Awards
American History Award

Chloe Guzman, Riley Roebke, Sarah Cho
Anna May Wong: Debates Through Her Life

Abigail Dorrell, Edris Kalibala, Samira Morgan
The Vietnam War: How the Debate around Drug Abuse in the Military Lives On

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Junior Paper

4th Place
Cindy Tran
*Debate and Diplomacy in the Cuban Missile Crisis*

3rd Place
Luke Robinson
*The Bay of Pigs Invasion: The Worst Failure in CIA History*

2nd Place
Andres Ramos
*The Zimmerman Telegram: A Piece of Debate’s Impact on World War I and International Reactions*

1st Place
Sam Caplan
*The Right To Refuse: The Fight over Seat Belt Mandates, Individualism, and Libertarianism in America*
1st Place

Harry Murphy

“Freedom At The Cost of Dishonor:” Diplomacy for a Doomed Ethnicity, Debate Over Bartering Human Misery, and the Schacht-Rublee Plan to Emigrate Jews from the Third Reich

2nd Place

Josephine Calder

The Cuban Missile Crisis: Diplomacy During The Brink of War

3rd Place

Lea Frost

Debating Our Future: How Diplomacy at the Yalta Conference Shaped the Fate of Europe

4th Place

Vatsala Bais

Hazelwood Vs. Kuhlmeier: A Debate Which Impacted the Diplomacy of Journalism Forever
Delaware History Award

Phoenix Holden

Delaware and New Jersey: the Debate Over Who Owns the Delaware River

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Junior Individual Website

4th Place  Shaylen Burns  Women Working in World War 2

3rd Place  Sanya Matta  The Longest Walk of 1978

2nd Place  Asvika Gobinathan  The Never-Ending Nature vs Nurture Debate

1st Place  Heaven Dickerson  Chinese Immigrants and the Pacific Railroad: The Debate Amid a Diplomatic Innovation
4th Place  Makeda Duey  
*Great Britain’s Role in the Abolition of Slavery in Brazil*

3rd Place  Abigail Watts  
*Brown VS Board of Education: Debate and Diplomacy*

2nd Place  Katherine Corbo  
*Prohibition: National Debate of the Early 1900s*

1st Place  Alex Irwin  
*The Annexation of Hawaii*
National History Day in Delaware

Teacher of the Year Junior Division

Ray Costello
St. Anne’s Episcopal School

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**3rd Place**

Michael Simmonds and Dominic Vitola

*The Hysteria That Sparked the Salem Witch Trials*

**2nd Place**

Fiona Turner, Lily Norris, and Josephine Pesce

*Power to the People: The First Black Panther Party*

**1st Place**

Elliot Jacob, Marcos Salvador-Riera, and Nadia Ongtawco

*The 1969 Santa Barbara Oil Spill*
4th Place
Wiley Gong, Sritan Pittala, Krish Shajpalu, and Mehul Gopalani
*Debate, Diplomacy, and Docking! The 1975 Apollo-Soyuz Spacecrafts*

3rd Place
Kourtney Warren, Queeni Guo, and Julietta Claessens
*The Murder That Sparked It All: How One Man’s Death Led to Debate and Diplomacy Throughout America*

2nd Place
Therese Kim, Laura Houghton, and Molly Shay
*Gay vs. Government: How Frank Kameny Stood Up for his Rights as an American*

1st Place
Clara Chacko and Ariana Murphy
*Loving in a Broken World: The Debate and Diplomacy Behind The Loving v. Virginia Supreme Court Case*
Delaware Digital Newspaper Project
Chronicling America Award

Alexandra Irwin
Annexation of Hawaii

Katherine Corbo
Prohibition: National Debate of the Early 1900s

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Delaware Digital Newspaper Project
2nd Place
Camille Opher
The Battle of Chosin Reservoir Documentary

1st Place
Wyeth Garey
Auschwitz: The Raw Torture Of It All
2nd Place

Alexandra McWatters

*The Steagles Debate: An "Easy Out" to Wartime Problems or Method of Survival?*

1st Place

Isabel Bishop

*The Debate of the Lobotomy: The Mental Medical Procedure of the 20th century*
2nd Place
Connor Wrinn and Neil Sorenson
The Manhattan Project, For Better or For Worse

1st Place
Chloe Guzman, Riley Roebke, and Sarah Cho
Anna May Wong: Debates Through Her Life
Senior Group Documentary

4th Place  Zakareya Aidel, Amyni Brown, Dominick Custodio, and Kelsie McClellan
The Industrial Revolution: Conflicts That Shaped the World

3rd Place  Runyi Liu, Elyssa Nabung, Kate Li, and Cara Huang
The Case That Sealed His Fate: Watergate

2nd Place  Ava Barton, Natalia Coutino, and Amelia Moss
Del Martin & Phyllis Lyon: Pioneers of the Lesbian Rights Movement

1st Place  Melanie Hudson, Sara Shuts, and Martina Morgado
How America Built Itself Back: The Debate on What to Build on Top of the Fallen Twin Towers
National History Day in Delaware

Teacher of the Year – Senior Division

Tara Creekmore
Archmere Academy

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Senior Individual Performance

1st Place

Elizabeth Rolph
The Day the Music Died
Global or Area Studies History Award

Andrew Konkle
Nuclear Reactors and Finding The Successes in the Failures

Josephine Calder
The Cuban Missile Crisis: Diplomacy During The Brink of War

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Junior Individual Exhibit

4th Place  Johitha Jelish
Anesthesia

3rd Place  Emily Matthews
The Power of Political Pooches

2nd Place  Ada Henry
Debate and Diplomacy During the Smallpox Epidemic of the American Revolution

1st Place  Gabriella Bourantas
A Vote for Votes
Senior Individual Exhibit

4th Place
Chelsea Lam
The Debate That Formed Socialism

3rd Place
Angela Zheng
"Barbarian Affair": The Cause and Aftermath of the Treaty of Nanking

2nd Place
Mary Mancini
People, Press, and the Pentagon Papers

1st Place
Rose Badiey
The Zimmerman Telegram: A Turning Point in American Diplomacy
James M. Baker Award
for African American History

Fiona Turner, Josephine Pesce, Lily Norris
Power to the People: The First Black Panther Party

Nadia Akumiah, Nadine Akumiah
Shirley Chisholm: A Battle to the Ballot Box

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The Delaware Historical Society
4th Place
Colton Duer and Everton Wright
*Tenerife Air Disaster: The Crash that Changed Aviation*

3rd Place
Sophia Waddel and Stella Mulik
*Women of NASA*

2nd Place
Leah Matthews and Ally Stewart
*To Drop Or Not To Drop*

1st Place
Dana Ward and Olivia VanderHaar
*1969 Black-Gold Disaster*
Senior Group Exhibit

4th Place
Lucas Hirsch and Michael Oliver
Apollo Soyuz Test Project

3rd Place
Nadia Akumiah and Nadine Akumiah
Shirley Chisholm: A Battle to the Ballot Box

2nd Place
Noah Veron and Thaddeus Gore
Three Mile Island: Why The Nuclear Power Debate Exists Today

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The Vietnam War: How the Debate around Drug Abuse in the Military Lives On
Women's History Award

Gabriella Desiderio, Hailey Gray, Jamie McIlvain

*Equal Rights Amendment*

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