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*Education is the  
most powerful weapon  
which you can use to  
change the world.*

~Nelson Mandela



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# MOORPARK COLLEGE

## 2021

# SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CEREMONY



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# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

SCHOLARSHIPS FROM  
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

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2021

# AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN INTERBRANCH COUNCIL

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The American Association of University Women Interbranch Council, which represents the three Ventura County branches – Sim Valley, Thousand Oaks, and Camarillo, works together to empower women as individuals and a community. With this scholarship the AAUW Interbranch Council supports women re-entering college with a goal of a college degree.



2021

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN  
INTERBRANCH COUNCIL



RECIPIENT

Ariana Leticia Vergara



2021

# AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN OF THOUSAND OAKS

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The AAUW has been empowering women as individuals and as a community since 1881. They work together as a national grassroots organization to improve the lives of millions of women and their families. The AAUW of Thousand Oaks branch supports undergraduate education through scholarships for women re-entering with a goal of a college degree.

2021

# AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN OF THOUSAND OAKS



## RECIPIENTS

Heryka Lima Ferreira

Lindsay Risky





# 2021 ALTRUSA INTERNATIONAL CLUB INC. OF OXNARD

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The club unites more than 500 clubs in a common goal of community service. This scholarship is designed to support student achievement and address the unique needs of returning students.

2021

# ALTRUSA CLUB INC. INTERNATIONAL OF OXNARD



## RECIPIENTS

Claire Jacqueline Alison

Lindsay Risky



## 2021 JAMEE PABLO BALL SCHOLARSHIP FOR SINGLE PARENTS

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Jamee Pablo Ball, a Moorpark College Nursing Program graduate, established this scholarship to pay it forward to other single parents in the Moorpark College Nursing program.

2021

# JAMEE PABLO BALL SCHOLARSHIP FOR SINGLE PARENTS



## RECIPIENT

Ariana Leticia Vergara



2021

## MONTOBBIO BENSON SCHOLARSHIP

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Stan and Joann Benson, consistent supporters of Moorpark College, established this scholarship designed to encourage and sustain a Moorpark College student who has established a record of academic strength and is continuing at the college.



2021

# MONTORBIO BENSON SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Jeff Jung



2021

## CAROLINE ESPARZA NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

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Established by Adventist Health Simi Valley Hospital to honor Caroline Esparza, HNA, RN. With over 35 years in healthcare, she is the hospital's Chief Operating Officer and Chief Nursing Officer. The scholarship was named in her honor because she reflects the highest levels of nursing through outstanding quality, care, compassion, and leadership; is a strong supporter of nursing education; and an inspiration to all nurses.

2021

# CAROLINE ESPARZA NURSING SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Alexis Nicole Dunham  
Katrin Lindsay  
Nicole Dianne Misicka  
Christeen Trina Rivera  
Samantha Simington



2021  
**CLARISSA DONG**  
**ANTHROPOLOGY/MULTIMEDIA SCHOLARSHIP**

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The Clarissa Dong – Anthropology/Multimedia scholarship was established by former faculty member, Clarissa Dong. This scholarship recognizes the student who is passionate about the anthropology and multimedia majors.

2021

CLARISSA DONG

ANTHROPOLOGY/MULTIMEDIA SCHOLARSHIP



RECIPIENT

Diana Hamideh





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## 2021 CLEAN POWER ALLIANCE VOYAGER SCHOLARSHIP

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In 2019, the Clean Power Alliance moved to provide funding for student scholarships with the Voyager Scholarship Program. This scholarship program provided \$150,000 in scholarship contributions to seven community colleges serving disadvantaged communities throughout Los Angeles and Ventura counties for students pursuing studies in energy-related fields. The goal of the scholarship program is to help develop the future clean energy workforce.

2021

# CLEAN POWER ALLIANCE VOYAGER SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Brianna Mary Fernandez

Adailton Nali Junior

Shannon Noel O'Keefe

Krista Tucker



2021

## FIELD HOCKEY FEDERATION SCHOLARSHIP

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The scholarship was established by Tom Harris, a Moorpark College Foundation member and retired Moorpark College engineering professor. The scholarship is offered to students who play and/or coach field hockey.

2021

# FIELD HOCKEY FEDERATION SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Jaden Henry-Brooks



2021  
**TOM HARRIS**  
**ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP**

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This scholarship was the first one established by Tom Harris.  
This scholarship supports student majoring in Engineering  
who are ready to transfer to a four-year college or  
university in the fall semester.



2021

TOM HARRIS  
ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP



RECIPIENT

Luke Makoto Takara Barrella



2021

## INVICTA NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

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Kristine Mayor, an alumna of the Moorpark College Nursing Program established the "INVICTA Scholarship." The scholarship is offered to students in the Nursing Program who are continuing their studies in the fall semester 2021 at Moorpark College and have completed 15 documented community service hours.

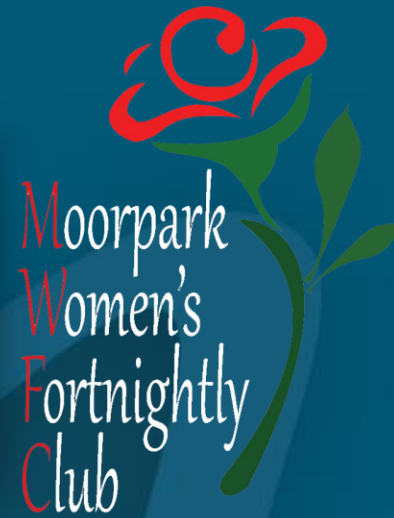
2021

# INVICTA NURSING SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Lindsay Risky



2021

# MOORPARK WOMEN'S FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

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Moorpark Women's Fortnightly Club will award one scholarship,  
The Lorraine Radabaugh Honorary Scholarship.  
This impressive women's club supports a returning female  
student with strong financial need to continue their studies  
at Moorpark College in the fall semester.

2021

# MOORPARK WOMEN'S FORTNIGHTLY CLUB



## RECIPIENTS

Marie Elizabeth Curtis

Sara Jo Ramsey





NATIONAL  
NOTARY  
ASSOCIATION



2021

## NATIONAL NOTARY FOUNDATION

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Awarded to a communications major who demonstrates academic merit, leadership, diversity of extracurricular activities, and community involvement.

2021

# NATIONAL NOTARY FOUNDATION



# RECIPIENT

Annie Dilsizian



## 2021 NON NOCERE SCHOLARSHIP

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Kristine Mayor, an alumna of the Moorpark College Nursing Program, established a second scholarship, NON NOCERE.

The scholarship is offered to students in the Nursing Program continuing their studies in the fall semester at Moorpark College who have completed 15 documented hours of community service and have dual enrollment in either a Bachelor of Nursing or a Master of Nursing program.

2021

# NON NOCERE SCHOLARSHIP



# RECIPIENT

Katrin Lindsay



2021

## NSDAR DON JOSE DE ORTEGA CHAPTER MARCIA STOWERS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

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The Don Jose de Ortega Chapter of the National Society Daughter's of the American Revolution is pleased to provide a \$1000 Marcia Stowers Scholarship to a student in their second year of a two-year nursing school program. The award is based on academic record, recommendations, extracurricular activities or community service, and financial need.

2021

NSDAR DON JOSE DE ORTEGA CHAPTER  
MARCIA STOWERS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP



RECIPIENT

Ariana Leticia Vergara





2021

# SAGE PUBLICATIONS ENGLISH DEPARTMENT WRITING AWARDS

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Funded by SAGE Publications in Thousand Oaks,  
The English Department awards students for excellence  
in various writing aspects, including literary analysis,  
literary research, and research.

2021

# SAGE PUBLICATIONS ENGLISH DEPARTMENT WRITING AWARDS



## RECIPIENTS

Kylie Serman / Literary Analysis

Isabelle Delman / Literary Research

Kirk Seitz / Research

Sawyer McNicoll / Research



# 2021 SCHERZER INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

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Committed to helping students continue their education at Moorpark College, Larry and Carole Scherzer are awarding their scholarship to 12 recipients this year.

2021

# SCHERZER INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Karina Arteaga

Abigail Katrina Austin-Wood

Kadin Bolton

Alyssa Brook

Alanah Elexis Cole

Rachel Coleman

Jessica Marie Collins

Ivoree Denisa Gerena

Marie Megrish

Chantal Nolli

Ethan John Pante

Krista Lew Uchimiya

S I M I  
V A L L E Y  
E D U C A T I O N  
F O U N D A T I O N



2021

# SIMI VALLEY EDUCATION FOUNDATION

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This scholarship supports the continuing education  
of a high-achieving student who is also active  
in community service in Simi Valley.

2021

# SIMI VALLEY EDUCATION FOUNDATION



## RECIPIENT

Luke Makoto Takara Barrella





2021  
SIMI VALLEY/MOORPARK COLLEGE  
CONTINUING STUDENT

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This scholarship supports graduates of Simi Valley  
who are attending Moorpark College.

2021

# SIMI VALLEY/MOORPARK COLLEGE CONTINUING STUDENT



## RECIPIENTS

Zachary Gwennap

Sahaiel Khan



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2021

# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON STEM SCHOLARSHIP

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Moorpark College has been honored for the fifth year to receive the \$25,000 STEM Grant from Edison International, which believes in “Changing Lives, Families & Communities through Education.” Twenty students finishing studies at Moorpark College or transferring to a four-year college or university receive scholarships this year.

2021

# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON STEM SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Luke Makoto Takara Barrella  
Aylah Nusrat Chaudhary  
Anthony Felix  
Callum Guizar  
Isaiah Marciano Huma

Simran Kang  
Agnieszka Renata Kaufman  
Thi My Duyen Le  
Victoria Kaitlyn Nguyen  
Shannon Noel O'Keefe

2021

# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON STEM SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Lesly Ortiz

Alvaro Scott Perez

Jemina Claire Rivera

Eden Corey Rosales

Consuelo Daniela Sandoval

Eliana Monique Sandoval Nali

Kamilla Jocelyn Scarano

Palak Sharma

Sydney Skorpen

Dylan Swanson



2021

# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA KAISER PERMANENTE RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

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Southern California Kaiser Permanente generously provides support for Radiologic Technology students in the Moorpark College Rad Tech Program.



2021

# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA KAISER PERMANENTE RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Teresa Ceja  
Wendy Del Rio  
Alexa Gibson  
Christian Lopez  
Juan Lopez  
Roberto Palomino

Mike Sabonjian  
Salene Scamardo  
Nicholette Swartley  
Briana Tamayo  
Sarah Williard



2021

## ALEX & SYLVIA SULLIVAN SCHOLARSHIPS

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Sylvia Sullivan, a Moorpark College Foundation Board member and retired faculty member has established seven scholarships at Moorpark College. This year one is awarded to a student majoring in Music, Five for students in the Moorpark College Nursing Program, and one for a student majoring in Theatre Arts.

2021

# ALEX & SYLVIA SULLIVAN SCHOLARSHIPS



## RECIPIENTS

### NURSING

Claire Jacqueline Alison  
Alexis Nicole Dunham  
James Gallant  
Pedram Mohammadhossein  
Jazmin Sionit

### MUSIC

Emily Hernandez

### THEATER ARTS

Jasmine Brooke Glavey



2021

# TAKEDA THOUSAND OAKS BIOTECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

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Takeda is a patient-focused, values-based, research and development-driven global biopharmaceutical company committed to bringing better health and brighter futures to people worldwide. Takeda continues its community outreach and partnership with Moorpark College with this scholarship, that will reduce the recipient's financial burden, allow the recipient to focus on their studies, and make the student's college experience more accessible and affordable.

2021

# TAKEDA THOUSAND OAKS BIOTECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Jemina Claire Rivera



2021

# VAN DE GENACHTE BOOK VOUCHERS

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The scholarship was established due to the generosity of Romain Van De Genachte. His impact on the students in the Ventura County Community College District is significant and will be perpetual.



2021

# VAN DE GENACHTE BOOK VOUCHERS



## RECIPIENTS

Wilbert Ac  
Marissa Anaya  
Jasmine Boyle  
Krystal Delgado  
Rizzo Farrow  
Joel Gonzalez

Jaden Henry-Brooks  
Alexis Hernandez  
Autumn Madrigal  
Olivia McKnight  
Emma Nguyen  
Parsa Sadri



2021

## MARY ANN WALKER CHILD DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIP: **LEGACIES IN LEADERSHIP**

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Mary Ann Walker, MA, a Moorpark College alumna, earned advanced degrees in Child Development and Early Childhood Education and was a Moorpark College Child Development Department professor. Walker served in leadership roles in Child Development and Early Intervention at the local, state, and national levels, including an appointment to the California State Interagency Coordinating Council on Early Intervention. The scholarship is funded through the generosity of Full Circle Consulting LLC Founder and Executive Leader, Senta Greene, MA, CCLS. Greene is a state, national, and international Child Development expert, who established the scholarship to recognize Walker's decades-long leadership and contributions to support continuing leadership by child development professionals.

2021

# MARY ANN WALKER CHILD DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIP: LEGACIES IN LEADERSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Nicole Ballote  
Beatriz Fontenla Lago

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



## 2021 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

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# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

PHYLLIS ARNOLD

ART & VISUAL ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

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The Scholarship was established by Phyllis Arnold's family to honor her love of arts at the college and in the community. The students who apply for the scholarship are evaluated on a portfolio of their art and a personal essay.

2021

# WESTLAKE VILLAGE GARDEN CLUB



# RECIPIENT

Carson Davis



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## FRANK BIANCHINO PSYCHOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

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Dr. Frank Bianchino served Moorpark College for over 30 years, as both a counselor and a Psychology instructor. Inspired by his mentor, Viktor Frankl, Dr. Bianchino made people, especially children, a priority, always taking time to listen so he could honor their true, authentic selves. It is an honor to award a scholarship in his name, allowing his inspirational legacy to live on.

2021

# FRANK BIANCHINO PSYCHOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Amanda Melody Goldwater  
Lauren Perlmutter

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## HUGO EKBACK FILM/TELEVISION SCHOLARSHIP

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The Hugo Ekback Scholarship was established by his family and friends in his memory. In the late '70s, Hugo created film studies at Moorpark College. The courses were so popular University of California, Los Angeles, and University of Southern California students came to MC to attend. He worked hard to find film equipment so students could experience every aspect of making films. History of Motion Picture was one of his most popular courses. Professor Ekback was much loved.

2021

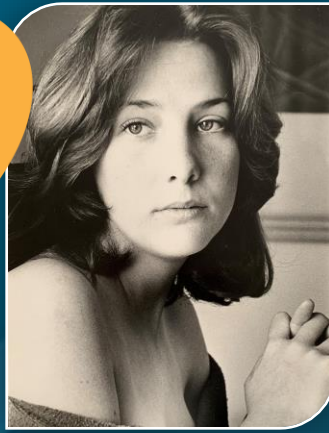
# HUGO EKBACK FILM/TELEVISION SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Bryan Christopher Page  
Sherrie Lynn Richman

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## LISA FERGUSON EATM SCHOLARSHIP

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Established by extraordinary Thousand Oaks resident, Nancy Ferguson, in memory of her beloved daughter Lisa Ferguson.

Nancy honors her daughter by providing this scholarship to a deserving EATM student. Nancy has been a longtime fan of America's Teaching Zoo and continues to develop relationships with the students and animals during her monthly visits.

2021

# LISA FERGUSON EATM SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Clare Burke  
Amanda Craig  
Yiwen Tsao



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## JASON FLEAGANE SCHOLARSHIP

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Established in memory of a Moorpark College student Jason Fleagane, who was ready for his dream of completing studies at California State University, Northridge. In his name and with the memory of his dream, his family supports any student who is willing to work hard and is transferring to a four-year college or university.

2021

# JASON FLEAGANE SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Baylee Ann Carroll  
Alexis Nicole Dunham  
Anthony Felix  
Simran Kang

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

GEORGE FLOYD

AFRICAN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP

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The scholarship was established in memory of George Floyd by a former dean and some of the Moorpark College African American faculty members and is awarded to continuing Moorpark College Students who have used their education to contribute to and uplift the African American community or worked to improve White and Black race relations.

2021

GEORGE FLOYD  
AFRICAN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP



RECIPIENT

Stanley Opondo Ayieye

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## THE HADDAD FAMILY OSHER NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

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Established by the family of Barbara Haddad. Barbara was a graduate of the Moorpark College Nursing Program. The scholarship is awarded to students continuing in the Nursing Program with a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

2021

# THE HADDAD FAMILY OSHER NURSING SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Ariana Leticia Vergara  
Kim Philip Laruga Pepito



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## GLENNA MEADOWS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

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The Glenna Meadows Memorial Nursing Scholarship was established by her family to honor Ms. Meadows' memory and her devotion to the nursing profession for over 30 years.

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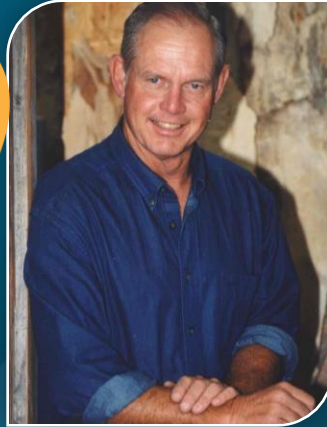
# GLENNA MEADOWS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Allison Lopez

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

DR. GARY L. OGDEN

**BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP**

The scholarship honors former Moorpark College Biology Professor, Dr. Gary Ogden. He believed in using science to explain the world.

In keeping with his values, the scholarship was established for four outstanding students majoring in biological sciences, either transferring to a secular university or continuing at Moorpark College.

2021

# DR. GARY L. OGDEN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Edvina Agadjanova  
Katharine Cassidy Sontag

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## JEAN OSBORNE MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

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Established to honor Jean Osborne, a music educator at Moorpark College for many years. Keeping her memory and values alive, her family and friends support a student majoring in music or music education.

2021

# JEAN OSBORNE MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Emily Hernandez



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## MYLES DAVID PENIX VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP

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Sgt. Myles Penix first served in the Navy as a Seabee. After an honorable discharge, he enlisted in the Army, where he had a thriving career and received several awards, medals, and ribbons. He was proud of his leadership roles and the assignments he served through NATO. Sgt. Penix planned on becoming a lawyer. The hope is that the recipient carries on his love of higher education and the US Armed Forces.

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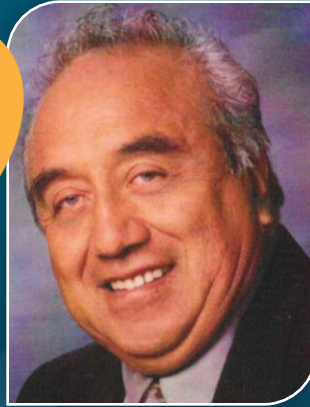
# MYLES DAVID PENIX VETERANS' SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Rodolfo Gurrola

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## IGNACIO M. PEREZ HEALTHCARE SCHOLARSHIP

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The family established the scholarship in memory of their father, Ignacio M. Perez. Ignacio believed education opens doors of opportunity to reach the career of choice. A father of nine children, he encouraged all of them to obtain a degree in any field of study, especially his six daughters. The scholarship is awarded to students majoring in Biology, Nursing, or Rad Tech programs.

2021

# IGNACIO M. PEREZ HEALTHCARE SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Hayley Anderson  
Pejman Rohanifar

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## MICHAEL JOSEPH PIELAET SCHOLARSHIP

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One of the oldest of 12 siblings, Mike has always been the rock of his family & Community. The nurses, physicians & staff who cared for Michael in his last weeks and days provided compassionate comfort, and precious empathy. His wife Pat recalls *"I was humbled by their kindness. I remain ever grateful for their role in easing Michael's transition from this world. That is why we think it only fitting that the scholarship in his name go to those pursuing a degree in the field of healthcare."*

2021

# MICHAEL JOSEPH PIELAET SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Martha Aikiriza

Aaron Borkovec

Marie Elizabeth Curtis

Jessica Spencer



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## STEPHEN CONRAD RAFTER SCHOLARSHIP

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Established in loving memory of Moorpark College student, Stephen Conrad Rafter, our friend. In his two years at Moorpark College, Steve was a successful student majoring in English, dedicated to student government and the role of students in decision-making. The student awarded this scholarship is involved in campus activities and maintains a GPA of 3.25 or higher.

2021

# STEPHEN CONRAD RAFTER SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Rachel Ariana Spellman

Benay Rita Taylor

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## STEPHEN CONRAD RAFTER NURSING/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP

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This was the first scholarship established in memory of Stephen Conrad Rafter. The scholarship is awarded to students in the Moorpark College Nursing Program who maintain a GPA of 3.0 or higher and are continuing in the program in the fall semester.

2021

# STEPHEN CONRAD RAFTER NURSING/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Samantha Simington

Jazmin Sionit

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## JASON D. RAUFMAN SCHOLARSHIP

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Established in memory of a UCLA transfer student who had been an achieving and engaging Moorpark College student.

This scholarship recognizes a student transferring to a University of California having earned a GPA of 3.5 or higher.

2021

# JASON D. RAUFMAN SCHOLARSHIP

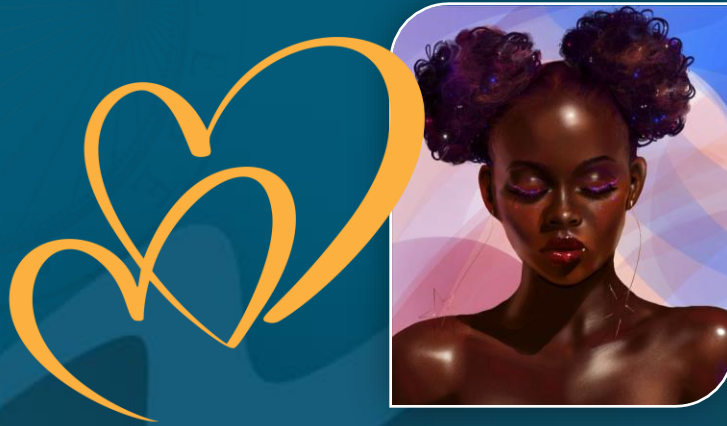


## RECIPIENT

Shayan Gheidari



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## FRANK SARDISCO ART SCHOLARSHIP

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Created by his family to honor his love of arts at Moorpark College and in the community. Applicants for this scholarship are evaluated by a portfolio of their art and a personal essay.

2021

# FRANK SARDISCO ART SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Molly Hazel Earl

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## JOHN & DANIEL SHERWOOD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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A perpetual tribute to two brothers, who were Moorpark College students and transferred to universities to complete their studies. Although five years apart in age, both enjoyed studying history. John was interested in communications and aspired to work on documentary films. Daniel leaned toward political science and teaching and was passionate in debate. Family and friends honor their energetic spirits with this scholarship. The recipient will transfer to a four-year college or university and is a registered voter.

2021

# JOHN & DANIEL SHERWOOD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Victoria Kaitlyn Nguyen

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

A. E. TRUMAN

MUSIC/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP

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Albert Truman became a classical guitar teacher at age 50 after selling his engineering firm. He continued his passion for teaching until his death at age 88. His wish was to help others pursue their love of music. The scholarship is awarded to a music major who has participated in Moorpark College music productions and events.

2021

# A. E. TRUMAN MUSIC/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Emily Hernandez



# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## LAURIE WHITE EATM SCHOLARSHIP

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Laurie was a 2006 graduate of the Exotic Animal Training and Management (EATM) program and said her EATM years were her best years. She received a Master's in Education in May 2013 at Claremont Graduate University and was a high school science teacher. Laurie passed away in July 2013. Karen and Gary White established the fund in their daughter's name to provide scholarships to qualified second-year EATM students.

2021

# LAURIE WHITE EATM SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Chantal Nolli

Yiwen Tsao

Amanda Jean Vandenberg

# MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS



2021

## SHAWN WILLIAMS EATM SCHOLARSHIP

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Shawn was a lifelong animal lover, especially reptiles and elephants. He was a 2006 EATM graduate and worked with animals for a few years.

He was a State of California employee when he died at age 35.

He is survived by his parents, Tom and Terrie Williams; wife, Susan, who he met at EATM; and daughters, Brooke and Hailey.

2021

# SHAWN WILLIAMS EATM SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Jacob Weldon Betancourt

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



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## ORGANIZATION & DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

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# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## ACADEMIC SENATE SCHOLARSHIP

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The Academic Senate of Moorpark College works to provide an environment that is conducive to its faculty membership providing instructional excellence to our students. It is thus particularly pleased to offer three scholarships this year; each one is given to an exceptional individual who yet typifies the experience of so many of our students.



2021

# ACADEMIC SENATE SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Luke Makoto Takara Barrella

Sarah Jo Ramsey

Jemina Claire Rivera

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## ACCESS SCHOLARSHIP

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The scholarship is established for Accessibility Coordination Center & Educational Support Services (ACCESS) students majoring in any discipline and who demonstrate assistance to other students.

2021

# ACCESS SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Evan Schwartz

Tyler Williams

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## ART/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP

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Students who apply are judged  
on the art pieces they submit.

2021

# ART/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP



# RECIPIENT

Molly Hazel Earl

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## ASMC MANAGING CRISIS SCHOLARSHIP

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The Associated Students of Moorpark College (ASMC) Board of Directors is excited to award the Managing Crisis Scholarship to Moorpark College students who enrich student life at Moorpark College with their commitment to excellence in academics, leadership, and campus involvement, but were adversely affected by the Coronavirus crisis.



2021

# ASMC MANAGING CRISIS SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Luke Makoto Takara Barrella  
Sydney Jessica Flamm  
Kathryn Anne Givvin  
Zachary Gwennap  
Hyun Jin Kim

Christian Lezi  
Simrat Pal Singh Libra  
Jemina Claire Rivera  
Eliana Monique Sandoval Nali  
Iswarya Vimalan Jeya

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP

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Established by the Biology Department faculty to encourage students to continue in the different fields of Biology. The student must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and be transferring to a four-year college or university the following fall semester.

2021

# BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Katharine Cassidy Sontag

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## BRIAN WOLVERTON ANTHROPOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

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In 2008, Brian Wolverton graduated with an Associate of Arts degree in cultural anthropology from Moorpark College. He wanted to better understand different cultures and dreamed of applying his knowledge for the betterment of others. Brian joined the US Army after graduation and was assigned to the 10th Mountain Division in New York. He was deployed to Afghanistan, where he was killed in a Taliban attack on his operating base in August 2009. He was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star and Purple Heart. He was unable realize his dream of continuing his studies.

2021

# BRIAN WOLVERTON ANTHROPOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Diana Hamideh

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



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**CLASSIFIED SENATE**

2021

## CLASSIFIED SENATE SCHOLARSHIP

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The Moorpark College Classified Senate awards scholarships to well deserving students who are either classified employees or a dependent of a classified employee at Moorpark College.



2021

# CLASSIFIED SENATE SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Kane Hudson Agar  
Marcela Hernandez  
Kristen Robinson

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## THE EDDINGER FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

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Established by a former Moorpark College President, Dr. Pam Eddinger, the scholarship was designated for students majoring in the Arts and Sciences.

2021

# THE EDDINGER FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Andrea Natalia Scarano

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## ENGLISH DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

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The scholarship is funded by donations from the English faculty and recognizes outstanding English students who represent the very best of Moorpark College students. The department is happy and proud to recognize their achievements.

2021

# ENGLISH DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Isabelle Delman

Navya Hari

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## THE FRED KAVLI SCHOLARSHIPS

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Awarded to high-achieving students in the fields of Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, Mathematics, and Physics. There is one recipient for each category this year.



2021

# THE FRED KAVLI SCHOLARSHIPS



## RECIPIENTS

Shayan Gheidari/**Biology**

Palak Sharma/**Chemistry**

Jinhong Kim/**Computer Science**

Isaiah Marciano Huma/**Engineering**

Agnieszka Renata Kaufman/**Mathematics**

Sydney Skorpen/**Physics**

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## JOURNALISM SCHOLARSHIP

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This scholarship is funded by faculty members in the Journalism Department and is awarded to journalism majors.

2021

# JOURNALISM SCHOLARSHIP



# RECIPIENT

Ryan Bough

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## LGBTQIA+ AND ALLIES SCHOLARSHIP

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Established by Distinguished Faculty Chair, Sally Ponce-O'Rourke. The scholarship is awarded to a student who demonstrates that they are or have been an advocate for the LGBTQIA+ Community during their education at Moorpark College.

2021

# LGBTQIA+ AND ALLIES SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Shayan Gheidari

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## RANFORD HOPKINS & CYNTHIA BARNETT MULTICULTURAL DAY SCHOLARSHIP

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The Multicultural Day Committee wished to honor the time, effort, and heart Professors Ranford Hopkins and Cynthia Barnett put into the creation and development of Moorpark College's Multicultural Day event, which highlights MC's commitment to advancing a global perspective. Second, the scholarship further honors their legacy by recognizing the development of cultural literacy and a multicultural mindset in the context of a complete educational experience.



2021

# RANFORD HOPKINS & CYNTHIA BARNETT MULTICULTURAL DAY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Gerald Richardson III

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## DR. DAVID K. MURPHY SCHOLARSHIP

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This scholarship Honors retired Moorpark College Chemistry Professor, David K. Murphy. The award is given to a student demonstrating excellence in chemistry and will continue studies at Moorpark College or transfer to a four-year college or university in the fall semester.

2021

# DR. DAVID K. MURPHY SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Iswarya Vimalan Jeya

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## OUTSTANDING COMPUTER SCIENCE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

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Established to honor a student's outstanding performance in Computer Science courses as recognized by the faculty.

2021

# OUTSTANDING COMPUTER SCIENCE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Eden Corey Rosales

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## PRODUCER'S CHOICE FILM, TELEVISION & MULTIMEDIA SCHOLARSHIP

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Established to help students in the Film/Television Media Program write, shoot, and edit a short film. Recognizing the expense and difficulties in film and TV production, the scholarship will help students reach their goals.



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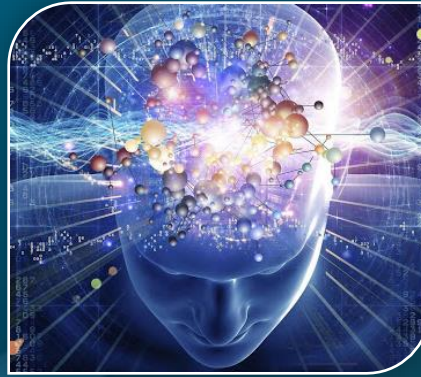
# PRODUCER'S CHOICE FILM, TELEVISION & MULTIMEDIA SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENT

Sherrie Lynn Richman

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

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The Psychology Department faculty established the scholarship to support students, who completed two psychology courses and enrich the college both in the classroom and through community service. This scholarship recognizes a student with a GPA of 3.0 or higher and who are continuing their studies.

2021

# PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Kathryn Givvin

Kathy Rodriguez

Kathleen Soto Gisler

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## DEAN BRENDA SHUBERT NURSING/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP

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This scholarship recognizes students in the Moorpark College Nursing Program who maintain a GPA of 3.0 or higher and continue their studies in the fall semester. Brenda Shubert was the Director of the Moorpark College Nursing Program for many years before becoming a dean.

2021

DEAN BRENDA SHUBERT  
NURSING/OSHER SCHOLARSHIP



RECIPIENT

James Gallant

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## SPIRIT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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Established in memory of Spirit the mountain lion by Mara Rodriguez, the Zoo Development coordinator at America's Teaching Zoo. The recipient demonstrates an overwhelming amount of loyalty and "spirit" for the Exotic Animal Training & Management Program and zoo while maintaining a 3.0 GPA.



2021

# SPIRIT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP



# RECIPIENT

Jacob Weldon Betancourt

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



2021

## DAVID K. WAGNER SCHOLARSHIP

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The scholarship honors one of Moorpark College's founding faculty members. The award is given to a student who shows exceptional promise in science.

2021

# DAVID K. WAGNER SCHOLARSHIP



# RECIPIENT

Weda Latif

# MOORPARK COLLEGE



## 2021 FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

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2021

## DISTINGUISHED FACULTY CHAIR

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Because of the pandemic, a Distinguished Faculty Chair was not chosen this year. Traditionally, the MC Academic Senate acknowledges a faculty member who embodies the best of what college has to offer students in the classroom and in service to students with this honor, and the Foundation establishes a scholarship in their name with the option for the faculty member to continue the scholarship. Those who have chosen to award scholarships this year and their recipients are as follows.

2021

# THE FRED KAVLI SCHOLARSHIPS



## RECIPIENTS

Shayan Gheidari/**Gene Berg** - Science

Beatriz Susana Fontenla Lago/**Clint Harper** - Education

Ricci Bester/**John Loprieno** – Theatre Arts

Kari Joy Esseff/**Sharon Manakas** – Health Related Field

Gillian Kalmey/**James Peddie** - EATM





2021

## CONTINUING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

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This scholarship was established by the Foundation and is funded through a variety of fundraising activities. The goal of the scholarship is to support students who will be continuing their educational pursuits at Moorpark College.

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# CONTINUING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

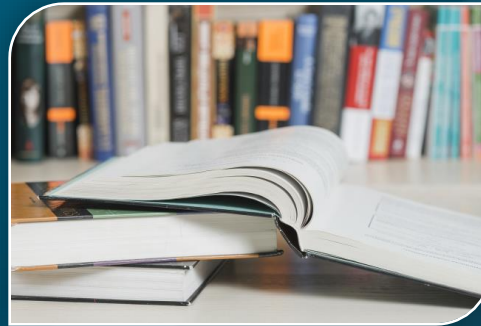
Stanley Ayieye

Alanah Cole

Maria Echeverria

Heryka Lima Ferreira

Adailton Nali Junior



2021

## MOORPARK COLLEGE TEXTBOOK SCHOLARSHIP

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The Foundation established the Moorpark College Textbook Scholarship to help students continue their studies at Moorpark College by providing funds for textbooks. Thirteen students have been awarded this scholarship this year.

2021

# MOORPARK COLLEGE TEXTBOOK SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Karina Arteaga  
Stanley Ayieye  
Kadin Bolton  
Alyssa Brook  
Rachel Coleman  
Gabriel Hoffman  
Sahaiei Khan

Heryka Lima Ferreira  
Marie Megrish  
Ethan Pante  
Consuelo Daniela Sandoval  
Yiwen Tsao  
Krista Uchimiya



## HONOR'S PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP

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Two scholarships were designated by the Moorpark College Foundation to recognize the achievements of students in Moorpark College's Honors Program: The President's Honors Scholarship for a Continuing Student and The President's Honors Scholarship for a Transferring Student.

2021

# HONOR'S PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

The President's Honors Scholarship  
for a Continuing Student

Jessica Marie Collins

The President's Honors Scholarship  
for a Transferring Student

Emma Clare Hawes



# Moorpark College Foundation



2021

## JAMES WALKER TEACHING SCHOLARSHIP

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This scholarship was created in the honor of Dr. James Walker's 10 years of service as Moorpark College President. Reflecting his passion for excellence in teaching, the scholarship is awarded to students who will be our future teachers.

2021

# JAMES WALKER TEACHING SCHOLARSHIP



## RECIPIENTS

Beatriz Susana Fontenla Lago



2021

## OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR COMPETITOR AWARD FOR FORENSICS

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The award was created by the Moorpark College Foundation. Because forensics is a co-curricular activity, this award emphasizes academic excellence and competitive success. It is awarded each year to the student on the team who exhibits the highest standards of academic achievement coupled with competitive success.

2021

OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR  
COMPETITOR AWARD  
FOR FORENSICS



RECIPIENT

Erin Ruiz Van Vuren



2021

## THE PIELAET-MORAD AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SPEAKER - FORENSICS

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Named for David Pielat and Feras Morad, forensics team members whose time at MC was separated by over 30 years. Both men embody excellence, with multiple national championship wins and dedication to their communities. Both lives were tragically ended in the summers after they were on the team, David's in a tragic car accident and Feras as the victim of a senseless murder. This award is given to the top student who has completed their competitive career on the team and reflects the values of these men.

2021

# THE PIELAET-MORAD AWARD

FOR OUTSTANDING SPEAKER - FORENSICS



# RECIPIENT

Annie Dilsizian





2021

## THE WYMAN-STRONG AWARD FOR FORENSICS

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Named after the two former coaches who founded the Moorpark College team – Jim Wyman, director of Forensics at MC for nearly four decades, and Dick Strong, founder of the team in 1971. Together, they built the No. 1 community college forensics program in the nation, while also creating a safe place for students of all ages to discover and develop their talents and use them as a springboard for life success. This award is given each year to the outstanding first-year competitor on the team.

2021

# THE WYMAN-STRONG AWARD FOR FORENSICS



# RECIPIENT

Jane Walgren

2020-2021

# OSHER FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED PRIOR TO TODAY'S CEREMONY



## RECIPIENTS

Martha Aikiriza

Abbey Katrina Austin-Wood

Aaron Borkovec

Tatiana Caputo

Ryan Chamoun

Lauren Faciana

Cheska Facturan

Whitney Gibson

Jessica Hahn

Jennifer Hernandez

Fatima Latif

Kim Philip Laruga Pepito

2020-2021

# OSHER FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED PRIOR TO TODAY'S CEREMONY



## RECIPIENTS

Gerald Richardson III

Lynn Robnett

Oscar Rojas Esqueda

Mahsa Sadri

Eliana Monique Sandoval Nali

Andrea Natalia Scarano

Samantha Simington

Kieu Thi Mai

Noah Wilkes

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