

UGA Libraries Undergraduate Research Award

Since 2007, the UGA Libraries has sponsored the Undergraduate Research Awards, which provide cash prizes for excellence in research. Awards range from \$250-\$1,000.

This year, we wanted to celebrate the different kinds of research projects students participate in and, more importantly, understand what they learned from the process. All formats were encouraged, and submissions were evaluated based on their creativity, clarity of expression, and research process reflection.

Recipients for the 2025 CURO Symposium are listed below, along with their project title and medium.

First Place

Zachary Stiles

Conducting Historical Research Online Course

Project medium: Online Course

Second Place

Mann Chung Hak Sy Tha

Paradise Lived

Project medium: Interactive fiction

Third Place

Raquel Beatriz Caldas Laranjeira

Brazil's Humanitarian Visa Program for Haitian Migrants: A Critical Analysis of Policy Gaps, Regional Disparities, and Integration Challenges

Project medium: Comic strip

Honorable Mention

Sophia Nguyen

The Toughs: A Story of Repression and Dissent

Project medium: Choose your own adventure game

Honorable Mention

Hanif Zaman

My Journey from a Student to a Protein Biochemist

Project medium: Website