

Creative Writing Awards

For NYC Public High School Seniors

2016 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

FIRST PLACE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CHOSEN CITYWIDE

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
\$10,000 Literature/Poetry	Katelyn Sasson	Edward R. Murrow High School	"Weightless"
\$10,000 Literature/Fiction & Drama	Jason Lalljee	Townsend Harris High School	"Ceramic House"
\$10,000 Literature/Personal Memoir	Roberta Nin Feliz	Manhattan Center for Sciences and Mathematics	"Las Mujeres No Hablan Las Cosas de Familia"
\$10,000 Graphic Novel	David Ortiz	Marta Valle High School	"Full Circle"

MAYA ANGELOU AWARD FOR SPOKEN WORD POEM

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
\$10,000 Literature/Spoken Word	Devin Johnson	Thomas A. Edison Career Technical High School	"Fool's Gold"

SECOND PLACE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CHOSEN CITYWIDE

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
\$5,000 Literature/Poetry	Keitha-Clemon Duhaney	Benjamin Banneker Academy	"No"
\$5,000 Literature/Fiction & Drama	Sydney McCourt	High School of American Studies at Lehman College	"Flight"
\$5,000 Literature/Personal Memoir	Seung Hye Yang	Queens High School for the Sciences @ York College	"If I Were a Boy"
\$5,000 Graphic Novel	Valentina Hayes	Edward R. Murrow High School	"Enough"

THIRD PLACE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CHOSEN CITYWIDE

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
\$2,500 Literature/Poetry (TIE)	Adrian Lajara	High School of American Studies at Lehman College	"A Transgender Person's Reflections on Being a Murderer"
\$2,500 Literature/Spoken Word (TIE)	Charles Traut	Brooklyn Technical High School	"Fifteen"
\$2,500 Literature/Fiction & Drama	Carly Sorenson	Millennium High School	"The Solution"
\$2,500 Literature/Personal Memoir	Sabrina Cadiz	Bronx High School of Science	"Numbered Prayers"
\$2,500 Graphic Novel	Jazlyn Alcaide/Kayleigh Hahn	Susan E. Wagner High School	"Swimming to the Moon"

ALL OTHER AWARDS BY SCHOOL

	<u>NAME</u>	<u>AWARD</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
Baccalaureate School for Global Education	Ergisa Xhuveli	Artist Recognition – Poetry	"At the Beach"
Bard High School Early College Manhattan	Sierra Block Gorman Anna Doebele Annalee Tai	Best of Borough – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Poetry	"The Pull of the Ocean" "So Much for Saint Mark" "Semantics of a Daily Affirmation"
Bard High School Early College Queens	Sophia Rosenblatt Joshua van Biema Hannah Young	Honorable Mention – Poetry Honorable Mention – Poetry Honorable Mention – Poetry	"Boats" "Three Ways of Looking at Rain" "Voices"
Brooklyn Technical High School	Jessica Chen Julia Fisher Hana Frluckaj Neheme Guillomaitre Mahbuba Hossain Michael Li Imani Parker Tajrean Rahman Adalix Siri Dilara Sisman Tiffany Yang Kailin Yu Emily Zhou	Honorable Mention – Poetry Honorable Mention – Poetry Artist Recognition – Poetry Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Artist Recognition – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Best of Borough – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Poetry Artist Recognition – Graphic Novel Artist Recognition – Fiction & Drama Artist Recognition – Poetry	"Mother's Land" "Anorexics Don't Eat Pizza" "Over the Edge" "There was an Old Lady who..." "Quick Fix" "I Miss You" "For Maggie" "Churros" "For Mary" "Nobody" "Assignment" "Thicker Than Water" "Don't Hope"
DeWitt Clinton High School	Matthew Jankie Jasmine Sinkler	Best of Borough – Poetry Artist Recognition – Memoir	"All of the Lights" "The Question"

Edward R. Murrow High School	Julian Alexander Jennifer Contreras Bryan Gonzalez Olivia Hockenberry Jacob Lester Nina Pescatore Whitney Situ Erica Tonti	Artist Recognition – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Memoir Best of Borough – Memoir Honorable Mention – Spoken Word Artist Recognition – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir	“Buried Alive” “The Age of Swords & Blades” “Chosen” “No” “Hyper-Capitalism” “Should’ve Could’ve, Would’ve” “Priorities” “Breathe in, Breathe Out”
Eleanor Roosevelt High School	Emily Austin	Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama	“Dorothy Horne Forgot”
Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music and Art	Angelina Hoffman Seoungeun Lee Natalia Oledzka	Best of Borough – Poetry Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel Artist Recognition – Graphic Novel	“Untitled” “Winter Bloom” “Nighttime Adventures”
High School of American Studies	Zoe Kleiman Owen McFadzean	Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Best of Borough – Fiction & Drama	“Wanderlust” “The Field”
High School of Art and Design	Kelsey Bitong Michael Hynes Foster Jadae Sabrina Poon Omar Stefanson Vivienne Steward	Best of Borough – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel Artist Recognition – Graphic Novel Best of Borough – Graphic Novel	“Space Gals” “In the Land of Giants” “My Peeps” “Emerald Heart” “Fistula!” “Bear Klub”
High School of Fashion Industries	Katherine Lima	Honorable Mention – Poetry	“Her Name Was Suicide”
High School of Telecommunications Arts and Technology	Faizah Anjum	Best of Borough – Poetry	“Submission on My Skin”
Hillcrest High School	Harshita Tripathi	Best of Borough – Poetry	“Aeonian”
Hunter College High School	Eva Johnson Anna Maheu Nadezhda Russell Alison Zhao Tongyu Zhou	Artist Recognition – Poetry Best of Borough – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Poetry Artist Recognition – Fiction & Drama Artist Recognition – Graphic Novel	“Tenderness and Teeth” “Memoriam” “I Will Never Be Fluent” “Lola” “Flight”
James Madison High School	Katherine Kacherovsky	Best of Borough – Graphic Novel	“Control”
John Bowne High School	Byron Nacipucha	Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama	“The Purity in Puddles”
Lehman High School	Barbara D’Isselt	Best of Borough – Memoir	“Ergo Sum”
Manhattan Center for Sciences and Mathematics	Penda Smith	Best of Borough – Spoken Word	“Black Don’t Crack”
New Explorations into Science, Tech & Mathematics	Sarah Drepaul Cai Ping Wen	Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama	“The Riat Game” “Pulling Away”
Queens High School for the Sciences	Natalie Stone	Artist Recognition – Fiction & Drama	“You Told Me...”
Queens High School for Teaching	Shaquoya Pollock	Honorable Mention – Poetry	“With Every Shade of Sorrow”
School of the Future	Patryk Borkawski Nora Carden Isobel Connelly Madison Jean Philippe Ana Naumovska	Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel Honorable Mention – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Best of Borough – Memoir	“Golden Knight” “Subway Rides Until You Come Home” “Sleeping Next to 1996 and ...” “November 17, 2014” “The Epiphany of a Cynic”
STAR Early College @ Erasmus	Sharone Thompson	Honorable Mention – Poetry	“I Am A Man”
Staten Island Technical High School	Lucy Cheung	Honorable Mention – Memoir	“Finding My Momentum”
Stuyvesant High School	Adrian Aboyou Ha Young Ahn Jennifer Lee Sabira Mehjabin Galen Ng Tracy Tse Leah Woodbridge Sylvia Yu	Honorable Mention – Memoir Best of Borough – Memoir Best of Borough – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Artist Recognition – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel	“Bitch Sandwich” “Han – Gook” “Five Feet” “Hero(ine)” “A Short Essay” “The Old Man and the Teenager” “Go” “On Being Bisexual”
Susan E. Wagner High School	Caroline Hagemann	Best of Borough – Poetry	“But Baby”

	Deirdre Hansalik Nazneen Javed Darya Ryndych Natalia Tomaszuk Joseph Weidlein	Artist Recognition – Spoken Word Best of Borough – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Honorable Mention – Poetry Honorable Mention – Graphic Novel	“Inferno” “My Christmas Tree” “I Was the Rock” “Serendipity” “Art is Dead”
Thomas A. Edison Vocational and Technical High School	Roberto Cruz Jordana Hidalgo Shane Narine Fatin Saamil Sonia Sookhwa	Best of Borough – Fiction & Drama Best of Borough – Memoir Artist Recognition – Memoir Honorable Mention – Memoir Artist Recognition – Memoir	“Low Hum” “The Reincarnation of the...” “The Doctor” “Everything Looked Gray To Me” “Undecided”
Townsend Harris High School	Priya Amin	Honorable Mention – Poetry	“Two A.M.”
Young Women’s Leadership School of Astoria	Nabila Chowdhury	Honorable Mention – Fiction & Drama	“Procrastination”