

USEF 2019 - Senior Division			
Category and Rank	Name	School	Project Title
Behavioral & Social Sciences - First	Daphne Liu	West High	An Innovative Approach to Estimating Suicide Underreporting Among Opioid-Related Deaths Using Machine Learning
Behavioral & Social Sciences - Second	Emma Sun	The Waterford School	Exploring Motivated Numeracy
Behavioral & Social Sciences - Third	Leia Dorn	AMES High School	Talking About Difficult Topics
Behavioral & Social Sciences - Fourth	Paige Cameron	Juan Diego Catholic High	Characterizing Behavioral Comorbidities in Mouse Model of Dravet Syndrome
Biology & Biochemistry - First	Madeline Joklik-McLeod	Juan Diego Catholic High	p53-bad: a Novel Mitochondrially Targeted Gene Therapy for Ovarian Cancer
Biology & Biochemistry - Second	Christopher Li	West High	Utilizing Ligand Structuring Metaservers to Model Pathogenic p16 Mutation Effects on Binding Sites of Cell Signaling Pathways
Biology & Biochemistry - Third	Aiden Pasinsky	Beehive Academy	Can You Breed a Super Algae Through Forced Adaptation?
Biology & Biochemistry - Fourth	Dhruvan Gopinath & Daniel Elliott	Skyline High	pH Variations on the Rate of Reaction Between Diastase and Starch
Chemistry - First	Ryan Williamson	Juan Diego Catholic High	Emission Spectra of Single, Trapped Nanoparticles
Chemistry - Second	Ethan Lamé	Juan Diego Catholic High	Testing the Reaction Rate of Tetrazine and Isonitrile in Bioorthogonal Conditions
Chemistry - Third	Sofya Akhetova	Highland High	Fat Content in Foods
Chemistry - Fourth	Adam Larsen	Salt Lake Center for Science Education (SLCSE)	Bamboo's ability to Remediate arsenic contaminated water
Earth & Environmental Sciences - First	Anisa Habib & Tejita Agarwal	West High	An Epidemiological Study Quantifying Differences in Thyroid Cancer Risk Across Birth Cohorts and I-131 Exposure Levels
Earth & Environmental Sciences - Second	Tara Horscroft	Entheos Academy	Evaluating Salt Lake County Watershed Phase 2: A Six-Month Longitudinal Water Quality Study of the Jordan River Corridor, Salt Lake County, Including Wastewater Discharge Detection using Inexpensive Passive Samplers and a Multi-Point Chemical Assay to Promote Environmental Awareness
Earth & Environmental Sciences - Third	Wensen Zhang	Hillcrest High	Improvement in Hurricane Forecast Using Neural Networks
Earth & Environmental Sciences - Fourth	Tyler Young	Juan Diego Catholic High	How does the biodiversity of bird populations change along an urban gradient?
Energy: Chemical & Physical - First	Nihal Kariparduc & Zachary Maynard	Beehive Academy	Vibration Analysis in Additive Manufacturing
Energy: Chemical & Physical - Second	Elizabeth Raven	Juan Diego Catholic High	NADH Regeneration System at an Electrode by a Redox-Active Cobaltocene-PAA Diaphorase System for Biofuel Production
Energy: Chemical & Physical - Third	Erika Jensen	Alta High	Temperature And Train Efficiency
Energy: Chemical & Physical - Fourth	Hassan Alsarrieh & Hector Flores	Salt Lake Center for Science Education (SLCSE)	Does Octane rating on fuel affect the amount of Particulate Matter a car emits?
Engineering: Civil & Environmental - First	Aarushi Verma	Skyline High	Functionality of the Oligodynamic Effect in Copper to Purify Water
Engineering: Civil & Environmental - Second	Jonah Bennett & Alexander Housley	Salt Lake Center for Science Education (SLCSE)	Comparing Drought Stress by Diversity of Xeric Bioswales
Engineering: Civil & Environmental - Third	Maya Feggo-Judkins	Highland High	Clear the air; getting rid of particulate matter through different air filtration methods
Engineering: Civil & Environmental - Fourth	Ian Ackermann	Alta High	Constructing the Strongest Bridge
Engineering: Electrical & Computer Science - First	Sanjana Kargi & Dua Azhar	Beehive Academy	Using Machine Learning Techniques to Predict Mutant p53 Transcriptional Activity
Engineering: Electrical & Computer Science - Second	Wentao Zhang	Hillcrest High	Performance Evaluation of Encryption Schemes for Secure Communication
Engineering: Electrical & Computer Science - Third	Sreemanti Dey	Skyline High	Machine Learning for the Classification of Cyber Attacks on a Smart Grid
Engineering: Materials & Biomedical - First	Alexander Cheng	Hillcrest High	Determining the Role of Microvascular Pathology as Reflected by Changes in Primary and Secondary Retinal Vessels in the Pathophysiology of Diabetic Complications

Engineering: Materials & Biomedical - Second	Malavika Singh	West High	Precision Medicine: Analysis of Clinical Literature Corresponding to Genetic Mutations to Determine Cancer Drivers Using Machine Learning Methods
Engineering: Materials & Biomedical - Third	Shilp Shah	The Waterford School	Patient Compliant Non-Invasive Diagnostic Apparatus
Engineering: Materials & Biomedical - Fourth	Erin Garzella	Juan Diego Catholic High	Design of Improved Inverse Transition Cycling Protein Purification Method
Engineering: Mechanical - First	Steven Marz	Stansbury High School	Affordable Survey ROV
Engineering: Mechanical - Second	Rachel Maxfield	American Preparatory Academy APA Draper 3	Creating a Cost Effective Solution for Water Problems in Developing Countries
Engineering: Mechanical - Third	Rey Sellers	Stansbury High School	Drone Wind
Engineering: Mechanical - Fourth	Gabriel Jorgensen	Stansbury High School	Flight Endurance Testing
Medicine & Health Sciences - First	Divyam Goel	West High	Using a Microtiter Plate Assay and a Novel Simulated Anatomic Plastic Lung Model to Determine the Effectivity of Phage Therapy as a Preventative Measure against Poly-Microbial Biofilms in Cystic Fibrosis Patients
Medicine & Health Sciences - Second	Huck Jones	American Preparatory Academy APA Draper 3	New Results on the Dynamics of Electrical Activity in the Visual Cortex of Humans
Medicine & Health Sciences - Third	Clara Tandar	West High	The Influence of Mitochondrial Calcium on Cell-Cycle Specific Chemotherapy
Medicine & Health Sciences - Fourth	Matthew Simmons	Hillcrest High	Silent Killer: Investigation of Silent Myocardial Infarction (SMI) Using Machine Learning Techniques
Physics, Astronomy & Math - First	Tarun Kumar Martheswaran	The Waterford School	A Novel Mathematical Model for the Early Detection of Dengue Fever using SIR Infectious Disease Epidemiological Compartments, Ordinary Differential Equations, and Statistical Computing
Physics, Astronomy & Math - Second	Braxton Dake	Beehive Academy	Speedy Steel
Physics, Astronomy & Math - Third	Connor Smith	Salt Lake Center for Science Education (SLCSE)	Implementation of Markov Chains in Weather Forecasting
Physics, Astronomy & Math - Fourth	Jaspar Ruegemer	Park City High	The Earth Needs To Chill! How About Some Cool Sunshades? The Furtherance
Plant Sciences - First	David Zhong	Skyline High	A LEAF IN THE WIND - A STUDY OF MECHANICAL STRENGTH ON A LEAF, BRANCH AND TREE INDUCED BY WIND LOADING
Plant Sciences - Second	Sriram Srinivas	West High	Rhizosphere Microbiota and Drought Tolerance in Sunflowers
Plant Sciences - Third	Maxwell Porter & Landon Evans	Salt Lake Center for Science Education (SLCSE)	Cultivating Mars
Plant Sciences - Fourth	Aidana Smat & Jessie Flynn	Salt Lake Center for Science Education (SLCSE)	Using Isotopes to Identify Archaeological Features

Intel ISEF Grand Champion Winners			
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