

2020 Scholarships, Awards & Grants Recipients

V.A. Leonard Scholarship

Undergraduate

Kimia Bell

North Carolina Central University
Eta Lambda Chapter

Graduate

Ashlerose Francia

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Regina B. Shearn Scholarship

Undergraduate

Mya White

Heidelberg University
Pi Delta Pi Chapter

Graduate

Alberto Salazar

New Mexico State University
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Best Paper Competition

Undergraduate

1st place

Emily Giese

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces Alpha Chi Alpha
Chapter
“Residential Segregation & Crime”

2nd place

Taylor Gonzales

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter
*“The Racial Disparities Present in the Sentencing Phase of the
U.S. Criminal Justice System”*

2nd place

Merlyn Recinos

College of New Jersey, Delta Phi Sigma Chapter
“Reform and Justice: The United States’ Bail System”

Graduate

1st place

Raya Berkley

University of Maryland Eastern Shore
Gamma Omicron Chapter
*“The Criminal Justice System’s Response to Intimate Partner
Violence”*

2nd place

Stephanie Novak

California State University, Fresno, Lambda Omega Chapter
“Perceptions of Emotional Intimate Partner Violence”

Community Service “Theme” Project Awards



FAMILY VIOLENCE

1st Place Tied

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Eastern Kentucky University
Epsilon Chapter

2nd Place

Missouri State University
Sigma Mu Sigma Chapter

3rd Place

Seaton Hill University
Pi Gamma Nu

Member of the Year

Kyle Reid

Boise State University

Advisors of the Year

Kristina Lopez
Pi Omega Chapter
University of North Florida

Ivy Yarcow-Brown
Sigma Mu Sigma Chapter
Missouri State University

Student Achievement Award

Leah Reilly
Kenneson State University

Rene Rodriguez
New Mexico State University

Kylie Stottlemeyer
Mary Baldwin University

Ginny Oshiro
California State, Fullerton

Daniel Lee
Boise State University

Star Chapters

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Eastern Kentucky University
Epsilon Chapter

Fairmont State University
Epsilon Iota Chapter

Missouri State University
Sigma Mu Sigma Chapter

North Carolina Central University
Eta Lambda Chapter

Website Awards

Boise State University
Alpha Kappa Chapter

Arizona State University
Beta Sigma Chapter

Ball State University
Beta Sigma Upsilon Chapter

Eastern Kentucky University
Epsilon Chapter

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Chapter Goal Awards

Unity, Educational Leadership, & Community Service

Leadership

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Service

Two Theme of the Year projects were very good therefore the award was split between both

Eastern Kentucky University
Epsilon Chapter

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Unity

Fairmont State University
Epsilon Iota Chapter

Eastern Kentucky University
Epsilon Chapter

T-Shirt Competition

1st place
New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

2nd place
Eastern Kentucky University
Epsilon Chapter

Outstanding Yearbook

New Mexico State University, Las Cruces
Alpha Chi Alpha Chapter

Fairmont State University
Epsilon Iota Chapter