HONORS & AWARDS

AN ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF
STUDENT EXCELLENCE AND ACHIEVEMENT

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2026

THE ATHEY CENTER FOR PERFORMANCE
AND RESEARCH AT PALMER AUDITORIUM

Connecticut College

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An Annual Celebration of
Student Excellence and Achievement

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2026

The Athey Center for Performance and
Research at Palmer Auditorium

Welcome

ERIKA J. SMITH, PhD, EdM

Dean of the College &
Vice President for Retention and Success

Introduction of the Keynote Speaker

ANDREA E. CHAPDELAINE, PhD

President of Connecticut College

Keynote Address

JACOB NOZAKI '22

"Leading with Curiosity"

Presentation of Awards

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ASL Interpreter – Joy Valenti

AFRICANA STUDIES

AFRICANA STUDIES STUDENT LEADER AWARD

This award is given to a graduating senior who best exemplifies student leadership and participation in the program.

KYAIRA BRIANNA HALL '26

WINNIE MANDELA OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR AWARD

To an outstanding graduating senior who demonstrates an understanding of, and commitment to Africana Studies through their scholarly work.

PRISCILLA AMEYAW '26

W.E.B. DUBOIS SCHOLAR/ACTIVIST AWARD

To a graduating senior who best exemplifies the scholar/activist mission of Africana Studies. This prize is given in recognition of W.E.B. DuBois (1868-1963), a scholar, activist, and leading figure in Africana Studies and Pan Africanism.

PRISCILLA AMEYAW '26

AUDRE LORDE AWARD

This award is given to a junior or senior in Africana Studies who best exemplifies the activism and achievements of black lesbian feminist writer and teacher Audre Lorde (1934-1992). Lorde's work explores the intersectional experience of black people transnationally and continues to be the leading scholarship for black feminists around the globe.

CLAIRE EVELYN MENTAL '26

AMERICAN STUDIES

CLASS OF 2003 PRIZE IN AMERICAN STUDIES

To the senior American Studies major who best exemplifies the spirit of American Studies through service to the program, the College, or the New London community, as decided by faculty

NINA CATHERINE BAKUM '26
SOPHIA GRACE BIANCHI '26
PIERCE WYATT MARRA '26

AMERICAN STUDIES PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY WRITING

Awarded to the American Studies senior major whose written or artistic work best incorporates the interdisciplinary methods and perspectives sought in American Studies

RITA GRACE D'AGOSTINO '26

AMMERMAN CENTER FOR ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY

AMMERMAN CENTER SMALLEY/ZAHLER AWARD

Given to the certificate student who has demonstrated excellence in the integrated fields of the arts and technology and who has successfully incorporated the highest degree of creativity, innovation, aesthetic and technological understanding and appreciation into their senior integrative project. In honor of David Smalley and Noel Zahler, founders and original co-directors of the Ammerman Center for Arts and Technology

JOSEPH SAUL GENDRON '26

AMMERMAN CENTER BRIDGET BAIRD AWARD

Given to the certificate student who has demonstrated excellence in research in Arts and Technology in honor of Bridget Baird, Director 1997-2008

WILLOW OCTAVIO LOPEZ '26
ISAAC CARL ANTON MERWIN '26

ANTHROPOLOGY

EVA L. BUTLER MEMORIAL PRIZE

To a senior anthropology student with the highest grade point average in the major, offered by the anthropology dept. in honor of Ms. Butler's outstanding contributions to anthropology as well as to colonial and Indigenous North American history

WILL JOHN PONIROS '26

CLAIRE GARBER GOODMAN '54 AWARD

To honor a senior anthropology major who has achieved academic distinction and dedication to the values of anthropology in honor of Claire Garber Goodman

ALEX ANNE COUGHLIN '26
SABRINA LYNN MALEC '26

B. JUNE MACKLIN SENIOR ANTHROPOLOGY AWARD

For high academic achievement and extracurricular activity

GABRIELA MIOTTO LEAL '26
JULIETA MOREIRA REYES '26

ARCHITECTURAL STUDIES

ARCHITECTURAL STUDIES AWARD

Given to senior majors who have excelled in Architectural Studies

CHARLOTTE RACHEL KILLE '26
HOPE KISAKYE '26
GABRIELA MIOTTO LEAL '26
MACKENSIE TURNER PARK '26

ART HISTORY

ART HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE

For outstanding leadership and dedication to Art History

EVAN LUCAS YOUNG '26

NANCY BATSON NISBET RASH PRIZE

To the most outstanding senior art history majors, awarded in memory of Nancy Rash, the Lucy C. McDannel '22 Professor of Art History

ALEXA CAROLINE ESTES '26
ISABELLA MARIA WELCH '26

BIOLOGY

PAUL FELL BIOLOGICAL RESEARCH AWARD

To the senior who completed the best biological research project, offered by family, friends and colleagues in memory of the late Paul Fell, Professor Emeritus of Biology, from 1968-2003

JOHN LOUIS MCCORMACK '26
ANNA ELIZABETH VREDEVOOGD '26

SIBYL A. HAUSMAN PRIZE

To juniors for excellence in biology, offered by the Biology Department to honor Sibyl A. Hausman, the late Associate Professor Emeritus of Zoology

SASHA ANN JANSUJWICZ '27

E. FRANCES BOTSFORD PRIZE

To a senior for excellence in biology and service to the department, offered by the Biology Department in honor of the late E. Frances Botsford, Katharine Blunt Professor Emeritus of Zoology

HANNAH ROSE SINGER '26

DOROTHY RICHARDSON PRIZE

To sophomores for excellence in biology, offered by the Biology Department in memory of the late Dorothy Richardson, Professor Emeritus of Zoology

SADIE ROSE JOSEPH '28
SARA ROSA CORTES SCHWARTZ '28

SUSAN WARREN FIRST-YEAR BIOLOGY PRIZE

To first-year students for excellence in and enthusiasm for biology, in memory of the late Susan Warren, Senior Lecturer of Biology, from 1989-2018.

LEROY MUGODO MASHET '29
NOAH ORTIZ '29
SHAYAAN ALI QAISER '29

SENIOR BIOLOGY PRIZE

To seniors for excellence in biology, offered by the Biology Department

MERCY MOFEOLUWA ADEYEMI '26
ROMAISSAE EL GAMANI '26
SHANE MOHAMMED '26

BOTANY

ANTHONY FRANCIS NELSON MEMORIAL PRIZE

To majors who have excelled in the field of botany, offered by friends in memory of Anthony Francis Nelson '78

PALOMA RUBY DOYLE '26
CAELON JEANE SHUGRUE '26

BETTY FLANDERS THOMSON PRIZE

For excellence in botany, offered by the Botany Department in honor of Betty F. Thomson, Professor Emeritus of Botany from 1943-1976

ALEX MELLO '28

SALLY L. TAYLOR PRIZE

For consistent excellence in the field of botany, offered by the Botany Department in honor of Sally L. Taylor, Professor Emeritus of Botany from 1965-1990

BAXTER PRESCOTT '27

BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA YOUNG BOTANIST AWARD

For outstanding graduating seniors in the plant sciences

PALOMA RUBY DOYLE '26
SOPHIA LYNN SHIPMAN '26
CAELON JEANE SHUGRUE '26

CENTER FOR THE COMPARATIVE STUDY OF RACE & ETHNICITY

CENTER FOR THE COMPARATIVE STUDY OF RACE AND ETHNICITY AWARD FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND IMPACT

For a student who has applied the critical study of race and ethnicity beyond the classroom through community work, organizing, public scholarship, or campus initiatives.

MARY CAROLINE LAMANTIA '26

CENTER FOR THE COMPARATIVE STUDY OF RACE AND ETHNICITY AWARD FOR DEDICATION TO THE CENTER

For a student whose sustained commitment, care, and service have significantly advanced the mission and work of the CCSRE.

JENNY NGOC BUI '27

CENTER FOR THE COMPARATIVE STUDY OF RACE AND ETHNICITY AWARD FOR LEADERSHIP

For the student who has made substantial contributions to the work of the CCSRE and to the intellectual culture and life of the College

NINA CATHERINE BAKUM '26

CENTER FOR THE COMPARATIVE STUDY OF RACE AND ETHNICITY AWARD FOR SCHOLARLY EXCELLENCE

For a student whose academic work demonstrates exceptional critical engagement with race and ethnicity through research, coursework, or creative scholarship.

ELAINNOR G. FRISBIE '27

CHEMISTRY

DR. JOSEPH NUNES PEREIRA MEMORIAL PRIZE

For excellence in biochemistry

NUTSA MAMULAISHVILI '27
MADELINE LAEL MASON '27

JEAN V. JOHNSTON PRIZE

To the chemistry majors who have contributed the most to the department

BRIDGET ERIN O'KEEFE '26
FABIO SOLÓRZANO QUESADA '26

PAUL ABEL SCHWARTZ MEMORIAL PRIZE

For excellence in biochemistry - offered by the late Mrs. Max Epstein '20 in memory of her brother, Dr. Paul A. Schwartz of Norwich, Connecticut

SERENA LIJA SEIPLE '26

ACS DIVISION OF ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY AWARD

For outstanding achievement in analytical chemistry

EDONA ILIRJANA NEZAJ '27

ACS CONNECTICUT VALLEY SECTION AWARD
For outstanding work in the field of chemistry

BRIDGET ERIN O'KEEFE '26

ACS DIVISION OF BIOCHEMISTRY & CHEMICAL BIOLOGY UNDERGRADUATE AWARD
To recognize a graduating senior who displays a significant aptitude for biochemistry or chemical biology and to encourage further interest in the field.

DELANEY BRENNER '26

ACS UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY
To recognize outstanding achievement by undergraduate students in physical chemistry and to encourage further pursuits in the field

KEVIN TIEGEL HWONG '27

ACS UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY
To a senior majoring in chemistry or biochemistry who demonstrated excellence in organic chemistry

FABIO SOLÓRZANO QUESADA '26

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTS FOUNDATION AWARD
For excellence in biochemistry

CAIT ASHLEIGH MCALINDON '26

For excellence in chemistry

VLADYSLAV FILATOV '26

CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT PRIZE IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

For excellence in organic chemistry

ALLIE BURNETT '28
KAIDEN HAROLD DALBY '28

INTRODUCTORY CHEMISTRY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

For outstanding academic achievement in introductory chemistry

ALEX WILLIAM BERMAN '29
FAITH GENEVIEVE FRABLE '28

COMPUTER SCIENCE

THE COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD

For outstanding excellence in leadership, research, academics, and service

ANNIKA JEHU HOAG '26

For outstanding achievement in research and leadership

JAY BACORN NASH '26

JUNIOR COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD

For excellence in Computer Science

JOHNNY ANDREASEN '27
QUENTIN OVERLY DRUCKER '27
DERIN GEZGIN '27
SARAH ANNE GOYETTE '27
CIANNA GRAMA '27
KELLYN VESTA SCHEEL '27
DIMITRIS SEREMETIS '27
CARLY LEOTA TRAPENI '27
KATE REBECCA ELIZABETH VENTO '27
RYAN BEATTY YANKO '26

SOPHOMORE COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD

For excellence in Computer Science

MUHAMMAD ABDULLAH '28
TAMAR THAIS ARONS-BRANN '28
CAM JOSEPH BAYUSIK '28
CLAIRE MARIE CARROLL '28
MAX LINDEN DAVIS '28
RENTO SAIJO '28
ELLIE LYNN TRAAN '28

SENIOR COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD

For excellence in Computer Science with distinction in research and academics

MUSTAFA BUGTI '26
CHARLES STEWART LINCOLN '26

SENIOR COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD

Awarded to seniors for excellence in Computer Science with distinction in academics

DUNCAN BARNARD CRAINE '26
JULIA ANNE FINNEY '26
PALMER LEWIS WHYTE OKAI '26
SHYLA SHAH '26

SENIOR COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD

Awarded to seniors for excellence in Computer Science with distinction in research

JOHN MICHAEL ASARO '26
BROOKE RAE BRANDENBURGER '26
MELANIE FERNANDEZ '26
MATTHEW LEE '26

DANCE

MARTHA MYERS PRIZE

To a student who exhibits exceptional artistry in technique, improvisation or composition

DANI CARLIN CROSTA '27

JOAN CONNELL MEMORIAL AWARD

For outstanding ability and artistry in dance, offered by the late Arthur Connell in honor of his daughter, a former member of the class of 1946

EMILY CHRISTINE BRANKMAN '26
ALISON MARGARET CUSTER '26
AVA ELYSE DOBRO '26
CLAIRE EVELYN MENTAL '26
AVA NORRIS '26

JOSÉ LIMÓN AWARD

Established in 1971 by friends and admirers of José Limón, awarded to a senior or junior dance major with outstanding accomplishments and dedication to the field of dance

ANDREW TYLER SOLOMON '27

DANCE DEPARTMENT AWARD

For demonstrating with excellence the scope of dance as a poetic and communicative art form

KIERA LEE FRANCISKOVICH '26
ARIEL EVE BAROCAS MAYER '26
SIERRA LAURA MAYORAL '26

DANCE DEPARTMENT AWARD IN HONOR OF JEAN-LEON DESTINE

For a dance minor who demonstrates commitment, dedication and transformative growth over the four years. For creating, holding, and navigating space through several modes of movement practices

NELL DAISY KERIG HAMILTON '26
SIERRA LAURA MAYORAL '26
MELISA SIERRA '26
HANNAH SYDNEY TREIBER '26

DR. "BABA' CHUCK DAVIS & DIANE MCINTYRE MUSICIAN'S AWARD

For a senior dance musician who has committed themselves to bringing life to the dance through their powerful accompaniment of dance classes throughout their time at Connecticut College.

OSARETIN ERHUNMWUNSE '26
WILLOW OCTAVIO LOPEZ '26

DEAN OF STUDENTS

LUCY C. MCDANNEL '22 PRIZE

Recognizes a senior whose academic and co-curricular achievements most closely approximate the ideal of a Connecticut College education. The recipient of this award excels academically and demonstrates cumulative leadership contributions in student organizations as well as independent projects during their time enrolled at the College

PALOMA RUBY DOYLE '26

DEAN'S LEADERSHIP AWARD

Given to a student who has demonstrated extraordinary leadership and commitment to Connecticut College. The recipient makes significant contributions to their organization(s) and the overall College community without calling attention to themselves and without seeking recognition for their efforts

JULIETA MOREIRA REYES '26

ROBERT HAMPTON AWARD

Given to a senior who has made significant contributions to the quality of life at Connecticut College. This student strives for excellence in their education, taking advantage of educational opportunities that extend beyond the classroom. The recipient brings out the best in others, and is motivated by a sense of responsibility to work hard and enhance the lives of other students, faculty, and staff.

JENIFER NAYELLI ALVARADO RIVADENEIRA '26

DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS, ARABIC & JEWISH STUDIES

ARABIC STUDIES STUDENT EXCELLENCE AWARD

For excellence in Arabic studies

MEGAN SOPHIA KELLAM '27

JEWISH STUDIES STUDENT EXCELLENCE AWARD

For excellence in Jewish Studies

ELLA LAUREN IFRAH '26

ELIZABETH C. EVANS PRIZE

To an outstanding student in the classics department, established by the students and friends of the late Elizabeth C. Evans, Professor Emeritus of Classics

MADELYN SHEA FISHER '26
ANNA GRACE TAYLOR '26
CALEB A. VAN CLEAVE '26

DIRK TOM DIECK HELD MEMORIAL AWARD

For excellence in classical languages

CALEB BUTLER '26

DIVISION OF RETENTION AND SUCCESS

CONNECTICUT COLLEGE BOOKSHOP PRIZE

To a sophomore who has combined outstanding qualities of leadership, good citizenship and service to the College

ADRIANA ELIZABETH MANZANO '28

MRS. ELIZABETH FIELDING MEMORIAL AWARD

To an outstanding woman in the graduating class selected on the basis of class, college and community leadership, offered by her daughter, Elizabeth Fielding '38

SARAH GRACE DUFFY '26

KATHERINE FINNEY MEMORIAL AWARD

To a senior whose undergraduate career exhibits the qualities of leadership, responsibility, and integrity which characterized the late Professor Finney's thirty-five years of distinguished service at Connecticut College

STEPHANIE RUIZ '26

BARBARA E. GURWITZ '88 MEMORIAL AWARD

Offered by family and friends to a senior who, in striving for excellence in their chosen direction, inspires the best qualities in everyone whose life they touch; a perceptive, spirited and caring friend

WILSON HERNANDEZ '26

JUDY BAILEN KATEMAN '65 OUTSTANDING SENIOR PRIZE

To the member of the rising senior class who, through their student years at Connecticut College, has combined outstanding qualities of leadership, good citizenship and service to the College with high academic standing, and has achieved special distinction in some area of extracurricular activity or enterprise, offered by her family

ANDREW TYLER SOLOMON '27

HARRIET BUESCHER LAWRENCE '34 PRIZE

For a student who has taken a leadership role in changing society for the better and inspired others for good, through direct service or through changing the climate of human life materially, socially or culturally

KAZI MARLEY STANTON-THOMAS '26

ROSEMARY PARK FELLOWSHIP FOR TEACHING

For a graduating senior who has shown excellence in scholarship, a desire to become a teacher, and who shows, in some measure, qualities of leadership which were so evident in President Emeritus Rosemary Park Anastos

WILLOW OCTAVIO LOPEZ '26

VERA SNOW GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

Given by family in memory of Vera A. Snow, former assistant in the college admissions office, with preference to a graduating senior who has worked in admissions

NINA CATHERINE BAKUM '26
CAITLIN ELIZABETH BIRD '26
ZOE DANELLE DAVIN '26
LIZ J. FREEMAN '26

BEVERLY G. KOWAL PRIZE

Awarded to the international student who has done the most to enrich the intellectual, cultural and social life of Connecticut College, given in honor of Beverly G. Kowal, former Associate Dean of the College and International Student Adviser

MUHAMMAD ABDULLAH '28

THERESA PERRI AMMIRATI AWARD

Awarded to a first-generation student who has been a positive influence in the lives of others through example, leadership, mentoring, and community service

JAYVION T. ANDERSON '26

THE NEWMAN CIVIC FELLOWSHIP AWARD

Awarded to a student for engagement on campus and/or the New London community, based on potential for future public leadership

ALLIE COOK '28

OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF THE COLLEGE STUDENT EMPLOYEE AWARD

Given to a student who has been employed by the Office of the Dean of the College for at least two semesters who showed exceptional professionalism, helpfulness, enthusiasm and overall great service and dedication to the office and the college

HOPE KISAKYE '26

HAROLD D. JULI MEMORIAL AWARD FOR STUDENT RESEARCH

Given to a student from any department for exemplary joint research with a faculty member, in memory of Harold D. Juli, Professor of Anthropology

CALEB BUTLER '26

DR. JEWEL PLUMMER COBB AWARD

In honor of distinguished American biologist, cancer researcher and former Dean of the College Jewel Plummer Cobb and her tireless work championing women in the sciences, this prize is presented to a woman in the graduating senior class who has majored, conducted undergraduate research and demonstrated distinction in any of the STEM disciplines (science, technology, engineering and/or math), and aspires to pursue a graduate degree and career in the field

DINA DEVORA ISAKOV '26

VANGUARD AWARD FOR EQUITY & INCLUSION

Awarded to a student who promotes and advocates for equity, inclusion and social justice throughout their tenure at Connecticut College

ALEKS EIKINAS '26

JANET FOSTER '80 SENIOR AWARD

Named after the former director of Unity House, this award is the highest honor bestowed on a senior who has upheld the legacy of Unity House as a place of support and refuge for students of color at Connecticut College

ASHLEY A. CHEEKS '26

INCLUSION AND BELONGING STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD

Awarded to a student leader who works to foster a culture of equity, inclusion and full participation for students at Connecticut College

KAROLINA ISABEL SUAREZ SAMANIEGO '28

LOIS TAYLOR '31 ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Named in honor of the first student of color recorded to have graduated from Connecticut College, this award is presented to a graduating senior who has demonstrated high academic achievement in a field of study where women and/or people of color are underrepresented

LIBBY SHIKA KOTEI-FEARON '26

EMERGENT LEADER AWARD

Awarded to a student who has demonstrated exceptional growth in supporting and fostering equity and inclusion at Connecticut College

KRYSTAL ALVARADO BOCANEGRA '26
LAURIANN BURT '28

COMMUNITY BUILDER AWARD

Awarded to a student leader who supports and advances the principles of intersectionality and gender through programming and services

WESTLEY WRENN CARDANI '26

PAMELA D. ZILLY '75 PRIZE FOR STUDENT INVESTMENT

In honor of Pamela Zilly '75, Chair of the Connecticut College Board of Trustees from 2012-2018. This prize is given to the individual or team who presents the best stock pitch in the annual Peggotty Investment Club Stock Pitch Competition

BENJAMIN THOMAS CHIN '26

EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

MARJORIE WELLS LYBOLT AWARD

For overall excellence in intensive elementary Chinese

JERRY LIN '29

SULIN MA PRIZE

For overall excellence in intensive intermediate Chinese

EMILY CHEN '29

CHRISTINE W. MATTESON '69 PRIZE

Given in recognition of Christine Matteson's exemplary commitment to Japanese language studies: for excellence in beginning Japanese

UNA NEWGARDEN TAKAHARA '29

EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES & CULTURES PRIZE

For overall excellence in East Asian studies

DIXIE DARELYN DAYTON '26
GALEN RACHEL KILFEATHER '26
CHLOE CLAUDETTE LOEHR '26

PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING CHINESE CHARACTER WRITING

Awarded to a student who excels in the art and technique of character writing in first-year Chinese

JASMINE MINNIE LOU MCLAUGHLIN '29
FIORA GARNET MOAKLEY '29

PRIZE FOR BEST CHINESE ESSAY WRITING

In Chinese

SABRINA LYNN MALEC '26
ELIZA CAPWELL MCCOOLE '26

PRIZE FOR EXEMPLARY SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

In first-year Chinese

ANGELINA JOY LUCIA '29

ECONOMICS

CYNTHIA PAUL WALKER '67 PRIZE

For a woman in economics who demonstrates excellence and passion for the study of economics

RACHEL PIERCE LETTS '26

RUBY TURNER MORRIS PRIZE

To senior majors for excellence in economics, offered by the Economics Department in honor of the late Ruby Turner Morris, Lucretia Allyn Professor Emeritus of Economics

REID MICHAEL CAPELLO '26
OLLIE HEMPHILL '26
SHANE PATRICK JELLISON '26
BRIDGET MARIE MCGANN '26

CHAIR'S PRIZE IN ECONOMICS
For excellence in economics and contribution to the department

ANNE HENDRICKSON '26
AIDAN NATHANIEL TRAINOR '26
JILLIAN DEAN WEXLER '26

MICROECONOMICS PRIZE
For best intermediate microeconomics student

SOPHIA BELLA JOHNSON '28
ANTHONY MICHAEL ROGERS '28
IAN JOSEPH SULLIVAN '27

MACROECONOMICS PRIZE
For best intermediate macroeconomics student

ALEX MACIEL ERDMAN '28
ADDIE MINH NGUYEN '27

ECONOMETRICS PRIZE
For best intro econometrics student

ISABELLE GRACE DI LIBERTI '26
TY DAVID DOROW '27
WILLIAM MCEVOY '26

WOMEN IN ECONOMICS PRIZE
For a graduating female student who demonstrates excellence in economics and will continue in a related field

CONSTANÇA DE CASTELO BRANCO FERREIRA CABRAL '26
SHYLA SHAH '26

EDUCATION

CHARLES "BUD" CHURCH TEACHING AWARD FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE

Given in memory of Charles "Bud" Church, professor from 1992 to 2002, to a student who embodies his critical consciousness about schooling, and who emulates the public voice with which he spoke out about the ongoing political debate over the nature and purpose of education

MIKAYLA ANGELINA AQUINO '26

THE FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION AWARD

To a student who demonstrates a critical understanding of Educational Studies

WESTLEY WRENN CARDANI '26

ENGLISH

SALLY ABRAHMS '75 PRIZE IN NON – FICTION

To a senior English major for outstanding achievement in non-fiction writing, offered in honor of Sally Abrahms '75 by her family

CAROLINE MARY SNYDER '26

SALLY ABRAHMS '75 PRIZE IN FICTION

To an English major for outstanding achievement in fiction writing, offered in honor of Sally Abrahms '75 by her family

KATE LAURA JEFFREY '26

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT SHORT STORY PRIZE
For the best short story written by any student, regardless of their major

MICHAEL WILLIAM CHAPMAN '28

BENJAMIN T. MARSHALL PRIZE
For excellence in poetry, established in memory of the second president of the College by the reunion gifts of several classes

WESTLEY WRENN CARDANI '26

HENRIETTA O. ROGERS '28
ACADEMY OF AMERICAN POETS PRIZE
For excellence in poetry, established by family and friends in memory of Henrietta O. Rogers '28

BELLA COVINGTON '29

JOHN EDWIN WELLS MEMORIAL PRIZE
To a senior English major for work in the field of English distinguished for clarity of thought and judgment

WESTLEY WRENN CARDANI '26

JAMES R. BAIRD PRIZE
For the best critical essay or for exceptional work in an advanced or intermediate literature course

MADELYN RAE KNIGHT '27

THE GERDA TARANOW PRIZE
For the best critical essay with preference for excellence in an advanced or intermediate Shakespeare course, offered by students and friends of Professor Gerda Taranow on the occasion of her retirement

LYDIA MARVIN '27

SALLY ABRAHMS '75 PRIZE FOR AN OUTSTANDING SENIOR ENGLISH MAJOR

For a senior distinguished by outstanding work in the major

KATE LAURA JEFFREY '26

THE ROBLEY EVANS AWARD FOR AN OUTSTANDING JUNIOR ENGLISH MAJOR

For a junior distinguished by outstanding work in the major

ANNA WONG '27

SALLY ABRAHMS '75 PRIZE FOR AN OUTSTANDING SOPHOMORE ENGLISH MAJOR

For a sophomore distinguished by outstanding work in the major

MICHAEL WILLIAM CHAPMAN '28
STEVEN SACCOCCIO '28
LUCY ODETTE THILL '28

BLANCHE MCCRACY BOYD PRIZE FOR DARING IN PROSE

The Blanche McCrary Boyd Prize for Daring in Prose celebrates the career of Professor Blanche Boyd, Writer-in-Residence and Roman and Tatiana Weller Professor of English at the college from 1982-2022. The prize is awarded annually to the work of fiction or non-fiction that best honors Blanche's challenge to her students to take risks and tell the truth in their prose.

DEXTER JOHN KNIGHT-RICHARD '27

CHARLES O. HARTMAN PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN VERSE

The Charles O. Hartman Prize for Excellence in Verse celebrates the career of Professor Charles Hartman, Poet-in-Residence and Lucy Marsh Haskell '19, Professor of English at the college from 1984 until 2022. The prize is awarded annually to the student poet whose body of submitted work best reflects the ethos of ambition and care that Prof. Hartman cultivated in his students.

BELLA COVINGTON '29

SARAH ENSIGN CADY MEMORIAL PRIZE

For reading English aloud in a clear, meaningful way.

WESTLEY WRENN CARDANI '26
KATE LAURA JEFFREY '26

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

BARBARA SHATTUCK KOHN '72 ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES AWARD

For an outstanding junior or senior majoring in environmental studies who will pursue a career in a related field that is beneficial to society, established by the Arthur Dubow Foundation in honor of Arthur Dubow's wife, Barbara

CHARLOTTE EMILY HOUGHTON '26
SAMANTHA OLSTEIN '26

ANTHONY FRANCIS NELSON MEMORIAL PRIZE

To majors who have excelled in the field of environmental studies, offered by friends in memory of Anthony Francis Nelson '78

SAMUEL LAWRENCE KALMAN '27
GRACE KATHERINE WEBB '27

RICHARD H. GOODWIN PRIZE

For excellence in environmental studies, offered by the program in Environmental Studies in memory of Richard H. Goodwin, Katharine Blunt Professor Emeritus of Botany

ABIGAIL FAITH FERNALD '26
LUCY STELLAROSE KOESTER '26

SALLY L. TAYLOR PRIZE

For consistent excellence in the field of environmental studies, offered by the program in Environmental Studies in honor of Sally L. Taylor, Professor Emeritus of Botany

HOPE CATHERINE JOHNSTON '26

EXCELLENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES AWARD

This award, established by the Program in Environmental Studies, honors students for excellence in the field of environmental studies. The award is open to majors, with preference given to juniors, sophomores and freshmen, as well as potential majors

CATIE JO BAKER '28
FAITH E. HIDENFELTER '28
ANNABEL AIDA ZUBA '28

FILM STUDIES

FILM STUDIES THEORY/CRITICISM PRIZE

To senior Film Studies majors for outstanding achievement in writing film studies theory, history or criticism

EMMA AGOOS '26
LAUREN MERINDA FOLEY '26
LILY SOSLAND GOODMAN '26

FILM STUDIES CREATIVE PRODUCTION PRIZE

To a senior Film Studies major for outstanding achievement in film production or screenwriting

SIERRA LAURA MAYORAL '26

FILM STUDIES FIRST-YEAR STUDENT AWARD

To a Film Studies student for demonstrating outstanding potential in their first year

GRETA HALPIN '29

FILM STUDIES NON-MAJOR STUDENT AWARD

To a student not majoring in Film Studies for outstanding achievement in theory and criticism in the field of moving image studies

WESTLEY WRENN CARDANI '26

FILM STUDIES LEADERSHIP AWARD

To a senior Film Studies major for outstanding commitment and service to film studies at Connecticut College

KENNEDY NICOLE BRUHN '26

FRENCH AND FRANCOPHONE STUDIES

ESTHER C. CARY PRIZE

To exceptionally gifted senior students of French who have spent their junior year in France or intend to do graduate work in France or the U.S.

EMILY KEATING BLAIR '26
DELANEY BRENNER '26
PAISLEY VIOLA ROSE BROWN '26
SOPHIA ROSE OKUN ETHINGTON '26
SERENA LIJA SEIPLE '26

PROFESSOR NELLY K. MURSTEIN AWARD

For a student planning to study in a francophone country who has demonstrated the qualities of enthusiasm, integrity, and commitment to the study of French language and culture

MADELYN MARIE BELL '26

FRENCH BOOK PRIZE

For outstanding achievement

CHLOE CLAUDETTE LOEHR '26
HENRY PORTER PELLETIER '26

FRENCH LANGUAGE PRIZE

For a student who demonstrates exceptional effort and ability at the beginning or intermediate level in French

NATALIE VICTORIA FEAR '28

GENDER, SEXUALITY AND INTERSECTIONALITY STUDIES

JANE W. TORREY AWARD

For outstanding work by a senior GSIS major, offered by the Gender, Sexuality, and Intersectionality Studies Department in memory of Jane W. Torrey, Professor Emeritus of Psychology

KAZI MARLEY STANTON-THOMAS '26

GERMAN STUDIES

JOHN S. KING TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP

Given to a rising sophomore or junior to support intensive summer language study in Germany, in tribute to Professor John S. King, champion of the value of immersion in another language and culture

BRADY MICHAEL MORVAY '29
NAVILA ZAMAN '29

OUTSTANDING MAJOR IN GERMAN STUDIES

Given to a German Major for outstanding achievement in coursework, research, or leadership within the Department

TANDIN SIMONE JOHNSON WARD '26

OUTSTANDING MINOR IN GERMAN STUDIES

Given to a German Minor for outstanding achievement in coursework, research, or leadership within the Department

MATT TIMOTHY SHARRETTS '26

GERMAN DEPARTMENT PRIZE

Given to the best senior for outstanding achievement in coursework, research, and leadership within the Department

ANNA OLIVIA VEST NIELSEN '26

GLOBAL ISLAMIC STUDIES

GLOBAL ISLAMIC STUDIES PRIZE

For excellence in the major

SAMIRA ROSE GROSSMANN-FERRIS '26

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP PRIZE

For service, leadership, and engagement on campus

SABABA AHMED '27

GOODWIN-NIERING CENTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

HELEN F. MATHIESON '52 PRIZE

For excellence in the Goodwin-Niering Center's certificate program in environmental studies

CAITLYN MARIE RODEO '26

GOVERNMENT & INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

GOVERNMENT & INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT PRIZE

For outstanding achievement in government by a senior

ANNA GRACE TAYLOR '26
CHARLOTTE EMILY HOUGHTON '26

For outstanding achievement in international relations by a senior

CATHERINE SOPHIA HASHEMI '26

For most promising junior government major

SAM KATHERINE DICKERMAN '27
AIDA KHAN SHERWANI '27

For most promising junior international relations major

EKATERINA PETRICHENKO '27
MEGAN SOPHIA KELLAM '27

THE GOVERNMENT AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD ISABEL SANHUEZA '23 PRIZE

A prize given by the Government and International Relations Student Advisory Board to a Government or International Relations major who, throughout the academic year, has significantly contributed to the intellectual development of their peers by elevating the quality of classroom discourse

PRISCILLA AMEYAW '26

WILLIAM J. ROBINSON'S '95 AWARD FOR ACHIEVEMENT AND COMMITMENT

To be awarded to a Government or International Relations major in their senior year who has consistently upheld the social and academic honor code, and overcome challenges in the pursuit of excellence

EMILY FRANCES CHAREST '26
OLIVIA GRACE MCDONALD '26

HISPANIC STUDIES

DORIS MEYER SCHOLARSHIP AND SERVICE AWARD

To a graduating senior for outstanding scholarship and service in the field of Hispanic Studies, in honor of the former professor and chair of the department

STEPHANIE REYES BRAVO '26

ANTONIO REBOLLEDO MEMORIAL PRIZE

For excellence in Spanish, established by former students and friends in memory of Professor Antonio Rebolledo

JENIFER NAYELLI ALVARADO RIVADENEIRA '26
SAM HALE BROCKELMAN '26

SARAH SCHOELLKOPF '97 HISPANIC STUDIES AWARD FOR RESEARCH AND SOCIAL ACTIVISM

Awarded to the student whose intellectual and cultural curiosity demonstrate an intentional fusion of critical skills and social justice

VERONICA SHALY FERNÁNDEZ MARTINEZ '26
MELIA NOEL LORCH '26

HISPANIC STUDIES BOOK PRIZE

For outstanding dedication to the field of Hispanic studies

TATE MCINTOSH ANDREWS '26
CAITLIN ELIZABETH BIRD '26
SALOMÉ LORETTA VICTORINE KATZIN '26
MADELINE MAY KEITHAN '26
HOPE KISAKYE '26
MARY CAROLINE LAMANTIA '26
ALDEN SAIER RUSSELL '26
MELISA SIERRA '26
ISABELLA MARIA WELCH '26

HISTORY

ANIQUE ASHRAF '17 HISTORY PRIZE

For a first or second year student who has demonstrated great promise in and an innovative or original approach to the study of history

LUCY ODETTE THILL '28

HANNAH GRACE ROACH PRIZE

For excellence in European history, given by the history department to Honor Hannah Grace Roach, the late Professor Emeritus of History

EMILY CHRISTINE BRANKMAN '26

HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZES
For excellence in history

PEYTON ROYCE LUSK '26

For excellence in U.S. History

ZOE DANELLE DAVIN '26

For excellence in Latin American History

WILLOW OCTAVIO LOPEZ '26

For excellence in Asian Studies

ISABELLE GRACE DI LIBERTI '26

PETER S. YOZELL PRIZE
For original thinking in relation to an understanding of history

ELAINNOR G. FRISBIE '27

WIMBERGER PRIZE FOR SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES
For academic excellence in South Asian studies

MAAZ AHMED '27

HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE STUDY OF GENDER AND POWER
For excellence in the study of gender and power.

SAMANTHA BLAIR CHAPIN '26

HOLLERAN CENTER FOR COMMUNITY ACTION AND PUBLIC POLICY

HOLLERAN CENTER ELIZABETH DURANTE '10 ACTIVIST AWARD

To a senior whose dedicated community activism has contributed to advancing public health, to honor the extraordinary legacy of the late Elizabeth Durante, Class of 2010

DINA DEVORA ISAKOV '26

HOLLERAN CENTER ACTIVIST SCHOLAR AWARD

To a senior for outstanding commitment to social justice and the integration of academic and community learning

MIKAYLA ANGELINA AQUINO '26
OLIVIA GRACE MCDONALD '26

HOLLERAN CENTER TRACEE REISER COMMUNITY ACTIVISM AWARD

Awarded to a Holleran Center senior scholar whose dedicated commitment to community learning has deeply affected their educational pathway and significantly impacted the world we live in. This award honors Tracee Reiser, retired Senior Associate Dean of Community Partnerships, and recognizes her long and distinguished career at Connecticut College and her extraordinary work building community and making change at the College and within the City of New London

SARAH GRACE DUFFY '26
ABIGAIL VIOLET NIETLING HAAN '26

HOLLERAN CENTER TRACEE REISER NEW LONDON COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS AWARD

Presented in honor of Tracee Reiser for her 25 years of ground-breaking work for the Holleran Center for Community Action and in the New London and regional communities, to a student who embodies Tracee's commitment to community involvement as a powerful force in transforming lives

JAYVION T. ANDERSON '26

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

LOUISE LACEY McGARRY AWARD

To a student in human development whose work with children exhibits the integrity, scholarship and warmth that characterized Louise McGarry's teaching in the Children's School at Connecticut College

ABIGAIL VIOLET NIETLING HAAN '26

SUSAN WAGNER CHILD DEVELOPMENT AWARD

To a student in human development who has worked in a caring manner to bring together children with a wide range of abilities in the inclusive environment of the Children's Program

GABY HENAO '26
MARGARET MARY SADAK '26

MICHELLE DUNLAP AWARD

For recognizing extraordinary commitment to equity, inclusion, and community engagement

JOEL JACQUITH EMBRAY '26

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AWARD IN UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

To the student who has demonstrated the ability to uphold the values of the liberal arts through extraordinary intellectual curiosity and consistent academic excellence in research within the human development major

FLORIANNY NORMAN REYES '26

ITALIAN

ITALIAN DEPARTMENT PRIZE

In recognition of excellence in the study of Italian and service to the department

SOPHIN BOGLIOLO '27
CELESTE PAULA FLOSMAN '28
EKATERINA PETRICHENKO '27

MATHEMATICS

FRESHMAN JULIA WELLS BOWER PRIZE

For distinction in mathematics, offered by an anonymous donor in honor of Julia Wells Bower, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

NINA ROSE ELLINGSON '29
LUCY ELIZABETH JOHNSON '29
SAARA KATYAL '29
JULIA ANNE SCIPIONE '29

SOPHOMORE JULIA WELLS BOWER PRIZE

For distinction in mathematics, offered by an anonymous donor in honor of Julia Wells Bower, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

ALISON ELIZABETH BERNARD '28
ALLIE BURNETT '28
SOPHIA BELLA JOHNSON '28
JORDAN ALYSSA MACROBERTS '28
RENTO SAIJO '28

JUNIOR JULIA WELLS BOWER PRIZE

For distinction in mathematics, offered by an anonymous donor in honor of Julia Wells Bower, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

DERIN GEZGIN '27
SARAH ROSE LUDWIGSON '27
STEPHANIE ANNE SHAWARYN '27
CARLY LEOTA TRAPENI '27

JOSEPH F. JOSEPH ASSISTANTSHIP IN MATHEMATICS

To a major in the mathematics department, established through a bequest of Constance N. Joseph in memory of her father, Joseph F. Joseph, for the annual award of an assistantship

LUCY VICTORIA DEROSA '27

ERNEST C. SCHLESINGER AWARD

To a student for achievement in mathematics in honor of the late Ernest C. Schlesinger, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

KEIRA MEI HAAS '27
JAY ROSE SEXTON '27

WALTER F. BRADY JR. PRIZE

For excellence in statistics in memory of Walter F. Brady Jr., Associate Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

ADITHYA SARANATHAN '26

MUSEUM STUDIES

MUSEUM STUDIES AWARD

For excellence in museum studies

MADELYN SHEA FISHER '26

MUSIC

CONNOR DONOHUE '07 MEMORIAL AWARD

Given to a music student whose dedication to community learning and whose character continue the commitment exemplified by the late Connor Donohue '07, established by friends and the Department of Music

WILSON HERNANDEZ '26

MAHAN MUSIC PRIZE

For the greatest achievement and talent in music, offered by the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bryan F. Mahan of New London

CADE THOMAS FOGDALL '26

LAVINNIA HULL SMITH '23 PRIZE

For excellence in music, a bequest from the estate of Lavinnia Smith

MANU LUKE MONOGENIS '26
JESSIE DAVID PERRYMAN '26

SARAH NICHOLS '46 AWARD

To a music major or minor who makes the greatest contribution to the musical life of the campus

TYLER DEMARCO DAVIS '26
WILLOW OCTAVIO LOPEZ '26

JACK GOLDBERG PRIZE

To award a prize annually to a gifted musician at Connecticut College

MASON T. HUGHES '26
ALEXA MADISON WARREN '26

NEUROSCIENCE

EXCELLENCE IN NEUROSCIENCE

Awarded to the senior with the highest grade point average in Neuroscience

GISELLE HUNTER-KORN '26

NEUROSCIENCE RESEARCH AWARD

Awarded to the students with the greatest potential for success in graduate-level research

DINA DEVORA ISAKOV '26
ALEXA MADISON WARREN '26

OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY

SUSTAINABILITY LEADERSHIP AWARD

Awarded to an Office of Sustainability Student Fellow who has demonstrated extraordinary leadership and commitment to campus sustainability at Connecticut College

ALLISON ABBOTT BULL '26

PHILOSOPHY

ROBERT W. JORDAN PRIZE

For excellence in philosophy, offered by Jane B. Jordan and the Philosophy Department in memory of Robert W. Jordan, former Professor of Philosophy

RILEY NOELLE MADDEN '26

SUSANNE K. LANGER AWARD

For achievement in philosophy, offered by Karen Du Brul '72 and the Philosophy Department in honor of the late Susanne K. Langer, Professor Emeritus of Philosophy

EMILY KEATING BLAIR '26

PROFESSOR LESTER REISS PRIZE

For excellence in metaphysics, epistemology and/or the philosophy of religion, areas of a passionate interest to the late Leister Reiss, Professor of Philosophy

BEN MICHAEL SACHS '26

ANITA AND EUGENE TEHENNEPE PRIZE

To a student whose achievements in philosophy and the arts recall the contribution of Anita and Eugene TeHennepe to the academic and musical life of Connecticut College

APOLLO V. SUFFI '26

PHYSICS

DAVID G. FENTON PHYSICS/ASTRONOMY PRIZE

To one or more members of the senior class for excellence in Physics

MICHAEL REID MORAN '26

GENERAL PHYSICS PRIZE

To one or more students showing particular promise and engagement in a general physics course

NINA ROSE ELLINGSON '29
LUCY ELIZABETH JOHNSON '29
WILLIAM JAMES MOULSON '28

MODERN PHYSICS PRIZE

To one or more members of the sophomore class for excellence in Physics

IVAN BIJAMOV '28
EMILY BIRMINGHAM TORBERT '28

CHAIR'S PRIZE

To one or more members of the junior class for excellence in Physics

AIDAN JOSEPH VALEIKO '27

PSYCHOLOGY

BERNARD I. MURSTEIN AWARD

For research on interpersonal relations

ROMAN ANTHONY PERROTTO '26

PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT PRIZE
For service to the department and dedication to Psychology or Neuroscience

JULIA ELIZABETH CONNER '26

OTELLO DESIDERATO FELLOW AWARD
For outstanding promise in graduate studies in Psychology and related fields

VERONICA SHALY FERNÁNDEZ MARTINEZ '26

OTELLO DESIDERATO FELLOWSHIP FOR STUDENT-FACULTY COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH
For dedication and excellence in collaborative student-faculty research in Psychology or Neuroscience in honor of Otello Desiderato

SOPHIA DANG HAUSCHILDT '26
ROMAN ANTHONY PERROTTO '26
ALEXA MADISON WARREN '26

CAMERON HORNER SMYSER '92 AWARD FOR SCHOLARLY ACHIEVEMENT
Offered through the Psychology department, given to a Psychology or Neuroscience Major, in memory of Cameron Horner Smyser '92 by his parents, William Richard Smyser & Sally Horner Smyser, and by Gina Abbott '91

JULIA ELIZABETH CONNER '26

JANE W. TORREY AWARD
For the psychological study of social issues, offered by the Psychology Department in honor of Jane W. Torrey

SOPHIA DANG HAUSCHILDT '26

JOHN R. MACKINNON PRIZE
For outstanding performance in Introduction to Psychology

LUKE PATRICK BEGG '27
FAITH GENEVIEVE FRABLE '28
SYDNEY ROSE MARSHALL '28
ADDIE MINH NGUYEN '27
GRACE ELIZABETH SOUSA '28
MATTY VOGEL '29

ELIZABETH Y. DURANTE '10 MEMORIAL AWARD FOR PUBLIC SERVICE
Offered by the Psychology department in memory of Elizabeth Y. Durante '10 to a student who has performed exceptional public service on campus and/or in the community

EMMA K. LUNA '26
EMMA KATE CIRAME '26

THE RENA RIMSKY WING '67 ENDOWED FUND FOR PSYCHOLOGY STUDENT RESEARCH
For dedication and excellence in collaborative student-faculty research in Psychology or Neuroscience, a gift from Rena Rimsky Wing '67

DINA DEVORA ISAKOV '26
ETHAN YUSHEN LI '26
CAITLYN MARIE RODEO '26
MELISA SIERRA '26

ANN SLOAN DEVLIN AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH METHODS
For excellence in the final project in Psychology 202, Research Methods in Psychology

DAKOTA JACKSON CIAPPENELLI '27
JOEL JACQUITH EMBRAY '26
MILES MAHARAJ MCFARLANE '27
MIA GRACE PENASA '27

THE JEFFERSON SINGER AWARD FOR PUBLIC SERVICE TO NEW LONDON

For a PICA scholar who is a psychology major and who has devoted a significant part of their interest to a New London based project

JAYVION T. ANDERSON '26

SLAVIC STUDIES

VLADIMIR PAPOV PRIZE

For excellence in the study of Russian

BRAYDEN THOMAS KAVANAGH '29
WILLY STEPHAN SANCHEZ '28
HARRISON SARKIS SKLAVER '28

RONALD AND SARA RADLINSKI AWARD FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE

For outstanding service to Slavic Studies

KESHET ELIANA WEBER '29

SLAVIC STUDIES AWARD

For academic excellence and achievement in Slavic Studies

GRAY RUFFER '26
JULIA KRISTINA ZAY '28

SOCIOLOGY

SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT PRIZE

To a graduating senior who has achieved excellence in the major

CATHERINE SOPHIA HASHEMI '26
EMMA SUMMER PUNTIN '26
MADELEINE SHEFFLER SAMPSON '26

RUBY JO REEVES KENNEDY MEMORIAL AWARD

To a sophomore or junior sociology major who has established themselves as a leader in the department while maintaining a high level of excellence in the major

ZAID CHRISTOPHER ABDUL-FIELD '27
SINDY MEDINA '28

EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH AWARD

To a sociology student who has achieved excellence in the research process

AVERY MAY BURNS '26
MADELYN RAE KNIGHT '27
JESSIE DAVID PERRYMAN '26

STUDIO ART

SALVATORE STEPHEN FIGLIOMENI '82 MEMORIAL ART AWARD

To art majors who, like Sal, savor life and art and inspire a sense of goodness in all they touch. Sal, a golden, intelligent and kind-hearted soul, an incredible caring and loving son, brother and friend, cherished and loved life. He will forever live in our memories and in the hearts of family and friends who were lucky enough to have known and love him. Offered by family and friends.

SOFIA ELIZABETH BLOSSOM '28
ADAM RICHARD DINJIAN '27
ANIKA MAHAZBIN EKRA '27
GABRIEL ESTRADA-PEREZ '27
LUCKMANN MARKENSON PIERRE '27
SKYE GRAY ROBERTS '27
CASSIE TOLER '27
MIKA ZELIKOV '27

MARGUERITE HANSON ART GRANT

To a sophomore or junior art major whose work shows promise of professional achievement at a high level. Offered by the Wallace Genetic Foundation in recognition of the high standards of teaching and achievement of Marguerite Hanson, the late Professor Emeritus of Art

AJ ESCALANTE '27

SALLY LIEBIG '70 PRIZE

Given by members of the Class of 1970 in memory of Sally Liebig '70 to art students to use for supplies

ARACELY CATALINA BARAJAS '28
ELLA MARIE FEURY '27
NIKEYA SHIVANI TANKARD '28

THEATER

LEE STRASBERG INSTITUTE SCHOLARSHIP

In honor of Lee and Anna Strasberg, in recognition of the liberal arts as a foundation for lifetime learning and the values it offers to the study of theater, this award is a full tuition scholarship to the Lee Strasberg Institute in New York City.

AVA MARY ALOIA '26

CRABTREE AWARD

In recognition of Jim and Ann Crabtree and their foundational efforts in developing the Theater Program at Connecticut College, this award is given by fellow students to a senior who is recognized for dedicated involvement and outstanding work in all capacities of theater at Connecticut College

MAGGIE SENDLENSKI '26

LINDA HERR EXCELLENCE IN THEATER AWARD

In recognition of Professor Emeritus Linda Herr's outstanding leadership in establishing the theater major and department at Connecticut College, this honor is given to a senior major for outstanding leadership, theater citizenship, work ethic, and generous contributions to the discipline

MAGGIE SENDLENSKI '26

MORRIS CARNOVSKY AWARD

In recognition of actor and master teacher Morris Carnovsky, founding member of the Group Theater and Connecticut College Visiting Professor from 1978-1989, this award is given to a senior major for outstanding work in their chosen focus, and for dedication to the art, craft, and theory of theater

SOPHIA GRACE BIANCHI '26
CALEB BUTLER '26
AINSLEY JANE CORNWALL '26

HERTA PAYSON SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD

In recognition of Herta Payson and her 30 years of service to the department as costume designer and builder, and mentor. This award is given to a senior non-major whose contributions to the Theater Department reflect exceptional generosity of spirit and outstanding creative work.

ELIZABETH MARY MORONSKI '26

DONNA HOLMAN AWARD

Awarded to a first-year or second-year student for excellence in theater and generosity of spirit, named in honor of Donna Holman for her profound and unstinting service as Academic Assistant to the Department of Theater

ELLA WALKER BRADY '28
KATHERINE VAIL CONNOR '29
JORDAN JOVANNI DALE '29
ZARYJHA AMORA-LEE HARRISON '29
ABIGAIL SUSANNE JONES '29
CALLAN CLAIRE O'KEEFE '29
MICAH JUDE PRYCE '29
ANNIE ELIZABETH ROLLAG '29
JANET TRAN '29
LUKE LAMBERT HEWETT WEIDNER '29

THEATER & ADVOCACY AWARD

This honor is given to a senior major or minor whose outstanding work in theater strongly reflects the mission and core values of Connecticut College: "Connecticut College educates students to put the liberal arts into action as citizens in a global society." Core values include academic excellence; diversity, equity, and shared governance; education of the entire person; adherence to shared ethical and moral standards; community service and global citizenship; and environmental stewardship.

NELL DAISY KERIG HAMILTON '26

TOOR CUMMINGS CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES & THE LIBERAL ARTS (CISLA)

CISLA AWARD FOR DISTINCTION IN THE PROGRAM

For overall excellence and contributions to the certificate program of the Toor Cummings Center for International Studies and the Liberal Arts

JENIFER NAYELLI ALVARADO RIVADENEIRA '26
CALEB BUTLER '26
HOPE KISAKYE '26
ANNA OLIVIA VEST NIELSEN '26

CISLA SERVICE AWARD

For dedication to the certificate program and for contributions that have made a lasting impact on the Toor Cummings Center for International Studies and the Liberal Arts community

ELI MITCHELL CRADDOCK '26
GRAY RUFFER '26

WALTER COMMONS FOR GLOBAL STUDY AND ENGAGEMENT

WALTER COMMONS DISTINGUISHED FELLOW AWARD

For outstanding contributions to promoting global study and engagement on campus at Connecticut College. Honors a Walter Commons fellow who has consistently demonstrated commitment to promoting international engagement in their scholarship, their role as a fellow, and as a member of the Connecticut College community

ELI MITCHELL CRADDOCK '26

CLASS OF 1993 RELIGIOUS STUDIES PRIZE

The Class of 1993 Religious Studies Prize is awarded for outstanding performance in an introductory course in the study of religion by a first or second-year student.

ARIEL KORNIEV '29

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