



ACADEMIC AWARDS

SPRING 2025-2026

College Book Awards

- Harvard University – Charles P. Landers
- Princeton University – Leah S. Petras
- St. Lawrence University – Anna M. Ciambarella
- University of St. Andrews (Scotland) – Lisa M. Flower
- Yale University – Ryan B. Kosco

History Writing Contest

World Category

- 3rd place - Amelia L. Botros
- 2nd place - Alex Wang
- 1st place - Yuyu Sarah Zhang

American Category

- 3rd place - Govindha R. Chadalavada
- 2nd place - Yuxi Tia Zheng
- 1st place - Avery L. Harris

Rensselaer Medal Award

- Wen Xiao

The University of Rochester Awards

- Bausch & Lomb Science
 - Charles P. Landers
- Frederick Douglass & Susan B. Anthony
 - Angelique A. Blanc
- George Eastman Young Leaders
 - Sia Mahesh

Corinne Van Dame Davis Award

- Corinne E. Seink
- William S. Sirak
- Izabell A. Moore

Kurziel Award for Excellence in Music

- Cailyn Hua

Franklin '30 & Mary Barlow Award

- Eleanor R. Flores

Joel B. Hayden Prize

- Sia Mahesh

University Hospitals Service Award

- Madison R. Vincent

ServeOhio Community Impact Award

- Cailyn Hua

Ambassador Award | The United Nations Association of the USA

- Cailyn Hua

Departmental Honors

Engineering & Applied Sciences

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| Kenneth W. Arter | Yewon Alice Kim |
| Brianna E. Byrley | Davis J. Levengood |
| Julian W. Farian | Jinxi Alex Lin |
| Finnegan M. Frato-Sweeney | David W. McFarland |
| Charlotte C. German | Devon W. Satterly |
| William H. Harrington | Alexander J. Scott |
| Hunter A. Harris | Lauren E. Smeltzer |
| Owen M. Herron | James P. Vacca |
| John C. Jackson Jr. | |

English

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| Logan A. Adams | Alida L. Karsten |
| Casimer M. Badynee | Lillian F. Kercher |
| Sihyang Christine Baek | Jayden A. Kersh |
| Arternia R. Bailey | Bridget C. Lardie |
| Erin E. Bickford | Tessa C. Lavi |
| Thomas M. Casey | Yukun Quincy Liu |
| Adisen V. Colopy | Delaney E. Pittinger |
| Cate A. Dzero | Anika P. Soni |
| Charlotte C. German | Andrea Zhang |
| Elisabetta G. Huff | |

Fine & Performing Arts

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| Dance | Finnegan M. Frato-Sweeney |
| Anna E. Baker | Elisabetta G. Huff |
| Gabrielle A. Boykin | Lillian F. Kercher |

Fine & Performing Arts (continued)

Dance (continued)

Jayden A. Kersh
Yewon Alice Kim
Nadia L. Kischke
Claire A. Krapf
Adelaide M. Mendelson
Ishana Raj
Anika P. Soni
Stella M. Taylor
Madison R. Vincent

Visual Arts

Photography

Jinxi Alex Lin

2D

Julian W. Farian
Charlotte C. German

3D

Marty R. Hippel
Hunter R. Manning

Ceramics

Joseph L. Cole
Mitchell C. Hooten
Roberts A. J. Sartor
Youhan Chloe Wang

Music

Digital

Casimer M. Badynee

Mathematics

Grant C. Adams
Logan A. Adams
Sihyang Christine Baek
Evan J. Dean
Lillian F. Kercher
Jayden A. Kersh
Yewon Alice Kim

Jazz

Yukun Quincy Liu
Instrumental
Sihyang Christine Baek

Adisen V. Colopy

Julian W. Farian

Lillian F. Kercher

Jiaxi Jessica Sun

Vocal Music

Tristan M. K. Kahrl

Maya C. Kinney

Lilly G. Morgan

Lauren E. Smeltzer

Theater

Stagecraft

Grant C. Adams

Logan A. Adams

Margaret E. Fisher

Arya K. Shirsat

Peiyang Lisa Yu

Costume Design

Lillian F. Kercher

Acting

Miranda C. McLaren

Peiyang Lisa Yu

Modern & Classical Languages

French

Tomás D. Estevez Domenech
Jiaxi Jessica Sun

Spanish

Casimer M. Badynee

Cate A. Dzero

Lillian F. Kercher

Spanish (continued)

Jayden A. Kersh

Maya C. Kinney

Tessa E. Lavi

Sanam D. Mody

Ruihan Stephanie Qin

Arya K. Shirsat

Science

Grant C. Adams

Sihyang Christine Baek

Thomas M. Casey

Siyang Shane Deng

Elisabetta G. Huff

Alida L.M. Karsten

Bridget C. Lardie

Social Science

Casimer M. Badynee

Arterina R. Bailey

Erin E. Bickford

Zhenxi Charlie Cai

Thomas M. Casey

Yunwoo Choi

Evan J. Dean

Siyang Shane Deng

Gordon C. Dix

Latin

Sihyang Christine Baek
Guillermo E. Delgado Murillo
Claire A. Krapf
JunSeok Eric Lee
Davis J. Levengood
Mingzhe Jason Li
Maria P. Morán Paredes
Andrea Zhang

Mandarin

Yewon Alice Kim
Jaeyun Jay Lee

Junseok Eric Lee

Yanxi Aurora Liu

Arya K. Shirsat

Maya N. Vaden

Youhan Chloe Wang

Victor Wang

Cate A. Dzero

Alida L. Karsten

Maya C. Kinney

Tessa E. Lavi

Lydia C. Lockwood

Roberts A. Sartor

Victor Wang

Andrea Zhang

Ohio Lottery Best of the Class

- Casimer M. Badynee
- Lillian F. Kercher

Akron Beacon Journal Star Students

- Thomas M. Casey
- Tessa E. Lavi

National Merit Scholarship Finalists

- Sihyang Christine Baek
- Thomas M. Casey
- Jinxi Alex Lin
- Yanxi Aurora Liu
- Yukun Quincy Liu
- Ruihan Stephanie Qin
- Peiyang Lisa Yu

National Merit Scholarship Winner

- Yukun Quincy Liu

Phi Beta Kappa

- Sihyang Christine Baek

Anne Chapman History Prize

- Andrea Zhang

David S. Dennison Jr. '36 History Prize

- Victor Wang

Robert R. Stoll Mathematics Prize

- Ruihan Stephanie Qin

Rollin W. Waite Mathematics Prize

- Evan J. Dean

Peter L. Eberly '70 Language Prize

- Jiaxi Jessica Sun

Military Appointments

US Army ROTC at the University of Utah

- Lauren E. Smeltzer

U.S. Naval Academy

- Nicole H. Neal

Naval Academy Preparatory School (NAPS)

- Dominick D. Sprague

Navy ROTC at the Virginia Military Institute (NROTC-VMI)

- Tristan M.K. Kahrl