

American Kinesiology Association

2019 AKA NATIONAL SCHOLAR AWARD RECIPIENTS



Alyssa Smith

2019 AKA National Undergraduate Scholar Award

Recipient: Alyssa Smith, Michigan Tech University

Honorable Mention:

Grace Comerford, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis

Zoe Lambert, Iowa State University

Seraphina Provenzano, University of Michigan

Madison Weiss, University of Indianapolis



Adam Corkery

2019 AKA National Master's Scholar Award

Recipient: Adam Corkery, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Honorable Mention:

Cruz Armas, Texas A&M University-Kingsville

Thomas Bye, Michigan Tech University

Kristi Lane, College at Brockport, SUNY

Indica Sur, University of Michigan



Scott Dankel

2019 AKA National Doctoral Scholar Award

Recipient: Scott Dankel, University of Mississippi

Honorable Mention:

Jasmine Mirdamadi, Indiana University

Kelly Simonton, Louisiana State University



Scott Graupensperger

2019 AKA National Graduate Student Writing Award

Recipient: Scott Graupensperger, Pennsylvania State University

Honorable Mention:

Robert Hilliard, West Virginia University

Chanel LoJacono, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Clayton Swanson, Colorado State University

2019 AKA Undergraduate Scholar Award Recipients

Arlene Maheu, Auburn University
Andrew Hudson, California State University, Bakersfield
Dolores Ortega, California State University, Fullerton
Anahid Mazmanian, California State University, Northridge
Steven Moursalian, California State University, San Bernardino
Kinsey Pettgrew-Taa, California State University, Stanislaus
Hailey Wimmenauer, Coastal Carolina University
Allison Nave, College at Brockport, SUNY
Stephanie Yassa, Colorado State University
Hannah Sanvido, Douglas College
Ben Mardis, Drake University
J. Grayson Fellows, East Carolina University
Sydney Richards, Florida State University
Bethany Alaine Morin, Fort Lewis College
Kara Partlow, George Mason University
Lindsey Remski, Grand Valley State University
Ashley Nguyen, Indiana University
Grace Comerford, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis
Zoe Lambert, Iowa State University
Allison Cadematori, James Madison University
Aidan Murray, Kansas State University
Tricia Hart, Kent State University
Aislynn Robertson, Lewis-Clark State College
Savannah Knighton, Louisiana State University
Taylor Stahly, Louisiana Tech University
Emma Kaishian, Manhattan College
Courtney Osieja, Manhattanville College
Ryan Barnett, Menlo College
Allison Bartlett, Meredith College
Zachary Skelton, Michigan State University
Alyssa Smith, Michigan Tech University

Bradley Carter, Northern Illinois University
Matthew Watson, Ohio State University
Christina Knierim, Pacific Lutheran University
Michael Healy, Pennsylvania State University
Mikaela Skaare, Purdue University
Nathaniel Forrester, Rice University
Daniel Berkowitz, Rutgers University
Mostafa Motafa, San Francisco State University
Kauionalani Kekuawela, San Jose State University
Melissa Hamaji, Southeastern University
Aarin Feliz, Springfield College
Aaron Anderson, Texas A&M University
Chyenne Baker, Texas A&M University-Commerce
Shaley Trammell, Texas A&M University-Kingsville
Quin Kane, University of Dayton
Madison Weiss, University of Indianapolis
Juna Bouchekara, University of La Verne
Katherine Kim, University of Maryland
Patrycja Bugajska, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Seraphina Provenzano, University of Michigan
Bailey Brown, University of Mississippi
Anne Saunders, University of Tennessee Knoxville
Sara Peper, University of Texas at Arlington
Robert-Jacob Hinojosa, University of Texas at Austin
Macey Austin, University of Texas at El Paso
Racheal Gordon, University of Utah
Emma Dalton, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Kelsey Kinnamon, West Virginia University
Taylor Winkel, Western Illinois University
Elise Warne, William Penn University

2019 AKA Masters Scholar Award Recipients

Zachary Hutchison, Auburn University
Danielle Watkins, California State University at Long Beach
Joshua Carlos, California State University, Northridge
Kristi Lane, College at Brockport, SUNY
Zackary Valenti, Colorado State University
Ashley Moulder, East Carolina University
David Barney, Florida State University
Sarah Kettlety, George Mason University
Kelley Wiese, Indiana University
Barry Moore, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis
Markus Flynn, Iowa State University
Andrew Law, James Madison University
Kennedy Felice, Kansas State University
Brandon Gibson, Kent State University
Caitlin Kriesel-Bigler, Louisiana State University
Dakota Hill, Louisiana Tech University
Eric Leszczynski, Michigan State University
Thomas Bye, Michigan Tech University
Stephen Dahl, Ohio State University
Mitchell Tillman, Purdue University
Alexa Chandler, Rutgers University

Santiago Ortega, San Diego State University
Trenton Stewart, San Francisco State University
Kelsi Black, Southeastern University
Caitlin Haworth, Springfield College
Karina Wilson, Texas A&M University
Guadalupe Herrera, Texas A&M University-Commerce
Cruz Armas, Texas A&M University-Kingsville
Maureen Fisch, Texas State University
Rebekah Mathew, University of Indianapolis
Tori Thompson, University of Maryland
Christopher Moore, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Indica Sur, University of Michigan
Evi Addoh, University of Mississippi
Elvis Foli, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Hoang Van Michelle Nguyen, University of Oklahoma
Scott Cousino, University of Tennessee Knoxville
Guillermo Olvera, University of Texas at Arlington
Melissa Keller, University of Texas at Austin
Jasmin Jenkins, University of Texas at El Paso
Adam Corkery, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Billy Cedar, West Virginia University

2019 AKA Doctoral Scholar Award Recipients

Jerraco Johnson, Auburn University
Robert Musci, Colorado State University
Shawna McMillin, East Carolina University
Jasmine Mirdamadi, Indiana University
Mitchell Stephenson, Iowa State University
Brittany Hollerbach, Kansas State University
Erica Marshall, Kent State University
Kelly Simonton, Louisiana State University
Kimberley Clevenger, Michigan State University
Lydia Caldwell, Ohio State University
Jafra Thomas, Oregon State University
Kristen Koltun, Pennsylvania State University
Amanda Arnold, Purdue University
Christopher Brush, Rutgers University
Matthew Campbell, Springfield College
Alex Russell, Texas A&M University
Agostina Casamento-Moran, University of Florida
Rebecca Krupenevich, University of Maryland
Avelino Amado, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Di Lu, University of Michigan
Christiana Raymond-Pope, University of Minnesota
Scott Dankel, University of Mississippi
Melinda Smith, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Japneet Kaur, University of Oklahoma
Natalie Welch, University of Tennessee Knoxville
Ryan Rosenberry, University of Texas at Arlington
Ann-Katrin Grotle, University of Texas at Austin
Robert Hillard, West Virginia University

2019 AKA Graduate Writing Award Recipients

Marcos Dauo, Auburn University
Clayton Swanson, Colorado State University
Shane Hammer, Kansas State University
Mathew Yeomans, Louisiana State University
Amanda McGowan, Michigan State University
Kelsey Higginson, Ohio State University
Jafra Thomas, Oregon State University
Scott Graupensperger, Pennsylvania State University
Josh Liddy, Purdue University
Arden Anderson, Texas A&M University
Seoung Hoon Park, University of Florida
Sarah Burkart, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Emily Frith, University of Mississippi
Chanel LoJacono, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Joshua Carr, University of Oklahoma
Kaylee Couvillion, University of Tennessee Knoxville
Chad Fuchs, University of Texas at Arlington
Austin Duckworth, University of Texas at Austin
Brittany St. John, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Robert Hillard, West Virginia University