# 2025 Connecticut Science & Engineering Fair 77th Year

Total Value of Awards \$1,110,058.17

**Total Number of** Sponsors = 90

# Awards Sponsors Summary

### Alexion Biotechnology Awards

### Award Value \$8300

Awards HS - 1st Place - \$300 Cash & ISEF Trip, 2nd - \$200 Cash; 3rd -\$100 Cash; 4th and; 5th plaques MS 8th - 1st Place - \$200 trophy; 2nd - \$150 trophy; 3rd - \$100 trophy; 4th trophy, 5th trophy MS 7th - 1st Place - \$200 trophy; 2nd - \$150 trophy; 3rd - \$100 trophy; 4th trophy, 5th trophy

Finalists- CSEF Medallions

Criteria: For top projects in biotechnology. Individual and Team Projects are eligible.

### **Alumni Botany Awards**

### Award Value \$200

Awards For excellence in botany, middle school, \$100 Cash

For excellence in botany, high school, \$100 Cash Criteria: For projects in botany, individual or team

### American Institute of Aeronautics & Astronautics - Connecticut Section

### Award Value \$420

Awards \$200 award, framed certificate

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Criteria: Outstanding project related to Aeronautics or Astronautics.

### American Psychological Association

### Award Value \$75

Awards 3 Certificates, 3 - \$25 gift cards given by CSEF

Criteria: research in psychology under the category of behavioral and social sciences

## American Society of Safety Professionals, CT Valley Chapter

# Award Value \$1050

Awards \$150 grade 7-8 project, ASSP Safety Award

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which good safety practices are used.

### **Aquarion Water Company**

# Award Value \$1200

Awards 1st. Grade 9-12-\$300.00 Cash

2nd. Grade 9-12 -\$250.00 Cash 3rd Grade 9-12 - \$200.00 Cash 1st. Grade 7-8 - \$200.00 Cash 2nd. Grade 7-8 - \$150.00 Cash

3rd Grade 7-8 - \$100.00 Cash Criteria: Excellence in water quality, water conservation or environmental management / analysis

# Arthur & Ruth Mensing Awards

# Award Value \$500

Awards For excellence in High School physical sciences, \$500 cash

Criteria: For work by promising high school students in the area of physical sciences

# Association for Women Geoscientists

# Award Value \$75

Awards 3 Certificates & 3 -\$25 gift cards given by CSEF

Criteria: Females only

geosciences - sensitivity to earth as a global system

### Astronomical Society of Greater Hartford - The Charles Hammond Award for Excellence in Astronomy

Award Value \$470

**Awards** Senior Project-\$150, subscription to Sky and Telescope, ASGH membership and meeting invite Junior Project-\$150, subscription to Sky and Telescope, ASGH membership and meeting invite or if no acceptable MS project, two first place senior awards (both at \$150 ea) will be awarded Criteria: The Charles Hammond Award for Excellence in Astronomy project

### **Banning Family Life Science Award**

Award Value \$100

Awards For excellence in invasive species research, \$100 cash

Criteria: For research related to invasive species. Either middle or high school

### **Biophysical Society**

Award Value \$100

Awards Biophysics Award- \$100, certificate and recognition in Biophysical Society's publications

Criteria: For the best biophysics-related project by a high school

### **Bushnell Center for Performing Arts**

Award Value \$250

Awards Pair of Tickets to upcoming show - for top project involving technology and lights for Arts Applications, if

Pair of Tickets to upcoming show - for top project that is behavioral or social sciences related

Criteria: Pair of Tickets for top project that is performance and/or music-related; Pair of

Tickets for top project that is behavioral or social sciences related

### Christopher T. Borowiec Excellence in Innovation Awards

Award Value \$200

Awards \$100 Cash for Excellence in Planetary Science

\$100 Cash for Excellence in Innovation with emphasis in Artificial Intelligence

Criteria: Prizes are geared towards innovation in Planetary Sciences and Artificial Intelligence

### Connecticut Academy of Audiology Awards

Award Value \$400

Awards \$200 Award MS- For Excellence in Audiology and Acoustics, opport, to shadow an audiologist

\$200 Award HS- For Excellence in Audiology and Acoustics, opport. to shadow an audiologist

Criteria: For excellence in research in the fields of audiology and acoustics

### Connecticut Academy of Science and Engineering Middle School Urban School Challenge Award

Award Value \$1000

Awards \$250 Cash Award and Invitation to attend CASE's Annual Mtg- 1st Place MS USC

\$500 to 1st Place MS Urban School Challenge Science Department for Equipment/Supplies

Criteria: Award given first place winners in High School Life, Physical Sciences, and Urban School Challenge

individual category.

# Connecticut Association of Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commissions Environmental Sciences Awards

Award Value \$1800

Awards 1st HS-\$300, Plaque & Stipend to Compete at GENIUS Olympiad

2nd HS- \$200, Plaque 3rd HS- \$100, Plaque 1st MS- \$200, Trophy

2nd MS- \$150, Trophy 3rd MS-\$100, Trophy

Criteria: For projects in environmental science and observational behavioral studies of animals in the

# **Connecticut Association of Physics Teachers**

Award Value \$100

Awards \$100 Senior project

Criteria: Best display of a physics concept used in a physics class.

### Connecticut College-Physics, Astronomy, & Geophysics Dept.

Award Value \$200

Awards Senior Award: Certificate, \$100 Cash Junior Award: Certificate, \$100 Cash

Criteria: Awarded to an outstanding project in physics, astronomy, or geosciences for a junior and a senior

award. Winning projects should be focused on science, rather than on engineering.

# **Connecticut Invention Convention "Next Step Inventors"**

Award Value \$300

Awards Next Step Inventor Trophy & Invitation to compete at the 2025 Invention Convention, May 3
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Criteria: For students with the intent to patent the innovative elements of their project

### Connecticut Science Fair Association Life Science Awards with The Jackson Laboratory

Award Value \$7200

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 HS Ind.- 1st Place- \$300 , Plaque; 2nd- \$200 , Plaque; 3rd -\$100; 4th, 5th - Plaques

 HS Team- 1st Place- \$300, Plaque; 2nd -\$200, Plaque

 MS 8th Grade- 1st Place- \$200, trophy, 2nd- \$150, trophy, 3rd- \$100 trophy, 4th, 5th- trophies

MS 7th Grade- 1st Place-\$200, trophy; 2nd-\$150, trophy; 3rd-\$100, trophy, 4th, 5th-trophies MS Team - 1st Place-\$200 each, trophy; 2nd \$150 each, trophy; 3rd trophy

Finalists- Medallions

Criteria: For top projects in the Life Sciences regular awards program

### **Connecticut Science Fair Association Mathematics Awards**

Award Value \$2800

Awards First Place High School--\$300, Plaque

Second Place High School- \$200, Plaque, Third Place HS \$100, Plaque

First Place Middle School- \$200, Trophy Second Place Middle School- \$200, 1rophy Second Place Middle School- \$150, Trophy Third Place MS- \$100, Trophy Finalists- Medallion

Criteria: For middle school and high school projects demonstrating excellence in mathematics

# Connecticut Science Fair Association Physical Science Awards with CMS Dorothy Minervino

Award Value \$7200

Awards HS Ind.- 1st Place- \$300 Cash, Plaque; 2nd- \$200 Cash, Plaque; 3rd -\$100 Cash, Plaque; 4th, 5th - Plaques

HS Team- 1st Place-\$300 Cash, Flaque, 2nd -\$200 Cash, Plaque; 3rd Place-Plaque
MS 8th Grade- 1st Place-\$200 Cash, trophy, 2nd-\$150 Cash, trophy, 3rd-\$100 Cash, trophy
MS 7th Grade- 1st Place-\$200 Cash, trophy; 2nd-\$150 Cash, trophy; 3rd-\$100 Cash, trophy
MS Team- 1st Place-\$200 Cash, trophy; 2nd-\$150 Cash, trophy; 3rd-\$100 Cash, trophy

Finalists- Medallions

Criteria: Cash Awards to Top Placing Projects in the fair's regular awards program- Physical Sciences

# **Connecticut Science Supervisors Association**

Award Value \$250

Awards \$125 for a middle school project

125 for a high school project

Criteria: In recognition of a high quality middle or high school science project.

### Connecticut Science Teachers Association's Marty Tafel Student Research Award

Award Value \$1000

Awards \$500 and invite to CSTA Awd Banquet to 1st Place 8th Grade Life Sciences- Ind. Category

\$500 and invite to CSTA Awd Banquet to 1st Place 8th Grade Physical Sciences- Ind. Category

Criteria: First place winners of the eighth grade life and physical science regular award categories- individual

# Constellation Energy

Award Value \$400

1st: \$150.00 Cash - Grade 9 - 12: For Excellence in clean renewable / sustainable energy 2nd: \$100.00 Cash - Grade 9 - 12: For Excellence in clean renewable / sustainable energy 1st: \$100.00 Cash - Grade 7 - 8: For Excellence in clean renewable / sustainable energy 2nd: \$50.00 Cash - Grade 7 - 8: For Excellence in clean renewable / sustainable energy Criteria: For Excellence in clean renewable / sustainable energy

# **CSEF Board of Directors Award**

Award Value \$200

Awards \$200 given by CSEF

Criteria: For creative project work

### CT Architecture Foundation - The William M. Mack, AIA Awards

Award Value \$500

Awards \$250 Gift certificate to Amazon from the Connecticut Architecture Foundation, William M. Mack, AIA Award \$250 Gift certificate to Amazon from the Connecticut Architecture Foundation, William M. Mack, AIA Award

Criteria: One award is being offered for Innovation in Building Performance and the other award is being offered for Innovation in Building Sustainability. Both awards should have the title from the Connecticut Architecture Foundation.

### Demos R Us Awards

Award Value \$350

Awards \$150 Cash Award 7th Grade Physical Sciences

\$200 Cash Award- Clear Execution of Research- 8th Grade Criteria: For sound thinking and clear execution of research

### **Dreams Unlimited Award**

Award Value \$150

Awards \$150 cash award + certificate

Criteria: For a unique project in the physical or life science categories.

### Electric Boat Management Association Science and Engineering Research Awards

Award Value \$200

Awards Top Prize in Nuclear Energy - \$100 Cash for top project that has innovative nuclear applications

Top Prize in Nautical Research - \$100 Cash for top project that has innovative nautical applications Criteria: Top project regarding nuclear or nautical research

### EnergizeCT Alternative & Renewable Energy Awards

Award Value \$1900

Awards HS - 1st Place- \$300 Cash, Plaque HS - 2nd- \$200 Cash, Plaque HS - 3rd -\$100 Cash, Plaque

HS - All Finalists Medals

MS - 1st Place- \$200 Cash, Trophy; 2nd- \$150 Cash, Trophy, 3rd- \$100 Cash, Trophy

MS - All, Finalists Medallion

Criteria: Projects that demonstrate a practical solution to the global energy shortage. Projects shall be judged on the creative application of the development or use use of alternative/renewable energy sources

### **EnergizeCT Future Sustainability Awards**

Award Value \$10000

Awards HS - 1st Place- \$300 Cash, Plaque & \$700 Stipend to Compete at GENIUS Olympiad

HS - 2nd- Place \$200 Cash, Plaque

HS - 3rd -\$100 Cash, Plaque

MS - 1st Place-\$200 Cash, trophy, 2nd-\$150 Cash, trophy; 3rd-\$100 Cash, trophy

HS - All Finalists- Medallions MS - Finalists- Medallions

Criteria: For high school energy, engineering, and environmental projects addressing future sustainability of

our planet.

### EnergizeCT Technical High School Science & Technology Awards

Award Value \$600

Awards 1st Place- Technical High School, \$300, Plaque & Stipend to Compete at GENIUS Olympiad

2nd PlaceTechnical High School, \$200, Plaque 3rd Place-Technical High School, \$100, Plaque

Criteria: For Technological Excellent for a Technical High School Project For Science Research Excellent for a Technical High School Project

# Freeman Family Excellence in Chemistry Awards

Award Value \$300

For Excellence in Chemistry or Chemical Engineering by a High School student, \$200 cash For Excellence in Chemistry or Chemical Engineering by a Middle School student, \$100 cash **Criteria:** For Excellence in Chemistry or Chemical Engineering

#### Award Value \$4200

Awards GENIUS Olympiad Competition for 1st Place Technical High School \$700 stipend

GENIUS Olympiad Competition for 1st Place HS Environmental Project \$700 stipend

GENIUS Olympiad Competition for 1st Place HS Future Sustainability \$700 stipend GENIUS Olympiad Competition for HS Environmental, Energy, Ecology, or Biodiversity Project \$700 stipend GENIUS Olympiad Competition for HS Environmental, Energy, Ecology, or Biodiversity Project \$700 stipend GENIUS Olympiad Competition for HS Environmental, Energy, Ecology, or Biodiversity Project \$700 stipend GENIUS Olympiad Competition for Highest Placing USC 8th grade Project \$700 stipend (#410) Criteria: For finalist level high school projects in Ecology and Biodiversity, Environmental Quality, Resources

and Energy, Human Ecology

### Geology/Historic Project of Merit Award

### Award Value \$200

Awards \$200 - Earth Science - HS or MS Field work with Geologic or historic value

OR if the projects warrant

\$100 - Earth Science - MS Field work with Geologic or historic value \$100 - Earth Science - HS Field work with Geologic or historic value

Criteria: Earth Science - Field work with Geologic or historic value.

### H. Joseph Gerber Award of Excellence presented by the Connecticut Academy of Science and Engineering

### Award Value \$6000

Awards \$1,000, Silver Medal of Excellence and Invitation to CASE's Annual Mtg- 1st HS Life Sciences

\$1,000, Silver Medal of Excellence and Invitation to CASE's Annual Mtg- 1st HS Phys. Sci. \$1,000, (split between team members) Invitation to CASE's Annual Mtg-1st HS USC

\$500 to 1st HS Urban School Challenge Science Department for Equipment/Supplies \$500 to 1st HS Physical Science School- Department for Equipment/Supplies

\$500 to 1st HS Life Sciences School- Department for Equipment/Supplies

Criteria: Award given first place winners in High School Life, Physical Sciences, and Urban School Challenge

individual category.

#### **Henderson Award**

### Award Value \$25

Certificate and \$25 Gift Card given by CSF

Criteria: Project that the committee enjoyed the most.

# IEEE William R. Wessman Awards

# Award Value \$1000

Awards \$250 Honors Award -Senior

\$250 Honors Award -Junior

(5) - \$100 Honorable Mention

Criteria: Excellence in any area within IEEE disciplines.

# **Infosys Foundation Computer Science Awards**

### Award Value \$1050

Awards First Place Senior High, \$300, Plaque

Second Place Senior High \$200, Plaque, Third Place Senior High \$100, Plaque

First Place Middle School, \$200, Trophy Second Place Middle School, \$150, Trophy Third Place Middle School, \$100, Trophy Finalists - Medallion

Criteria: Excellence in Computer Science

# Institute of Food Technologists, Nutmeg Section

# Award Value \$410

Awards 1st Place-Excellence in food science: \$150 award + invitation to Awards Night Dinner with one guest (2

2nd Place-Excellence in food science: \$100 award + invitation to Awards Night Dinner with one guest (2 3rd Place-Excellence in food science: \$50 award + invitation to Awards Night Dinner with one guest (2

Criteria: Food Science or Nutrition

# ISA - International Society for Automation - Ct. Valley Section

# Award Value \$250

Awards 1st - \$125 award

2nd - \$75 award 3rd - \$50 award

Criteria: Outstanding projects in the field of instrumentation

### J.A. Augustine and H. Glista Awards

Award Value \$300

Awards \$100 for excellence in Life Sciences

\$100 for excellence in Physical Sciences \$100 H. Glista Award for Physical Sciences

Criteria: Outstanding project in Life and Physical Sciences.

### Jon Chapitis Memorial Award

Award Value \$300

Awards Jon Chapitis Spirit of Innovation Award - HS \$200

Jon Chapitis Spirit of Innovation Award - MS \$100 Criteria: For original thinking and creativity

### Jon Stone Memorial Award

Award Value \$200

Awards \$100 cash for Innovative Engineering

\$100 cash for Innovative Engineering Criteria: For innovative engineering

# **Kiev Family Awards**

Award Value \$1000

Awards 1st place - \$250 - For Excellence in Engineering High School 2nd place - \$150 - For Excellence in Engineering High School 3rd place - \$100 - For Excellence in Engineering High School 1st place - \$250 - For Excellence in Engineering Middle School 2nd place - \$150 - For Excellence in Engineering Middle School 3rd place - \$100 - For Excellence in Engineering Middle School

**Criteria:** Innovation and creativity in Engineering

### Lemelson Early Inventor Award

Award Value \$100

Awards Certificate & \$100 cash award from Lemelson Foundation

Criteria: Early inventor award for Grade 7 or 8 student

### Lunch with a Patent Attorney

Award Value \$200

Awards Lunch with a Patent Attorney

Criteria: For a highly innovative project

### Maplesoft Awards for Applied Mathematics and Modeling

Award Value \$500

Awards For Excellence in Mathematics- Maple software, gift packs, & T-shirt

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Criteria: For Excellence in mathematics and Modeling

### MIT Club of Hartford K-12 Initiative

Awards For excellence in science & technology of energy related research, middle school, \$100 cash award

Criteria: For excellence in science & technology of research related to energy sciences and technology

# MTU Aero Engines North America, Inc.

Award Value \$500

Awards Mechanical Engineering Innovative Concept Award - \$250

Mechanical Engineering Applied Principles Award - \$250

Criteria: Mechanical Engineering for Innovative Concept or Applied Principles

### NASA EARTH System Science Award

**Award Value** 

Awards 3 Certificates & 3 - \$25 gift cards given by CSEF

Criteria: For Earth System Science Research in areas of Atmospheric Science (Air), Climate Science,

Environmental Effects on Ecosystems, Geosciences, Water Science or Other.

## National Center for Inquiry Learning

Award Value \$200

Awards Daniel & Maggie Award for Imagination - MS \$100

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**Criteria:** Imagination

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Award Value \$75

Awards Certificate and \$25 gift card given by CSEF Certificate and \$25 gift card given by CSEF Certificate and \$25 gift card given by CSEF

Criteria: prediction of changes in Earth's environment and conserve and manage coastal and marine resources

### **NYUC Pony Club Equine or Animal Science Award**

### Award Value \$200

Awards \$100 Cash Award for excellence in equine studies (sometimes only one award - 2022)

\$100 Cash Award for excellence in equine studies Criteria: For projects related to equine studies.

# Office of Naval Research- U.S. Navy / U.S. Marine Corps

#### Award Value \$550

Awards 4 - High School-- Medallion, Certificate & \$75.00 Gift Card by ONR

3 - Middle School-- Medallion, Certificate + \$25 gift card given by CSEF

Criteria: For excellence in science & engineering- High School Awards limited to United States citizens or permanent residents of U.S. Awards are for Individual Projects in 2019.

### Otero Family Award

### Award Value \$250

Awards The Otero Family Award: \$250 cash

Criteria: Engineering fundamentals applied to biology problems - biotechnology/bioengineering

### Pepsico Engineering Awards

# Award Value \$4000

Awards HS - 1st Place- \$300 & trip to ISEF, 2nd- \$200; 3rd -\$100; - with plaques

MS - 1st Place- \$200 trophy; 2nd- \$150 trophy; 3rd- \$100 trophy

Finalists- CSEF Medallions

Criteria: For projects of excellence in the disciplines of electrical, mechanical, electro-optical, and optical

engineering

# Petit Family Foundation Women in Science & Engineering Awards

### Award Value \$1050

Awards Middle School: 1st \$200, 2nd \$150, 3rd \$100 + trophy for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd High School: 1st \$300, 2nd \$200, 3rd \$100 + plaque for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd High School Finalist - Medallion

Middle School Finalist - Medallion Criteria: Women in Science and Engineering Awards - Middle School and High School

Outstanding achievement in science and engineering

# Pfizer Computational Biology and Bioinformatics Awards

# Award Value \$1050

Awards High School: 1st \$300, 2nd \$200, 3rd \$100 with plaques

Middle School: 1st \$200, 2nd \$150, 3rd \$100 with trophies

High School Finalists - medallion Middle School Finalists - medallion

Criteria: Excellence in Computational Biology and Bioinformatiocs

# **Project Oceanology**

# Award Value \$1095

Awards Individual - 1 Marine Science Research Experience Camp Spot + T-Shirt & cap (swag), First Place 8, 9, 10

Criteria: Preferably a marine science topic, Could be watershed or environmental science related.

# **Quinnipiac University Scholarships**

# Award Value \$120000

\$30,000, 4 year scholarship (\$7500 per year) to Quinnipiac U. - MS Student in Computing \$30,000, 4 year scholarship (\$7500 per year) to Quinnipiac U. - HS Student in Computing \$30,000, 4 year scholarship (\$7500 per year) to Quinnipiac U. - MS Student in Engineering \$30,000, 4 year scholarship (\$7500 per year) to Quinnipiac U. - HS Student in Engineering Critoria. For availance in the science with demonstrated high potential

Criteria: For excellence in the sciences with demonstrated high potential

### Regeneron Biomedical Science Award

#### Award Value \$375

Awards 2024 Regeneron Biomedical Science Award - \$375.00.00 & Certificate

Criteria: HS student conducting research in select fields of biomedical science & research: Biochemistry, Biomedical & Molecular Biology, Cellular & Molecular Biology, Computational Biology & Bioinformatics,

Microbiolgy, Translational Medical Science

### **Ricoh Americas Corporation**

#### Award Value \$75

**Awards** Certificate and \$25 gift card to Amazon given by CSEF Certificate and \$25 gift card to Amazon given by CSEF

Certificate and \$25 gift card to Amazon given by CSEF

Criteria: issues of environmental responsibility and sustainable development-potential for environmentally

friendly and socially responsible businesses

### RNP Regenerative Medicine Excellence Awards

### Award Value \$1000

Awards \$250 - Excellence in Translational Medicine

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\$250 - Excellence in Translational Medicine Criteria: Translation Medicine Category: Bridges the gap between research and clinical application: A. Scientific Merit & Innovation for potential for huiman impact; B. Clinical Relevance; C. Methodological

Rigor; D. Feasibility and Impact

### Robert Francoeur Memorial Awards

#### Award Value \$200

Awards Creative or innovative project in engineering, computer science or mathematics by female students - \$100 Creative or innovative project in engineering, computer science or mathematics by female students - \$100 **Criteria:** Creative or innovative project in engineering, computer science or mathematics by female students.

### Schoepfer Award for Excellence in Local Aquatic Science

### Award Value \$50

**Awards** For excellence in a local water quality study, \$100 cash

Criteria: Middle School water project that addresses water quality issues or monitor water quality in

hometown or locally.

# Society for In Vitro Biology

# Award Value \$75

Awards Certificate and \$25 gift card given by CSEF

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Criteria: 11th grade

Plant or animal in vitro biology or tissue culture

# Society of Women Engineers - Hartford Section

### Award Value \$480

Awards Scientific Calculator

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Criteria: Awarded to outstanding engineering project.

# Southeastern New England Marine Educators (SENEME)

# Award Value \$260

Awards \$100 award and membership for student and teacher in SENEME - 1st Place Senior

\$100 award and membership for student and teacher in SENEME - 1st Place Junior

Criteria: Outstanding project in marine science.

### Stanley Black & Decker Applied Technology Awards

# Award Value \$1950

Awards 1st place senior high \$300, Plaque

2nd place senior high \$200 and Plaque, 3rd place senior high \$100 and Plaque

1st place middle school \$200 and Plaque 2nd place middle school \$150 and Plaque 3rd place middle school \$100 and Plaque

Finalists - Medallion

Criteria: Innovation and application of technology

### Stockholm Junior Water Prize

Award Value \$100

Awards 4 Certificates, \$25 gift cards by CSEF, possible advance
Criteria: for the best water related high school project ages 15-20 only

### Susan and Stanley Lessoff Memorial

Award Value \$500

Awards Susan and Stanley Lessoff Memorial Award - \$250 Cash HS

Susan and Stanley Lessoff Memorial Award - \$250 Cash MS

Criteria: To be awarded to a project whose work demonstrates strong analytical skills and attention to detail

### Talcott Mountain Science Center & Academy

Award Value \$1300

Awards TMSC Founder's Award - Middle School Life Science - Scholarship to one Summer or Saturday Program at

TMSC Founder's Award - Middle School Physical Science - Scholarship to one Summer or Saturday Program

Criteria: A project deemed to embody an innovative and entrepreneurial spirit.

# The Community Foundation for Greater Hew Haven's Milton Fisher Awards for Innovation and Creativity

Award Value \$400

Awards For Excellence in Creativity and Innovation by a High School student, \$200 cash

For Excellence in Creativity and Innovation by a Middle School student, \$100 cash

Criteria: For student innovation and creativity in solving scientific or technical problems.

# The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven Ecology, Environmental, and Alternative Energy Research Prize

Award Value \$550

Awards \$550.17 Award for top environmental protection project from an urban public school

Criteria: For the highest scoring environmental protection by an Urban School (public) project

### Thermo Fisher Scientific Junior Innovators Challenge

Award Value \$0

Awards Nomination to compete in the Thermo Fisher Scientific JIC for selected top MS winners

Criteria: Thermo Fisher Scientific Junior Innovators Challenge Nomination to selected Top projects of middle school regular awards winners in Life, Physical, Biotechnology, Engineering & Urban School Challenge categories.

## U.S. Air Force

# **Award Value**

Awards 4 Certificates and 4 USAF Merchandise Ppackages

Criteria: For Excellence in Science and Engineering preferably related to an Air Force application; either

middle or high school

# U.S. Metric Association

Award Value \$75

Awards 3 Certificates & 3 - \$25 gift cards given by CSEF

Criteria: Grades 9-12

significant amount of quantitative measurement using SI metric system

# University of Connecticut - Early College Experience

Award Value \$300

Awards UCONN Early College Experience Program: Life Sciences - \$100 Cash UCONN Early College Experience Program: Physical Sciences - \$100 Cash UCONN Early College Experience Program: Frontiers in Sciences - \$100 Cash

**Criteria:** Outstanding project in physics.

# University of Connecticut Academic Excellence Scholarship

**Award Value** 

Academic Excellence Scholarship - (amount undefined) to a rising senior

Criteria: For Academic Excellence to an 11th grade student for Fall of 2025 Admission

### **University of Hartford Scholarships**

#### Award Value \$480000

Awards University of Hartford Scholarship- For Excellence in Engineering or Technology, Grade 11 only - \$30,000 x University of Hartford Scholarship- For Excellence in Engineering or Technology, Grade 11 only - \$30,000 x University of Hartford Scholarship- For Excellence in Science or mathematics, Grade 11 only -\$30,000 x 4 = University of Hartford Scholarship- For Excellence in Science or mathematics, Grade 11 only -\$30,000 x 4 = Criteria: University of Hartford- For Excellence in Engineering, Technology, Science, or Mathematics, grade 11 only

### University of New Haven Scholarship Awards

### Award Value \$416000

Awards \$104,000, 4 year scholarship (\$26,000 per year) for exemplary 11th grade project \$104,000, 4 year scholarship (\$26,000 per year) for exemplary 11th grade project \$104,000, 4 year scholarship (\$26,000 per year) for exemplary 11th grade project \$104,000, 4 year scholarship (\$26,000 per year) for exemplary 11th grade project Criteria: For 11th grade High School Projects not being awarded other college scholarships at the Fair

### **Urban School Challenge 1st Place Middle School Awards**

### Award Value \$1655

Awards USC Highest Placing 7th grader- Scholarship to Project Oceanology's Ocean Camp - \$955 Highest Placing 8th grader- GENIUS-Olympiad Competition -\$700 travel stipend (see 421) Criteria: Awarded to the top Urban School Challenge Middle School Winners based on their grade.

### Urban School Challenge Awards with Connecticut Academy of Science & Engineering and OTIS

### Award Value \$8268

Awards 1st Place High School - \$300 cash, Plaque, Med. & trip to compete at ISEF 2nd Place HS - \$200, Plaque & Med.; 3rd Place HS - \$100, Plaque & Med.; 4th & 5th Plaque & Med. 1st place middle school - \$200 Trophy & Med 2nd place MS - \$150, Trophy & Med; 3rd place MS - \$100, Trophy & Med.; 4th & 5th Trophy & Med. Finalists - Medallion Highest Placing 7th grader- Project Oceanology's Ocean Camp; 8th grader- GENIUS Olympiad compete & Criteria: Open to all student projects from public schools in priority school districts

#### Westinghouse Electric Company/New England Chapter of North American Young Generation in Nuclear

### Award Value \$100

Awards 1st place, Excellence in Energy Research, \$100 cash award Criteria: Creativity and innovation in the area of energy research, grades 11-12

# Wisner Chairman's Award

# Award Value \$1200

Awards \$500 cash + plaque \$500 cash + plaque

Criteria: To high school student or team whose work demonstrates creative problem solving, a passion for science/engineering and exceptional potential.

# Yale Peabody Museum

### Award Value

Awards In-person Behind the Scenes Tour of the Museum plus guardian. Winner must be >12 years old. In-person Behind the Scenes Tour of the Museum plus guardian. Winner must be >12 years old. In-person Behind the Scenes Tour of the Museum plus guardian. Winner must be >12 years old. Criteria: Outstanding project involving natural sciences

# Yale Science & Engineering Association, Inc.

## Award Value \$130

Awards 1 Certificate, Medallion and 1-\$25 gift card given by CSEF Criteria: engineering, computer science, chemistry, physics - 11th grade

### Zepke Awards

### Award Value \$420

Awards \$150 Cash Award For the Best Use of Electronic Circuitry- Senior High \$150 Cash Award For the Best Use of Electronic Circuitry- Senior High \$120 Cash Award For the Best Use of Electronic Circuitry- Middle School Criteria: For the best use of electronic circuitry