

Canisius Earning Excellence Program

CEEP 2023-2024 Award Recipients

Student <i>Major</i> Athletic Team	Faculty Mentor <i>Department</i>	Project
Lily Anastasi <i>Psychology</i>	Nathan Arbuckle <i>Psychology</i>	The effect of mere social context on hormonal response
Tyler Barczykowski <i>International Relations;</i> <i>Political Science</i>	Paola Fajardo-Heyward <i>Political Science</i>	CEEP Model UN
Akash Bhamhani <i>Biology</i>	Daniel Haeusser <i>Biology</i>	Effect of Phage Peptide gp56 on Mutant Bacillus Subtilis Cell Division
Mason Bowes <i>English; Philosophy</i>	Michael Forest <i>Philosophy</i>	Meta-Kitsch
Jebadiah Braunscheidel <i>Biochemistry</i>	Timothy Gregg <i>Chemistry & Biochemistry</i>	Chemical Synthesis of dihydropyrone natural product Rhytismatone A.
Neil Chace <i>ABEC</i>	Susan Margulis <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Analyzing Gorilla Behavior Before and After Feedings and Developing a Methodology for Neotropical Primate Multi-Species Study
Reed Conrey <i>Biology</i> Men's Lacrosse	Jonathan O'Brien <i>Biology</i>	Transport and Storage of Microplastics in the Rivers and Streams within the Buffalo Region
Nicholas Dauphinee <i>ABEC; Environmental Studies</i> Men's Cross Country, Men's Track	Robin Foster <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Flight Initiation Distance (FID) between native and invasive turtles
Analee DeGlopper <i>Political Science</i>	Paola Fajardo-Heyward <i>Political Science</i>	Model UN Conference
Maeve Devine <i>English</i>	Hamilton Cochrane <i>English</i>	Contemporary Writers Series
Jonathan Dusza <i>Journalism; Political Science</i>	Bruce Dierenfield <i>History</i>	Biography of Reverend George W. Lee, the first martyr of the Civil Rights Movement
Rachael Empie <i>Psychology</i>	Charles Goodsell <i>Psychology</i>	The Role of Clothing Bias in Showup Identifications



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Genevieve Fontana <i>Psychology</i>	Jennifer Lodi-Smith <i>Psychology</i> Susan Margulis <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Did You Know?: Finding Eco Heroines Behind the Scenes at Canisius College
Elizabeth Fox <i>Political Science</i>	Shyam Sriram <i>Political Science</i>	A New Beginning: Creating Every Campus a Refuge at Canisius College
Alexa Gioia <i>Biology</i>	Sara Morris <i>Academic Affairs VP</i>	Common Yellowthroat Flight-calling Behavior
Emma Gorman <i>Chemistry</i>	Peter Schaber <i>Chemistry & Biochemistry</i>	Heavy Metals in Fish Sold in Supermarkets in Western New York
Megan Greenberg <i>ABEC</i>	Malini Suchak <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	The Welfare of On-Campus Laboratory Animals: Research Best Care Practices and Update Animal Care Sheets of on Campus Research Animals
Jillian Hanna <i>Biochemistry</i> Women's Volleyball	Timothy Gregg <i>Chemistry & Biochemistry</i>	Synthesis of Isocoumarin E.
Jahare Hudson <i>Psychology</i>	Nathan Arbuckle <i>Psychology</i>	The Shedding of Minority Identity when Conflict Occurs
Bashar Kattan <i>Biology</i>	Daniel Haeusser <i>Biology</i>	The effect of Kil on cell division and cell shape
Sara Kattan <i>Biology</i>	Daniel Haeusser <i>Biology</i>	The Effect of Kil on Cell Division and Cell Shape
Emma Kern <i>ABEC</i>	Robin Foster <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Blanding's Turtle Habitat and Population Analysis in Western New York



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Christianna Konczal <i>Adolescence Education Gr 7-12;</i> <i>English</i>	Richard Reitsma Margaret Stefanski <i>Mod Languages, Lit &</i> <i>Cultures</i>	Boarders and Migration Initiative Program Assistant
Sophia Konstantinou <i>Sports & Exercise Health Care</i> Women's Soccer	Michael Dolan <i>Kinesiology</i>	Physical Activity Outcome Measure Following Ankle Sprains
Sarah Lynch <i>Integrated Marketing Comm;</i> <i>Digital Media Arts; Spanish</i>	Mary Owusu <i>Management &</i> <i>Marketing</i>	Integrated Marketing Communication (IMC) Masterclass Findings with Nonprofit Organization Future In Our Hands USA (FIOH-USA)
Shannon Lynch <i>Psychology</i>	Jonathan Rodgers Jennifer Lodi-Smith <i>Psychology</i>	Idioms: How Non-Literal Language Development can Improve the Lives of Autistic Children
Courtney Lyons <i>Political Science</i>	Bruce Dierenfield <i>History</i>	Mississippian Martyr: The Untold Biography of Civil Rights Leader Reverend George Lee
Sarah Martin <i>ABEC</i>	Christina Perazio <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	An Analysis of Anthropogenic Noise and Humpback Whale Song Frequencies
Jessica Maurer <i>Physical Education/Health Ed</i>	Gregory Reeds <i>Kinesiology</i> Jeffrey Lindauer <i>Teacher Education &</i> <i>Leadership</i>	reconstructing the SHAPE club
Adelina Metz <i>Philosophy</i>	Jonathan Lawrence <i>Religious Studies &</i> <i>Theology</i>	Religion in Western New York
Fadumo Muse <i>ABEC</i>	Malini Suchak <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Automated Analysis of Behavioral Signatures in Shelter Cats



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Kayla Norek <i>Biology</i>	Jonathan O'Brien <i>Biology</i>	How Microplastics Affect Daphnia in Ecosystems
Kaitlin O'Meara <i>English; History</i>	Richard Reitsma <i>History</i>	Assistant to the Borders and Migrations Initiative and the Spanish Department
Amanda Ostroske <i>ABEC; Anthrozoology</i>	Susan Margulis <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Touch Pool Impact on the Welfare of Sharks and Stingrays
Jessica Parker <i>Psychology</i>	Jonathan Rodgers <i>Psychology</i>	Autism and Identity: Gender Differences
Kelly Parucki <i>Criminal Justice; ABEC</i>	Anita Butera <i>Socio/Crim Just/Enviro Studies</i>	Reforming police through a pedagogy of empowerment
Madeleine Perrelli <i>Biology</i>	Jonathan O'Brien <i>Biology</i>	Assessing the health of WNY waterways and studying the links between river metabolism and populations of aquatic macroinvertebrates
Alexandra Perry <i>Sports & Exercise Health Care</i> <i>Wommen's Soccer</i>	Michael Dolan <i>Kinesiology</i>	Physical Activity as an Outcome Measure Following Ankle Sprains
Zachary Peterson <i>Biology</i>	Elizabeth Hogan <i>Biology</i>	BTP2's effect on Microtubules inside the Growth Cone
Alexia Philipponne <i>Biochemistry</i>	Katie Costanzo <i>Biology</i>	Phenology of Aedes Albopictus and Culex Genera
Frederick Piwko <i>Biology; ABEC</i>	Sara Morris <i>Academic Affairs VP</i>	Flight Calling Behavior of Songbirds on First Migration



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Kian Porhomayon <i>Biology</i>	Sarah Blakely-McClure <i>Psychology</i> Timothy Servoss <i>Psychology</i>	The Impacts of COVID-19 on College Students with Different Racial and Ethnic Backgrounds
Marcus Postell <i>ABEC</i>	Susan Margulis <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Creative Enrichment for Zoo Housed Gorillas
Emma Radel <i>Psychology; Creative Writing</i>	Jennifer Lodi-Smith <i>Psychology</i>	Narrative Identity in the Health and Aging Study of Central Illinois (HASCI)
Tarin Rietz <i>Mathematics</i> Women's Swimming	Jennifer Lodi-Smith Jonathan Rodgers <i>Psychology</i>	Aging and Autism Study
Olivia Rutowski <i>Biology</i>	Lisa Morey <i>Biology</i>	Investigating the Effect of Estrogen Mimicking Compounds on Gene Expression in Ovarian Cancer Cells
Hawa Saleh <i>English; Creative Writing; History</i>	Janet McNally <i>English</i>	Honors Assistantship
Timothy Sanders <i>Strategic Communication</i>	Jonathan Lawrence <i>Religious Studies & Theology</i>	Religion in Western New York project
Samuel Santora <i>Economics; Mathematics</i>	Zachary McGurk <i>Economics & Finance</i>	The Effects of Sentiment on Foreign Exchange Rates
Aubrey Smith <i>Philosophy</i>	Joshua Merlo <i>Philosophy</i>	How the Catholic Church Imposes Natural Law Theory on Queer Kids



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Jonathan Solar <i>Math/SWD Generalist 7-12</i>	Terrence Bisson	Examining the Behavior of Chaotic Systems
Emilie Space <i>Psychology</i>	Secil Ertorer <i>Socio/Crim Just/Enviro Studies</i> Jennifer Lodi-Smith <i>Psychology</i>	Xenophobia and Anti-Asian Discrimination in the COVID-19 Era
Patrick Stouter <i>Psychology</i>	Jonathan Rodgers <i>Psychology</i>	Evaluation of the Effectiveness and Ethics of Applied Behavior Analysis in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder
Gwenyth Tompkins <i>ABEC</i>	Jennifer Snekser <i>ABEC & Anthrozoology</i>	Exploring the sex differences and group size of shoalmate choice in wildtype zebrafish
Samantha Trolli <i>Psychology</i>	Sarah Blakely-McClure Susan Putnam <i>Psychology</i>	Associations Between Symptoms of Depression, Aggressive Behavior in Romantic Relationships, and Achievement During the Stay at Home Order and the Post-Vaccination Era.
Dominic Vivolo <i>Accounting; Finance;</i> <i>Business Economics</i>	Mary Becker <i>Economics & Finance</i>	Price reactions to Additions and Deletions of the NASDAQ 100
Cory Walck <i>Biochemistry</i>	Phillip Sheridan <i>Chemistry & Biochemistry</i>	Computational Chemistry Study of Alkaline-Earth Monoborohydrides
Matthew Wass <i>Chemistry</i>	Phillip Sheridan <i>Chemistry & Biochemistry</i>	Computational Chemistry Study of Alkali Metal Monomethyls and Monoethyls
Jackson Webster <i>Sport Management</i> <i>Men's Lacrosse</i>	David Dee <i>Athletics</i> Lindy Feider <i>Griff Ctr for Student Success</i>	Identifying The Gaps Between Collegiate and Professional Sport Production



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James Wehner <i>Biology</i>	Andrew Stewart <i>Biology</i>	How Fruit Fly Size affects overall Fitness
Madeline Weltin <i>Biology</i> <i>Spanish</i> <i>Women's Soccer</i>	Richard Reitsma <i>Mod Languages, Lit & Cultures</i> Margaret Stefanski <i>Mod Languages, Lit & Cultures</i>	Assistant to Borders and Migrations Initiative and Spanish Department
Abriana Will <i>Biology</i>	Lisa Morey <i>Biology</i>	The Effect that Estrogen and Synthetic Estrogen Compounds have on Gene Expression in Ovarian Cancer Cells
Christina Zarafonitis <i>Chemistry - Health Prof Track</i>	Peter Schaber <i>Chemistry & Biochemistry</i>	Heavy Metals in Shore Soil from the Buffalo Creek, Lake Erie, the Niagara River, and Lake Ontario
Thomas Zwirecki <i>Sports & Exercise Health Care</i> <i>Baseball</i>	Michael Dolan <i>Kinesiology</i>	Effects of Mobilizations on balance in a subject with a history of ankle sprains

