

Winners

2022 PHM Health Professions Creative Medical Writing and Art Contest

Marguerite Rush-Lerner prizes awarded to Medical Student winners

POETRY

1 st Place	Anna Vignola	as the sun sets behind our fig tree	Yale Physician Assistant Online Program 2022
2 nd Place	Aaron Phillips	Loving with Long Covid	Yale Physician Assistant Online Program 2023
3 rd Place (Tie)	Christina Ruiz	My Choice	Yale Physician Assistant Online Program 2023
3 rd Place (Tie) Rush-Lerner Prize	Olivia Belliveau	Naked in Front of William Hunter	Yale School of Medicine 2025
3 rd Place (Tie)	Mariko Rooks	on white-coated flags (or what victory surrenders)	Yale School of Public Health 2022
Honorable Mention	Mariko Rooks	Enumerations: On Love	Yale School of Public Health 2022
Honorable Mention Rush-Lerner Prize	Erika Chang-Sing	Little Node	Yale School of Medicine 2024
Honorable Mention Rush-Lerner Prize	Natnael (Natty) Doilicho	Recompense	Yale School of Medicine 2023

PROSE

1 st Place (Tie) Rush-Lerner Prize	Isaiah Thomas	The End of Days	Yale School of Medicine 2023
1 st Place (Tie)	Adriana Cherskov	The Judge	Grad. School of Arts & Sciences (MD/PhD Program)
2 nd Place (Tie)	Barbara Odac, MBChB	A Letter to SARS-CoV-2 from HIV	Yale School of Public Health 2022
2 nd Place (Tie)	Taylor Evans	A Mother's Musings	Yale School of Nursing 2024 (Nurse Midwifery)
3 rd Place	Jeremy Mills	The Successors	Yale School of Nursing 2024
Honorable Mention	Similoluwa Odetola	Kismet	Yale School of Public Health 2023
Honorable Mention Rush-Lerner Prize	Christina Lepore	Uniform	Yale School of Medicine 2023

ART

1 st Place Rush-Lerner Prize	Simone Hasselmo	Collapse	Yale School of Medicine 2023
2 nd Place	Anqi He	skin archive	Yale School of Public Health 2023
3 rd Place Rush-Lerner Prize	Keyuree Satam	Behind the Scenes: The Art of Science	Yale School of Medicine 2023
Honorable Mention Rush-Lerner Prize	Grace Wang	Weathered	Yale School of Medicine 2025
Honorable Mention	Alex Hauptli	Drowning	Yale Physician Associate Program 2022
Honorable Mention	Aaron Phillips	Holding On	Yale Physician Assistant Online Program 2023
Honorable Mention	Nicholas Radell	Jahi McGath	Yale Physician Associate Program 2022
Honorable Mention	Zeynep Inanoglu	Mom and me	Yale School of Nursing 2024

Contest Judges: Aba Black, Terry Dagradi, Rosana Gonzalez-Colaso, Lorence Gutterman, Melissa Grafe, Randi Hutter-Epstein, Kenneth Morford, Sharon Ostfeld-Johns, Rita Rienzo, Jennifer Reynolds-Kaye, Lisa Sanders, Nora Segar, Susan Wheeler, Joanne Wilcox; Elizabeth Marhoffer; and Muffy Pendergast