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FIRST PLACE
• Jacob Fisher — Stanford University, Stanford, CA, United States

SECOND PLACE
• Francis Elcaron — Istanbul Kultur University, Istanbul, Turkey
• Heather Jost — University of Oxford, Oxford, England, United Kingdom
• Dominique Lazzaro — Cornell University, Great River, NY, United States

THIRD PLACE
• Lindsay Funk — McMaster University, Hamilton, ON, Canada
• Annemiek Gritter — Brock University, St. Catharines, ON, Canada
• Claire Huchthausen — University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, United States
• Vivian Turnbull — Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, MI, United States
• Blake Walker — University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, United States

FINALIST
• Luis Enrique Bazet Velásquez — Uppsala University, Uppsala, Uppland, Sweden
• Manuel Berduc — Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, United States
• Elisabeth Dawson — Biola University, La Mirada, CA, United States
• Annabelle Fajardo — North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC, United States
• James Farkas — University of Wisconsin, La Crosse, WI, United States
• Emma Hansen — Texas State University, San Marcos, TX, United States
• Oluwatojumi Keshinro — University of Lagos, Lagos Mainland, Lagos, Nigeria
• Samuel Kimzey — University of Dallas, Blacksburg, VA, United States
• Emma Lowe — University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland, United Kingdom
• Damien Macedo — University of Cambridge, Cambridge, England, United Kingdom
• Quinton Mackend — University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON, Canada
• Haesung Oh — Saint Mary’s High School, Manhasset, NY, United States
• Peter Randall — Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah, GA, United States
• Colin Sabol — Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, United States
• Maria Stevens — Frank H. Netter School of Medicine, North Haven, CT, United States
• Hannah Sutter — Toccoa Falls College, Toccoa Falls, GA, IL, United States

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- Cyrus Theodor — Ohio University, Athens, OH, United States
- Taya Toulouse — University of Ottawa, Ottawa, ON, Canada
- Dhrithi Valluri — Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, United States
- Vithiah Vijayakumar — Sir Wilfrid Laurier Collegiate Institute, Toronto, ON, Canada
- Josiah Warnwere — Kenya School of Law, Ongata Rongai, Kajiado, Kenya
- Melissa Ward — Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT, United States
- Nathan Williamson — Rancho Bernardo High School, San Diego, CA, United States
- Daniel Yassky — New York University, New York, NY, United States

SEMIFINALIST

- Tara Ahlf — Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL, United States
- Kyle Bischoff — University of California Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, United States
- Miraya Borah — King’s College London, London, England, United Kingdom
- Savi Brignole — Faith Christian School, Grapevine, TX, United States
- Connor Bryan — Randolph Macon College, Ashland, VA, United States
- Luke Caldwell — Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR, United States
- Shinjini Chakraborty — The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, United States
- Jack Cherry — South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, Rapid City, SD, United States
- Chelsey Coles — Northern Virginia Community College, Alexandria, VA, United States
- Sophia Crews — Roncalli High School, Indianapolis, IN, United States
- Shayla Dang — Coronado High School, Henderson, NV, United States
- Pramit Das — Ramjas College, Delhi University, New Delhi, Delhi, India
- Sebastian Davis — Brophy College Preparatory, Phoenix, AZ, United States
- Bobby Eakle — Nicholas County High School, Summersville, WV, United States
- Meaghan Faneuf — Eastern Gateway Community College, Steubenville, OH, United States
- Ilea Farrall — University of California Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, United States
- Sarah Frank — The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA, United States
- Lisa Fung — Saratoga High School, Saratoga, CA, United States
- Elizabeth Gillanders — Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA, United States
- Gwendoline Grabar — Cornerstone Academy (Homeschool), Raleigh, NC, United States

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• Joselyn Hofer — University of Texas, Austin, TX, United States
• Cassidy Jean — Thompson Rivers University, Kamloops, BC, Canada
• Yunseo Jeon — St. Mary’s High School, Manhasset, NY, United States
• Christian Jimenez — University of California Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, United States
• Tom Jouvet — Columbia University, New York City, NY, United States
• Jasper Kerr — University of California Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, United States
• Aditi Kharat — National Institute of Technology Calicut, Calicut, Kerala, India
• Austin Kilgore — Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY, United States
• Levi Larson — Wichita State University, Wichita, KS, United States
• Emma Lehman — Black Hills State University, Spearfish, SD, United States
• Aidan Levy — Mission Viejo High School, Mission Viejo, CA, United States
• Simon Maaß — University of St Andrews, St Andrews, Scotland, United Kingdom
• Sophie Manalo — The Village School, Houston, TX, United States
• Jorge Martinez — Real Conservatorio Superior de Música de Madrid, Madrid, Spain
• Caleb A. McWhorter — Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS, United States
• Luke Melcher — University of Texas, Austin, TX, United States
• Ellen Midgley — Coeur d’Alene Charter Academy, Coeur d’Alene, ID, United States
• Riley Moore — Capella University, Minneapolis, MN, United States
• Benedikt Raphael — Philipps Universität Marburg, Marburg, Hessen, Germany
• Rachel Rathbun — Cedarville University, Cedarville, OH, United States
• Sydeny Reimann — Wiesbaden High School, Wiesbaden, Hessen, Germany
• Divine Roberts — Montgomery College, Silver Spring, MD, United States
• Aydyn Rohm — Mauldin High School, Greenville, SC, United States
• Alexander Sasse — University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO, United States
• Joseph Smejer — University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL, United States
• Akira Sewnath — University of Maryland, College Park, MD, United States
• David Taylor — Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL, United States
• Andrew Valentini — Carthage College, Kenosha, WI, United States
• June Zaporajan — TEC Connections Academy, Dorchester, MA, United States
• Yiya Zhang — Ohio State University, Worthington, OH, United States