Team Illinois 2021

The following students/projects have been selected by the judges at Illinois History Day to represent Illinois at the 2021 NHD Virtual National Contest! Join us in cheering them on at the NHD National Contest!

Documentaries

Junior Group Documentaries	Senior Group Documentaries
Annya Kong, Carolina Herrera, Melania Herrera- <i>The</i> <i>Cold War: How the Perception of Socialism Changed</i> <i>in America</i> Hawthorne Scholastic Academy	Alexander Broihier, Jac Copeland, Lukas Tichota, Noah Battle, Porter Shawver- Sensational! How Upton Sinclair's 'The Jungle' Impacted Modern Journalism Niles North High School
Bogdan Jones, Elle Costello, Iyana Thompson, Madeline Walsh, Triniti West- <i>1919 and 1968: An</i> <i>Echo in History</i> Whitney Young Academic Center	Brent Pennington, Kara Tao, Sandra Mordi- "Say It Loud, I'm Black and I'm Proud": The Media's Misrepresentation of the Black Panther Party University of Chicago Lab School

Junior Individual Documentaries	Senior Individual Documentaries
Sofia Wang- The Power of Political Cartoons: Illustrating Chinese Discrimination Quest Academy	Christine Park: Freedom Day: The Racial Inequality in Education is Brought to Light Niles North High School
Gabrielle Domercant- <i>Communication In History: The</i> <i>Key To Understanding The 1963 Chicago Public</i> <i>Schools Boycott</i> Mayer Elementary	Clara Biela- Two Thumbs Up: How Siskel and Ebert Brought Film Criticism into America's Living Room Rickover Naval Academy

Exhibits

Junior Group Exhibits	Senior Group Exhibits
Andrew Yamaguchi, Harshil Joshi- The Count and His Band: Revolutionizing Jazz Mead Junior High	Ayda Alakrawi, Tanvir Kaur- NACW: Elevating the Voices of Black Women CICS Northtown Academy
Alvena Bhutiani, Alyssa Senese- The Subjacent Meanings of Jazz: A Means of Communication for Social Change Mead Junior High	Josie Daniels, Mary Daniels- <i>1939 NY World's Fair</i> Vernon Hills High School

Junior Individual Exhibits	Senior Individual Exhibits
Fiona Jin- The Phoenix from the Ashes: How and Why the 1911 Triangle Shirtwaist Factory Fire Blazed a Trail in Workers' Rights Twin Groves Middle School	"Loud Mouth Martha" How Martha Mitchell Flooded Watergate Carbondale Community High School
Sophia Borgula- "A Polish Immigrant's Read: Historic Polish Newspapers in Chicago" Lane Tech Academic Center	Lydia Morrison- <i>Earth Day Communication in History</i> Maine South High School

Websites

Junior Group Websites	Senior Group Websites
Chloe Gallagher, Isabel McCarthy, Kelsey Sullivan- The Fight for Women's Voting Rights: The Illinois Women's Suffrage Movement Coonley Elementary School	Aditi Bobba, Kavya Akkina- <i>"Fake News" of the 1950s:</i> <i>How McCarthyism was Defeated</i> Stevenson High School
Fani Mo, Julia Kwiek, Molly Chochola, Shirley Ruan, Yufei Zeng- From Miscommunication to Unionization: The Formation of the Chicago Teachers Union Whitney Young Academic Center	Eleonore Vuillemin, Grace Sawin, Ishani Pidara- <i>Fred</i> <i>Hampton</i> Lincoln Park High School

Junior Individual Websites	Senior Individual Websites
Anjali Mathew- The Navajo Code Talkers: How the Communication of the Unbreakable Code Changed WW2 and Revolutionized Code-Talking Skinner North Classical School	Isabelle Ravanas- <i>Esperanto- The One Who Hopes</i> Independent Scholars
Steven Jiang- "The Whole World Is Watching!" Keller Regional Gifted Center	Ivan Gutierrez- <i>Music in the Civil Rights Movement</i> Lincoln Park High School

Performances

Junior Group Performances	Senior Group Performances
Lillian Theard, Mari Kurian, Mischa Reddy, Nadia Brasseur- <i>Queen of the Guillotine</i> Taft Academic Center	Amanda Cassel, Anathea Carrigan- The War of the Words
Gabrielle David, Jillian Myers- Phyllis Schaffly Communicates a Different Perspective Lakeview Junior High	University of Chicago Lab School

Junior Individual Performances	Senior Individual Performances
Caspian Pirtle- STAND UP, FIGHT BACK: Larry Kramer, ACT UP and a Philosophy of Anger In Activism The Catherine Cook School	James Sowerby- Out of the Mist: Daniel Webster's "Second Reply to Hayne" and Shorthand in National Communication University of Chicago Lab School
Oliver Antonelli- <i>The Subtle Secret: The Reason for the Allies Victory in World War II</i> Quest Academy	Mary Ann Bickerdyke: The Messenger on The Battlefield Carbondale Community High School

Papers

Junior Division Papers	Senior Division Papers
Alan Hoffman- Fire Side Chats: Presidential	Benjamin Conley- Public Health Communication
Communication	During the Spanish Flu Epidemic
Saint Luke Academy - Chicago	University of Chicago Lab School
Neena Agrawal- From Darwin to the American	Saul Arnow- Eugene V. Debs: Ambassador for
Eugenics Movement: Miscommunication of On the	Socialism
Origin of Species Skinner North Classical School	University of Chicago Lab School