

The Excellence in Creative Inquiry Student Award is awarded to four undergraduates each year to recognize outstanding participation in undergraduate research or creative activities during the summer, including participation in the Creative Inquiry Summer Experience (CISE) program. Recipients receive a monetary award of \$250 and a certificate to commemorate their accomplishments. Students are nominated for this award by their faculty mentor.

Summer 2021

- x Austin Day Mentor: Dr. Jane Liu. Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering (College of Engineering). Project Title: Modeling Energy Dissipation in Viscoelastic Metamaterial Components
- x Rebecca Firth Mentor: Dr. Wilson Gichuhi. Department of Chemistry (College of Arts and Sciences). Project Title: Photoelectron Spectroscopy of Mono and Dicyanobenzene Anions
- x Jaclyn Kreeger Mentor: Dr. Lauren Michel. Department of Earth Sciences (College of Arts and Sciences). Project Title: Paleoclimate Data on Rusinga Island
- x Abby Ramaker Mentors: Mr. Perry Johnson, Ms. Meredith Lewis, Dr. Shawn Krosnick, Ms. Delayne Miller. School of Art, Craft and Design (College of Fine Arts). Project Title: Campus Mural in Native Plant Garden
- x Hayden Suddeath Mentors: Dr. Twanelle Majors and Dr. Oana Cojocar. Department

Summer 2019

x Courtney LaPointe.