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Montgomery Loveless Academic Magnet Program High School

Rastogi, Rhea, 18

Understanding How the Maternal Epigenetic Reprogramming Function of LSD1

Contributes to Inherited Developmental Disease

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Juneau Thunder Mountain High School

Djajalie, Elizabeth, 18

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(Oncorhynchus spp.)

**ARIZONA** 

Chandler BASIS Chandler

Avlani, Harshil, 17

Analyzing the Effect of Mid-Circuit Measurement (MCM) on Spectator Qubits

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Li, Alexis, 17

BrainSTEAM: A Practical Pipeline for Connectome-Based fMRI Analysis Toward Brain

Disorder Classification

Phoenix BASIS Phoenix

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Identifying Potential Markers To Combat Afatinib Resistance in Esophageal

Adenocarcinoma

Scottsdale BASIS Scottsdale

Peddi, Sruti, 17

FloodCast: Real-Time Flood Mapping and Prediction in Southeast Asia Using Remote

Sensing Data

**ARKANSAS** 

Hot Springs Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences & the Arts

Sonputri, Aarohi, 18

Small Molecule Stabilization of the CARD11 G-Quadruplex Represses Transcription:

Developing a Therapeutic Target for Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma

**CALIFORNIA** 

Atherton Menlo School

Babel, Noah Kalyn, 17

Stable Equilibria Under Random Fitness and Recombination Rates

Belmont Carlmont High School

Zhang, Colin, 17

Complete Molecular Structure Prediction From Infrared Spectroscopy Using

Deep Learning

Cupertino <u>Homestead High School</u>

Chakravarthy, Arnav N., 18

Leveraging Mitochondrial DNA Mutations for Macrophage Lineage Tracing

in Primary Human Tissues

Dublin <u>Dublin High School</u>

Wu, Richard, 17

BiblioBERT: Sentence Transformer-Based Semantic Recommendation Engine Using Large Language Model-Enhanced Query Segmentation for Personalized Bibliotherapy

Recommendations

Eastvale Eleanor Roosevelt High School

Saxena, Krrishika, 17

Development of a Simple, Affordable Zinc Oxide-Zeolite Chemiresistor VOC Sensor
To Detect Colorectal Cancer From the Exhaled Breath: A Solution for the Underserved

Communities

Fremont <u>Mission San Jose High School</u>

Li, Brian Minghan, 18

Intertwining Operators Between Subregular Whittaker Modules for  $\mathrm{gl}_{\scriptscriptstyle \mathrm{N}}$  and

Non-Standard Quantizations

Mission San Jose High School

Lin, Felix, 18

Creation of WAL-SEA: The First Shallow-Ocean Multifunctional Remotely Operated Vehicle

(ROV) for the Study of Near-Shore Ocean Ecosystems

Hillsborough <u>Crystal Springs Uplands School</u>

Sun, Katie, 18

Designing a Novel Primer Blocker Using Bioconjugation of Single-Stranded Binding

Protein and Oligonucleotides for Improved KRAS Mutation Detection

Irvine <u>University High School</u>

Ji, Howard, 17

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Real-Time Detection and Mapping of Surface Cracks on Bridges

**University High School** 

Wu, Julianne, 17

Sex-Related Signaling of the Angiotensin II Pathway in Primary Aortic Smooth

Muscle Cells

**Woodbridge High School** 

Hua, Katherine, 17

An Al-Powered Assistive Device for the Visually Impaired

La Canada High School

Backer Peral, David Rodrigo, 17

Hot Button: Non-Invasive Approach for Studying Aggressive States

Los Angeles Geffen Academy at UCLA

Sampath, Rohan, 17

Synthesis and Characterization of PEDOT:Algs - Biomacromolecules for Boosting

**Hydrogel Conductivity** 

Mountain House <u>Mountain House High School</u>

Prawira, Jordan, 17

Pura Aer 2: Dual-Stage, Energy-Efficient, Modular Air Purifier System Inspired

by Porifera To Improve Air Quality

Oakland <u>Bishop O'Dowd High School</u>

Gonzalez, Ethan Ryan, 18

Impact of Electric Fields on Aqueous Phase Contaminants

## Palo Alto <u>Henry M. Gunn High School</u>

Fan, Roger J., 18

Multidisperse Random Sequential Adsorption and Generalizations

## Palo Alto High School

Verma, Avi, 17

Novel Neural Network Models for Predicting Mental Health Outcomes in the U.S. Youth Population

## Pleasanton <u>Amador Valley High School</u>

Joshi, Ishan Milind, 17

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## Redwood Seguoia High School

Liou, Collin, 17

Programmable Multistability and Rigid Flattenability in Origami Cubes by Adding a Minimal Cut

## Sacramento Mira Loma High School

Srikanth, Hari, 18

Multimodal Computer Vision and Novel Reinforcement Learning for Robot Navigation in Fires

## San Diego <u>Canyon Crest Academy</u>

Fan, Michelle, 17

A High-Throughput Screening Pipeline Targeting Mitochondrial Energetic Dysfunction in Patient-Derived Neurons

## **Del Norte High School**

Arora, Aarav, 18

A Mechanistic Basis for the Analysis of SARS-CoV-2 Omicron Variant Severity

# **Del Norte High School**

Zhang, Jocelyn, 18

Novel Photoluminescence Recovery Method of Porous Silicon Quantum Dots for Bioimaging Application

## San Jose <u>BASIS Independent Silicon Valley</u>

Singh, Sanskriti, 17

CheX-Nomaly: Segmenting Lung Abnormalities From Chest Radiographs
Using Machine Learning

#### **Branham High School**

Liang, Eric, 17

Predicting Pedestrian Crosswalk Behavior Using Convolutional Neural Networks

#### **Notre Dame High School**

Srinivasan, Maya Gabrielle Aler, 18

Optogenetically Examining Channelrhodopsin and CsChrimson-Stimulated Locomotive Behavior To Classify "Moonwalker" Stalling in *Drosophila melanogaster* 

#### The Harker School

Lan, Ella Selina, 17

Creating HD-Performer: A Biomedical Waveform Transformer With Two New Attention Modules, TSA and SPA, for Diabetes Detection

## **The Harker School**

#### Wei, Michelle, 17

Solving Second-Order Cone Programs Deterministically in Matrix Multiplication Time

#### **The Harker School**

### Yee, Ella, 18

Identification of Circadian Regulator ARNTL2 and Associated Genes as Novel Biomarkers for Cancer Progression

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## Zhang, Ryan Ruien, 18

PEDS-AI: A Deep-Learning-Based UAV System for In-Field Insect Species Identification and Pest Early Detection

## **The Harker School**

## Zhang, William, 18

A ChatGPT-Based System With Semi-Closed Domain as an Automatic Online Teaching Assistant in Math Education

#### **Valley Christian High School**

## Wu, Samantha, 18

Effect of Storage Conditions on Small Noncoding RNA Concentrations in Human Milk Using the Size Exclusion Chromatography Method for Extracellular Vesicle Isolation

#### San Ramon

## **Dougherty Valley High School**

## Kolluru, Vaishnavi, 17

Human Milk Immune Complexes Isolated Following Pregnancies Complicated by COVID-19 Infection Contain SARS-CoV-2 Nsp13 Helicase and Biologically Active Factors

## **Dougherty Valley High School**

#### Zou, Charisse, 17

The Development of a Free-Flying Method To Study the Effect of Neonicotinoids on the Positive Transfer of Learning in the Visual Domain of Honeybees

#### Saratoga

#### Saratoga High School

## Fung, Esabella Sunshine, 17

A Machine Learning Approach for Assessing Labor Supply to the Online Labor Market

## Saratoga High School

## Kaya, Zeyneb N., 17

MADLIBS: A Novel Multilingual Data Augmentation Algorithm for Low-Resource Neural Machine Translation

## Saratoga High School

## Liao, Kyleen, 17

Simulating the Air Quality Impact of Prescribed Fires Using a Graph Neural Network-Based PM2.5 Emissions Forecasting System

#### **Thousand Oaks**

#### Thousand Oaks High School

## Moreno, Jr., Ramon, 17

The Influence of Isonicotinamide on the Chronological Lifespan of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* Strains

#### Ukiah

#### **Developing Virtue Secondary School**

## Wang, Katherine Huaizhen, 18

Whole-Genome Variant Detection in Long-Read Sequencing Data From Ultra-Low Input Tumor Samples

## Union City <u>James Logan High School</u>

Kolluru, Anoushka, 18

Investigating the Proliferation, Invasion and Resistance to Chemotherapy-Induced Apoptosis of A549 Lung Cancer Cells in Relation to Synthetic Nicotine Exposure

# **COLORADO**

Boulder <u>Fairview High School</u>

Arthur, Margaret Madeleine, 18

A Novel Phosphosite Localization Approach Using Tandem Phosphoprotein Mass Spectra and Temporal Dilated Networks

## Fairview High School

Cao, Elton, 17

National Ground-Level NO<sub>2</sub> Predictions via Satellite Imagery-Driven Convolutional Neural Networks

## Greenwood Village Cherry Creek High School

Bhavikatti, Neil, 17

On Algorithmic Cache Optimization

## Highlands Ranch Rock Canyon High School

Avinash, Aditi, 17

Model Validation and Preclinical Testing of Digestive Enzymes for Gluten Breakdown: A Move To Cure Gluten Intolerance and Celiac Disease

## Lafayette Peak to Peak Charter School

Saini, Amrita, 18

Investigating Hydrogels To Sustain *Pyrocystis fusiformis* for Natural Lighting and Carbon Dioxide Removal

# CONNECTICUT

## Greenwich Greenwich High School

Li, Lucy, 17

Footprint Reduction of PET Fiber Waste in Refuse Environments via Non-Toxic *Ideonella sakaiensis* Degradation

## **Greenwich High School**

Lin, Audrey, 17

Eco-Friendly Remediation of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Stormwater via Magnesium-Infused Calcite Crystal, Supramolecular Hydrogel Scaffolding

#### **Greenwich High School**

Park, Naomi, 17

Development and Life Cycle Assessment of a Novel, Multi-Functional Remediation Framework for the Concurrent Removal of Oceanic Carbon Dioxide and Oil-in-Water Contaminants

## New Canaan High School

Huang, Luke, 17

Binary Cellular Analysis: Understanding the Link Between Aging and Mortality Risk

## Stamford King School

Kolb, Antonia Maria, 18

DETICKT IT: A Machine Learning-Based Application for Real-Time Tick Identification and Spatiotemporal Disease Risk Assessment

Wallingford <u>Choate Rosemary Hall</u>

Wu, Isabella, 17

ST-TopoCAN: A Novel Histopathological System for Clinical Prediction With Topologyand Spatial Genome-Informed Deep Learning

Woodbridge <u>Amity Regional High School</u>

Bhattamishra, Aditi, 18

The SFSA Ankle: A Novel Smart Fluidic Servo Actuator With Real-Time Environment

Sensing for Low-Cost, Low-Power, High-Efficiency Transtibial Bionics

**DELAWARE** 

Hockessin Sanford School

Kahlon, Amanrai Singh, 17

Enhancing Wearable Gait-Monitoring Systems: Identifying Optimal Kinematic Inputs

in Typical Adolescents

**FLORIDA** 

Delray Beach <u>American Heritage School Boca-Delray</u>

Mohanty, Maya, 18

Utilizing Caulobacter crescentus To Target the NF-KB-Bcl-2 Pathway and BH3-Only

Proteins To Induce Apoptosis in Nasal Squamous Cell Carcinoma

Fort Lauderdale Pine Crest School

Ghanta, Priya, 18

Soluble Plasma Proteins of Tumor Necrosis Factor and Immunoglobulin

Superfamilies Reveal New Insights Into Immune Regulation in People With HIV

and Opioid Use Disorder

**Pine Crest School** 

Martoma, Joshua, 18

Predicting Criminal Recidivism With an Ensemble Machine Learning Model Using Logistic

Regression, Random Forests and Neural Networks

Gainesville <u>Buchholz High School</u>

Wei, Nathan, 17

Novel Elastomeric Polystyrene via Photopolymerization and Post-Functionalization

of Durable Ultra-High Molecular Weight Perfluorostyrene Copolymers

Miami Palmetto Senior High School

You, Sunny, 17

Predicting Future Tropical Cyclone Intensity Using a Convolutional Neural Network

and 20 Years of IMERG Satellite Rainfall Data

School for Advanced Studies - Wolfson

Akerman, Milo, 18

Classification of Poisonous Russula Species Using CBAM-Integrated Convolutional Neural

**Networks and Bayesian Optimization** 

Ocala <u>Vanguard High School</u>

Shaquib, Rishit Arnav, 17

Bi-Directional Hygiene: Evaluating the Use of Artificial Microbiomes of Commensal

Bacteria To Combat Nosocomial Infection

Oviedo Oviedo High School

Pilacek, Ella, 17

Promoting Attraction of *Apis mellifera* to the Synthetic Scent of the Endangered Orchid *Prosthechea cochleata* Using Pavlovian Conditioning and Direct Feeding

Paradigms for Conservation

Plantation <u>American Heritage School</u>

Federici, Jacob Noah, 18

Mitigation of Decreased Protein Synthesis Under Elevated Carbon Dioxide in *Arabidopsis thaliana* Using Transgenic and Exogenous Approaches

**American Heritage School** 

Mehta, Akansha, 17

Quorum Quenching Potential of Novel Phytochemicals on Chromobacterium violaceum

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**American Heritage School** 

Pulmano, Lorenzo, 17

A Microwave-Based Machine Learning Approach To Predict Eyewall Replacement Cycles

Satellite Beach Satellite High School

Stout, Lana L., 17

Accelerating Carbon Sequestration Through Olivine Using Direct Mineral Carbonation

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Stuart <u>Martin County High School</u>

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Quantification of Macrophomina phaseolina Survival After Organic Soil Treatments Under

Multiple Temperature Regimes

Tampa <u>Berkeley Preparatory School</u>

Flitman, Hannah, 18

Exploring Racial Disparities in Auto Insurance Pricing: A Novel Geographical Information

Systems Approach to Analyzing Fatality and Rate Discrepancies

Wesley Chapel <u>Wiregrass Ranch High School</u>

Manjith, Meghna, 18

Preventing Surgical Site Infections: Designing a Novel Post-Surgical Treatment Using Silver Nitrate and Ayurvedic Extracts in Combination With DNA Sequence Analysis

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Alpharetta <u>Innovation Academy</u>

Zhou, Cyrus Ma, 16

An Acoustic Noise Reduction Hood for Infant MRI

Johns Creek <u>Johns Creek High School</u>

Dalal, Rohan Keyur, 17

Neuromesodermal Progenitor Cells Give Rise to Blood Through a Myoblast/

Hemangioblast Bipotential Intermediate

Martinez <u>Augusta Preparatory Day School</u>

Huo, Emily Xingbao, 17

Targeting Macrophage Glycolysis Suppresses Kidney Scarring in a Rodent Model

HAWAII

Honolulu <u>Kamehameha Secondary School</u>

Murata, Madison Rieko Hiilani, 17

Studies on Gracilaria salicornia: Zinc Oxide (ZnO) Sunscreen Exposure

and Use as Agricultural Fertilizer

**ILLINOIS** 

Barrington Barrington Community High School

Zhu, Anthony, 17

Detection of COVID-19 Through a Heptanal Biomarker Using Transition

Metal-Doped Graphene

Chicago Whitney Young Magnet High School

Agrawal, Nikita, 18

A Novel Approach for Predicting Large Wildfires Using Machine Learning Toward Environmental Justice via Environmental Remote Sensing and Atmospheric

Reanalysis Data Across the United States

Lincolnshire Adlai E. Stevenson High School

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Combinatorial Optimization and Machine Learning To Predict Optimal Cell-State

**Conversion Paths** 

Adlai E. Stevenson High School

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Multifaceted Wildfire-Induced Risk Assessment for Electric Power Grid: An Analytical

Approach With Implications for Resilient Infrastructure

Palatine <u>William Fremd High School</u>

Gupta, Aditya, 18

Agri-GNN: A Novel Genotypic-Topological Graph Neural Network Framework Built

on GraphSAGE for Optimized Yield Prediction

INDIANA

South Bloomington <u>Bloomington High School</u>

Choi, Grace Seyoung, 18

Improving Transient Expression of Recombinant Proteins in Nicotiana benthamiana Using

Color-Optimized Plastic Mulch Covers

West Lafayette West Lafayette Junior-Senior High School

Kim, Joshua J., 17

Camouflaged and Biosafe QR Code Bioprinting and Protein Tagging:

**Combatting Medicine Counterfeiting** 

**KENTUCKY** 

Lexington Paul Laurence Dunbar High School

Vulakh, Joseph Amichai, 17

Positive Traces on Deformations of Kleinian Singularities of Type D

Louisville <u>duPont Manual Magnet High School</u>

Kar, Shraman, 17

Dynamic Layer Pruning and Quantization Using Proximal Policy Optimization:

A Synergistic Approach for Efficient Deep Learning Models

# LOUISIANA

## Shreveport <u>C. E. Byrd High School</u>

Hunter, Leslie Elizabeth, 17

To What Extent Do Pesticides Alter Antioxidant Properties Found Within Rabbiteye Blueberries?

## **Caddo Parish Magnet High School**

Chen, Sophie, 17

Intraoperative Histological Analysis of Squamous Cell Carcinoma Tumor Margins Using a Convolutional Neural Network

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## Clarksville River Hill High School

Tang, Eric, 17

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## Ellicott City Centennial High School

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## **Centennial High School**

Ghosh, Ishani, 18

Saturated Lipid-Mediated Abrogation of Neurogenesis: A New Paradigm for Therapeutic Implication in Traumatic Brain Injury Among Obese and High Lipid-Indexed People

## Poolesville Poolesville High School

Mathew, Daniel, 17

MiniMesh: Real-Time 5,000-Node Anatomical Human Body Mesh Reconstruction for Portable Devices

## Poolesville High School Stammers, Milo, 18

On Elementary Generation of SL2 Over Integer Rings of Imaginary Function Fields

#### Potomac <u>Winston Churchill High School</u>

Mattikalli, Simran, 17

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## Silver Spring Montgomery Blair High School

Fan, Jonathan Matthew, 18

A Genomic Meta-Data Analysis of Alzheimer's and Related Diseases Reveals New Insights for Future Research

## **Montgomery Blair High School**

Wu, Angela Yue, 18

Calcium-Induced Mitochondrial Sorcin Aggregation: A Model System for Investigating Chaperone Suppression of Protein Aggregation

# **MASSACHUSETTS**

Acton <u>Acton-Boxborough Regional High School</u>

Erbas, Timucin, 17

Autonomous Precision Rocket Landing Algorithm

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Ohara, Haruki, 17

Bio-Physical Sensing of Feeding Patterns on Squid and Applications for Smart

Recreational Fishing

Andover Phillips Academy

Du, Anna Chang, 18

Developing an AI-Enhanced Protocol for Simulating Abiogenesis: Novel Nano-Structured Carbon Materials as a Templatizing Surface for Prebiotic Nucleic Acid Oligomer Formation

Phillips Academy Kang, Yifan, 18

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Phillips Academy Li, Arielsie, 18

FlexLizard: A Fast-Running Bipedal Lizard Robot With Optimized Lateral Bending

Belmont Belmont High School

Meng, Julie, 17

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Brookline Brookline High School

Borodin, Matvey, 18

The Action of the Cactus Group on Arc Diagrams

Mahajan, Alexandra, 17

A Novel Method To Determine Precise Stellar Radii and Temperatures of Low Mass Stars

Using JWST Transits and Occultations

Dedham Noble and Greenough School

Gao, Ruohan, 18

Deep Learning-Based Satellite Image Analysis for Predicting the Correlated Density

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Groton Groton School

Ge, Eric 18

An Autonomous Assisted-Feeding Robotic Arm With Computer Vision Capabilities

Hopkinton Hopkinton High School

Venkatesan, Srilakshmi, 17

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on Caenorhabditis elegans: A Safe, Novel Model for Paralytic Drug Testing

Lexington <u>Lexington High School</u>

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Next-Generation Synthetic Receptor Circuits for T-Cell Therapy

Wellesley <u>Dana Hall School</u>

Cao, Gaby, 18

Mining Novel Glaucoma Drug Target Using Disease-Associated Multiomics Between

Ocular Hypertension-Dependent and Independent Pathways

Wellesley Hills Wellesley High School

Song, Alan, 18

Reinforcement Learning-Based Horizontal Scaling for Serverless Systems

Worcester <u>Bancroft School</u>

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DDR2 and Substrate Stiffness Regulate Cancer Cell Proliferation Through Metabolic

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**Massachusetts Academy of Math & Science** 

Palit, Isabella, 17

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**MICHIGAN** 

Goddla, Vikram Srinivas, 17

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**MINNESOTA** 

Eden Prairie Eden Prairie High School

Dagade, Yash, 17

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Rochester <u>Mayo High School</u>

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Woodbury <u>Math and Science Academy</u>

Vishnubhatla, Srikara, 18

An Exploratory Analysis of Mosaic Chromosomal Aberrations in the Canine Genome:

Toward a Comparative Genomics Model

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Chesterfield Marquette High School

Zhao, Jason Ziren, 17

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Columbia <u>David H. Hickman High School</u>

Kannan, Saathvik R., 18

Revolutionizing Cancer Drug Discovery With DrugGen: Identifying a Novel Drug

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**NEVADA** 

Reno <u>Davidson Academy Online</u>

Tang, Linus, 17

Extremal Bounds on Peripherality Measures

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## Exeter Phillips Exeter Academy

Bu, Alan, 17

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## Phillips Exeter Academy Rajaram, Achyuta, 17

Automatic Discovery of Visual Circuits

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Tyagi, Riya, 16

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## Annadale North Hunterdon High School

Zhang, Selina, 18

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## Bridgewater Bridgewater-Raritan High School

Hao, Gracelynne, 17

Green Synthesis of Black TiO<sub>2</sub> Nanoparticles: A Promising Candidate for Solar-Driven Photocatalytic Water Decontamination

## Cherry Hill Cherry Hill High School East

Liu, Sophia, 17

Global and Personalized Models for Detecting Myocardial Infarction With Wearable Devices

## Hackensack

## **Bergen County Academies**

Gupta, Aanya, 17

Initiating Astrocyte to Neuron Transdifferentiation Through MiR-124a: Implications in Neurodegenerative Disease

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Kim, Andrea Choo, 17

qPCR Assay for the Detection of Varroa destructor in the eDNA of Apis mellifera Colonies

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Lee, Reia, 17

Analyzing the gKDR-GMM Model's Simulation of *C. elegans* Brain Activity Data and Its Wider Applications in Time-Series Data Analysis

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Nuruzzaman, Alfardi, 17

SMAD4 Signaling Pathway's Role on Production of Exosomes and Associated Extracellular Vesicles

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Zhou, Maggie, 18

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Lincroft High Technology High School

Fang, Katherine, 18

Surveying Water Surface and Wetlands Using Cloud-Removed LandSat Data

Livingston Newark Academy

Li, Aaron, 18

The Dynamics of a Neutrally Buoyant Particle in Laminar Flow

Millburn High School

Saha Choudhury, Arjun, 18

MELODY: Exploring the Characteristics of Music That Helps Relieve Stress

Monmouth Junction South Brunswick High School

Sinha, Ishaan, 17

Characterizing West Nile Virus Dynamics With Explainable Machine Learning

Pennington <u>Hopewell Valley Central High School</u>

Michaluk, Charlotte Lenore, 17

Innovative Climate Change Emissions Reduction: Cargo Ship Active Vortex Scrubber Sail

Liang, Yiwei, 18

Discovery and Validation of Small Molecule TIGIT Inhibitors for Cancer Immunotherapy

Summit Kent Place School

Wang, Miranda, 17

A Machine Learning Study of Of Shoreline Change Prediction for United States Coasts

Tenafly <u>Tenafly High School</u>

Pyo, Cindy, 18

Metabolic Program of Intestinal Stem Cell in Pediatric Development and Inflammatory

**Bowel Disease** 

**NEW MEXICO** 

Albuquerque <u>La Cueva High School</u>

Koushik, Aditya Kiran, 17

ACPLearn: A Deep Neural Network Model To Predict Novel Anticancer Peptides

Los Alamos Los Alamos High School

Kim, Daniel, 18

Engineered Underwater Vehicle for Ocean Litter Mapping

**NEW YORK** 

Ardsley <u>Ardsley High School</u>

Khitrov, Kevin, 17

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Armonk Byram Hills High School

Anchin, Lily, 17

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Antigen Receptor T-Cell Therapy

## Byram Hills High School Levy, Benjamin Max, 17

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## Manowitz, Jonathan M., 17

The Use of What Remains: Repurposing Harvest Waste From Romaine Lettuce Cultivation for Cell-Based Meat Production

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## Ndocaj, Daniel, 17

Investigating the Potential of Optically Tunable Metasurfaces for Enhanced Detection of Fluorescent Molecules

#### **Bellmore**

## John F. Kennedy High School

#### Schwartz, Claire, 17

The Administration of Sulforaphane via Broccoli Sprouts Ameliorates Parkinson's Disease Phenotypes in a *Drosophila melanogaster* Model

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## Wasserman, Cole, 18

APC-Mediated Expansion of hPSC-Derived Natural Killer Cells

## Bethpage

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## Raghavan, Ankur, 17

The Reduction of Agricultural Water Consumption Through the Utilization of Wireless Sensor Arrays

#### **Briarcliff Manor**

## **Briarcliff High School**

## Gupta, Gautam, 17

Predicting Future Internal Migration Patterns Within the United States Resulting From Shifts in Temperature and Precipitation

## **Briarcliff High School**

## Narayanan, Rashmi Rajeev, 17

Understanding Pathological Structures of Pyroglutamate-Modified Amyloid- $\beta$  (A $\beta$ ) in Alzheimer's Disease

## **Briarcliff High School**

## Tsou, Edmund, 17

Language Models as Catalysts in EEG-Based BCI Speller Systems: A Low-Cost Solution for Paralyzed Patients

#### Bronx

## **Bronx High School of Science**

## D'Halleweyn, Sophie, 17

Alleviating the Energy Crisis: A Novel Multi-Task Machine Learning Algorithm for Designing Efficient Nanocatalysts To Reduce Industrial Energy Impact

## **Bronx High School of Science**

## Hightower, Aiden, 17

Molecular Fusion: A New Methodology for the Rational Design of Novel DNA Motifs via the DX-Mediated Binding of DNA Tensegrity Triangle Unit Blocks

#### **Bronx High School of Science**

## Jiang, Melody, 18

Characterizing Effects of Natural Killer Cell Neural Cell Adhesion Molecule 1 Interactions With Stromal Cells on Natural Killer Cell Development

## **Bronx High School of Science**

Khan, Nema, 17

The Impact of Media Attention to Gun Violence on the Elevation of Mass Shootings: The Rise of Copycat Shooters

#### **Bronx High School of Science**

Kim, Ryan, 17

Exploring the Pathways of c-Maf Endothelial Cell Reprogramming

## **Bronx High School of Science**

Lin, Jonathan, 17

Analysis of Distinctive MicroRNA Conservation Patterns as Markers for Unique MicoRNA Processing Mechanisms

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Mahairas, Dimitrios, 17

Overcoming Dataset Imbalance Using Light-Weight Vision Transformers With Applications to Computational Drug Design Derived From Botanical Prototypes During Post-Antibiotic Era

## **Bronx High School of Science**

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