Philippine Voice: Vocal Adaptability and the Colonial History of Service in Philippine Call Centers”

- to William Ziwei Chen, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “How to Order Sushi: A Nonparametric Approach to Modeling Rank Data”

- to Maura Deborah Church, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Making the Score Smarter: A Rhythmic Correction Model for Optical Music Recognition”

- to Anne Marie Creighton, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “A New Light on the Incas: Depictions of History and Civilization in Inca Garcilaso, 1609–1617”

- to Rainer Crosett, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Human Rights and the Limits of Neutrality”

- to Alexander Diaz, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Variations in the Memory Accuracy-Confidence Relationship: The Effects of Thematic Similarity, Amount, Modality, and Complexity of Information”

- to Rumur James Harley Dowling, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Romantic Boredom: Discourses of Distraction in Wordsworth and Coleridge”
• to Daniel Joseph Frim, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “‘Those Who Descend upon the Sea Told Me...’: Myth and Tall Tale in Baba Batra 73a-74b”

• to Rachel Alexandra Gladstone, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Interleukin-13 signaling as a potential pathway in mammalian cardiac regeneration”

• to Joseph Emmanuel Glynias, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Samothrace: A Hellenistic Middle Ground”

• to Brooke Griffin, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Instructions to Hearing Persons Desiring a Deaf Man”

• to Emily Eve Groopman, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Fats of Life: The Energetic Significance of Processing Peanuts, A Lipid-Rich Plant Food”

• to William Henry Hakim, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Forgotten Words: Tao Yuanming’s Place in the Development of Chinese Eremitic Discourse”

• to Morgan Elizabeth Henry, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Emergence of Orientation Invariant Representations Within the Visual Cortex”

• to Kaiyang Huang, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Autism with Chinese Characteristics: Parenting the Autistic Child in China”

• to Thomas J. Hwang, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Essays on Innovation and Infectious Disease”

• to Pragya Kakani, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Impact of Stress on Reward Responsiveness in Individuals with Remitted Major Depressive Disorder: An EEG Study”

• to Yun Jee Kang, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Role of Survival of Motor Neuron Protein in Glioblastoma Stem Cell Multipotency and Differentiation”

• to Alice Anderson Kenney, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Bees and the Corps de Ballet: Discipline and Vulnerability in Virgil’s Georgics and Balanchine’s Serenade”

• to Shira Batya Kogan, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “This is Not a Veil: Performing Franco-Maghrebi Women’s Identities in the Work of Ni Putes Ni Soumises and Majida Khattari”

• to Sandra Yocheved Lynne Korn, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Sex, Science, and Politics in the Sociobiology Debate”

• to Alexander Grant Krolewski, class of 2015, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Measuring the luminosity and black hole mass dependence of quasar-galaxy clustering at z ~ 0.8”

• to Andrew Scott Lea, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “(Trans)valuation: The Cultural and Clinical Reassignment of Sex Reassignment Surgery, 1952–1979”

• to Norah Eileen Liang, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Development of Selective Small Molecule Inhibitors of the Oncogenic Gain of Function Activity of Isocitrate Dehydrogenase 1”

• to Yueran Ma, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Non-financial Firms as Arbitrageurs in Their Own Securities”
• to David Charles Manella, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Redefining the Stonewall: When, How, and Why the Gay Rights Movement Adopted Marriage Equality as its Top Priority”

• to Akhil Mathew, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Galois group of a stable homotopy theory”

• to Sheba Mary Mathew, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Aid and AIDS: Transnational Governmentality and New Subjectivities in Contemporary South Africa”

• to Asfandyar Ali Nadeem, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “On Globalization and Monetary Policy: Cross-border Effects of U.S. Interest Rate Movements on Developed Market Yield Curves”

• to Dylan Jeremy Nagler, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “SCHUBOT: Machine Learning Tools for the Automated Analysis of Schubert’s Lieder”

• to Sorrel Westbrook Nielsen, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Come Fire or Flood”

• to Judy Soojin Park, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Whose House? Asian American Youth in the Rave Scene”

• to Valerie Jean Piro, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Society and Politics in the English Tournament, 11th–13th Century”

• to William Fredrik Poff-Webster, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Cui Bono? Gang Violence in the Politics of the Late Roman Republic”

• to Robert Edward Powers, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Structural study of a novel partial Ca2+-free linker and a positively selected variation in Protocadherin-15: Implications for hearing and cell adhesion”

• to Tarina Quraishi, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “To Meet My Beloved Friend: Literary Transformation of the Ghazal in English”

• to Krishnan Sridhar Ramanujan, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “A MyoD-Regulated Long Non-Coding RNA Regulates Skeletal Muscle Differentiation”

• to Nicholas T. Rinehart, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Finding Francophone Equiano (in All the Wrong Places)”

• to Rebecca Daisy Robbins, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “This Crowded Nation: U.S. Population Politics, the Rockefeller Commission, and the Rise of the Right, 1967–1973”

• to Benjamin Michael Scuderi, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Do Local Leaders Matter? An Empirical Analysis of the Effects of US Mayors”

• to Michael Saris Segel, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “In Vitro Production of Mature, Glucose-Responsive β Cells from Human Embryonic Stem Cells”

• to Georgia Helena Abrantes Shelton, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Biodiversity of the Bees at the Arnold Arboretum”

• to Valerie Shen, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Cause of the Pause: Exploring the 21st Century Global Warming Hiatus”
to Jun Shepard, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Business of Energy Policy: Analyzing the Impacts of Policies and Businesses on Solar Electricity Rates in Massachusetts”

to Alexander Rafferty Smith, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Cooking Beasts: The Role of Thermal Processing in Early Hominin Scavenging”

to Jennifer Soong, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “What’s That Ugly Thing? Rediscovering Elizabeth Bishop’s Object-Oriented World”


to Tanner Ross Strickland, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Lizards Bridging the Gap: Phylogeography of the Puerto Rican Crested Anole (Anolis cristatellus) across the Puerto Rican Bank”

to Kevin Sun, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “‘Making the Hang’ and Other Essays on Being a Young Improvisor”

to Kristina Tester, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Increasing the Effectiveness of Health Care Delivery in Rural Areas: A Case Study of Village Health Teams and Childhood Malnutrition in Rukungiri District, Uganda”

to Carol Bich Ngoc Tran, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Dioxin in the Ground: The Decision to Use Agent Orange during the Vietnam War, its Human Health Impacts, and the Ensuing Scientific Controversy, 1961–present”

to Rebecca Elizabeth Tweedie, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Holy Rocks, Living Stones: Pilgrimage and Political Activism in Israel-Palestine’s Anti-Occupation Movement”

to ImeIme Umana, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Racial Burden vs. Electoral Integrity: An Empirical Study of the Texas Voter Identification Law”

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to Samantha Stinson Wesner, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Building Temples to Virtue: Freemasonry in Eighteenth-Century France, 1725–1750”

to Eric Westphal, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Urban Slums, Pacification, and Discrimination: A Field Experiment in Rio de Janeiro’s Labor Market”

to William Pietro Whitham, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Anarchism and Federalism in the International Working Men’s Association 1864–1877”

to Avery Webster Williamson, class of 2013, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “So Far Divided”

to Natania Rose Wolansky, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Are You There Gas? It’s Me, Planet: The Effects of Gas on Growth of Gas Giant Cores through Planetesimal Acretion”

to Xin Xiang, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Would the Buddha Push the Man off the Footbridge? Systematic Variations in the Moral Judgment and Punishment Tendencies of Han Chinese, Tibetans and Americans”

to Matthew William Yarri, class of 2014, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “An Exoskeleton Device to Assist in Downhill Walking”
Charles Edmund Horman Prize
• to Jane Rill Hinsenkamp, class of 2015
• to Matthew Krane, class of 2015

Kathryn Ann Huggins Prize
• to Christina Twicken, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Crowned/With a Noose”

Joan Morthland Hutchins Thesis Prize in Latino Studies
• to Karolina Michelle Dos Santos, class of 2014

Intellectual Architecture Award
• to Matthew Milan Beck, class of 2014

Ephraim Isaac Prize for Excellence in African Studies
• to Alec Dah-Wei Yeh, class of 2014

Klein Family History Prize
• to Maureen McAleer, a prize of $1,000

George Arthur Knight Prize
• to Timothy Matthew McCormack, a prize of $5,000 for his project entitled “‘you actually are evaporating’ for violin and cello”

Lawrence Lader Prize in Expository Writing
• to Joule Pauline Voelz, class of 2017, for her project entitled “Interpreting the Failure of the Poor People’s Campaign”

Newbold Rhinelander Landon Memorial Scholarship
• to Laura Margaret Hogikyan, class of 2014

Harold Langlois Outstanding Scholar Award
• to Justin Michael Cunningham, a prize of $1,000

Senior Thesis Prize in Latino Studies
• to Francesca Smith, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Navigating Barriers, Mobilizing Strengths: How Immigrant Parents’ Perceptions of School Involvement Translate into Action”
Dorothy Hicks Lee Prize

• to Nkechinyerem Ugonna Iko, class of 2014, for her project entitled “‘Death Is Freedom’: Reading Representations of Slave Suicide in Antebellum Abolitionist Literature”

Doris Cohen Levi Prize

• to Madeline Andrea Smith, class of 2014

Robert E. Levi Prize

• to Simon Anthony de Carvalho, class of 2014
• to David Charles Manella, class of 2014

Jonathan Levy Award

• to Bryan Daniel Kauder, class of 2014

Alain LeRoy Locke Prize for Academic Excellence

• to Zachary Ethan Wortman, class of 2014

George Emerson Lowell Scholarship Prize

• to Tyler Dobbs, class of 2016

Hugh F. MacColl Prize

• to Benjamin Bromley Nuzzo, class of 2015, a prize of $2,200 for his project entitled “‘If Walls Could Talk’ for piano trio”

Maurice Sedwell Ltd. Prize

• to Victoria Eleanor Wenger, class of 2014

Kenneth Maxwell Thesis Prize in Brazilian Studies

• to Roland Yang, class of 2014

Committee on Medieval Studies Undergraduate Essay Prize

• to Samantha Ann Berstler, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Herebeald and the Limits of Odinic Religion in Beowulf”

Mill-Taylor Prize

• to Bradley Bolman, class of 2015, a prize of $250
• to Snow Xue Rui, class of 2015, a prize of $250
Perry Miller Prize

• to Madeleine Foster Bersin, class of 2014

Tazuko Ajiro Monane Prize

• to Wei-Husan (Jenni) Ting, class of 2014, a prize of $2,000

Mossavar-Rahmani Center Prize for Best Master’s Student Paper

• to Joyce Key Hahn, a prize of $750 for her project entitled “Preparing for Liberalization of the Retail Gasoline Sector in Mexico: A Household-level Welfare Analysis” (co-author with Hannah Pitt)

• to Hannah Suzanne Pitt, a prize of $750 for her project entitled “Preparing for Liberalization of the Retail Gasoline Sector in Mexico: A Household-level Welfare Analysis” (co-author with Joyce Hahn)

David B. Mumford Undergraduate Mathematics Prize

• to Levent Hasan Ali Alpöge, class of 2014, a prize of $400

• to Akhil Mathew, class of 2014, a prize of $400

Oliver-Dabney Prize in History and Literature (for juniors)

• to Ashleigh Rose Inglis, class of 2015

Oliver-Dabney Prize in History and Literature (for seniors)

• to Victoria Ann Baena, class of 2014

Oliver-Dabney Prize in History and Literature (for sophomores)

• to Mikhaila Rose Fogel, class of 2016

John G. Palfrey Prize

• to Edward Escalon, class of 2014

Joseph Garrison Parker Prize

• to Marta Stevanovic, class of 2014

Lucy Allen Paton Prize in the Humanities

• to Gregory Kristof, class of 2015, a prize of $500

• to Julie Chen-wan Yen, class of 2014, a prize of $500
Lee Patrick Award in Drama
• to Madeleine Foster Bersin, class of 2014
• to Lilleth Rose Glimcher, class of 2014

Pease Thesis Prize
• to Caleb John Thompson, class of 2014

Reginald H. Phelps Prize
• to Sidney Natasha Elizabeth Falconer, a first prize of $2,500
• to Elan Hunter Head, a second prize of $2,000
• to Mathew Aharon Barr, a third prize of $1,500

Wendell Phillips Memorial Scholarship Prize
• to Neil M. Alacha, class of 2016
• to Zachary Jake Lustbader, class of 2016

Susan Anthony Potter Prize
• to Raphael D. Koenig, a prize of $2,000 for his project entitled “Revolution and Bibliophilia: The Collector as an Epistemological Figure in Walter Benjamin’s Eduard Fuchs”

Susan Anthony Potter Prize in Spanish Literature of the Golden Age
• to Lenica Morales-Valenzuela, class of 2015, a first prize of $2,000 for her project entitled “Todo en el Nombre: La Mujer Definida”
• to Jenny Jiwon Choi, class of 2016, a second prize of $1,250 for her project entitled “La locura en Don Quijote: El otro lado del desencantamiento”

John P. Reardon Jr. Award
• to William Henry Hakim, class of 2014

Robert Fletcher Rogers Prize
• to Akhil Mathew, class of 2014, a prize of $400
• to Isabel Vogt, class of 2014, a prize of $400
Cynthia Wight Rossano Prize in Harvard History

- to Daniel Barcia, class of 2015, a prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “Food and Community: The Harvard Butter Rebellion of 1766”
- to Suryani Oka Dewa Ayu, class of 2015
- to Olamide Valerie Olatunji, class of 2014
- to Jesse Giovanni Sanchez, class of 2014

Francis Sales Prize

- to Kevin Bradley Hirata, class of 2014
- to Anahvia Taiyib Mewborn, class of 2016

John Osbourne Sargent Prize for a Latin Translation

- to Tyler Dobbs, class of 2016

Winthrop Sargent Prize

- to Katherine Lanier Walker, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Ambassadors of Love: The Meaning of Sonnets in Love’s Labour’s Lost, As You Like It, and Much Ado About Nothing”

Carl Schurz Prize

- to Eela Nagaraj, class of 2017

Slavic Literatures and Cultures Award

- to Michael Hernani Goncalves, class of 2014

Thomas Small Prizes

- to Mark J. Gabrielson, a prize of $1,750
- to Jill Anderson Sgro, a prize of $1,750

Smyth Thesis Prize

- to Joseph Emmanuel Glynias, class of 2014

George B. Sohier Prize

- to Nicholas T. Rinehart, a prize of $250 for his project entitled “Finding Francophone Equiano (in All the Wrong Places)”
Barbara Miller Solomon Prize
  • to Haley Bowen, class of 2014

Adelbert W. Sprague Prize
  • to Stefan Prins, a prize of $2,500 for his project entitled “Generation Kill’ for large ensemble”

Jack M. Stein Teaching Fellow Prize in Germanic Languages
  • to Björn Kühnicke

Louis B. Sudler Prize in the Arts
  • to Liv Anna Redpath, class of 2014

Charles Sumner Prize
  • to Maxwell Benjamin Palmer, for his project entitled “Time and Political Power”
  • to Emma Mary Saunders-Hastings, for her project entitled “Private Virtues, Public Vices: Governing Philanthropy”

Alan Symonds Award
  • to Ethan Teichman Addicott, class of 2014

Alexis de Tocqueville Prizes in Social Studies
  • to Kaiyang Huang, class of 2014, a prize of $500 for his project entitled “Autism with Chinese Characteristics: Parenting the Autistic Child in China”

Robert N. Toppan Prize
  • to Alisha Caroline Holland, for her project entitled “Forbearance as Redistribution: Enforcement Politics in Urban Latin America”

Joan Gray Untermyer Poetry Prize
  • to Jennifer Soong, class of 2014
  • to Avia Tadmor, class of 2014

Luisa Vidal de Villasante Award
  • to Rebecca Fairclough Elliott, class of 2014, a prize of $100 for her project entitled “Raúl Zurita’s Search for a Language for Violence”
Visiting Committee Prize for Undergraduate Book Collecting

• to Anthony Wilder Lauritano Wohns, class of 2016, a first prize of $3,000 for his project entitled “Blank on My Map: Unraveling Asia’s Mystique”

• to Debbie Onuoha, class of 2015, a second prize of $1,500 for her project entitled “Novels, Poetry, Plays, and Short Stories Written about Africa”

• to Gillian Alexis Manley, class of 2014, a third prize of $750 for her project entitled “My Collection of Canadian Novels: or, How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love My Country”

Esther Sellholm Walz Prize

• to Aleksandra Kudryashova, for her project entitled “Female Flânerie in Yoko Tawada’s Überseezungen”

Philippe Wamba Prize

• to Caroline Kelsey Lauer, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Tangled Roots: Tree Planting and Authority in the Making of Colonial and Postcolonial Kenya”

• to Kristina Tester, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Increasing the Effectiveness of Health Care Delivery in Rural Areas: A Case Study of Village Health Teams and Childhood Malnutrition in Rukungiri District, Uganda”

Philippe Wamba Summer Research Travel Grant

• to Charrise Monet Barron

• to Darja Djordjevic, class of 2008

• to Nephat Kipkoech Maritim, class of 2015

• to Erin Elizabeth Mosely

• to Ayodeji Brian Ogunnaike

Philip Washburn Prize

• to Leslie Bowman Arffa, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Finding Common Ground in the Air: American and Cuban Diplomacy in the Forging of the 1973 Anti-Hijacking Accord”

Barrett Wendell Prize

• to Cybele Constance Greenberg, class of 2016

 Jacob Wendell Scholarship Prize

• to Rivka Brod Hyland, class of 2016, a prize of $17,000
Clifton Lincoln and Irene Bias West Prize
  • to Christina Twicken, class of 2014, for her project entitled “Crowned/With a Noose”

John H. Williams Prize
  • to Jennifer Shuang Wu, class of 2014

Wister Prize in Mathematics or Music
  • to Jacob Louis Coppersmith, class of 2014, a prize of $1,300

Thomas Wood Award in Journalism
  • to Gregory Kristof, class of 2015

James D. Woods Memorial Fellowship
  • to Meghan Elizabeth Magee, class of 2015, a prize of $800
  • to Valentina Isabel Perez, class of 2015, a prize of $800

Katie Y. F. Yang Prize
  • to Stefan Grossek, a prize of $2,000

Allyn Young Prize
  • to Kavya Shankar, class of 2014