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SMU Dedman College of Humanities & Sciences

**Degree Recognition Ceremony
May 17, 2025**





Robert and Nancy Dedman Outstanding Senior Student

Joshua Warren Ange

Physics, B.S.

Mathematics, B.S.

Phi Beta Kappa

**Hamilton Undergraduate
Research Scholar**



Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society Inductees

Arman Aasif Ahmed
Helena Kathryn Allor
Haneen Bilal Amarneh
Joshua Warren Ange
Olivia Vee Avant
Anna S. Avallone
Grace Anne Barry
Olivia Ellen Boone

Evangeline Bulick
Maria Clara Alves Cabral
John Anthony Cahalan
Luke William Connelly
Julia Geraldine
Mary Cunningham
Jordan Jacob Davis
Daniel Discenza

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Alex Michael Euscher
Carly Valentine Fallon
Andrew George Farhat
Lily Grace Fee
Brianna Renee Freshwater
Chandler Ciara Goodstein
Fiona L. Graybill
Leilani Celeste Guzman

Evan Johnson
Nathan Hasbrook
Journey Sherie Madison Harris
Anna-Lauren Harrison
Drake Allan Henry
Avery Tyler Hill
Reid Walker Homer
Chloe Michele Hooten

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Meredith Claire Hughes
Jack Allen Jurgemeyer
Vimal Girish Kotecha
Anika Taylor Krieger
Hasun Ali Krisht
Daniel S. Kulti
Anna Teresa Leo
Claire McCarter

Dutch Robert Mark
Olivia Grace McKee
Andrew Patterson McClure
Gabriel Mongaras
Nadia Mustafa
Oghenesuvwe Ariel Kokoricha
Kathryn Prappas
Alexandra Rachel Pugh

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Collin Randal Quinlan
Dean Loller Rider
Megan Lily Riebe
Lindsay Anne Rorschach
Jessiah Josue Ruiz
Kendall Jordan Saeger
Taylor Shimizu
Matthew Steven Swaim

Jacob Stavely
Vivian Tran Thai
Grace Pham Tran
Sophia Leigh VanderMolen
Emory Grace Woodruff
Anna Kelly Zielke
Avery Zolfaghari

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**Oghenesuvwe Ariel
Kokoricha**

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Claire McCarter

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Megan Lily Riebe

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Lindsay Anne Rorschach

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Hamilton Undergraduate Research Scholars

Joshua Warren Ange

Anna Grace Astolfi

Krithi Raj Bolledula

Sahar A. Khan

Shivani Kosuri

Hasun Ali Krisht

Daniel S. Kulti

Yue Liu

Regina Moreno Vera

Morgan Clare Schield

Taylor Khouw Shimizu

Anna Kelley Zielke

Sahar A. Khan

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Shivani Kosuri

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Sana Hour Omar

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Gursimranjit Kaur Waraich

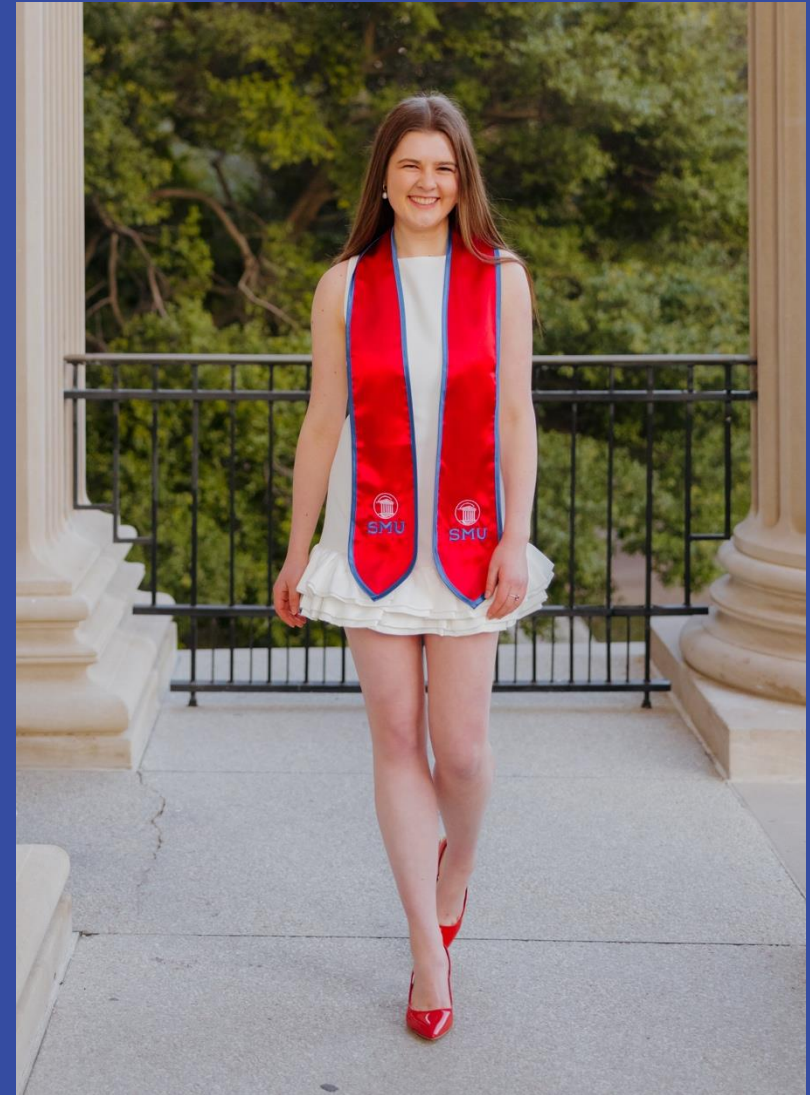
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Robert Mayer Undergraduate Research Fellows

Andrew George Farhat
Regina Moreno Vera
Veda Ramakrishnan





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Honor Awards – Humanities



Department of History

Reid Walker Homer

Jack Allen Jurgemeyer

Herbert Pickens Gambrell Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement

Valentina Adriana Akhtar

Stanton Sharp Award for Outstanding Service and Academic Achievement

Michael Rawlings Madden

James O. Breeden American History /Falk Foundation Award

Reid Walker Homer

History Department

Herbert Pickens Gambrell Award for
Outstanding Academic Achievement

Anthropology Department

Lambda Alpha Iota Chapter Distinguished
Achievement Award

Phi Beta Kappa



Jack Allen Jurgemeyer

History Department

**Herbert Pickens Gambrell
Award for Outstanding Academic
Achievement**

Phi Beta Kappa



Valentina Adriana Akhtar

History Department

**Stanton Sharp Award for
Outstanding Service and Academic
Achievement**



Michael Madden

History Department

**James O. Breeden American
History Award**





Department of English

Kamila Vargas-Gonzalez

Frances Mossiker Prize – First Place

Jordan Elizabeth Young

Marsh Terry Creative Writing Scholarship

Aliyah Anika Sa'id

Lon Tinkle Award for Excellence in Creative Writing

Fiona L. Graybill

Bromberg Graduating Senior Award

Kamila Vargas-Gonzalez

English Department

**Frances Mossiker Prize:
First Place**



Jordan Young

English Department

**Marsh Terry Creative Writing
Scholarship**



Aliyah Sa'id

English Department

**Lon Tinkle Award for Excellence
In Creative Writing**



Fiona L. Graybill

English Department

Bromberg Graduating Senior Award

Phi Beta Kappa





Caroline Rose Hall

**Medieval Studies
Ann Whaling Book Prize**





World Languages and Literatures

Evan Thomas Johnson

Emory Grace Woodruff

Philip H. Solomon Award in World Languages and Literatures: Spanish

Ved M. Lombard

The McLamore Family Foundation Scholarship in Classical Studies

Evan Johnson

**World Languages & Literatures
Department**

**Philip H. Solomon Award
for Spanish**

Phi Beta Kappa



Emory Grace Woodruff

**World Languages & Literatures
Department**

**Philip H. Solomon Award
for Spanish**

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Ved Lombard

**World Languages & Literatures
Department**

**McLamore Family Foundation
Scholarship in Classical Studies**





Department of Philosophy

Meredith Claire Hughes

Hausman Award for Excellence in the History of Western Philosophy

Meredith Claire Hughes

Chemistry Department

Charles T. Kenner Award

Philosophy Department

Hausman Award for Excellence
in the History of Western Philosophy

Phi Beta Kappa





Department of Religious Studies

Anika Taylor Krieger

Isaac Gustave Bromberg Award for Outstanding Work in the Humanities

Montana R. Braden

Harvey Paul Alper Award for Outstanding Work in an Eastern Religion

Ava Madison Hawkins

Department of Religious Studies Writing Award

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Department of Religious
Studies Writing Award



Anika Taylor Krieger

Religious Studies Department

**Isaac Gustave Bromberg
Award for Outstanding Work
in the Humanities**

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Honor Awards – Natural and Mathematical Sciences

Department of Biological Sciences

Dylan William Wolchko

Outstanding Senior in Biological Sciences

Bailey Ann Brown

Regina Moreno Vera

Academic Excellence Award in Biological Research

Veda Ramakrishnan

Academic Excellence Award in Biological Sciences

Dylan William Wolchko

Biology Department

**Outstanding Senior in
Biological Sciences**



Bailey Ann Brown

Biology Department

**Academic Excellence Award
in Biological Research**



Regina Morena Vera

Biology Department

**Academic Excellence Award
in Biological Research**

**Hamilton Undergraduate
Research Scholar**



Veda Ramakrishnan

Biology Department

Academic Excellence Award

**Robert Mayer Undergraduate Research
Fellows**





Department of Chemistry

Meredith Claire Hughes

Nadia Mustafa

Charles T. Kenner Award in Chemistry

Haneen Bilal Amarneh

Drake Allan Henry

The Dr Pepper/Lazenby Award for a Graduating Senior in Chemistry

Nadia Mustafa

Chemistry Department

Charles T. Kenner Award

Phi Beta Kappa



Haneen Bilal Amarneh

: Chemistry Department

**The Lazenby Award for
Chemistry**

Phi Beta Kappa



Drake Allan Henry

Chemistry Department

**The Lazenby Award for
Chemistry**

Phi Beta Kappa







Department of Earth Sciences

David Edwin Berberian

Goodell-Richards Academic Excellence Award in Undergraduate Study

David Edwin Berberian

Earth Sciences Department

**Goodell-Richards Academic
Excellence Award in
Undergraduate Study**





Department of Mathematics

Maria Clara Alves Cabral

Leilani Celeste Guzman

Gabriel Mongaras

Nikolas Patrick Powers

John Robert McCaw Merit Award in Mathematics

Nathan Powell Hasbrook

Charles J. Pipes Award for Outstanding Performance in Mathematics

Maria Clara Alves Cabral

Mathematics Department

John Robert McCaw

Merit Award

Phi Beta Kappa



Nathan Hasbrook

Mathematics Department

Charles J. Pipes Award

Phi Beta Kappa



Leilani Celeste Guzman

Mathematics Department

John Robert McCaw Merit Award

Phi Beta Kappa







Natural Sciences Program

Yue Liu

Outstanding Graduating Senior in Biochemistry

Jane Yiu Liu

Natural Sciences Program

Outstanding Senior in Biochemistry

Phi Beta Kappa





Department of Statistics and Data Science

Andy Hur

Brynne Marie Kelley

Statistical Science Department Award for Academic Excellence

Brynne Kelley

**Statistics & Data Science
Department**

**Award for Academic
Excellence in Statistics**



Andy Hur

**Statistics & Data Science
Department**

**Award for Academic
Excellence in Statistics**









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Honor Awards – Social Sciences

Department of Anthropology

Brianna Renee Freshwater

Edward I. and Peggy C. Fry Award for Academic Excellence

Brianna Renee Freshwater

Outstanding Senior Student in Anthropology

Taylor Khouw Shimizu

Outstanding Senior Student in Health and Society

Reid Walker Homer

Lambda Alpha Iota Chapter Distinguished Achievement Award

Brianna Renee Freshwater

Anthropology Department

Edward I. and Peggy C. Fry Award

Outstanding Senior Student

Sociology Department

Walter T. and Helen B. Watson Prize

Outstanding Senior in Sociology

Phi Beta Kappa



Taylor Khouw Shimizu

Anthropology Department

**Outstanding Senior Student in
Health & Society**

**Hamilton Undergraduate
Research Scholar**

Phi Beta Kappa





Department of Economics

Nikolas Patrick Powers

Economics Department Award for Excellence

Michael Fadi Khoury

Josef Hadar Award

Andrew George Farhat

Wallace F. Lovejoy Memorial Award

Nikolas Patrick Powers

Economics Department

Award for Excellence

Mathematics Department

Robert McCaw

Merit Award



Andrew George Farhat

Economics Department

Wallace F. Lovejoy Memorial Award

Phi Beta Kappa

**Robert Mayer Undergraduate
Research Fellow**





Department of Political Science

Hala Arnouk

Outstanding Senior in Political Science

Anna S. Avallone

Arnold Fund Dennis M. Simon Award for Academic Excellence

Jessiah Josue Ruiz

John Goodwin Tower Award

Hala Arnouk

Political Science Department

Outstanding Senior



Anna S. Avallone

Political Science Department

**Arnold Fund Dennis M. Simon
Award for Academic Excellence**

Phi Beta Kappa





Department of Psychology

Madelyn Malee Wathanacharoen

Award for Outstanding Research by an Undergraduate in Psychology

Sophia Anouk Schlecht

Psychology Department Senior Award for Outstanding Performance

**Madelyn Malee
Wathanacharoen**

Psychology Department

**Award for Outstanding Research
by an Undergraduate**



Sophia Anouk Schlecht

Psychology Department

Senior Award for Outstanding Performance

Women's & Gender Studies Program

**Betty Janette Maynard Award for Excellent
Scholarship**

**Ann Early Award in
Women's Studies**





Department of Sociology

Brianna Renee Freshwater

Walter T. and Helen B. Watson Prize in Sociology

Brianna Renee Freshwater

Outstanding Senior in Sociology

Brianna Renee Freshwater

Anthropology Department

Edward I. and Peggy C. Fry Award

Outstanding Senior Student

Sociology Department

Walter T. and Helen B. Watson Prize

Outstanding Senior in Sociology

Phi Beta Kappa





Women's and Gender Studies Program

Sabeen Baledina

Julia Clarke

Hailey Johns

Sophia Schlecht

Ann Early Award in Women's Studies

Julia Clarke

Sophia Schlecht

Betty Janette Maynard Award
for Excellent Scholarship

Sabeen Baledina

**Women's & Gender
Studies Program**

Ann Early Award



**Julia Mackenzie Elizabeth
Clarke**

**Women's & Gender
Studies Program**

Ann Early Award

**Betty Janette Maynard Award
for Excellent Scholarship**



Hailey Johns

**Women's & Gender
Studies Program**

Ann Early Award





Peruna



George Nolan Gaiser III



SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

An aerial photograph of the Southern Methodist University campus. In the background, a large, classical-style building with a prominent dome and columns stands under a blue sky with scattered white clouds. A wide, green lawn leads from the building towards the foreground. In the foreground, there is a circular plaza with a brick-paved center and a low, curved stone wall. The wall has the text "DEDMAN COLLEGE" and "SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY" inscribed on it. The plaza is surrounded by lush green trees and manicured hedges.

Congratulations, Class of 2025!

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