

# State History Day 2019

Non-Category Results, including teacher awards and Topical Prizes

## Teacher Award Winners

<b>Teacher of Merit Junior Division</b>	Ron Hustvedt	Salk Middle School, Elk River
<b>Teacher of Merit Senior Division</b>	Christopher Stewart	North Lakes Academy, Forest Lake
<b>Library/Media Teacher of Merit</b>	Minitex	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
<b>Team Teachers of Merit</b>	South High School	Minneapolis Public Schools District

## Kurtzman History Day Internships

**Sponsor:** *Ralph and Virginia Kurtzman*

*Kurtzman History Day interns will work with History Day staff on summer programming and take part in the Minnesota Historical Society intern cohort.*

Grace Philippon

Sam Skinner

## African-American Women in History

*Sponsor: Community Outreach Committee, Woman's Club of Minneapolis*

*Entries focusing on African-American Women History*

*Two \$100 prizes.*

<b>Junior Division</b>	Maisie DeGrote, Maddie Gau	Keewaydin Community School	Alice Coachman's Triumph: Winning Gold and Crushing Discrimination	Junior Group Exhibit
<b>Senior Division</b>	Zaraia Fabunmi	South High School	Perpetrated Silence	Senior Individual Web Site

## American History Prior to the Revolutionary War, Triumph and Tragedy in

**Sponsor:** *National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the State of Minnesota*

*American history before the Revolutionary War*

Three \$200 prizes.

<b>Prize 1</b>	Fayte Saxowsky, Isabella Cocoluto	Delano Middle School	The Salem Witch Trials	Junior Group Performance
<b>Prize 2</b>	Anna Bomar, Josie LaMere, Tess Saindon	Anthony Middle School	Phyllis Wheatley: Tragedy turned Triumph, Slave turned Poetry Extraordinaire	Junior Group Performance
<b>Prize 3</b>	Gavin Waller, Matthew Hanson	Blackduck Public Schools	Tisquantum (Squanto) and Mayflower Pilgrims	Junior Group Exhibit

## American Indian History

**Sponsor:** Minnesota Historical Society

Entries that demonstrate the importance of American Indian individuals, organizations, or nations to history

Two \$150 prizes

<b>Junior Division</b>	Elizabeth Nordin	Fridley Middle School	Native American Boarding Schools	Junior Individual Web Site
<b>Senior Division</b>	Katrina Ducheneaux	Bug O Nay Ge Shig School	Native Americans Path to Citizenship	Senior Individual Exhibit

## American Women in History

**Sponsor:** Community Outreach Committee, Woman's Club of Minneapolis

History of American women as connected to the NHD theme

Two \$100 prizes

<b>Junior Division</b>	Elizabeth Dohrer	Open World Learning Community	Amelia Earhart Breaks Gender Barriers	Junior Individual Documentary
<b>Senior Division</b>	Sam Kellar-Long, Mae Wrigley	Open World Learning Community	Torches of Freedom: A Triumph for Cigarette Advertising	Senior Group Performance

## Austria and Central Europe, History of

**Sponsor:** Center for Austrian Studies, University of Minnesota

Entries focusing on Austria, Hungary, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine, or countries of the former Yugoslavia

Two \$100 prizes

<b>Junior Division</b>	Tess Champion, Willa Champion	Open World Learning Community	Poland's Solidarity Movement: A Triumph for Democracy	Junior Group Documentary
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<b>Senior Division</b>	Bezawit Abate, Tea Roepke, Jamila Mohammed	South High School	Hedy Lamarr: The Unknown Mind of the Beautiful Actress	Senior Group Web Site
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### Civil War History

<b>Sponsors:</b> <i>First Regiment of Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, Inc. and the Twin Cities Civil War Roundtable</i>				
<i>Entries focusing on Minnesota's role in the war and Civil War military history</i>				
<i>Two \$100 prizes plus associate membership in the First Minnesota Volunteers and an invitation to a Twin Cities Civil War Roundtable meeting</i>				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Naomi Kempcke, Maddy Schilling	Murray Middle School	The Triumph and Tragedies of a Runaway Slave	Junior Group Web Site
<b>Senior Division</b>	Ann Strong	Cretin-Derham Hall High School	Fugitive Slaves	Senior Individual Web Site

### Educational History, Susie Elewell Memorial Prize for

<b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Ralph and Virginia Kurtzman</i>				
<i>History of education</i>				
<i>Two \$150 prizes</i>				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Britta Sevcik	Kenwood Trail Middle School	Knowledge Gained Culture Lost: Native American Boarding Schools	Junior Individual Performance
<b>Senior Division</b>	Max Lopez	Washington Technology Magnet School	1968 LA Walkouts: Triumph in Opportunity for Chicanos	Senior Individual Performance

### Environmental History, Tallmadge and Geo. H. Elwell Memorial Prize for

<b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Ralph and Virginia Kurtzman</i>				
<i>Destruction or conservation of the natural environment, which may be biological, geological, archaeological, or other important historic events</i>				
<i>Two \$150 prizes</i>				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Alice Wagner-Hemstad, Kai Sackreiter	Murray Middle School	Reserve Mining Company v. United States: A Triumph for Environmental Policy	Junior Group Web Site
<b>Senior Division</b>	Albert Dohrer	Open World Learning Community	Aldo Leopold: Triumphs and Tragedies in the Preservation of Wilderness	Senior Individual Documentary

### Europe Before 1914, History of

<b>Sponsor:</b> Steven Potach and Judith Horn				
Historical event or development taking place in Europe between the fall of the Western Roman Empire and the outbreak of World War I, during the period from 476 CE to 1914 CE				
Two \$100 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Adalyn Raney, Pearl Jain, Kira Gorrila	Central Middle School (Eden Prairie)	A Dance of Death	Junior Group Performance
<b>Senior Division</b>	Emily Koppendrayer	Avalon School	Elizabeth Bathory: The Countess Dracula	Senior Individual Performance

## History of Exploration from 500 CE to 1825 CE

<b>Sponsor:</b> Associates of the James Ford Bell Library, University of Minnesota				
Topics focusing on the impact of exploration between 500 CE and 1825 CE				
Two \$100 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Sophie Rogers and Genet Gagnon	Salk Middle School	Thomas Jefferson's Effect on Slavery	Junior Group Website
<b>Senior Division</b>	Gabriel Chang-Deutsch	South High School	Triumph and Tragedy in Metis Resistance to Canadian Domination in Manitoba 1868-1870	Senior Paper

## Global Studies

<b>Sponsor:</b> Institute for Global Studies, University of Minnesota				
Projects examining history outside of the United States				
Two \$150 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Tara Thomsen, Ricardo Wang-Polendo	Parkview Center School	Missing Siblings of China: The One Child Policy	Junior Group Documentary
<b>Senior Division</b>	Maya Adelgren	DeLaSalle High School	Wangari Maathai: Planting "Seeds of Change"	Senior Individual Exhibit

## Holocaust History

<b>Sponsor:</b> Jewish Community Relations Council of Minnesota and the Dakotas				
Significant event or development that took place in Europe between 1933-1949 that led to or contributed to the events of the Holocaust				
Two \$100 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Olivia Busch	Oak Grove Middle School	Mother to the Holocaust Children: Irena Sendler's Triumphant Preservation of Jewish Generations	Junior Individual Performance

<b>Senior Division</b>	Noah Kuklinski, Annabel Boedecker	South High School	IBM's Role in the Holocaust	Senior Group Web Site
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### Humanitarian History, Raoul Wallenberg Prize in

<b>Sponsor:</b> American Swedish Institute				
A person or group of people who made a significant historical contribution with their work to improve the welfare of others				
Two \$100 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Mabel Kester, Poppy Lowenthal Walsh	Justice Page Middle School	The Orphan Train Movement: Riding the Trails to a New Life	Junior Group Web Site
<b>Senior Division</b>	Olivia Bratzel	CHOF School	The People's Princess: Lady Di: Triumphant Over her Personal Tragedies	Senior Individual Performance

### History Day Scholarship

<b>Sponsor:</b> University of Minnesota College of Liberal Arts				
One \$1,500 prize				
<b>Prize 1</b>	Che Ther Vang	Highland Park Senior High School	American's Abandon CIA Soldiers	Group Documentary

### Immigration History, History of

<b>Sponsor:</b> Friends of the Immigration History Research Center and Archives, University of Minnesota				
History of immigrants, with a preference for the collections at the Immigration History Research Center and Archives (IHRC/A)				
Three \$100 prizes				
<b>Prize 1</b>	Daniel Jungwirth, Kumail Akram	Buffalo Middle School	Partition of India	Junior Group Performance
<b>Prize 2</b>	Erin Grube	Keewaydin Community School	Triumphant Over Tragedy: Minnesota's Somali Community	Junior Individual Documentary
<b>Prize 3</b>	Vivian Pham	DeLaSalle High School	A Journey to Freedom: The Vietnamese Boat People	Senior Individual Documentary

### Labor History

<b>Sponsors:</b> Minneapolis Labor Review, St. Paul Union Advocate, University of Minnesota Labor Education Service				
Labor history				
Eight \$100 prizes (four in the Junior Division and four in the Senior Division)				
<b>Prize 1</b>	Gabe Napierala, Charlie Power Theisen	Murray Middle School	The Hormel P-9 Strike	Junior Group Performance

<b>Prize 2</b>	Eliana Castor, Amy Watters, Brielle Sunde	Twin Oaks Middle School	Radium Girls	Junior Group Performance
<b>Prize 3</b>	Lalitha Gunturi, Jasmine Garry	Central Middle School (Eden Prairie)	The Sparks that Led to Flames of Historic Change: The Triangle Shirtwaist Fire	Junior Group Documentary
<b>Prize 4</b>	Dinkenesh Kendrick, Kayla Thammalangsy	Seward Montessori School	The Triangle Shirtwaist Factory Fire	Junior Group Documentary
<b>Prize 5</b>	Nora Zak, Charlotte Lempka	Salk Middle School	Lewis Hine: The Anonymous Lifeblood of the Child Labor Revolution	Junior Group Documentary
<b>Prize 6</b>	Jocelyn Dale, Jessica Wagner	North Lakes Academy	Extra! Extra! Street Rats Fight Back! Newsboys Triumph: New Laws for Working Children	Senior Group Exhibit
<b>Prize 7</b>	Alma Ratliff, Jakalyn Frazier	New City Charter School - East Campus	Milford Mine Disaster	Junior Group Exhibit
<b>Prize 8</b>	Olivia Berhow	Winona Middle School	Dorothy Haner: Winona's First Female Investigator	Junior Individual Exhibit

## LGBTQ History

*Sponsor: Gender and Sexuality Center for Queer and Trans Life, University of Minnesota's Steven J. Schochet Endowment for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Studies*

*LGTBQ history, with a preference for unique and intersectional topics*

*Two \$100 prizes*

<b>Junior Division</b>	Benjamin Peterson	Sanford Middle School	The Assassination of Harvey Milk	Junior Individual Documentary
<b>Senior Division</b>	Isabella Spiess	South High School	ACT UP: People Like Me	Senior Individual Performance

## Minneapolis History

*Sponsor: Linden Hills Study Group and the Hennepin History Museum*

*Events or issues related to the history of Minneapolis*

*Two \$100 prizes*

<b>Junior Division</b>	Siri Pattison	Murray Middle School	Tragedy at Home: The Dinkytown Riots of 1972	Junior Individual Documentary
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<b>Senior Division</b>	Deirdre O'Neill	Breck School	From Perpetuating Decline to Celebrating Diversity: The Midtown Exchange's Effect on Minneapolis	Senior Paper
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### Minnesota Historical Society Collections, Best Use of

<b>Sponsor:</b> Gale Family Library and the Minnesota Historical Society				
Entries utilizing primary source materials from the Minnesota Historical Society collections, with a preference for those using collections as source material and not merely for illustrative purposes				
Two \$200 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Sasha Allen	Central Middle School (Eden Prairie)	Turning the Tide: Glen Lake Sanatorium's Crusade to Conquer Tuberculosis	Junior Individual Documentary
<b>Senior Division</b>	Iris Carroll	Open World Learning Community	The Minnesota Experimental City: A Triumph of Ideas	Senior Individual Documentary

### Minnesota History

<b>Sponsor:</b> Northern Lights text book, Minnesota Historical Society				
Events or issues related to the history of Minnesota				
Two \$100 prizes				
<b>Junior Division</b>	Maximiliano Uribe	Winona Middle School	Hung on the Prairie: The Biggest Mass Hanging in US History	Junior Individual Web Site
<b>Junior Division</b>	Jakob Goelden	Twin Cities German Immersion School	Dakota War of 1862	Junior Individual Exhibit

### Minnesota History Paper Award

<b>Sponsor:</b> Minnesota History Magazine, Minnesota Historical Society				
Senior Paper on an aspect of Minnesota History				
One \$50 prize				
<b>Senior Division</b>	Deirdre O'Neill	Breck School	The Midtown Exchange's Effect on Minneapolis	Senior Paper

### Minnesota's Laws and Courts

<b>Sponsor:</b> Minnesota Supreme Court Historical Society				
Contributions of the judiciary to the state of Minnesota				
Two \$500 prizes				

<b>Prize 1</b>	Annika Culver, Greta Seppanen	Murray Middle School	Karen's Fight to Bring Sharon Home	Junior Group Documentary
<b>Prize 2</b>	Noah Sullivan	Murray Middle School	A Twist of Triumph and Tragedy in Lake Superior	Junior Individual Performance

## Quantitative History

**Sponsor:** Minnesota Population Center, University of Minnesota

Entries demonstrating use or creation of quantitative methods in developing historical arguments, including graphics, statistics, charts, etc.

One \$100 prize

<b>Prize 1</b>	Andrea Li, Naina Perumalachetty	Math and Science Academy	Birth of The First National Park	Junior Group Web Site
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## US Business History

**Sponsor:** Wells Fargo Foundation

History of business in the United States between 1852-1930

Two \$250 prizes

<b>Junior Division</b>	Henry Whelan	Central Middle School (WBL)	James J. Hill: Triumphant Tycoon	Junior Individual Performance
<b>Senior Division</b>	Abigail Peterson	North Lakes Academy	Stomaching America: Tragedies and Triumphs of "The Jungle"	Senior Individual Web Site

## Women's Suffrage, History of

**Sponsor:** MN 2020 Suffrage Centennial

History of women's suffrage in the United States

Two prizes, \$100 Junior Division, \$150 Senior Division

<b>Junior Division</b>	Abigail Sikora	Linwood Monroe Arts Plus	The Seneca Falls Convention	Junior Individual Web Site
<b>Senior Division</b>	Cat Peters	Cretin-Derham Hall High School	Susan B. Anthony: One Vote One Story	Senior Individual Performance