2019 SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION IN CHEMISTRY

SPONSOR: Chicago Section, American Chemical Society: High School Education Committee
HELD AT: Benedictine University on May 18, 2019
AWARDS: Funds are contributed by the chemical industry and by individuals. Teachers of a prize-winning student(s) will receive a one-year membership in AACT.

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<th>PRIZE</th>
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| FIRST      | Fiona Abney-McPeek | Jim Catlett  
University of Chicago Lab Schools |
| $5,000 AWARD |                |                                          |
| SECOND     | Izzy Huang      | Brandon Tucker  
Glenbrook South HS |
| $3,000 AWARD |                |                                          |
| THIRD      | Gabriel Classon | Jennifer Carlson  
William Fremd HS |
| $2,500 AWARD |                |                                          |
| FOURTH     | Bethany Stephens | Jim Catlett  
University of Chicago Lab Schools |
| $1,500 AWARD |                |                                          |
| FIFTH      | Helen Zhao      | Michael Parton  
Neuqua Valley HS |
| $1,250 AWARD |                |                                          |
| MARIE LISHKA * | Fiona Abney-McPeek | Jim Catlett  
University of Chicago Lab Schools |
| $2000 AWARD |                |                                          |
| MARSHALL S. SMOLER** | Brandon Cheng | Leigha Ingham  
Walter Payton HS |
| $200 AWARD |                |                                          |
| BERNAARD E. SCHAAR*** | Fiona Abney-McPeek | Jim Catlett  
University of Chicago Lab Schools |
| $500 Chicago Chemists’ Club Award | | |

*To the highest scoring female in the examination. This award honors Marie Lishka, who was an active Chicago Section member for many years. Additional funding for the Lishka award was provided in memory of Stan Drigot.

**To the highest-scoring Chicago Public High School Student. His sister, Rachel, established this award in 1972 in memory of Marshall S. Smoler. Mr. Smoler was for many years a chemistry teacher in the Chicago public schools.

*** To the highest scoring Chicago High School student. Mr. Bernard Schaar’s widow established this award in memory of Mr. Bernard Schaar, long active in Chicago Section, American Chemical Society and the Chicago Chemist’s Club.

HONORABLE MENTIONS LISTED IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER
(These students were the next highest performers)

Aditya Badlani  
University of Chicago Lab School
Andrew Baumgart  
Naperville North HS
A total of 68 students took the 2019 ACS Scholarship exam. Each chemistry teacher could nominate two students.

Awards will be given to students at the ACS Education Night meeting at a time, date, and place to be determined. Award winners and their teachers will be contacted by the Chicago ACS office. All teachers and students are invited and encouraged to attend the ACS Education Night meeting. Teachers who attend the ACS Education Night meeting will receive CPDU credits. Teachers do not have to be ACS members to attend. Register online at https://chicagoacs.org in August.

A special thank you to Dr. Paul Brandt, Chemistry Professor at North Central College for his hard work and willingness to author the exam. Additional thanks go to those who helped to proctor the exam: Tim Marin, Russ Kohnken, Sherri Rukes, and Kari Stone.

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