

CONGRATULATIONS
TRAVEL AWARD RECIPIENTS!
SPRING 2021

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Madison Hall, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
American Association for Cancer Research Annual Meeting

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE

Zoe Loh, Cognitive Science
Western Psychological Association Conference
Keely Ji, Cell Biology
American Association for Cancer Research Annual Meeting 2021

CONGRATULATIONS
TRAVEL AWARD RECIPIENTS!
FALL 2021

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Neeraj Senthil, Biomedical Engineering

2021 Biomedical Engineering Society (BMES) Annual Meeting

Hyunsoo Han, Biomedical Engineering

Biomedical Engineering Society 2021 Annual Meeting

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE

Sarah Carpenter, Psychology

2022 Society for Personality and Social Psychology Annual Convention

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FALL 2020

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Nathan Levinzon, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior

16th German Conference on Cheminformatics and SAMPL Satellite Workshop -
Virtual Edition

Maysnow Liu, Cognitive Science

Conference on Computer-supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing
2020

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Barath Palanisamy, Biomedical Engineering

2020 Biomedical Engineering Society(BMES) Virtual Annual Meeting

Alejandro Tenorio, Biomedical Engineering

Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE

Jessica Waltmon, Psychology

Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)

Hallie Yu, Cognitive Science

Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)

CONGRATULATIONS TRAVEL AWARD RECIPIENTS! WINTER 2020

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Sabrina Loureiro, Global Disease Biology

Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco Annual Meeting 2020

Brandon Nguyen, Global Disease Biology

Society of Student-Run Free Clinics Annual Conference 2020

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Alexa Morales Arana, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

American Association for Cancer Research
(AACR) 2020 Annual Meeting

Harrison Jow, Cell Biology

Society of Student Run Free Clinics

Khanh Thai, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior

Society of Student-Run Free Clinics Annual Conference 2020

Katherine Rickelton, Biological Sciences

The Allied Genetics Conference

Ashlely Hanhauser, Biological Sciences

Western Medical Research Conference

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Tanner Hamilton, Civil Engineering

2020 Undergraduate Seismic Design Competition

Ryan Hochstatter, Civil Engineering

2020 Undergraduate Seismic Design Competition

Ashlynn Smith, Civil Engineering

2020 Undergraduate Seismic Design Competition

Tian Yu, Civil Engineering

2020 Undergraduate seismic design competition

Barath Palanisamy, Biomedical Engineering

Stanford Research Conference

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Matthew Self, Physics

235th Meeting of the American Astronomical Society

Matthew Sotoudeh, Computer Science

47th Association for Computing Machinery Special
Interest Group on Programming Languages Symposium
on Principles of Programming Languages

Hannah Brown, Computer Science

International Conference on Algorithms for
Computational Biology

Kanwaljit Singh, Anthropology

International Seminar of Agricultures Network

Eric Thai, Political Science

Midwest Political Science Association 2020 Conference

Sara Jhanjar, Anthropology

Society of Student Run Free Clinics

Isabel Martha, Spanish

Society of Student Run Free Clinics

Kristen Nguyen, Psychology

Society of Student Run Free Clinics

CONGRATULATIONS TRAVEL AWARD RECIPIENTS! FALL 2019

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Katherine Brafford, Plant Sciences

California Invasive Plant Council Symposium

Maria Gonzalez, Animal Biology

UC Davis Host-Microbe Interaction Research Retreat

Yael Hack, Animal Biology

Plant and Animal Genome Conference XXVIII

Gabriella Mukai, Animal Science

American Fisheries Society and the Wildlife Society

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Chielsea Joice Cenal, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior

Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students

Kaitlynn Gov, Cell Biology

American Society of Cell Biology

Wai Lone Jonathan Ho, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

National Collegiate Research Conference

Haley Hudson, Evolution, Ecology and Biodiversity

Western Society of Naturalists

Dorian Kariuki, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior

Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students

Matangi Kumar, Genetics and Genomics

American Association for the Advancement of Science

Jenna Quan, Evolution, Ecology and Biodiversity

Western Society of Naturalists

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Josh Arnold, Computer Science and Engineering

2019 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural

Language Processing and 9th International Joint

Conference on Natural Language Processing

Reca Caballero, Biomedical Engineering

Biomedical Engineering Society 2019 Annual Meeting

Kyle Jacobs, Biomedical Engineering

2019 Annual Meeting of the Biomedical Engineering

Society

Devi Jayakrishnan, Biomedical Engineering

Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority

Students

Trevor Metz, Mechanical Engineering

2019 Bicycle and Motorcycle Dynamics Conference

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Dawn Warfield, Philosophy

Social Science History Association

Julietta Zubia, Spanish

VI International Conference on Latin American Problems

(VI Jornadas Internacionales de Problemas

Latinoamericanos)

Jan Tracy Camacho, Mathematics

Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics & Native

Americans in Science

Sukhmandeep Kaur, Applied Mathematics

2019 Asian American Psychological Association Convention

Earl Morales, Statistics

Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority

Students

Teresa Tang, Pharmaceutical Chemistry

Fall 2019 American Chemical Society National Conference,

San Diego, CA

DeAngelo Wooley, Physics

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

Elisabeth Chun, Psychology

International Society of Developmental Psychobiology

Lizbeth Francon Vargas, Psychology

Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority

Students

Max Lisch, Sociology

Pacific Sociological Association

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WINTER 2019

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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Raven Barbera, Animal Science	Western Regional Honors Council
Natalie McElroy, Environmental Science & Mgmt	Soil Science Society of America
Madhuri Narayan, Human Development	Society for Research in Child Development
Niharika Rane, Biotechnology	Natl Conference on Undergraduate Research
Xingyue Zhang, Environmental Science & Mgmt	World Bank Land & Poverty Conference

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Meral Basit, Biochem & Molecular Bio	American Physical Society SHOCK19
Joleen Cheah, Biological Sciences	American Society for Cell Biology
Jenny Chen, Cell Biology	Western Regional Honors Council
Christopher Ochoa, Biochem & Molecular Bio	Drosophilla Research Conference
Sankalp Sinha, Genetics	Western Regional Honors Council

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Lisa Illes, Biological Systems Engineering	VentureWell Open
Lianying Li, Biomedical Engineering	Biophysical Society Annual Meeting

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCES

Jackelyne Garcia, Psychology	Society for Research in Child Development
Lindsey Popken, Anthropology	Western Regional Honors Council
Matthew Self, Physics	Western Regional Honors Council
Susanna Zheng, Psychology	National Collegiate Research Conference

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SPRING 2019**

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- Kyle Johnson, Environmental Science and Management,**
Behavior 2019: A joint meeting of the 56th Annual Conference of the Animal Behavior Society and the 36th International Ethological Conference
- Madhuri Narayan, Human Development**
Western Psychological Association
- Emily Nguyen, Global Disease Biology**
UNC Water Microbiology Conference 2019
- Kelly Neal, Environmental Science and Management**
2019 Society for Freshwater Science (SFS) Annual Meeting
- Zhuosheng Liu, Food Science**
International Association for Food Protection 2019 Annual Meeting

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- Marcus Flisher, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
West Coast Biological Sciences Undergraduate Research Conference at the University of San Diego.
- Supraja Saravanakumar, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
West Coast Biological Sciences Undergraduate Research Conference at the University of San Diego
- Liliana Torres, Neurobiology, Physiology, and Behavior**
Western Psychological Association
- Neha Gautam, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
American Epilepsy Society Annual Meeting
- Ahmad Zedan, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
AChems XLI
- Zachary Rabow, Genetics,**
American Association of Neuropathologists, 95th Annual Meeting

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- Abhay Negi, Aerospace Engineering**
CubeSat Developer's Workshop
- Bryn Cloud, Mechanical Engineering**
International Congress on Snow Sports Trauma and Safety
- Erica Ely, Biomedical Engineering**
Orthopedic Research Society Annual Meeting

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- Tiffany Jiang, Economics**
R/Finance Conference
- Matthew Sotoudeh, Computer Science**
ACM International Conference on Computing Frontiers
- C Michelle Ng, Psychology**
Western Psychological Association Annual Convention
- Elisabeth Chun, Psychology**
Western Psychological Association Annual Convention
- James Rees, Geology**
Geological Society of America Cordilleran Section Annual Meeting 2019
- Adrian Roman, Mathematics**
Society for Music Perception and Cognition (SMPC) Conference.
- Mira Milic, Pharmaceutical Chemistry**
American Chemical Society (ACS) Fall 2019 National Meeting

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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

- Peter Varas, **Sustainable Agriculture & Food Systems**
Sustainable Agriculture Education Association Conference
- Kami Peer, **Environmental Science and Management**
5th Annual Nitrogen Footprint Tool Network Workshop
- Shona Paterson, **Environmental Science and Management**
5th Annual Nitrogen Footprint Tool Network Workshop
- Joaquin Meckler, **Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology**
North America Congress for Conservation Biology
- Ellen Osborn, **Global Disease Biology**
Population, Evolutionary and Quantitative Genetics
- Breanna Xiong, **Wildlife, Fish and Conservation Biology**
5th Annual Nitrogen Footprint Tool Network Workshop
- Tricia Lam, **Human Development**
Understanding Interventions that Broaden Participation in Science Careers
- Camerin Rencken, **Global Disease Biology**
American Burn Association Conference

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

- Sonam Kumari, **Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting
- Nitika Mummidivarapu, **Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
National Collegiate Research Conference 2018
- Colin Wang, **Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
Unite For Sight 14th Annual Global Health & Innovation Conference at Yale University
- Dana Chen, **Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference 2018

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCES

- Julia Boorinakis Harper, **Cinema and Digital Media**
Keep It Simple, Make It Fast Conference 2018
- Shelbie Condie, **English**
Western Regional Honors Council Conference
- Angela Kim, **American Studies, Gender Sexuality Women's Studies**
2018 Chicago Disability Studies Conference
- Wesley Park, **Philosophy, Biological Sciences**
Sherwin B. Nuland Summer Institute in Bioethics at Yale University and the Emily Murray Student Scholarship at The Hastings Center.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

- Anika Agrawal, Environmental Toxicology**
Effects of Microplastic Ingestion on the Mole Crab (*Emerita analoga*)
- Zhousheng Liu, Food Science and Technology**
Evaluation of Behavior of Food Pathogens on Dry Fruits

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

- Dominik Aylard, Biological Sciences**
Investigating the Mechanisms Underlying the Correlation Between BRAHMA Chromatin Remodeling Complex Mutations and Increased Occurrence of Cancer
- David Berrios, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
Characterizing the Terpenoid Defenses in Foxtail Millet
- Jacqueline Colin, Genetics and Genomics**
Investigating Microbial isolates from *Rana sierrae* and their Interactions with the Virulent Chytrid Fungus, *Batrachochytrium dendrobatidis*
- Martha Delaney, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
Characterizing ERMS Subunit Function and Architecture in Mitochondria
- Alena Dinh, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
Identifying the Molecular Machinery of Cell Fusion in Epithelial-derived Cancer Cells
- Julia Lemak, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
Investigation of Migration Patterns of Newborn Adult Hippocampal Neurons Using Novel Tissue Clearing and Imaging Techniques
- Celena Lozano, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**
Antioxidant Activity in Ibuprofen-Treated Brain Cells
- Hui Ling Mak, Microbiology**
The Capacity of Food-associated, Fermenting Bacteria to Reduce Extracellular Iron
- Linett Medina, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
Design of Human Prolyl Endopeptidase (HPE) as a Potential Anticancer Prodrug Activator
- Joanne Newens, Neurobiology, Physiology, and Behavior**
Peroxisomal Beta Oxidation and Oxidative Stress
- Dennett Rodriguez, Microbiology**
The Coop Scoop: Searching for Antibiotic Resistance Genes from Backyard Poultry in Households Using Metagenomic Sequencing
- Tara Shahrivini, Neurobiology**
Sex and Chromosome Specific Meiotic Crossover Regulation in *C. elegans*
- Christopher Vo, Microbiology**
Engineering Adhesion-Induced Probiotic Strain for Enhanced Survivability and Efficacy Under Environmental Stress

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

- Reca Caballero, Biomedical Engineering**
Cultivation and Characterization of Urea-Degrading Bacteria from the Termite Gut
- Nirajana Jayakrishna, Computer Science and Engineering**
Optimization of Transfection Protocols to Study Calcium Channel Regulation in HEK-293 Cell Model
- Alejandro Tenorio, Biomedical Engineering**
Investigating the Effects of Prebiotics and their Potential for Improving Human Health Using an In Vitro Gut System

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCES

- Ceara Brashears, Sociology**
Cultural Competency in Spanish-immersion Schools
- Samantha Cramer, Anthropology**
Stable isotope analyses of Bronze Age Burials from the Chaldran Plain, Iran
- Simran Johal, Psychology and General Statistics**
The Role of White Matter Integrity on Development of Introspection Ability: A Longitudinal Analysis
- Havener Nicolas, Chemistry**
Total Synthesis of Bisavenanthramide B-1
- Lauren Reynolds, Pharmaceutical Chemistry**
Toward Renewable Energy Storage using Earth Abundant Metal Complexes
- Valencia Scott, Anthropology & International Relations**
Blackness at the Intersections: Immigration, Blackness, and Criminilization in the United States
- Yu Ching Tang, Pharmaceutical Chemistry**
Photochemical N-alkylation of Diketopyrrolopyrrole
- Tiana Williams, Cinema and Digital Media & African American Studies**
Radicalized: The History of the United States Prisoners' Rights Movement

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Ashley Kim, **Animal Biology**

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference 2018

Veronica-Rennea Chong, **Human Development and Ecology**

Society for Research on Adolescence Biennial Meeting

Savannah Woods, **Human Development**

Western Psychological Association

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Jihao Xu, **Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**

American Association for Cancer Research Annual Meeting 2018

Carissa Huang, **Biochemistry and Molecular Cellular Biology**

American Association for Cancer Research Annual Meeting 2018

Anna Kirillova, **Cell Biology**

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference 2018

Emily Eijansantos, **Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior**

Biophysical Society 62nd Annual Meeting

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Joy Doong, **Biochemical Engineering**

Winter Q-BIO Conference

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCES

Marielle Ednalino, **Design**

Creative South Conference

Thalia Tom, **Sociology**

Western Psychological Association Convention

Brian Lee, **Economics**

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference 2018

Eileen Perez, **Psychology**

Society for Neuroscience

Alida Duncan, **Gender Studies and Sociology**

Thinking Gender 2018

Michael Montgomery, **Undeclared**

You Are Here: An Interdisciplinary Conference on Place, Space, and Embodiment

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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Jocelyn Tanaka, **Animal Science**
Plant and Animal Genome Conference XXVI

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Joleen Cheah, **Biological Sciences**
American Society for Cell Biology Annual Meeting

Erin De Leon-Sanchez, **Cell Biology**
Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students

Camilo Sanchez, **Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**
Louis Stokes Midwest Center of Excellence Annual Conference

Alery Tenorio, **Biological Sciences**
Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Kenneth Alvarez, **Biomedical Engineering**
Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting

Jenny Arabit, **Chemical Engineering**
Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science

Su Hyun Lyu, **Biomedical Engineering**
Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting

Michelle Mao, **Biomedical Engineering**
Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting

Phung Chieu Quan, **Chemical Engineering**
Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science

Shonit Sharma, **Biomedical Engineering**
Biophysical Society Annual Meeting

Zhiyu Xiao, **Biomedical Engineering**
Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting

Jacqueline Ling Yee, **Biomedical Engineering**
Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCES

Suyun Bae, **Individual Major**
Sculpture Objects Functional Art and Design CONNECT

Victoria Chau, **Design**
Sculpture Objects Functional Art and Design CONNECT

Helen Fann, **Psychology**
Asian American Psychological Association Annual Convention

Neva (Shuhua) He, **Statistics & Psychology**
Literary Research Association

Sierra Kennedy, **Design**
Sculpture Objects Functional Art and Design CONNECT

Arturo Leon Sandoval, **Pharmaceutical Chemistry**
Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science

Svetlana Miakicheva, **Pharmaceutical Chemistry**
Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting

Alma Perez, **Chemistry**
Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science

Veronica Zepeda Pontifes, **Psychology**
Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science

Congratulations to the Spring 2017
Undergraduate Research Center
TRAVEL AWARD RECIPIENTS!

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Ashley Birakos, Animal Science

United States of America Region of the International Society for Applied Ethology
Conference

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Adrina Noronha, Genetics and Genomics

Stanford Undergraduate Research Association Conference

Colin Wang, Neurobiology, Physiology, and Behavior

Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Conference

Iris Mollhoff, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Plant Biology 2017 Conference

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Anvita Komarla, Biomedical Engineering

Stanford Undergraduate Research Association Conference

Tanishq Abraham, Biomedical Engineering

West Coast Biological Sciences Undergraduate Research Conference

COLLEGE OF LETTERS & SCIENCE

Michael Aristov, Chemistry

American Chemical Society Conference

Leslie Do, Asian American Studies

American Association for the Advancement of Science Conference

Congratulations to the Winter 2017
Undergraduate Research Center
TRAVEL AWARD RECIPIENTS!

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Brittni Ming-Whitfield, Animal Science

International Place & Animal Genome XXV Conference

Jordan Tonooka, Animal Science

The Pacific Egg and Poultry Association Meeting

COLLEGE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Niba Nirmal, Genetics and Genomics

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference

Yashodara Abeykoon, Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Xenia Ivanova, Biomedical Engineering

American Society for Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics Annual Conference

COLLEGE OF LETTERS & SCIENCE

Alexandra Milkey, Pharmaceutical Chemistry

The American Chemical Society Meeting

Blanca Isela Gomez, Pharmaceutical Chemistry

The American Chemical Society Meeting

Danielle Fabian Bronson, Design

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference

Harley Wong, Art History

Harvard National Collegiate Research Conference

Spivey McLane, Chemistry

The American Chemical Society Meeting

Vishal Chakraborty, Philosophy

Michigan Undergraduate Philosophy Conference