



PRSSA 2020 SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARD WINNERS
(As of October 29, 2020)

Dr. F.H. Teahan National Chapter Awards

Outstanding Chapter.....	California State University, Fullerton
Chapter Firm	University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
Chapter Development.....	Kennesaw State University
Community Service.....	University of Nebraska-Omaha
Outstanding PRSA/PRSSA Relationship	Belmont University
Outstanding District Conference.....	N/A
Outstanding Chapter Diversity	Grand Valley State University
University Service.....	Rowan University
Chapter Newsletter.....	Ohio University
Outstanding Faculty Adviser.....	Karen Weber, University of Nebraska-Omaha
Outstanding Professional Adviser	Carrie Kandes, APR, Kent State University
Outstanding Chapter Website	University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa

National Gold Key Award

Abby Reich, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh
 Alana Stillitano, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
 Allison Mellor, The Ohio State University
 Alyssa Kuelthau, Miami University
 Alyssa Varas, University of Florida
 Amanda Nicole Roth, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
 Blake Hiergesell, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
 Bridget Murtha, Marist College
 CheLynn Taylor, University of Northern Iowa
 Corinne Findlay, Penn State University
 Courtney Hoffner, Baldwin Wallace University
 Delaney MacKenzie, Grand Valley State University
 Emily M. Gagnon, Grand Valley State University
 Grant Thompson, Kansas State University
 Jamie Anderson, Belmont University

Jamie Martelli, Marist College
 Jessica Rutkowski, Ohio University
 Jill Golden, Kent State University
 Jolene Levesque, American University
 Julia Mulry, Loyola University Maryland
 Katelyn Malecki, Fashion Institute of Technology
 Kayla Fernandez, California State University, Fullerton
 Konni Lorenz, The Ohio State University
 Kristen Anne Cuaresma, California State University, Fullerton
 Madeline McClure, Western Kentucky University
 Melanie Do, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
 Okina Tran, University of Nebraska-Omaha
 Page Seceast, Samford University
 Rachel Schramm, Olivet Nazarene University
 Troi Ratchford, Morgan State University

National President's Citation

Grace Coulthurst, Rowan University

Rowan University National Organ Donor Awareness Award

First Place.....	University of Nebraska-Omaha
Second Place	Drexel University
Third Place.....	Oral Roberts University
Third Place.....	Tulsa University
Honorable Mention	Samford University
Honorable Mention	University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh

Rowan University National Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Award

First Place.....	Ohio Northern University
Second Place	Susquehanna University
Third Place.....	University of Nebraska-Omaha
Honorable Mention	Otterbein University

Star Chapter Award

American University
Belmont University
Biola University
Boston University
California State University - Fullerton
Central Michigan University
DePaul University
Drake University
Fashion Institute of Technology
Florida International University
Grand Valley State University
James Madison University
Kansas State University
Kent State University
Louisiana State University
Loyola University Maryland
Marist College
Ohio Northern University
Ohio University
Olivet Nazarene University
Quinnipiac University
Rowan University

Samford University
San Diego State University
Shippensburg University
Syracuse University
Temple University
The Ohio State University
The Pennsylvania State University
Universidad de San Martin de Porres
University of Alabama - Birmingham
University of Alabama - Tuscaloosa
University of Cincinnati
University of Florida
University of Nebraska - Lincoln
University of Nebraska - Omaha
University of Nevada - Reno
University of South Carolina
University of Wisconsin Oshkosh
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
Virginia Tech
Waynesburg University
West Virginia University

Bateman Case Study Competition

First Place..... DePaul University
Second Place..... University of Florida
Third Place..... High Point University

Betsy Plank/PRSSA Scholarships

First Place.....Kimberly Aldunate, Florida International University
Second Place.....Tayana Dix, University of Miami
Third Place.....Alexis Marvin, University of Oklahoma

Gary Yoshimura Scholarship Anastasia Glushneva, Loyola Marymount University

Lawrence G. Foster Award..... Isabella Hurtado, Fashion Institute of Technology (SUNY)

Robin M. Urbanski Memorial Scholarship Taylor Korte, Samford University

Altschul Champions for PRSSA Outstanding Internship Award.....N/A

Hall of Fame Award..... Katie Thomas, APR, Nationwide Children’s Hospital

Chester Burger Scholarship for Excellence in Public RelationsAlyssa Varas, University of Florida

John D. Graham Scholarship

First Place..... Jenna DePellegrini, American University
Runner Up Alejandra Balbuena, University of North Texas
Runner UpKylie Squiers, University of Nebraska-Omaha

Ron Culp Scholarship for Mentorship Kenon McCollins, Georgia State University

Stephen D. Pisinski Memorial Scholarship Trisney Bocala, Southern Adventist University

PRSA Diversity Multicultural Scholarship

WinnerHardika Singh, Ohio University
WinnerJasmine Edmonson, Louisiana State

Neumeier Family Leadership Award.....Natalia Pozuelo-Arbide, John Carroll University

May C. Randazzo Scholarship.....Rachel Torregiano, St. Bonaventure University

Axia Public Relations Scholarship Alannie Broussard, Louisiana State University

Ofield Dukes Multicultural Student Award Zachary Price Gradishar, American University

Student-run Firm Awards

Best Tactic..... Capstone Agency, The University of Alabama

Best Campaign..... Grand Valley PR, Grand Valley State University

Outstanding Member Award

WinnerA. Kix Patterson, University of Memphis

Winner Aly Brandon, University of Memphis

Winner KiKi Savely, University of Memphis

Winner Jael Hardaway, University of Memphis

PRSA Houston Scholarship

WinnerMcQue Wilson, University of Houston

Winner Eno Oduok, University of Houston

Winner Isabelle Scott, Lamar University

Winner Alberto Huichapa, University of Houston