

Chicago Metro History Fair Student Special Awards 2021

Student Special Awards (Senior Finalists only)

Jewish History Award

Jewish Women's Congress/ National Council of Jewish Women

by Sara Kulesza

LGBTQ+ History Award

The Chicago Queer Rights Movement of the 1980s-90s

by Dina Shukman

Russell L. Lewis, Jr. Award for Chicago History

Jane: Chicago's Underground Abortion Service

by Camille Goldberg and Leta Blades

and

*Chicago Zines: How They Interacted with and were Influenced by the Counterculture Movements of the 1960s
and 1990s*

by Rachel Harris

Obenshain Award for Architectural History

"Less is More": How Mies' Message Transformed Chicago and Modern Architecture

by Mimi Waddell

History Fair in Action Awards

Chicago Community Award

Junior Division

*AfriCobra Bright Colors Bold Messages:
Communication Through Art*

By Aubrey Ewing

Senior Division

*Hazel M. Johnson: 'Mother of the Environmental
Justice Movement'*

By Eliana Bernat and Irene Im

History in my Backyard

Junior Division

*Pilsen Murals: Messages of Activism Embedded in
the Walls*

By Antonio Zetina, Jonathan Pierson and Wilson
Macbeth

Senior Division

*From the Balkans to the Big City: The History of Bosnian
Muslims Immigrating to Chicago, forming the Džemijatul
Hajija, and spreading Islam throughout the United States*

By Hana Dedic

Power of the People

Junior Division

*The Progression and Communication of the Gay
Liberation Movement*

By Aisling Panjwani, Allison Anderson, Ash V. Liang
and Sora Schrank

Senior Division

*The Radical Advocacy of the Young Lords: How
Disruptive Protesting Effectively Communicated the*

Needs of Chicago's Puerto Rican Community

By Luciana Costanzo