

TOGETHER APART: FRESHMAN COLLOQUIUM 2020

AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to announce the winning submissions from the Freshman Colloquium. The quality of the work we received was outstanding, and we wish to thank all of our student participants for sharing their unique perspectives and voices during this unprecedented time of learning "Together Apart."

FIRST-PLACE WINNERS

- **Leslie (Chien) Huang**, Economics – "The Proper Invocation of One's Miranda Rights"
- **Hayley LaBonte**, Human Biology – "Talking to Myself (Can You Hear Me?)"
- **Raymond Lu**, Environmental Studies and Health – "Win, or Die Trying: How Doping Hurts Sports Culture"
- **Ethan Sak**, Music Production – "Try"
- **Brandon Tran**, Political Science – "Sincerely, Yourself"

WINNER OF THE POPULAR VOTE

- **Valerie Dao**, Biological Sciences – "My Dilemma on the Reopening of Schools"

HONORABLE MENTION

- **Michaela Balogun**, English – "Letter to Isolation"
- **Annie Chang**, Applied and Computational Math – "Marlow's Blindfold"
- **Damien Chang**, Chemistry – "Checkmating Bishop: Hawaiian Defender, Dependant, Debilitated"
- **Katrina Huynh**, Biological Sciences and Spanish – "*Spirited Away* from Japan to America: An Exploration of International Appeals"
- **Conner Kojima**, Human Biology – "A Global Circus"
- **Gabriela Martinez**, Political Science – "The Importance of the Witness When Things Seem to Worsen"
- **Abhijay (Raj) Paturi**, Biology – "Aren't We All Witnesses?"
- **Siauna Respress**, Human Biology – "Moving Talks"
- **Sherman Wu**, Pharmacology and Drug Development – "Through a New Lens: Photography as an Art"
- **Fethi Yasar**, Economics – "May I Have Your Passport"