



Washington University  
McKelvey School of Engineering

---

ENGINEERS'  
HONORS  
CEREMONY

**2021**

---

**DEPARTMENT OF  
BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

---

**OUTSTANDING JUNIOR AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

*Zane Ahlfinger  
Cameron Bleem  
Kathleen Cheng  
Kaitlyn Hardesty  
Alec Huang  
Edward Morris  
Samantha Olson  
Kaixin Pan  
Michael Qiu  
Cydne Ratliff  
Rishab Vad vadgi  
Irene Zhou*

**OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

*Spencer Blackwood  
Daniel Fu  
Rachel Jakes  
Benjamin Johnston  
Camryn Kenkel  
Ziyuan (Arthur) Li  
Rachel Rhyner  
Emily Stranne  
John Wang  
Zizhen (Jane) Zha  
Jessica Zhang*

**OUTSTANDING SENIOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

*Zachary Eisner*

**OUTSTANDING RESEARCH AWARD**

*Rama Balasubramaniam  
Benjamin Johnston*

**THE ENTREPRENEURIAL SPIRIT AWARD**

*Will Esseks*

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

*Emily Ray  
Andrew Whitaker*

**DEPARTMENT AWARD FOR EXEMPLARY LEADERSHIP**

*Pranav Maddula  
Henry Roseman*

**CHAIR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING**

*Nathaniel Huebsch*

---

**DEPARTMENT OF  
COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING**

---

**ERNEST D. WEISS JUNIOR AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

*Katie Lund*

**ERNEST D. WEISS SENIOR AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

*Ann Zhou*

**OUTSTANDING JUNIOR AWARD**

*Max Camp-Oberhauser*

*Michael Ginn*

*Reshad Hamauon*

**OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD**

*Alex Baker*

*York Liu*

*Utkrista Malla*

*Sarah Peiffer*

*Jason Ren*

*Ben Warner*

*Ethan Zheng*

**AWARD FOR PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE**

*Alexis Costales*

*Will Wick*

**AWARD FOR RESEARCH EXCELLENCE**

*Aidan Kelley*

*Tong Wu*

**CHAIR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING**

*William Richard*

---

**DEPARTMENT OF  
ELECTRICAL & SYSTEMS ENGINEERING**

---

**THE DAVID H. LEVY AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE**

*Nathaniel Rodriguez*

*Zachary Vernon*

**THE DAVID H. LEVY OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD**

*William Gardner*

*Hannah Lester*

*Xinquan Liu*

*Katy Mockett*

*Joshua Peck*

**THE RUSSELL R. PFEIFFER OUTSTANDING JUNIOR AWARD**

*Thomas Emerson*

*Leo Karp*

*Meagan Konst*

*Allison Todd*

*Caitlind Walker*

**THE RICK GRODSKY ESE AWARD FOR TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENT**

*Ishan Gaudi*

**OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANT  
TO THE INSTRUCTOR (AI) AWARD**

*Tingting Wu*

**CHAIR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING**

*Jim Feher*

---

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY,  
ENVIRONMENTAL & CHEMICAL  
ENGINEERING**

---

**GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH AWARD**

**Dissertation Award**

*Xuanhao Wu*

**Annual Research Impact Award**

*Yichao Han*

*Youngju Lee*

*Zixuan Wang*

**GRADUATE STUDENT TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD**

*Eric Husmann*

*Onochie Okonkwo*

**P. RAMACHANDRAN GRADUATE SCHOLAR AWARD**

*Payton Beeler*

**ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT SOPHOMORE AWARD**

*Joseph Kim*

*Kenneth Li*

**THE KLEMM OUTSTANDING JUNIOR AWARD**

*Michael Casey*

*Kaitlyn Moran*

**THE SS & IMF MARSDEN SENIOR PRIZE**

*Ally Persky*

**THE DUAL DEGREE SENIOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD**

*Marino Aldaz Cuevas*

*Rachel Blow*

**AICHE VIRTUS DYNAMICA AWARD**

*Katie Halwachs*

**CHAIR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING**

*Avni Solanki*

---

**DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL  
ENGINEERING & MATERIALS SCIENCE**

---

**AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS OUTSTANDING MEMBER**

*Mitry Anderson*

*Luke Solondz*

**JOSEPH RAZEK PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING JUNIOR  
IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

*John Christensen*

*Samuel Ginsberg*

*Mae Hubel*

**LINDA KRAL PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS  
IN AEROSPACE ENGINEERING**

*Samantha Hudson*

*Jonathan Richter*

**KENNETH L. JERINA PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING  
DUAL-DEGREE OR TRANSFER STUDENT**

*Brannon Boyd*

*Hailey Hayes*

*Aidan Murphy*

*Patrick Smith*

**GUSTAV MESMER PRIZE FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT**

*William Hurley*

*Jonathan Richter*

*Yenan (Daniel) Shen*

**ERWIN C. HOELSCHER MEMORIAL OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD**

*Chase Hartquist*

*William Hurley*

*Yenan (Daniel) Shen*

**CHAIR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING**

*Emily Boyd*

---

## OFFICE OF THE DEAN

---

### THE ANTOINETTE FRANCES DAMES AWARD

*Alec Alameddine*  
*Ulysses Atkeson*  
*Asher Baraban*  
*Matthew Billings*  
*Perry Brody*  
*Jeffrey Candell*  
*Edward Chandler*  
*Neha Damaraju*  
*Ritu Dave*  
*Kaan Dincer*  
*Shifan Dong*  
*Carolyn Duncan*  
*Robert Fuchs*  
*Camila Garcia-Novelli*  
*Ritvik Illindala*  
*Amay Kejriwal*  
*Joseph Kim*  
*Louis Kotler*  
*Jeremy Kunen*  
*Kenneth Li*  
*Caleb Liu*  
*Sushruth Manchineella*  
*Bochun Mei*  
*Kyle Montgomery*  
*Jacob Sandler*  
*Eshan Sane*  
*Scott Sirri*  
*Yiwen Song*

*Katherine Stender-Moore*  
*Charlotte Weixel*  
*Jacob Wheelock*  
*Haowei Wu*  
*Ian Youth*  
*Yanpeng Yuan*  
*Zelin Zhong*

### VALEDICTORIANS

*Ian Hudson*  
*Rachel Jakes*  
*Camryn Kenkel*  
*Shuhao Li*  
*Ally Persky*  
*Jonathan Richter*  
*Robert Slutsky*  
*Daniel Sosebee*  
*Jess Zhang*  
*Ann Zhou*

### 2021 NSF GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENTS

*Madeleine Goedegebuure\**  
*Katelyn Miyasaki\**  
*Eleanor Degen*  
*Andrew Ells*  
*Ethan Genter*  
*Chase Hartquist*  
*Christine Lucky*  
*Jonathan Smith*  
*Kyle Thomas*  
*Lily Xu*  
*\* honorable mention*

### RALPH S. QUATRANO PRIZE

*Hannah Smith*



Washington  
University in St. Louis

---

JAMES MCKELVEY  
SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING