Ivy Day
Awards Convocation
May 20, 2023
Order of Exercises

Alumnae Parade
Led by The Festival Band
Senior Class Procession
Led by Junior Ushers carrying the ivy chain

Invocation
Matilda Rose Cantwell, M.S.W. ’96
Director of Religious & Spiritual Life and College Chaplain

Welcome from the Alumnae Association of Smith College
Peggie Ward Koon ’74
President of the Alumnae Association Board of Directors

Remarks
Kathleen McCartney
President of Smith College

Expression of Student Gratitude
Adriana Renee Beltran Andrade ’23

Presentation of Alumnae Gifts and Awards
Denise Wingate Materre ’74
Vice President for Alumnae Relations

Gaudeamus Igitur
Mai Sophia Klooster ’23
Prizes to Degree Candidates
Alex Keller
Interim Dean of the College and Vice President for Campus Life

Honors
Michael Thurston
Provost and Dean of the Faculty

Planting of the Ivy
President McCartney
Haley December Brown ’23
Senior Class President and Class of 2023 Alumnae Class President

Smith College Alumnae Song
Composed by Alice Schulz Valkenburgh ’37
Mai Sophia Klooster ’23

Closing Remarks
President McCartney
Africana Studies
The Ida B. Wells Prize for Distinguished Work in Africana Studies to a senior for excellence in an essay or other project to Helen Michael Beznueh ’23

Alumnae Association
The Nancy Cook Steeper ’59 Prize to a senior who, through involvement with the Alumnae Association, has made a significant contribution to building connections between Smith alumnae and current students to Caitlin Elaine Jacobs ’23

American Studies
The Donald H. Sheehan Memorial Prize for outstanding work in American studies to Julia Michelle Bernhart ’23
The Eleanor Flexner Prize for the best piece of work by a Smith undergraduate using the Sophia Smith Collection or the Smith Archives, or the Rare Book room, only if the work itself takes U.S. women as its subject to Ella Langenthal ’25
The Gladys Lampert ’28 and Edward Beenstock Prize to a student for the best honors thesis in American studies or American history to Stefana Gatton ’23 and Olivia Rose Zindren ’23
The Nancy Boyd Gardner Prize, awarded for a single outstanding paper or other project by a Smithsonian intern during the current year for work related to the Smithsonian Internship Program to Amelia Dolbear ’24 and Nina Wattenberg ’24
The Newton Arvin Prize in American Studies for the best long paper in the introductory course on the Study of American Society and Culture to Anabel Fletcher ’26

Anthropology
The Samuel Bowles Prize for the best paper on an anthropological subject to Sarah Lesley Tilghman ’23

Art
The Megan Hart Jones Studio Art Prize for judged work in drawing, painting, sculpture, photography, graphic arts, printmaking or architecture to Kloe Keidel ’25, Calvin Morris ’25 and Lilly Watson ’25
The Elizabeth Killian Roberts Prize for the best drawing by an undergraduate to Ava Harper ’24
The Enid Silver Winslow ’54 Prize in Art History for the best student paper written in an art history course taught at Smith to Tori Lynn Currier ’23J and Dinah Rogers ’26

Museum of Art
The Tryon Prize for Art to a Smith student for installation, performance, video, sound, digital, internet and interactive art of a high level of artistic expression and presentation to R. M. Wells ’23 and Jane Elizabeth Starcher ’25; and Honorable Mention to Emily Kate Drennan ’23 and Adriana Emanuela Piantedosi ’23
The Tryon Prize for Writing to a Smith student for outstanding work in any written form that examines art or ideas associated with the Museum to Flora G. Arnsberger ’23 and Paige Passantino ’23; and, Honorable Mention to Benjamin Isaac Kleinman-Eddy ’23

Astronomy
The Astronomy Department Prize for Excellence in Astronomy and Astrophysics for honors theses, special studies projects, outreach or other educational projects, STRIDE/AEMES projects, especially if they lead to continued involvement in the department, or exceptional performance in classes without any of the above to Lauren Rebecca Light ’23

Athletics
The Sarah Winter Pokora Prize to a senior who has excelled in athletics and academics to Sophia Maria DaCosta ’23

Biochemistry
The Excellence in Biochemistry Prize for a senior Biochemistry major who has demonstrated excellence in biochemistry coursework and research with a high potential for advanced study in biochemistry to Hana Mieko Hishima ’23

Biological Sciences
The Amey Randall Brown Prize in Botany to Marit Chauvin ’23, Elize Mathilde Gordon ’23, Virginia Anne Griswold ’23, Kate Rosalind Nash ’23, Marge Angela Poma ’23, Sophie D. Schneider ’23, Samantha Quinn Tower ’23, Cecce Alaniz ’24, and Sophia Tenzin Patt ’24
The Esther Carpenter Biology Prize in general biology for excellence in their first year of the Masters of Biological Sciences graduate program to Billie Cullison ’24 and Jailene Gonzalez ’24
The Harriet R. Foote Memorial Prize for outstanding work in botany based on a paper, course work or other contribution to the plant sciences at Smith to Marge Angela Poma ’23
The Margaret Wemple Brigham Prize—First prize for Honors thesis to Slohann Marie Dietz ’23, Shevaughn Taina Holness ’23, Shraddha Lakshmanan Iyer ’23, Angela Kajia Jiang ’23, Chloe Michelle Leach ’23, Elena Reshetnikoff ’23, Emma Tomiko Schumacher ’23, Margaret Kelly Weber ’23, and Jennifer L. Wise ’23

Program in Buddhist Studies
The Subul Sunim Prize for the best academic paper written by a Smith or Five-College undergraduate for a class taken at Smith on a subject in the field of Buddhist studies to Clara Soyun Kim ’23 and Aditi Sharma ’24

Helen Hills Hills Chapel
The Mollie Rogers/Newman Association Prize to a student who has demonstrated a dedication to humanity and a clear vision for translating that dedication into service that fosters peace and justice among people of diverse cultures to Samantha Marie Waniewski ’23

Chemistry
The American Chemical Society Division of Organic Chemistry Award in Organic Chemistry to Laura Bickart ’23
The American Chemical Society Undergraduate Award in Physical Chemistry for outstanding achievement by an undergraduate student in physical chemistry and to encourage further pursuits in the field to Amy Beth Eltridge ’23
The American Institute of Chemists/New England Division Prize to an outstanding chemist, biochemist or chemical engineer in the graduating class to Ashlyn Grace Bohn ’23
The American Chemical Society Award in Inorganic Chemistry to a chemistry major for excellence in inorganic chemistry and to encourage further study in the field to Gloria Parrales ’24
The American Chemical Society Analytical Chemistry Award to a junior chemistry major who has excelled in analytical chemistry to Justine Wagaman ’24
The Connecticut Valley Section of the American Chemical Society Award to a student who has done outstanding work in chemistry, biochemistry or chemical engineering to Aisya Jumaara Karim ’23 and Vivien Qiao ’23
The Hellman Award in Biochemistry for outstanding achievement in the second semester of biochemistry to Tatum McKenna ’24
The C. Pauline Burt Prize to a senior majoring in chemistry or biochemistry who has shown high potential for further study in science to Anna Boamah ’23, Michelle Chen ’23 and Anna Louise Lynch ’23
The Rosenfeld Award in Organic Chemistry for excellence in the first semester of organic chemistry to Kristine Le ’25 and Lily Weber ’25
The Hause-Scheffer Memorial Prize to a senior majoring in chemistry with the best record in that subject to Lauren Rebecca Light ’23

Classics
The Alice Hubbard Derby Prize to a member of the junior or senior class for excellence in translation of Greek at sight to Camila Lozano Lashbrook ’23; and for excellence in translation of Greek at sight to...
the study of Greek literature in the year in which the award is made to Camila Lozano Lashbrook ’23.

The George E. Dimock Prize for the best essay on a classical subject to Camila Lozano Lashbrook ’23 and Alice Tan ’25.

The John Everett Brady Prize for excellence in translation of Latin at sight to Kika Kovaleski ’25 and Grace Ding ’26; and for the best performance in the beginning Latin course to Reilly Riemer ’26.

The Julia Harwood Caveno Prize for the best performance in the beginning Greek course to Alice Tan ’25 and Fiona Hewett ’26.

**Computer Science**

The Ben Mendelson Prize for excellence in the computer science major to a senior to Kathleen Rae Hablutzel ’23 and Yanning Tan ’23; and for excellence in computer science to a sophomore to Paola Camila Calle ’25, Heather Paige Robertson ’25, and Marta Sapizhak ’25.

**Dance**

The Award for Excellence in Dance Studies for outstanding work in senior capstone project and overall contributions to the department to Sophia Porter Thomas ’23.

**Office of the Dean of the College**


**East Asian Languages and Cultures**

The Ette Chih Hong ’36 Prize to a senior maj or or minor in East Asian Languages and Cultures with special consideration given to those who have demonstrated leadership and high academic achievement and seek to pursue a career in education and/or service to immigrant and needy communities to Sydney O’Neill Williams ’23.

The Mary Maples Dunn Prize, awarded for an essay written in a regular course in the Program in East Asian Studies to Molly Rose Hart ’24J.

**Economics**

The Samuel Bowles Prize for the best thesis on an economics subject to Shuzhe Zhang ’23.


The Larry C. Seiglid Memorial Prize for the greatest contribution to the Department of Economics by a Smith senior to Julia Michelle Bernhart ’23.

**Education and Child Study**

The Prize for Distinction in Education and Child Study for a paper, research project, or other meaningful contribution to the field of Education and Child Study to Selma Benoussa ’23, and Karim ’23J and Sophie Rose Weinberg ’23; for the best group of poems to Maggie Alleen Olzewska ’23 and Kirby Wilson ’25.

**Engineering Program**

The Adeline Devor Penberthy, Class of 1945, Memorial Prize to an undergraduate engineering major for academic excellence in engineering and outstanding contributions toward building a community of learners within the Picker Engineering Program to Sophia Maria DaCosta ’23, Adelaide Rose Yi Hannan ’23, and Katerina Skylar Rencs ’23.

The Barbara Jordan Prize for the Study of Law and Public Policy to a senior or an alumna to Alexis Jean Luckett ’23.

The Juliet Evans Nelson Award for graduating seniors for their contributions to the Smith community and demonstrated commitment to campus life to Rosina Asiamah ’23, Selma Benoussa ’23, and Wadzani Ndambakuwa ’23.

The Samuel Michelman Prize to a senior from Northampton or Hatfield with a distinguished academic record and who has contributed to the life of the college to Emilia Helena Tamayo ’23.

The Victoria L. Schragr Prize to a senior who has maintained a distinguished academic record and has also taken an important part in student activities to Haley December Brown ’23 and Elena Reshetnikoff ’23.

The Juliet Evans Nelson Award for Sustainability to a student who has distinguished herself for her work in support of a sustainable environment to Emily S. Buxengaard ’23, Corinna Estelle Davis ’23, and Achilea Huang ’23.

The Nancy Hellman Prize to the Smith engineering student who has made extraordinary contributions to the advancement of women in engineering to Adelaide Rose Yi Hannan ’23 and Vivien Qiao ’23.

**English**

The Anne Bradstreet Prize from the Academy of American Poets for the best poem or group of poems submitted by an undergraduate to Paige Passantino ’23.

The Clara French Prize to a senior who has advanced furthest in the study of English language and literature to Frances Joann Baker-Tucker ’23, Amelia Memmott Burton ’23, Alexandra Brooke Casais ’23, Camila Lozano Lashbrook ’23, and Campbell Prince ’23J.

The Eleanor Cederstrom Prize for the best poem by an undergraduate written in the traditional verse form to Amelia deGuzman AC and Isabel Cruz ’24J.

The Elizabeth Babcock Poetry Prize for the best group of poems to Maggie Alleen Olzewska ’23 and Kirby Wilson ’25.

The Elizabeth Drew Prize for the best essay on a literary subject concerning women to Raina Estelle Okonogi-Neth ’23 and M. Hawes ’25.

The Elizabeth Wanning Harries Prize to a graduating Ada Comstock Scholar for academic distinction and demonstrated commitment to the study of literature in any language to Paige Passantino ’23.

The Emogene Mahoney Memorial Prize for the best essay on a literary subject written by a first-year student to Skylar Ball ’26; for the best honors thesis submitted to the Department of Literature to Kaitlyn Elizabeth Connors ’23.

The Ethel Olin Corbin Prize to an undergraduate for the best original poem or informal essay in English to Victoria Elizabeth McGloughlin ’23 and Emily Judkins ’24.

The Gertrude Posner Spencer Prize for excellence in writing fiction to Vivian deGuzman AC and Isabel Cruz ’24J, Vincenzia Fasulo ’25 and Amelia Simpson ’25J, for excellence in writing nonfiction prose to Audrey Kim ’24, Mani Schwartz ’24J, and Madyson Grant ’25.

The Helen Kate Furness Prize for the best essay on a Shakespearean theme to Frances Joann Baker-Tucker ’23.
The James T. and Ellen M. Hatfield Memorial Prize for the best short story by a senior majoring in English to Amelia Memmott Burton ’23 and Asiya Jumaana Karim ’23

The Mary Augusta Jordan Prize to a senior for the most original piece of literary work in prose or verse to Sophia Alexandra Friedman Bruce ’23, Paris Cezanne Grace del Castillo ’23, Maggie Alleen Olzsowski ’23 and Campbell Prince ’23

The Norma M. Leas, Class of 1939, Memorial Prize to a graduating English major for excellence in written English to Grey Cecilia Goodermote ’23 and Jennie Elizabeth Mathewson ’23

The Rosemary Thomas Poetry Prize for the best group of poems to Paige Pasquinto ’23 and Mary-Kate Wilson ’25

The Ruth Forbes Eliot Poetry Prize for the best poem submitted by a first-year student or sophomore to Jenna Chadwick ’25 and Lucinda Holland ’26

Environmental Science and Policy Program

The Florence Augusta Merriam Bailey Prize for innovative and collaborative approaches to solving environmental and sustainability problems to Genesis Anjumette Canizales ’22, Jessica Hannah Brown ’23, Maeve McCauley Morrow ’23J, Kate Rosalind Nash ’23, Sarah Lesley Tilghman ’23, and Allison J. Wray ’23

Film and Media Studies

The Iris Prize is for the work of a graduating senior in Film and Media Studies that shows excellence in a thesis, paper or other major project that is the result of substantial research, innovative thinking and creativity to Jae Min Lee ’23 and Olivia Rose Zindren ’23

French Studies

The Colette Prize is awarded to a student at Smith College for an essay or other project that shows originality and engagement in French language courses to Varshini Anand ’23

The Césaire Prize is awarded to a student at Smith College for excellence in an essay or other project in French in an advanced literature or culture class on campus to Anna Rebecca Maffa ’23

The Voltaire Prize is awarded to a student at Smith College for an essay or other project in French in an intermediate literature or culture class that shows originality and engagement with their subject to Xinran Chen ’23

Geosciences

The Marshall Schalk Prize in the Department of Geosciences for achievements in geological research to Grace Chamnan Karbowski ’23

The Mineralogical Society of America Undergraduate Award for excellence in the field of mineralogy to Amy Beth Elvidge ’23

The GEOStars Award for Community Engagement for exceptional work in educational outreach in geosciences to Natalie Anne Nathanson ’23 and Steph Garib ’24J

The One Who Sees the Most Rocks Wins Prize for excellence in research to Asha Devi Lang ’23J

German Studies

The Anita Luria Ascher Memorial Prize to a senior non-major who started German at Smith and has made exceptional progress to Ava R. Brookshier ’23; and to a senior major who started German at Smith and has made exceptional progress to Isabella West ’25; and to a senior who knew some German when she came to Smith and has made exceptional progress to Ainsley Diane Chrystal ’23

Government

The Dawes Prize for the best undergraduate work on political science to Alexis Jean Luckett ’23 and Mika Jones Yassur ’23

History

The Hazel L. Edgerly Prize to a senior for honors history student for distinguished work in that subject to Jiayi Yan ’23

The Merle Curti Prize for the best piece of writing on any aspect of American civilization to Olivã M. Rynberg-Going ’23, Kensington Marie Speer ’23, Vivian DeRosa ’24, and Salma Vargas ’24

The Thomas Corwin Mendenhall Prize for an essay evolving from any history course, excluding special studies, seminars and honors long papers, to Claire Edmonds ’25

The Vera Lee Brown Prize for excellence in history to a senior majoring in history in regular course to Arianna Liz Perez ’23

Italian Studies

The Anacleta C. Vezzetti Prize to a senior for the best piece of writing in Italian on any aspect of the culture of Italy to (1st place) Anna May Tierney-Fife ’23, and to (2nd place) Marietta Josephine Mallon ’25

The Michele Cantarella Memorial “Dante Prize” to a Smith College senior for the best essay in Italian on any aspect of The Divine Comedy or Boccaccio’s The Decameron to (1st place) Sophie Alvarez Jones ’23 and Anna May Tierney-Fife ’23, and to (2nd place) Charlotte Anne Garner ’23

Jandon Center for Community Engagement

The Excellence in STEM Outreach Award to an outstanding senior Smith STEM Ambassador for their consistent, loyal dedication to educating and serving the greater Northampton and Pioneer Valley community to Vivien Qiao ’23

The Kathleen Bostwick Boydson Prize to a member of the Service Organizations of Smith demonstrating initiative in her volunteer contributions to the community to Rose Conti Porta ’23

The Rita Wilkins Award to a senior who has volunteered all four years with a Community Service Organization community partner and who has demonstrated significant leadership and commitment to community service to Stastia A. Azulay ’23 and Dori J Mondon AC ’23

Jewish Studies

The Sidney Balman Prize for outstanding work in the Jewish Studies Program to Eliza Wolf Menzel ’23

Landscape Studies

The Susan Cohen ’62 and Paula Deitz ’59 Prize in Landscape Studies for excellence in a thesis, paper, or project that examines the science, design or culture of the built environment to Samantha Miller Grossman ’23 and Mika Jones Yassur ’23

Latin American and Latina/o Studies

The LALS Prize to a senior major for an outstanding paper or visual or performance art from any LALS or Latin American or Latina/o Studies class to Jazlin Ladríere ’23 and Darlene Guadalupe Valencia ’23

Mathematics and Statistics

The Ann Kirsten Pokora Prize to a senior with a distinguished academic record in mathematics to Jessica Kaijia Jiang ’23 and Veronica Ann Lang ’23

The Suzan Rose Benedict Prize to a sophomore for excellence in mathematics to Abi Bowering ’25J and Elaine Demmett ’25; Honorable Mention for the Suzan Rose Benedict Prize to Anisha Jain ’25, Anna Karitonze ’25J, Sophia Manodori ’25, and Yunzi Yan ’25

Honorable Mention for the Suzan Rose Benedict Prize to Anisha Jain ’25, Anna Karitonze ’25J, Sophia Manodori ’25, and Yunzi Yan ’25

Medieval Studies

The Christine de Pizan Prize in Medieval Studies to a graduating senior major with the highest GPA in courses used to fulfill the requirements of the Medieval Studies Program to Ella A. Wiegers ’23

Middle East Studies

The Middle East Studies Student Achievement Award to a graduating major in MESt who has the highest GPA to Beatrice Anne Weinand ’23

Office of Multicultural Affairs

The Unity Award of the Office of Multicultural Affairs to the student who has made an outstanding contribution toward promoting diversity and multiculturalism in the Smith College community to Egypt Aaliyah Ballet ’23 and Luisa Sophia Lopez ’23
Music
The Ernst Wallfisch Prize to a student of music for outstanding talent, commitment and diligence to Lily Arlin Boschin ’23
The Harriet Dey Barnum Memorial Prize for outstanding work in music to the best all-around student of music in the senior class to Tara Lakshmi Kariat ’23
The Heidi Fiore Prize to a senior student of singing to Gabrielle Marie Monsod Borromeo ’23 and Claire Anastasia Kenny ’23
The Ida Deck Haigh Memorial Prize for distinguished achievement in piano to Julia Maria Kuzniar ’23
The Judith Raskin Memorial Prize for the outstanding senior voice student to Mai Sophia Klooster ’23
The Margaret Collins Stoop Adesso Prize for the best new choral work composed by a Smith student to Lux Cnignan ’26
The Sarah Hamilton Memorial Prize for the best essay on music to Handi Lu ’25
The Settie Lehman Fatman Prize for the best composition in music, extended form, to Abigail Elizabeth Dustin ’23, Caroline Julia Sears ’23; for the best composition in music, small form, to Handi Lu ’25, Jessica L. Klurfeld ’26

Neuroscience
The Neuroscience Service Award to a senior major on the basis of a submitted description of the activities of that student in neuroscience outreach or service to our community to Ashilyan Alam Laaj ’23, Zhixin Liao ’23, and Breona Nicole Martin ’23

Philosophy Department
The Florence Corliss Lamb Prize for excellent work in philosophy to Valerie Maryanne Farley ’23 and Margaret Lavinia McCabe ’23
The John S. Mekeel Memorial Prize to a senior for outstanding work in philosophy to Angelina Bottomley ’23 and Adrienne Tal Waxman Wander ’23

Physics
The Adelaide Wilcox Bull Paganelli ’30 Prize awarded by the physics department to honor the contribution of Adelaide Paganelli ’30, to a senior majoring in physics for exceptional achievement and service to the department to Jessica Kaijia Jiang ’23, Chitose Maruko ’23, and Hyo Jung Park ’23
The Frank A. Waterman Prize to a senior for excellent work in physics to Josephine Mackenzie Dalsin ’23, Jessica Kaijia Jiang ’23, Chitose Maruko ’23, and Hyo Jung Park ’23

Psychology
The William Sentman Taylor Prize for significant work in human values, a quest for truth, beauty and goodness in the arts and sciences to Rachel Sue-Jung Hong ’23

Religion
The Henry Lewis Foote Memorial Prize for excellence in course work in biblical courses to Ella A. Wiegert ’23 and Morgan Hatherill ’24
The James Gardner Buttrick Prize for the best essay in the field of religion and Biblical literature to Julia Brandzel Batson ’23, Zoe Isabel Kruse ’23, and Grayson Hawthorne ’24
The Jochanan H.A. Wijnhoven Prize, awarded annually for the best essay on a subject in the area of Jewish Religious Thought written for a course in the Religion Department or the Program in Jewish Studies to Isadora Adele Kianovsky ’23

Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies
The Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies Prize in Scholarly Excellence to a graduating senior with a REEES major on the basis of GPA coupled with a demonstrated enthusiasm for extra-curricular program activities and/or efforts for further study in Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies to Shastia A. Azalay ’23 and Emma Fringuelli ’23

Sociology
The Arthur Shattuck Parsons Memorial Prize to the student with the outstanding paper in sociological theory or its application to Xi Cao ’23 and Annalise Clara Edwards ’23
The Samuel Bowles Prize for the best paper on a sociological subject to Alicia Carolina Argueta ’23, Daniela Amairani Lopez Cisneros ’23, and Bailey Catherine Streeter ’23

Program in South Asian Studies
S. Mona Ghosh Sinha Prize, for the best paper from any academic discipline, written by a Smith undergraduate on a subject concerning South Asia to Shuzhe Zhang ’23

Spanish and Portuguese
The Clarice Lispector Student Prize for Portuguese to a graduating Portuguese and Brazilian Studies major or minor for the best senior essay or project in Portuguese and Brazilian Studies to Marge Angela Poma ’23
The Gabriela Mistral Student Prize for Spanish to a graduating Spanish major for the best senior essay or project in Spanish to Frances Joann Baker-Tucker ’23 and Hannah Beck ’23

Statistical & Data Sciences
The Statistical and Data Sciences Research Prize for the best senior research capstone or other project(s) supervised by the SDS or affiliated faculty to Quinn Arlise White ’23

Theatre
The Denis Johnston Playwriting Award for the best play or musical written by an undergraduate at any of the Five Colleges to Grace O’Rourke ’23 (Mount Holyoke College) and Yewon Park ’25
The Denton Snyder Acting Prize to a student who has demonstrated distinguished acting in the theatre to Hero Marguerite Hendrick-Baker ’23
The Jill Cummins MacLean Prize to a drama major for outstanding dramatic achievement with a comic touch in writing, acting or dance to Ulla Frances Collins Axelson ’24
The Marilyn Knapp Campbell Prize to the student excelling in stage management to Tamarin Camp ’25
The Peggy Clark Kelly Design Prize for a student demonstrating exceptional achievement in lighting, costume or set design to Aimee Ellen Dupont ’23 and Reina Celeste Makimura ’23

Program for the Study of Women and Gender
The Jeanne McFarland Prize, awarded annually by the Program for the Study of Women and Gender for excellent work in the study of women and gender to Hannah Beck ’23 and Lucía Belén González González ’23
The Meg Quigley Prize, awarded annually for the best work in SWG 150 Introduction to the Study of Women and Gender to Em Jacqueline Kim ’23, Mattea Whitlow ’23, Maia Curran ’26, and Ailidn Panczer ’26
The Schuster Van Dyne Prize in Queer Studies is awarded annually by the Program for the Study of Women and Gender for excellent work in queer studies to Moïse Kemelo Moashe ’23 and Zhannan Yin ’23
The Valeria Dean Burgess Stevens Prize, awarded annually by the Program for the Study of Women and Gender and the Project on Women and Social Change for excellent work in the study of women and gender to Laura Emily Murphy ’23, Olivia Rynberg-Going ’23, and Alexa Schnur ’25

World Literature
The Chinua Achebe Prize in World Literature to a graduating senior with the highest GPA in courses that count toward the Comparative Literature major to Emma Xiana Solis ’23 and Pengxi Yuan ’23
Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees with Departmental Honors

**Highest Honors**

**Yesugen Baatartogtokh**  
Computer Science  
Aiding Users in Requirements Analysis  
Tasks Through Color and Filtering  
Thesis adviser: Alicia Grubb

**Hannah Beck**  
Study of Women and Gender  
The Role of Forced Migration in Non-Capitalist Accumulation Today  
Thesis adviser: Elisabeth Armstrong

**Amelia Memnott Burton**  
English Language and Literature  
Cherry Pie: American Stories of Sexuality and Religion  
Thesis adviser: Andra Stone

**Betsy Ruth Button**  
Psychology  
Predictors of Domestic Sex Trafficking Susceptibility in a Nationwide Sample of Women  
Thesis adviser: Nnamdi Pole

**Xi Cao**  
Sociology  
An Innovative Alliance Between Gays and Lesbians: Contract Marriage, Reproductive Intention, and Internalized Heteronormativity  
Thesis adviser: Timothy Recuber

**Alexandra Brooke Casais**  
Art: History  
Making Space: Collective Histories in Contemporary Installation Art From the Algerian Diaspora  
Thesis advisers: Frazer Ward and Emma Imbrie Chubb

**Qi Cheng**  
Neuroscience  
Characterizing the Role of GPR37 as a Novel Regulator of the Wnt Pathway  
Thesis adviser: Sharon Owino

**Kaitlyn Elizabeth Connors**  
English Language and Literature  
Freckled Whelp: Adaptations of Shakespeare  
Thesis adviser: Gillian Kendall

**Ezra A. Curtis**  
Biological Sciences  
Bacterial Microbiome Variation Across Body Part and Symbiotic State in a Cnidarian Model  
Thesis advisers: Rachel M. Wright and Robert Dorit

**Siobhan Marie Dietz**  
Biochemistry  
Evaluating the Feasibility of a Multiplex qPCR Assay for Diagnosis of Schistosomiasis and Lymphatic Filariasis From Urine  
Thesis adviser: Steven A. Williams

**R. C. Ettenberger**  
Environmental Science and Policy  
“Supporting Local Agriculture and Feeding People”; Farmers’ Markets in Hampden County, and Fresh Food for Low-Income Communities  
Thesis adviser: Leslie King

**Rose Arielle Evard**  
Biological Sciences  
Transcripomics in Developing Foot-Flagging Frog (Staurois parvus) Tadpoles: Optimization of RNA Extraction and cDNA Library Preparation for RNAseq  
Thesis adviser: Lisa Mangiamele

**Lucía Belén González González**  
Study of Women and Gender  
Tracing the Threads, Filling the Gaps: A Genealogical Exploration of Anarcha-Feminist Culture, Identity, and Memory in the Rio de la Plata Region (1896–Present)  
Thesis advisers: Elisabeth Armstrong and Javier Puente

**Virginia Anne Griswold**  
Biological Sciences  
Positive Effects of Mycorrhizal Inoculum From Widespread Kalmia latifolia on Seed Germination and Performance of Endemic Rhododendron carolinianum (Ericaceae): Implications for Climate Change Migration and Ex-Situ Conservation  
Thesis adviser: Jesse Bellemare

**Lucy Secrest Groves**  
Mathematics  
Mathematics Underlying Cryptographic Protocols With Application to Blockchain  
Thesis adviser: Geremías Polanco

**Hana Mieko Hieshima**  
Biochemistry  
The Role of Cargo-Motor Connectivity in Transport by Ensembles of Dynein  
Thesis adviser: Nathan D. Derr

**Shevaughn Taina Holness**  
Biological Sciences  
Hairpin Method: Detecting When Population Stratification Significantly Affects Polygenic Risk Scores  
Thesis advisers: Robert Dorit and Andrew Dahl

**Mika Audrey Holtz**  
Neuroscience  
Differential Gene Expression of the Spinal Cord and Leg Muscle of the Foot-Flagging Frog, Staurois parvus  
Thesis adviser: Lisa Mangiamele

**Shraddha Lakshmanan Iyer**  
Biological Sciences  
Systemically Characterizing the Functional Impact of Alternative Splicing in Endothelial Cell Differentiation Using Long-Read RNA Sequencing Data  
Thesis adviser: Robert Dorit

**Angela Kaijia Jiang**  
Biological Sciences  
Characterizing Lineage-Specific Genes in Testate Lobose Amoebae (Arcellinida)  
Thesis adviser: Laura A. Katz

**Jessica Kaijia Jiang**  
Physics  
An Adaptive Grid to Compute Earth Mover’s Distances in Search of Quantum Chaos  
Thesis adviser: Gary Felder

**Grace Chaman Karbowski**  
Geosciences  
Dead Clade Walking: Archaeocyaths in the Lower Cambrian Mule Spring Limestone, Nevada  
Thesis adviser: Sara B. Pruss

**Zoe Isabel Kruse**  
Religion  
Faith-Based Credit Unions: Community, Values, and the Solidarity Economy  
Thesis adviser: Andy Rotman

**Arshiyan Alam Laaj**  
Neuroscience  
Bridging the Gap: Developing Self-Rolling Azlactone Hydrogels for Nerve Injury Applications  
Thesis advisers: Maren Buck and Alexis Ziemba

**Vivian Ming-Jing Li**  
Neuroscience  
The Role of GPR37 in Adult Neurogenesis  
Thesis adviser: Sharon Owino

**Zhixin Liao**  
Neuroscience  
Uncovering the Hidden Role of GPR37 in Müller Glia-Mediated Neuronal Regeneration  
Thesis adviser: Sharon Owino
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American Studies  
Analog Horror: Authenticity, Immersion, and Hyperdiegesis in Digital Horror  
Thesis adviser: Kevin Rozario

Nina Hannah Glesby  
Chemistry  
Progress Toward Identifying Bioactive Sites of Neurolenin Compounds  
Thesis adviser: Kevin Shea

Alina Marie Jarrett  
Biochemistry  
Base Excision Repair of Oxidative Guanine Lesions in Nucleosomes Initiated by Formamidopyrimidine DNA Glycosylase  
Thesis adviser: Elizabeth Jamieson

Chloe Michelle Leach  
Biochemistry  
In vitro Toxicity and Mutagenicity Evaluation of Sesquiterpene Lactones Derived From Neurolaena lobata as Potential Drug Candidates for Lymphatic Filariasis  
Thesis adviser: Steven A. Williams

Wenxi Li  
Environmental Science and Policy  
Connections Between Deicing Practices and Infrastructure on Water Chemistry of Lyman and Paradise Ponds at Smith College, Northampton, MA  
Thesis adviser: Amy Larson Rhodes

Hongtong Lin  
Neuroscience  
Circadian Rhythms of Mammalian Skin With and Without the Central Clock  
Thesis adviser: Mary Harrington

Eliza Wolf Menzel  
Jewish Studies  
The Future is an Open Door: Interfaith Collaborations to Combat White Christian Nationalist Violence in Synagogues and at the Border  
Thesis adviser: Justin Cammy

Lia Mikelashvili  
Quantitative Economics  
Public School Funding and Juvenile Crime: Evidence From New York City  
Thesis advisers: Mariyana Zapryanova and Pan Winiwakul

Raina Estelle Okonogi-Neth  
Mathematics  
Frobenius Objects in Rel and Span  
Thesis advisers: Rajan Mehta and Julianna Tymoczko

Hyo Jung Park  
Physics  
Hamiltonian Truncation in Quantum Mechanics and Quantum Field Theory  
Thesis advisers: Gary N. Felder and William A. Loinaz (Amherst College)

Paige Passantino  
English Language and Literature  
Fishnet: A Homecoming  
Thesis adviser: Carole DeSanti

Minh Phuong Thi Phan  
Computer Science  
Handwriting Recognition for Old Nom Handwriting Manuscript  
Thesis adviser: Nicholas Howe

Vivien Qiao  
Biochemistry  
Engineering Fn3 Protein-Drug Conjugates for Targeted Cancer Therapy  
Thesis adviser: Sarah J. Moore

Emma Tomiko Schumacher  
Biological Sciences  
Going North: Inferring Testate Amoeba Habitat Shifts in Response to Climate Change With Ecological Niche Modeling  
Thesis adviser: Laura A. Katz

Hanna Kiettie Wiegers  
Medieval Studies  
Call Me Holy for I Will Be Holy: Gendered Self-Fashioning, Abjection, and Authorship in the Lives of Medieval Female Lay Saints  
Thesis adviser: Joshua Birk

Jennifer L. Wise  
Biochemistry  
A Potential Microbiological Agent to Combat Ophiostoma novo-ulmi Infection of Elms  
Thesis adviser: Chris Vriezen

Yuezhang Zhou  
Computer Science  
Conceptual Analysis of Scientific Process Paragraphs  
Thesis adviser: Jamie Macbeth

Tianmei Zhu  
Psychology  
Coparenting in English-Speaking and Mandarin-Speaking Families: A Cross-Cultural Comparison Using the Survey Tool CoPABS  
Thesis adviser: Marsha Kline Pruett

Honors

Ama Boamah  
Chemistry  
Combinatorial Approaches for the Synthesis of Protein-Polymer Conjugates (PPC) for Drug Delivery  
Thesis adviser: Maren Buck

Angela Kaye Chavez  
Biochemistry  
Differentiation of Boron Reagents Within Chan-Evans-Lam Oxygen Methylation  
Thesis adviser: David Gorin

Jiayun Chen  
Chemistry  
The Structural and Kinetic NMR Studies of the Spiroiminodihydantoin (Sp) Lesion Mismatched to Guanine in a 11-mer DNA Duplex  
Thesis advisers: Cristina Suarez and Elizabeth Jamieson

Sarah Caroline Fleming  
Economics  
Thesis adviser: Lucie Schmidt

Elizabeth Haught Morningstar  
Physics  
Investigating Weyl Semimetal and Magnetized Phases in Quantum Materials Using Stochastic and Machine Learning Methods  
Thesis adviser: Casey Berger

Alexandra Eleanor Stephens  
Engineering Science  
Design of Small Aircraft for Atmospheric Measurements  
Thesis adviser: Paul Voss
Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees with Latin Honors

**Summa cum laude**
- Frances Joann Baker-Tucker
- Swaha Bhattacharya
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- Ella Tian Callahan
- Xi Cao
- Alexandra Brooke Casais
- Zoe Sterling Crutcher
- Kathleen Rae Hablutzel
- Adelaide Rose Yi Hannan
- Norma Jean Haynes
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- Isabella West
- Tianshu Zhang
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- Xiaowen Zong

**Magna cum laude**
- Leyla Akin
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- Betsy Ruth Button
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- Emily Kate Drennan
- Sarah Enid Duran
- Cameron Elyse Rager Findlay
- Linnea Rebecca Finkle
- Sarah Caroline Fleming
- Sara R. Garfield Sebert
- Annika Ellen Gonzalez-Zugasti
- Audrey Carole Greaves
- Virginia Anne Griswold
- Samantha Miller Grossman
- Lucy Secrest Groves
- Rachel Sue-Jung Hong
- Willa Harrigan Jacob
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- Maya Rosalyn Kesan
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- Lauren Rebecca Light
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- Paige Stewart MacKinnon
- Monica Martinez
- Clare Maren McElhaney
- Lia Mikhailashvili
- Kate Rosalind Nash
- Raina Estelle Okonogi-Neth
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- Hannah Rose Phelps
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- Adrienne Tal Waxman Wander
- Megan Joy Weiner
- Alaine M. Williams
- Mimi M. Wiltamuth
- Mika Jones Yassur
- Kailyn Zhang
Selected Fellowships and Awards 2022–23

Beckman Scholarship
Eyananda Ahmed ’24
Emma Whittemore ’24

Critical Language Scholarship
Shawn Barnett ’25
Naomi Carpenter ’25
Jingyi Sze ’25
Luna Wang ’24

DAAD (Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst)
Study Scholarship
Vivian Hulsey ’19
Rahel Hunter ’20

DAAD RISE (Research Internships in Germany)
Celia Wheeler ’24

Fulbright Awards
Leyla Akin
Shastia A. Azulay
Jasselle M. Garcia
Tiv Hay-Rubin ’21
Mika Audrey Holtz
Rachel Sue-Jung Hong
Emilia Helena Tamayo
Beatrice Anne Weinand
Sydney O’Neill Williams

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship
Chuck Bayliss AC
Catherine Brunzos ’24
Wanbin Chen ’24
Tida Dukuray ’25
Kyla Garcia McShane ’24
Yena Perice ’26
Haley Zorn ’25

Fulbright UK Summer Institute Scholarship
Katie Wilson ’26

Knight Hennessy Award
Takondwa Priscilla Semphere ’18

Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees
Elected to the National Honor Societies

Zeta Chapter, Phi Beta Kappa

Elected 2023
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Breona Nicole Martin

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JoSophia NhuDő Brunzelle
Qi Cheng
Fong Yung Florian Liu
Zhen Nie

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Emily Kate Drennan
Isabella Soleil Guajardo-Moore

Claire Virginia Kirk
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Elaina Martin
Eika Camille Overton

Jessica Pardim Araujo
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Tianmei Zhu

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Angelina Bottomley
Georgina Elizabeth Monge Burgos
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Jiani Li
Paige Stewart MacKinnon

Victoria Maria Mellow
Laura Emily Murphy
Hannah Rose Phelps
Olivia Rynberg-Going
Eleanor Ava Sloan
Denique Abbigayle Tulloch
Yuchen Yang
The listing of candidates is accurate as of May 12, 2023.

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- Liam Aiden Knight

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- Wenxi Li
- Hongtong Lin
- Anna Roksolana Pintchouk
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- Catherine Jina Park
- Hyo Jung Park
- Iris Montgomery Hunter Patterson
- Minh Phuong Thi Phan
- Michelle S Puch
- Vivien Qiao

**Tau Beta Kappa**

- Sophia Maria DaCosta
- Adelaide Rose Yi Hannan

- Asha Devi Lang
- Vivien Qiao

- Katerina Skylar Rencs
- Rachael Caitlin Shannon
Ivy Day Exercises

Ivy Day has been a Smith tradition for more than a century. The class of 1884 was the first to plant ivy as part of the ceremonies leading to their graduation, thus providing the day with its name. In early years, a speech was customarily delivered by a member of the graduating class.

Ivy has been planted every year since 1884 at various locations on campus. The spot was traditionally marked by carving the class year into the stone foundation of the building, as can be seen on Seelye Hall. In recent years, a ceremonal ivy has been planted on Ivy Day, and a plaque with the class year has later been placed next to the newly growing vine.

Ivy Day Awards Convocation

A convocation has been part of Commencement since 1879. Its original format included the daily chapel followed by a special address by the president to conclude the academic year. Over the years, this event has at different times included recognition of retiring faculty members, announcements of student prizes, gifts to the college made by reunion classes, and descriptions of the goals of the college. It eventually became the Ivy Day Awards Convocation, devoted to recognizing those receiving academic awards, honors, and prizes from the college and The Smith Fund.