Huntington High School 2014 National History Day Local Award Winners

Senior Division

Historical Paper:

3rd: The Japanese American Internment During WWII - Katie Duval

2nd: Long Island and the Push for Revolution: Huntington's Efforts to Gain Colonial Rights - Thomas Kouttron

2nd: Ethnic Cleansing in Bosnia: The Right to Own Private Property and the Deficiency in Government Responsibility - Olivia Stamatatos

1st: The Tientsin Massacre: A Violent Outbreak and an Abrogation of Responsibility - Emily Shutman

Individual Website:

3rd: Eugenics: Revoking Rights One Sterilization at a Time - Aaron Feltman

2nd: Salem Witch Trials - Chloe Liepa

1st: The Care and Treatment of the Mentally Ill in America from the 19th Century - Lena Scarpulla

Group Website:

3rd: A Hidden Army: Women in WWII - Ripley Mars, Grace Rowley & Latoya Shand

2nd: The Rape of Nanjing - Nina Cartwright, Alex Koumas and Sabrina Palacios

1st: Women in Prohibition - Cassie Berwick, Rachel Carpenter, Lexi Mills and Caroline Petrozzo

Individual Documentary:

3rd: Jazz and Civil Rights - Dylan DelGiudice

2nd: Ayalon Institute - Spencer Pashkin

1st: Kristallnacht - Kyle O'Brien

Group Documentary:

3rd: *Apartheid in South Africa* - Hillary Hardardt, Mary Sheehan, Katie Nugent and Olivia Lopez

2nd: Deforestation in Brazil - Tom Kopstein and Cole Blackburn

1st: Women's Rights during the Taliban: A Sad and Heartbreaking Struggle - Nancy Fallon and Melany Lanham-Ciancia

Individual Exhibit:

3rd: The Indus Waters Treaty: With Great Waters Comes Great Responsibility - Tommy Dayton 2nd: Honor Killings - Emma Pandolfi

1st: The Nuremberg Laws - Caroline McCartney

Group Exhibit:

3rd: King Leopold: Butcher of the Congo - Ethan Dwyer and Joseph Puca

2nd: The Amistad: The Struggle for Human Rights - Sam Latt and Cara Sorrentino

1st: Children of the Holocaust - Charlie Ehrman and Tim Callahan

2014 SPECIAL AWARDS:

Best Ancient History Topic:

Code of Hammurabi Abby Bellistri, Louis Koepele and Lauren McGlone

Best Modern History Topic:

The Fall of the Berlin Wall
Matt McBride, Elisa Medina and Savannah Richardson

Best Topic in American History Senior Division:

Nellie Bly and Asylum Reform Kaitlin Dayton, Caitlin Knowles and Kaitlin Wascher

Outstanding Entry on Military History:

Operation My Lai Kevin McConnell

Peacemaker Award:

Mohandas Gandhi Yardalie Daniel

Outstanding Entry on the Physical and Life Sciences:

Eugenics in America: Revoking Rights, One Sterilization at a Time Aaron Feltman

Outstanding Entry on Genocide, Bias or Tolerance:

No one is Mistreated for Being "Normal": Transgender Rights Amy Schmelter and Brendan Wirth

Outstanding Entry on African-American History:

Ruby Bridges
Sophia Latt and Emily Williams

Outstanding Entry on Women's History:

Women's Suffrage Movement
Brooke Baade and Jaclyn Schultz

Outstanding Entry on Irish History:

The Irish Potato Famine Elizabeth Berejka

National Archives Award:

Women in Prohibition Cassie Berwick, Lexi Mills, Caroline Petrozzo and Rachel Carpenter

Clio Award (rewards innovation and creative excellence):

The Triangle Shirtwaist Fire
Molly Warren and Gabby Grenier

Jack Abrams Local History Award:

Nathan Hale Louis Annunziata, William Fehrs and Scott Venturino

Principal's Award:

Women in WWII Holly Grabowski