

"ISEF was a once in a lifetime opportunity. I was able to talk to and be inspired by Regeneron's George Yancopoulos. I made friends from across the world, many of whom I still talk with today. As these friends and I enter college, we will never forget our time at ISEF. It has been an invaluable experience."

Kevin Qian, 2019 ISEF Finalist

"I definitely learned a lot from this experience (ISEF) and plan to apply it to all my future scientific endeavors."

Sanjit Thangarasu, 2019 ISEF Finalist

Additional awards sponsored by the following community organizations

- American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics National Capital Section
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- American Industrial Hygiene Society—Potomac Section
- AstraZeneca
- BeSTEM! Summer Camp
- Chesapeake Water Environment Association
- DC American Nuclear Society
- DC Commissioned Officers Association/U.S. Public Health Service
- Educational Systems: Federal Credit Union
- Federal Water Quality Association
- Geological Society of Washington
- Graduate Women in Science NCC
- IEEE Washington Section
- MIT Club of Washington DC
- Montgomery County Master Gardeners
- MRIGlobal
- National Capitol Astronomers
- QIAGEN
- Rockville Science Center, Inc.
- Sigma Xi - FDA Chapter
- The Aerospace Corporation
- U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
- Washington Statistical Society

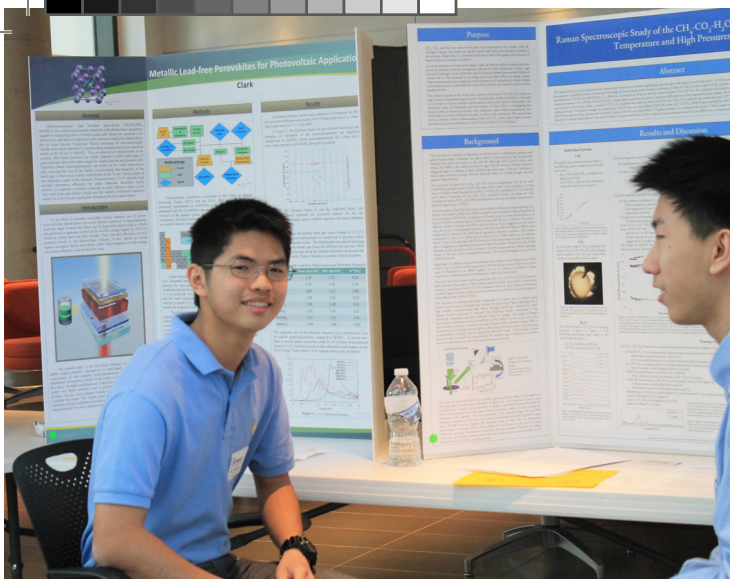
64th Annual **Montgomery County Science Fair**

March 20-21, 2020

U.S. Food and Drug Administration
10903 New Hampshire Avenue
Silver Spring, MD



www.sciencemontgomery.org



Top 5 Reasons to enter the Science Fair

1. Feed your curiosity
2. Develop new skills
3. Share your interest with other students
4. Present your work to professional scientists and engineers
5. Earn acclaim (and prizes) for your project

Science Fair Calendar

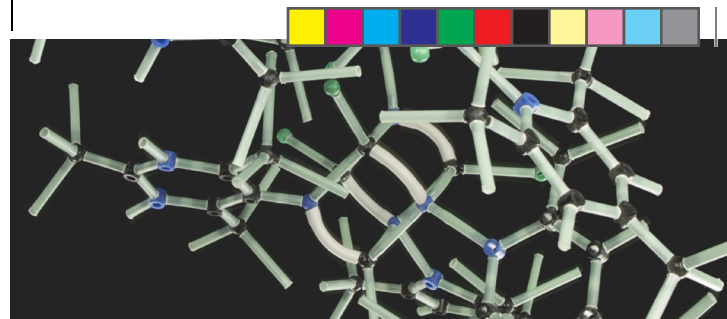
January 28 Last Day for Registration
 March 20 Project Set-up at FDA
 March 21 Judging at FDA
 March 22 Awards Ceremony at MBHS auditorium

Registration

Students should register their projects at www.sciencemontgomery.org. The fee for registration is twenty dollars; if the fee presents a hardship, students may apply for a waiver from the fair director.

Category Prizes

1st place	\$100
2nd place	\$50
3rd place	\$25



Success at 2019 ISEF

Each year, four projects are chosen to represent our fair at the International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF). In the Phoenix, AZ competition, the ScienceMONGTOMERY ISEF finalists earned the following awards.

Category Awards

Second Award (\$1500) Physical Sciences:
 Physics and Astronomy *Kevin Qian*

Third Award (\$1000) Life Sciences:
 Translational Medicine *Allie Amerman*

Third Award (\$1000) Life Sciences:
 Translational Medicine *Ishana Shastri*

Fourth Award (\$500) Physical Sciences:
 Mechanical Engineering *Sanjit Thangarasu*

Additional Awards

United States Agency for International Development: Science for Development First Place Award of \$5,000 *Sanjit Thangarasu*

Fondazione Bruno Kessler: Award to Travel to Trento, Italy to participate in summer school "Web Valley" *Ishana Shastri*