# **Excellence in Education Banquet**



April 30, 2018

# Influential Educators 2018

# Selected By Academicians at Naperville Central High School

DJ Alstadt - Music - Instrumental, NCHS

Richard Bain - Communication Arts, NCHS

Seth Brady - Social Science, NCHS

Jim Braun - Mathematics, Retired

Keith Carlson - Communication Arts, NCHS

Piling Chiu - Chinese, NNHS

Stacy Cunningham - Latin, NCHS

Rebecca Furlan - 4th Grade,

Bernard J. Ward Elementary

Kathleen Gasser - Spanish, NCHS

Thomas Gebbie - Mathematics, NCHS

Matthew Gerwig - Social Science, Madison Jr. High

Crystal Griffith - Science, NCHS

**Kevin Hayes** - Business Education, NCHS

David Hollander - Social Science, Kennedy Jr. High

Kathy Hurd - Science, NCHS

Jennifer Jansen - Learning Behavior Specialist, NCHS

Natasha Konrad - Learning Commons, Madison Jr. High

Jeremy Lin - Communication Arts, NCHS

Katharina Linder - IC - Social Science, NCHS

Hans Muehsler - Science, NCHS

**Brad Neubauer** - Business Education, NCHS

Megan Plackett - Learning Support Coach, NCHS

Sarah Poletto - Science, NCHS

Marissa Rakes - Mathematics, NCHS

Tom Sanoshy - Science, NCHS

Randall Smith - Social Science, NCHS

Jane Thompson - Social Science, NCHS

Margo Toth - Second Grade, Retired

Mike Ulreich - Social Science, NCHS

Mary Weber - Language Arts, NCHS

Steve Wiesbrook - Science, NCHS

# Selected By Academicians at Naperville North High School

Katherine Barr - Language Arts - PI+, Kennedy Jr. High

**Emily Bishop** - Foreign Language, NNHS

Elizabeth Brucker - Chemistry, NNHS

Piling Chiu - Chinese, NNHS

Jeff DiOrio - Dean, NNHS

Zoe Evans - Science, NNHS

Tracy Goering - Mathematics, NNHS

Kandice Henning - Director of the Alive Center

Heather Henricksen - Physical Education, NNHS

Lori Ho - Piano Teacher

Yvonne John - Science, NNHS

Edward Joyce - Latin, NNHS

Kristen Kainrath - Gifted, Meadow Glens Elementary

Jong Ho Kim - Mathematics, NNHS

Lisa Larsen - Music Teacher

Josh Louis - Principal, Steeple Run Elementary

Mitch Martin - Communication Arts, NNHS

Michael McManis - Music - Instrumental,

Kennedy Jr. High

Daniel Moore - Music - Instrumental, NNHS

Elizabeth Moore - Mathematics, NNHS

Michael O'Connor - Social Science, NNHS

Sandy Parato - Communication Arts, NNHS

Mike Pearson - Communication Arts, NNHS

Robert Platt - Social Science, NNHS

Emily Richardson - Learning Support Coach, NNHS

Otis Scarver - Campus Supervisor, NNHS

Geoffrey Schmit - Science, NNHS

Sarah Tibbott - English Learners, NNHS

# **Program**

The Excellence in Education Banquet honors the highest achieving academicians graduating from Naperville Community Unit School District 203 and some of the educators who have influenced them on their way to excellence. This program is made possible by Naperville Community Unit School District 203 and the Naperville Education Foundation. The Board of Education and the NEF Board of Trustees congratulates our honorees and their families.

#### **OPENING REMARKS**

Nancy Voise, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Education

### **INTRODUCTIONS**

Donna Wandke, Board of Education

#### STUDENT REMARKS

Yangyang Li , Class of 2018, Naperville Central High School "Questions?"

Cairo Lawrence, Class of 2018, Naperville North High School
"Are we there yet?"

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

William Wiesbrook, Principal, Naperville Central High School Stephanie Posey, Principal, Naperville North High School

# **CLOSING REMARKS**

Dan Bridges, Superintendent of Schools

# Order of Presentation

Maria Rottersman, NCHS - DJ Alstadt Angie Chen, NNHS - Katherine Barr Cassandra Heine, NCHS - Richard Bain Jack Watson, NNHS - Emily Bishop Sarah Kee, NCHS - Seth Brady Danielle Yang, NNHS - Elizabeth Brucker Sarah Zhou, NNHS - Elizabeth Brucker Hannah O'Connor, NCHS - Jim Braun Sanjana Ramrajvel, NCHS - Jim Braun Austin Chao, NNHS - Piling Chiu Phoebe Harmon, NCHS - Piling Chiu Neya Thanikachalam, NCHS - Keith Carlson Joseph Isaac, NNHS - Jeff DiOrio Neha Kaki, NCHS - Stacy Cunningham Michael Mardyla, NCHS - Stacy Cunningham Kathy Zhou, NCHS - Stacy Cunningham Sangavi Subramani, NNHS - Zoe Evans Anny Yang, NCHS - Rebecca Furlan Richard Cao, NNHS - Tracy Goering Ariana Wilde, NCHS - Kathleen Gasser Shirley Wu, NCHS - Kathleen Gasser Jessica Zhang, NCHS - Kathleen Gasser Jatin Mathur, NNHS - Kandice Henning Adam Balutowski, NCHS - Thomas Gebbie Lauren Sun, NNHS - Heather Henricksen Michael Furukawa, NCHS - Crystal Griffith Colin Jensen, NCHS - Crystal Griffith Jessica Sonner, NCHS - Crystal Griffith Lily Huang, NNHS - Lori Ho **Tanner Greenhagen, NCHS - Kevin Hayes** Ryan Ho, NCHS - Kevin Hayes Meghan Swain, NCHS - Kevin Hayes **Emily Hou, NNHS - Yvonne John** Mahika Gopalka, NCHS - David Hollander Lucy Fu, NNHS - Ed Joyce Margaret Matern, NNHS - Edward Joyce Horace Qiao, NNHS - Edward Joyce **Kevin Zhang, NNHS - Edward Joyce** Isabel Korpas, NCHS - Kathy Hurd Mia Kurkechian, NCHS - Jennifer Jansen Raina Harpalani, NCHS - Natasha Konrad Sam Welch, NCHS - Natasha Konrad Grace Kuna, NNHS - Lisa Larsen Ryan Park, NCHS - Jeremy Lin

Sarah Wastek, NNHS - Josh Louis John Biziorek, NCHS - Katharina Linder Michelle Liu, NNHS - Mitch Martin Robin Rong, NNHS - Mitch Martin Peter Davis, NCHS - Hans Muehsler **Kevin Lee, NNHS - Michael McManis** Steven Shi, NNHS - Michael McManis Danielle Barba, NCHS - Brad Neubauer Jonathan Vanderwater, NNHS - Daniel Moore Elizabeth Reimer, NCHS - Megan Plackett Howie Guo, NNHS - Elizabeth Moore Jeffrey Moore, NNHS - Elizabeth Moore Felix Zheng, NNHS - Elizabeth Moore Achudh Balaraman, NCHS - Sarah Poletto Sydney Cush, NNHS - Michael O'Connor Melissa Chen, NCHS - Marissa Rakes Dev Satpathy, NCHS - Marissa Rakes Justin Chen, NNHS - Sandy Parato Ciri Pocha, NNHS - Sandy Parato Jonathan Tao, NNHS - Sandy Parato Samuel Borton, NCHS - Randall Smith Joyce Zheng, NCHS - Randall Smith Cairo Lawrence, NNHS - Mike Pearson **Kevin Borst, NCHS - Jane Thompson** Anna Southon, NCHS - Jane Thompson Naomi Wang, NCHS - Jane Thompson Karen Hunter, NNHS - Robert Platt Caroline Lott, NCHS - Margo Toth **Emily Yang, NNHS - Emily Richardson** Yangyang Li, NCHS - Mike Ulreich Matthew Vaughn, NNHS - Otis Scarver Millie Sun, NCHS - Mary Weber Afsanneh Amleshi, NNHS - Geoffrey Schmit Christina Yu, NNHS - Geoffrey Schmit Rishi Ghorad, NCHS - Steven Wiesbrook Alex Killips, NCHS - Steven Wiesbrook Jamie Zhang, NCHS - Steven Wiesbrook Amy Chang, NNHS - Sarah Tibbott Jason Xia, NNHS - Kristen Kainrath Kathryn Jin, NNHS - Jong Ho Kim

# Naperville Central High School



# **Outstanding Academicians 2018**

#### Achudh Balarama

Major: Biomedical Engineering

School: Duke University
Educator: Sarah Poletto

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Eagle Scout, National AP

Scholar



#### **Kevin Borst**

Major: Computer Science
School: Stanford University
Educator: Jane Thompson

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National Merit Commended Student, Tri-M Music Honors Society



#### Adam Balutowski

Major: Biochemistry and Math
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

Educator: Thomas Gebbie

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, Red and White Award Recipient for Cross Country



# **Samuel Borton**

Major: Economics

**School:** Purdue University or

Southern Methodist

University

Educator: Randall Smith

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Distinguished Redhawk



# **Danielle Barba**

Major: Pre-Law

School: University of Denver

Educator: Brad Neubauer

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National Hispanic Recognition Program, National Hispanic Scholar,

Spanish Honor Society, National Merit Commended Student



# **Melissa Chen**

Major: Computer Science
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

Educator: Marissa Rakes

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, 2017 National Council of

Teachers of English Achievement Award for Superior Writing, 2017 President's Volunteer Service Award (Silver), National AP Scholar



Major: Neuroscience

School: Washington University in

St. Louis

Educator: Katharina Linder

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, AP Scholar with Distinction, Spanish Honor Society, National Merit Commended Scholar



### **Peter Davis**

Major Mechanical Engineering
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Hans Muehsler

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, French Honor Society, Eagle Scout





#### Michael Furukawa

Major: Materials Science and

Engineering

School: Northwestern University

**Educator: Crystal Griffith** 

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, AP Scholar with Distinction,

National Merit Commended Scholar, Spanish Honor Society, Math Honor Society



#### **Alexander Guo**

Major: **Computer Science** School: Georgia Tech **Educator:** Matthew Gerwig



# Rishi Ghorad

Major: Chemical Engineering School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Steve Wiesbrook

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, Spanish

Honor Society, Scholastic Art Award-Silver Key, National Merit Commendation



# **Phoebe Harmon**

Major: **Economics and East Asian** 

Studies

School: Cornell University or NYU

Shanghai

Piling Chiu **Educator:** 

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, National Chinese Honor Society, AP Scholar, Science Olympiad State Medalist



Major: Medicine & Humanities School: Northwestern University

or University of Illinois at

**Educator:** 

Society, Perfect ACT Score, National AP Scholar, Spanish Honor Society



# Raina Harpalani

Major: Childhood Development

or Neuroscience

School: Vanderbilt University or

> The University of Pittsburgh

**Educator:** Natasha Konrad

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, All-American Athlete, Spanish Honor Society

# **Tanner Greenhagen**

Major: **Computer Science** 

School: Arizona State University

or University of Wisconsin

- Madison

**Educator: Kevin Hayes** 

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, Math Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society





### **Cassandra Heine**

Operations Research & Major:

Engineering

**Cornell University** School:

**Educator:** Richard Bain

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National AP Scholar, French

**Honor Society** 





Ryan Ho

Major: Undecided

**School:** University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign or

**Cornell University** 

**Educator:** Kevin Hayes

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, President's Service Award, AP Scholar with Distinction



### Sarah Kee

Major: Biology

**School:** Case Western Reserve

University

**Educator:** Seth Brady

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Illinois Global Scholar Certificate

Recipient, AP Scholar with Distinction, Chinese Honor Society,

Mu Alpha Theta



Major: Electrical Engineering
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Tom Sanoshy

Illinois State Scholar



# **Alex Killips**

Major: Materials Science and

Engineering

**School:** Columbia University in the

City of New York

**Educator:** Steven Wiesbrook Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society



### **Colin Jensen**

Major: Nuclear Engineering and

Biochemistry

**School:** University of California,

Berkeley or University of

Wisconsin—Madison

**Educator:** Crystal Griffith

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National AP Scholar, Spanish Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta



# **Isabel Korpas**

Major: Chemistry
School: Undecided
Educator: Kathy Hurd

Illinois State Scholar, National AP Scholar,

National Merit Commended Scholar



#### Neha Kaki

Major: Computer Science
School: University of Illinois a

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign or

Carnegie Mellon

University

**Educator:** Stacy Cunningham

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Latin Honor Society, AP Scholar with Distinction



# Mia Kurkechian

Major: Special Education
School: Calvin College
Educator: Jennifer Jansen

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect

ACT Score, Red and White Award





# Yangyang Li

Major: Neuroscience and

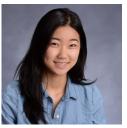
**Economics** 

School: Dartmouth College

Educator: Mike Ulreich

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect

ACT Score, National AP Scholar



# **Ryan Park**

Major: Communication
School: Stanford University

Educator: Jeremy Lin

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, National Scholastic Art Competition Gold Medalist,

Illinois High School Association Speech State Champion



### **Caroline Lott**

Major: Psychology School: Undecided Educator: Margo Toth

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Spanish

**Honor Society** 



# Sanjana Ramrajvel

Major: Applied Mathematics School: Harvard University

Educator: Jim Braun

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, National AP Scholar, USA

Physics Olympiad Honorable Mention Winner, Mu Alpha Theta,

Daily Herald Leadership Team

# Michael Mardyla

Major: Computer Science +

Mathematics

**School:** University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Stacy Cunningham Illinois State Scholar, National Latin

Exam Summa Cum Laude, Latin Seal of Biliteracy



# **Elizabeth Reimer**

Major: Undecided
School: Undecided
Educator: Megan Plackett

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect

ACT Score



# **Hannah O'Connor**

Major: Neuroscience

**School:** Washington and Lee

University

Educator: Jim Braun

National Honor Society, French National

**Honor Society** 



#### **Maria Rottersman**

Major: Pre-Sciences

School: University of Washington

**Educator:** DJ Alstadt National Honor Society





# **Dev Satpathy**

Major: Computer Science and

Neuroscience

**School:** Duke University or the

University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Marissa Rakes

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National AP Scholar, President's Volunteer Service Award, Prudential Spirit of Community Certificate of Excellence

# **Jessica Sonner**

Major: Biological or Biomedical

Engineering

**School:** Massachusetts Institute

of Technology or Washington University

in St. Louis

Educator: Crystal Griffith

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Math Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, AP Scholar with Distinction

# **Anna Southon**

Major: Political Science or

Integrated Health

Sciences

**School:** University of Michigan

or University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Jane Thompson

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Illinois State Seal of Biliteracy

# Millie Sun

Major: Neuroscience/ Cognitive

Science

**School:** Case Western Reserve

University

Educator: Mary Weber

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, Scholastic Art Competition Silver Keys and Honorable

Mentions, Mu Alpha Theta, AP Scholar

# **Meghan Swain**

Major: Computer Science
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Kevin Hayes

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National Hispanic Recognition

Program



# Neya Thanikachalam

Major: Journalism

**School:** Northwestern University

Educator: Keith Carlson

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar



# **Naomi Wang**

Major: Undecided

**School:** Cornell University **Educator:** Jane Thompson

Illinois State Scholar



# Sam Welch

Major: Computer Engineering
School: Vanderbilt University
Educator: Natasha Konrad

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, Chicago Fire

Academic All-State First Team





### **Ariana Wilde**

Major: Secondary Education—

**Social Studies** 

School: Indiana University
Educator: Kathleen Gasser

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, AP Scholar with Distinction



Jessica Zhang

Major: Business

School: University of Michigan

**Educator:** Kathleen Gasser Illinois State Scholar, AP Scholar with

Distinction, Honors Music Society



# **Shirley Wu**

Major: Biology

School: Rice Univeristy or Johns

**Hopkins University** 

Educator: Kathleen Gasser

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect

**ACT Score** 



# Joyce Zheng

Major: Statistics

School: University of California,

Berkeley

Educator: Randall Smith

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, AP Scholar with Distinction,

National Chinese Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta



# **Anny Yang**

Major: Biological Sciences

**School:** Northwestern University

Educator: Rebecca Furlan

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, French Honor Society, Mu

Alpha Theta, National Merit

Commended, AP Scholar with Distinction



# **Kathy Zhou**

Major: Computer Science

**School:** University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Stacy Cunningham Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, AP Scholar with Distinction, Latin

**Honor Society** 



### Jamie Zhang

Major: Biomedical Engineering
School: Columbia University
Educator: Steven Wiesbrook
National Merit Finalist, Illinois State
Scholar, National Honor Society,

Perfect ACT Score



# Naperville North High School



# **Outstanding Academicians 2018**

# **Afsanneh Amleshi**

Major: Biomedical/Molecular

Engineering; Physics

School: Northwestern

University or University

of Chicago

**Geoffrey Schmit** Educator:

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National Hispanic Recognition Program, National Merit Commended Scholar, National Hispanic Scholar, AP Scholar with Honor



Finance

Educator: **Tracy Goering** Illinois State Scholar, National



# **Angie Chen**

Major: **Computer Science** 

School: Rice University or University

of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Katherine Barr

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar, Congressional Award Bronze Medal



Major:

School: **Indiana University** Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score



# **Justin Chen**

Major: Chemistry/Pre-Med School: University of Chicago

**Educator:** Sandy Parato

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

**Biological Sciences** 

Michael O'Connor

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

University of Chicago or

University of Pennsylvania

Scholar

Major:

School:

**Educator:** 

Society

**Lucy Fu** 

**Sydney Cush** 



# **Amy Chang**

Major: Neuroscience

(Pre-Dentistry)

University of Illinois at School:

Chicago

Educator: Sarah Tibbott

Illinois State Scholar, National

Honor Society, AP Scholar with Honor, National Merit Commended Scholar



Major: Cognitive Science School: **Dartmouth College** 

**Educator:** Ed Joyce

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar



# **Austin Chao**

Major: Undecided School: Undecided Educator: Piling Chiu

Illinois State Scholar, Bronze and Silver

Presidential Volunteer Service Awards, Foreign Language Award,

Silver Test Tube Award







#### **Howie Guo**

Major: Undecided

**School:** Harvard University or Yale

University

**Educator:** Elizabeth Moore National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, Perfect ACT Score, DECA

Internationals Finalist, Soccer State Champ



# Joseph Isaac

Major: Computer Science

School: Undecided Educator: Jeff DiOrio

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National AP Scholar



# **Emily Hou**

Major: Accounting or Finance School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Yvonne John

Illinois State Scholar, National AP

Scholar, Seal of Biliteracy in Chinese and

French



# **Kathryn Jin**

Major: Biological Engineering
School: Massachusetts Institute of

Technology or Princeton

University

**Educator:** Jong Ho Kim

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, USA Biology Olympiad Recognition of Academic Excellence, National Latin Examination Gold Medal Summa Cum Laude, Harvard Book Award



Major: Biochemistry

**School:** University of Southern

California or Carnegie Mellon University

Educator: Lori Ho

Illinois State Scholar, President's

Volunteer Service Award, AP Scholar with distinction



# **Grace Kuna**

Major: Public Health
School: Undecided
Educator: Lisa Larsen

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, National Merit Commended Scholar, AP Scholar with Distinction, Alive

Center Mentor of the Year



### **Karen Hunter**

Major: International Affairs School: George Washington

University

**Educator:** Robert Platt

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society



#### **Cairo Lawrence**

Major: Public Policy

School: University of Southern

California

**Educator:** Mike Pearson

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Daily Herald Leadership Team

Winner, National Merit Commended Scholar, Communication

Arts Award, French Language Award





# **Kevin Lee**

Major: Electrical Engineering
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Michael McManis

Illinois State Scholar, Perfect ACT Score



# Jatin Mathur

Major: Computer Science

School: University of Michigan at
Ann Arbor or University of

Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Kandice Henning National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar, National Honor Society, State Math Champion, WYSE State Champion, Alive Center Teen Volunteer of the Year



Major: School: Educator:



# **Jeffrey Moore**

Major: Mechanical Engineering School: University of Nebraska

**Educator:** Elizabeth Moore National Merit Finalist. Illinois State

Scholar



### Michelle Liu

Major: Economics

**School:** Vanderbilt University

Educator: Mitch Martin

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, AP Scholar with Distinction, IHSA Competitive Dance Top Ten State

Finalist, French Honor Society



#### Ciri Pocha

Major: Nueroscience

School: Saint Louis University

**Educator:** Sandy Parato

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society



# **Margaret Matern**

Major: Biology
School: Undecided
Educator: Edward Joyce

Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, AP Scholar with Honor,

National Latin Exam Summa Cum Laude



# **Horace Qiao**

Major: Ancient History
School: Brown University
Educator: Edward Joyce

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National AP Scholar, National

Latin Exam Maxima Cum Laude





# **Robin Rong**

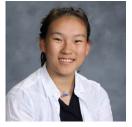
Major: Undecided

School: University of Michigan

Mitch Martin Educator:

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar



# Jonathan Tao

Major: **Computer Science** 

School: Undecided Educator: Sandy Parato

Illinois State Scholar



### Steven Shi

Major: **Economics** 

School: University of Chicago **Educator:** Michael McManis National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, Perfect ACT Score, State Math

**Team Champion** 



# Jonathan Vanderwater

Major: **Computer Science** School: University of Alabama

**Daniel Moore Educator:** 

Perfect ACT Score, Marching Huskies **Outstanding Leadership Award** 



# **Alice Song**

7-Year BS/DDS program Major:

School: University of

**Detroit Mercy** 

**Educator:** Sandy Parato

Illinois State Scholar, AP Scholar with

Distinction



# **Matthew Vaughn**

Major: Chemical Engineering and

**Economics** 

School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign or

Dartmouth

**Educator:** Otis Scarver III

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, Perfect ACT Score



School: **Purdue University** 

Educator: Zoe Evans

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, AP

Scholar



# **Sarah Wastek**

Major: Neuroscience

School: Arizona State University

Educator: Josh Louis

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, Outstanding Advertising & Marketing Student, German Student of

the Year, National German Exam Silver and Gold Award,

All-State Track and Field



# **Lauren Sun**

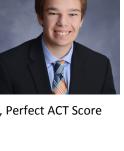
Major: Biochemistry/Pre-Med School: Case Western Reserve

University

Educator: Heather Henricksen Illinois State Scholar, Perfect ACT Score, National Merit Commended

Scholar









#### **Jack Watson**

Major: Aerospace Engineering School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Emily Bishop Illinois State Scholar



### **Christina Yu**

Major: Mechanical Engineering
School: Purdue University or

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Geoffrey Schmit National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society



### **Jason Xia**

Major: Computer Science
School: University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Kristen Kainrath National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, USA Physics Olympiad Silver

Medalist, ICTM Math Contest State Champion, Science Bowl State Champion



# **Kevin Zhang**

Major: Undecided
School: Undecided
Educator: Edward Joyce

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar



# **Danielle Yang**

Major: Computer Science School: Carnegie Mellon

University

**Educator:** Elizabeth Brucker National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society,

Spanish Honor Society, Silver Test Tube Award



# **Felix Zheng**

Major: Computer Science

School: Undecided
Educator: Elizabeth Moore

National Merit Finalist, Illinois State Scholar, National Honor Society, Perfect ACT Score, AP Scholar with Distinction,

Ted Brattin Civic Youth Award, General Billy Mitchell Award, Staff Sergeant Michael H. Simpson Legacy Award



Major: Computer Science
School: Cornell University
Educator: Emily Richardson
National Merit Finalist, Illinois State

Scholar



# Sarah Zhou

Major: Statistics + Computer

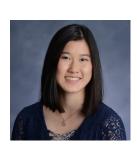
Science

**School:** University of Illinois at

Urbana-Champaign

**Educator:** Elizabeth Brucker Illinois State Scholar, National Honor

Society, National Merit Commended Scholar



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