

Report of the College Committee on Undergraduate Honors Program
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In Spring 2020, the Committee granted departmental honors to the following students for their work:

Noah Bloomberg, "'The Japanese Resettlement Project: Challenging Americanization with American Identity,'" History with Prof. Charlotte Brooks

Sarfaraz Chowdury, "Shakespeare's Players, Marlowe's Swayers: A Study in Theatricality and Power," English with Prof. Laura Kolb

Audrey-Melody Cubas, "Lay down my soul at stake': Of Female Friendship in The Merchant of Venice, Othello and The Winter's Tale," English with Prof. Laura Kolb

Jordan Cymrot, "'A World Ruled By Unknowns: The Psychological Effects of the Supernatural and Natural Worlds in Emily Bronte's *Wuthering Heights*,'" English with Prof. Stephanie Hershinow

Goldie Gross, "A Study of Der hammer: Aesthetic Influences on Art and Culture in the Communist Yiddish Press," Art History with Prof. Gail Levin

Asimina Hamakiotes, "The Distribution of the Greatest Common Divisor of Elements in Quadratic Integer Rings," Mathematics with Prof. Andrew Obus

Reyhan Merekar, "Emerging Technologies in Healthcare: Analysis of UNOS Data Through Machine Learning." CSI with Prof. Arturo Castellanos

Dean Patterson, "Ontological Incompletion in Unfinished Plastic Arts," Philosophy with Prof. Doug Lackey

Sharon Tang, "Motor Neuron Connections and Innervation of Muscles in *Drosophila melanogaster*," Biology with Prof. Krista Dobi

In Fall 2020, the Committee granted departmental honors to the following two students:

Natalie Cruz, "Cultural Identity and Mental Health Awareness Among a Diverse Sample of College Students," Psychology with Prof. Daniele Artistico

Hyochan Lee, "Who Upholds Your Human Rights When You are 'Stateless?' Why Couldn't the UN Protect the Rohingya's Human Rights?" Political Science with Prof. Stephanie Golob

In Spring 2020, Goldie Gross and Asimina Hamakiotes were voted joint winners of the Kanner Prize for best Honors Thesis in 2019-2020.

The Committee expects to review ten honors theses currently in progress in Spring 2021 and three honors theses to be completed in Fall 2021.

Respectfully Submitted,

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