Junior Historical Papers

Winner – 1001 -- The Sanitation Revolution: The Innovation of Sewers and Indoor Plumbing in the 19th and 20th Centuries
William Hutchinson

Winner – 1017 -- The United States Constitution: The Dawn of a New Generation
Anushree Dugar

Alternate – 1018 -- Youth Involvement In the Great Proletarian Revolution in China
Bryce Hwang

Senior Historical Papers

Winner – 2009 -- Via Appia: Paving the Way for Roman Innovation
Lisa Takenaka

Winner – 2017 -- The Influence of Darwin on the Modern World
Noah Shenker

Alternate – 2023 -- The Bessemer Process: Changing America through Economic Impacts
Ian Lundberg
Junior Individual Exhibits

Winner – 1109 -- Portland Cement: Impacting Construction  
Brett Shearer

Winner – 1119 -- Discovering the Mysterious Depths with ROVs  
Holly Everson

Alternate – 1118 -- Blood Transfusions: A Life-Saving Innovation  
Mary "Soren" Hansen

Junior Group Exhibits

Winner – 1205 -- The Cotton Gin: Catalyst of Change  
Brenden McGuire  Anthony Georgouses

Winner – 1217 -- Innovators of Light: Battle of the Currents  
Olivia Belda  Makay Moss

Alternate -- 1239 -- The Water Closet: Flushing Through Time  
Cindi Yu  Winnie Tran  Sophie Xu

Senior Individual Exhibits

Chloe Bubion

Winner – 2110 -- The Forgotten Light of the Dark Ages: The Innovation and Impact of the First Public Hospital  
Merima Tricic

Alternate – 2133 -- The Langstroth Hive  
Holden Milner

Senior Group Exhibits

Winner – 2209 - Eli Whitney and the Cotton Gin  
Edith De La Cueva  Carina De La Cueva  Anthony Reyes

Winner – 2216 --- Imagine the world without the printing press.  
Enoch Yim  Andy Morales-Ramon

Alternate -- 2206 Gutenberg and the Printing Press  
Sean Burford  Magnum Terrazas  Norman Zeledon
Junior Individual Performances

Winner – 1308 -- The Manhattan Project: An Innovation That Would Change the World
Andrew Kerwin

Winner – 1311 -- Cotton Gin: Savior or Destroyer of the 19th Century
William Nguyen

Alternate – 1304 -- The Innovation of Insulin: Changing the Story of Diabetes from Speed of Death to Quality of Life
Laura Stickells

Junior Group Performances

Winner – 1407 -- Disturbing the Peace: The Freedom Rides The Innovation that Changed the Civil Rights into a National Movement
Sameen Bramer Brittany Louey Ramie Sahota Amy Williams Calvin Laverty

Winner – 1409 -- Seriously Sesame Street: Education Innovation
David Fuller Dominic Hernandez Michael Kasbar Steven Morua Michael Smith

Alternate – 1426 George Washington Carver’s Agricultural Innovations: Impacting the Development of Synthetics and Changing the Scientific Approach
Brandon Valdez David Kayekjian Nehemiah Yap

Senior Individual Performances

Winner – 2325 -- Going Crazy for the Legal System: The Evolution and Innovation of the Insanity Plea in American Jurisprudence
Kaitlyn Sims

Winner – 2323 -- Nikola Tesla: Mad Scientist or Spark of Innovation in History?
Allison Aoun

Alternate – 2302 -- The MMR Vaccine: Injecting Impact and Change
Aileen Fletcher

Senior Group Performances

Winner – 2403 Going Up! First Floor - Inventions! Second Floor - Innovations!
Samantha Miles Joshua Miles Miranda Miles

Winner – 2425 Marbury v. Madison: Putting the Supreme in the Supreme Court
Kelsey Isaak Conner Winn Lisa Huang Vincent Ovalle Jenna Dekker

Alternate – 2426 -- The Innovation of the United States Constitution: Impact and Change
Deonah Sharifi-Cendejas Brandon Diaz Shawna Matsusaka
Junior Individual Documentaries

Winner – 1520 -- Milk Pasteurization: Stopping the White Plague
   Alexandra Dotti

Winner – 1529 -- Artificial Satellites Open New Frontier
   Stacey Olson

Alternate – 1528 -- Chainmail: The Immortal Armor
   Ray Hurst

Junior Group Documentaries

Winner – 1616 -- William Wrigley Jr.’s Way of Sticking to it and Chewing Up Success
   Hailey Leach  Christina Daley  Payton Alexander

Winner – 1618 -- The Transistor: The Building Block of Electronics
   Nikhil Mishra  Yash Gupta  Kevin Kim  Christopher Sun  Asad Karamally

Alternate -- 1606 -- Miracles from Sand: The Microprocessor, the Greatest Innovation
   Satyaprit Das  Tejas Pradeep

Senior Individual Documentaries

Winner – 2514 -- Nuclear Power and its Effect on the World
   Zachary Brown

Winner – 2519 -- Chicago’s Moving Assembly Line and its Impact on industrialism, Labor, and the Environment
   Tessa Opalach

Alternate – 2513 -- DDT: Invaluable Insecticide or Pernicious Poison?
   Savannah Benes

Senior Group Documentaries

Winner – 2620 -- Television: Revolutionizing American Politics
   Jaewoo Chung  Thomas Yoon  Vincent Tzeng  Jaehak Yu

Winner – 2626 -- Rising From the Rails: The Innovation of the Pullman Car and 10,000 Men Named George
   Zane Pang  Andrew Tran  AnuJan Jeevaprakash

Alternate -- 2605 -- Organ Transplants: Impacting Lives, Changing Medicine
   Devan Diwanji  Ian Wetherald  David Loer  Michael Bergsma
Junior Individual Websites

1st – 1728 - Gutenberg's Press: Bringing the Printed Word to the Common Man
   Natalie Stepheson

2nd – 1708 -- The Age of Enlightenment: Innovations of Reason and Thought that led to Change and Freedom
   Kevin Huang

Alternate – 1713 -- X-Rays
   Samuel Murillo

Junior Group Websites

1st – 1827 -- Radiocarbon Dating: Portal to the Past
   Shaina Zuber  Cora Ledden

2nd – 1828 -- The Innovative Los Angeles Aqueduct
   Kyla Resnick  Andrea Marroquin

Alternate – 1814 -- Needle to Pixel: Innovation of the Compass to GPS
   Krista Zwart  Binita Patel

Senior Individual Websites

1st Place – 2719 -- Hoover Dam: Transforming the West
   Lisa Xie

2nd -- 2705 The Periodic Table
   Veronica Osborn

   Shannon Galvin

Senior Group Websites

1st Place – 2817 -- Penicillin: The Miracle Drug
   Gabriel Reifinger  Michael Torres  Samuel Lam

2nd – 2825 -- Miracle Pesticide and Environmental Nightmare: The Influence and Impact of DDT
   Alec Helfetz  Neil Kumar  Gautam Soundararajan  Duncan Tomlin

Alternate – 2809 -- Zero to Hero: Unraveling Its Humble Beginnings
   Charlene Fernandez  Jana Fernandez
4th and 5th Grade Individual Posters

Winner -- 3113  Indoor Plumbing
    Flushing Away The Filth
    Anna Chilson

Winner -- 3137  Penicillin - A Heroic Mold
    Tanner Shields

Alternate -- 3104  Artificial Satellites:Launching the Space Age
    Trey McKeay

4th and 5th Grade Group Posters

Winner – 3213  Mustard Gas: Chemical Weapon and Medical Breakthrough
    Peter Gallagher  Kendall Jordan

Winner – 3224  Transcontinental Railroad: The Tracks That Changed America
    Landon Strang  Connor Ferrell

Alternate -- 3208  Global Hawk: Innovative Fliers
    Chanler Maurer  Lucas Dow  Dylan Clayton  Luke Sullivan
A People's History Award – Sponsored by Los Monos Baseball Social Club of San Diego
Criteria: outstanding exhibit project that tells their story from the viewpoint of the oppressed, forgotten, and everyday persons point of view. Evaluated with this in mind "The cry of the poor is not always just, but if you don’t listen to it you will never know what justice is."

2028 Alfred Blalock and Vivien Thomas: A Partnership of Progress and Innovation
Anne Stickells

Aronoff Award – Sponsored by Robert Aronoff
Criteria: outstanding entry that illustrates the United States’ Bill of Rights and the Constitution in history

1822 The Reconstruction of 1865, For Better or for Worse
Maria Brightman  Tim Smith  Raina Sunshine

2715 John Marshall: Innovation in Judicial Review
Shannon Galvin

G – Children’s Voice Award – Sponsored by the Wagner Family
Criteria: outstanding entry that demonstrates history through the eyes of a child, focusing on the experiences, contributions, and/or perspectives of children.

1409 Seriously Sesame Street: Education Innovation
David Fuller  Dominic Hernandez  Michael Kasbar  Steven Morua  Michael Smith

2121 Infant Heart Transplant
Samantha Lewis

Civil Liberties Award – Sponsored by ACLU Foundation of Southern California
Criteria: best entry that illustrates the importance of preserving and advancing civil rights

1103 Eunice Kennedy Shriver: Everyone’s A Winner, Innovation, Change, Impact
Grace Speakman

CCHS Recognition of CA History Research Award – Sponsored by Conference of CA Historical Societies
Criteria: best paper and website on a California theme with good use of primary sources

1019 Gold Fever
Antoinette Swanson

1206 Salmon Kill of 2002
Eli Hensher-Aubrey  Ashley Allgier

2004 Lasers in Eye Surgery: A Revolutionary Impact on Vision
Carolyn Bruckmann

2137 The Lawson Report on the 1906 San Francisco Earthquake: the Birth of Modern Earthquake Science
Eric Sauer
FROM THE HEART AWARD - SPONSORED BY HUMBOLDT HISTORY LOVERS  
CRITERIA: Special recognition of a heartfelt performance.  
1317 All the Fiery Deaths  
   Michaelyn Mullan

GEOGRAPHIC EXCELLENCE AWARD - SPONSORED BY CA GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY AND CA GEOGRAPHIC ALLIANCE  
CRITERIA: entry shows the best use of a geographic theme to show the interdependence of history and geography  
1135 The Erie Canal: Innovation in Transportation Binds the Nation  
   Stephen Stickells  
2137 The Lawson Report on the 1906 San Francisco Earthquake: The Birth of Modern Earthquake Science  
   Eric Sauer  
3125 John Snow and the Cholera Map of 1854: Innovation in Disease Research and the Origins of Modern Epidemiology  
   Aylin Henstridge

HERBERT NIKIRK VISUAL ARTS IN HISTORY AWARD - SPONSORED BY NANCY ANDRZEJczAK  
CRITERIA: Entry must deal effectively with the theme related to a visual artist, style or period  
1007 Diego Rodriguez de Silva y Velazquez: The Painter’s Painter  
   Lindsey Taylor

JOANN BURTON & SUSAN PHILIPS AWARD - SPONSORED BY JOANN BURTON AND SUSAN PHILIPS  
CRITERIA: outstanding performance in Honor of the Shoah Foundation about the Holocaust  
1306 The Nuremberg Trials: Innovating International Law  
   Rachel Blindell  
2304 The Final Solution  
   Sarika Ram

MARK AND PEACHY LEVY AWARD - SPONSORED BY LEVY FAMILY TRUST  
CRITERIA: outstanding entry on injustice and the protection of humanity during World War II  
1615 The Marshall Plan: An Innovation That Changed Nations  
   Michelle Laurendine Noah Kroeker

POLONIAN AWARD - SPONSORED POLISH COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER  
CRITERIA: outstanding entry on Polish topic  
3209 What Puzzle Did the Allies Solve in WWII?  
   Caleb Evans Quincy King

SHARON MATSUMOTO & RON ROSE AWARD #2 - SPONSORED SHARON MATSUMOTO AND RON ROSE  
CRITERIA: outstanding entry about the Holocaust  
1306 The Nuremberg Trials: Innovating International Law  
   Rachel Blindell  
2304 The Final Solution  
   Sarika Ram
**SOMOS PRIMOS AWARD - SPONSORED BY SOMOS PRIMOS**

**CRITERIA:** outstanding that gives visibility to the positive contributions of the ancestors of Mexican Americans in the historical development of the United States

**2203 Los Medios de Comunicación y La Percepción: The United States - Mexico War**
Natalie Carrillo  Ricardo Cruz  Evelyn Gamerao-Alcala  Gerardo Martinez  Roberto Mendoza

**KUDOS FOR KIDS AWARD - SPONSORED BY KUDOS FOR KIDS**

**CRITERIA:** student that deserves special recognition for excellence, effort, overcoming hardship, etc

Troy Kawahara

**HISTORY DAY PERSEVERANCE AWARD - SPONSORED BY ANONYMOUS SPONSOR**

**CRITERIA:** student who has participated at the state level from 6th grade to 12th grade

Zubin Anklesaria – San Diego County
Morgan Barnes – Kern County
Emily Cass – San Diego County
Mackenzie Guara – San Diego County
Rosa Lau – Los Angeles County
Ben Wagner – San Diego County

**EDUCATOR OF MERIT AWARD - OUTSTANDING EDUCATORS WHO ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Michael Denman – Los Angeles County
Ann Lawlor – Humboldt County
Lori Maynard – Kern County
Cherie Redelings – San Diego County
Ron Wagner – San Diego County