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**RESOLUTION HONORING THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE  
52<sup>ND</sup> CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS STUDENT SCIENCE FAIR**

**WHEREAS**, ten thousand participating students in the Chicago Public Schools, having concluded all of the activities of the 52<sup>nd</sup> Student Science Fair, and

**WHEREAS**, two hundred eight-seven students were selected to display their projects in the annual and city science fair and sixty students delivered papers in the symposium held at the Museum of Science and Industry on March 18 –24, 2002, and

**WHEREAS**, fifty projects and fifteen papers were selected to be displayed and delivered at the annual Illinois Junior Academy of Science Exposition held at the University of Illinois at Urbana/Champaign on May 3 and 4, 2002, and four outstanding high school projects were selected to be displayed at the International Science and Engineering Fair held in Louisville, Kentucky on May 12- 18, 2002, and

**WHEREAS**, eighty percent of Chicago Public Schools student projects and eighty percent of the symposium entries were awarded an Outstanding rating and both competitions at the Illinois Junior Academy of Science Competition and these students earned many special awards including 11 out of 32 Best of Category awards, the Award from the Illinois Engineering Council, the American Nuclear Society, Office of Naval Research, and the Illinois Statistical Association, and

**WHEREAS**, students from Chicago won top prizes in each of the three state essay contests, and

**WHEREAS**, one of the Chicago Public Schools students who participated in the International Science and Engineering Fair won a First Place Grand Award and the Best in Category Award and two students won Fourth Place Grand Awards.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago gathered here this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2002, hereby commend the students for their superior science acumen and technical skill in conducting individual research initiatives, congratulate their parents for their tremendous support, and acknowledge the incredible mentoring by the teachers and sponsors in the development of the research projects.

**CPS Student Science Fair Winners**

**City Fair winners Going to the State Fair**

Acevedo, Jose  
 Aguilar, Frank  
 Arca, Lesley  
 Augustyn, Elizabeth  
 Bader, Eli  
 Basko, Xheni  
 Bassett, Leo  
 Clemmons, Jordan  
 Columbretis, Felice  
 Coologeorgen, Alexander  
 Daniel, Kiara  
 Dowel, Jasmine  
 Esparza, Alexandra  
 Fenn, Jacqueline  
 Friedman, Peter  
 Gafoor, Sana  
 Gafoor, Sehar  
 Galvez, Lillian  
 Gartel, Lally  
 Goldberg, Joshua  
 Gordon, Mari  
 Hochberg, Michelle  
 Hodges, Moira  
 Hoellwarth, Jason  
 Holman, Rachel

**Symposium Winners**

Aguilar, Frank  
 Chauduri, Shamita  
 Esparza, Alexandra  
 Feldman, Ian  
 Gafoor, Sana  
 Gafoor, Sehar  
 Hoellwarth, Jason  
 Jones, Michelle  
 Khokhar, Umar  
 Lumani, Blerta  
 McKinney, Caleb  
 Medvedev, Gleb  
 Mustafi, Debarshi  
 Sandberg, Emily  
 Stewart, Andrew

**Essay Winners**  
 Abutaha, Maha  
 Adan, Antonio  
 Coury, Sarah  
 Ichishita, Lynn  
 Jacox, Elaine  
 Jones, Samuel  
 Moore, Eric  
 Vaughn, Christen

**Scholarship Winners**

Almberg, Kirsten  
 Bachrach, Jessica  
 Carter, Kenneth  
 Haddad, Ellen  
 Harris, Chataasha  
 Jakus, Nathaniel  
 Jones, Michelle  
 Kane, Daniel  
 Knox, Robin  
 Koti, Vjola  
 Kujawa, Samantha  
 Luna, Abraham  
 McCormick, Michael  
 McGonegle, Erin  
 Mitchell, Chanika  
 Mustafi, Debarshi  
 Nigaglioni, William  
 Piccolo, Salvatore  
 Rong, Huilian  
 Schiff, Davida  
 Schroeter, Elena  
 Smith, Jessica  
 Wang, Jingjing  
 White, Lakeisha  
 Wolnowska, Izabella  
 Zapater, Joseph

**International Fair Winners**

**Mustafi, Debarshi**  
*Best in Category Award*  
*1<sup>st</sup> Place Grand Award*

**Aguilar, Frank**  
*4<sup>th</sup> Place Grand Award*

**Gafoor, Sehar**  
*4<sup>th</sup> Place Grand Award*

**Stewart, Andrew**  
*Participation Award*

**ISEF Alternates**  
 Dowell, Jasmine  
 Gafoor, Sana

**Illinois Junior**  
**Academy of Science**  
**IJAS Cover Design**  
 Sanchez, James