

Jefferson

BOOK AWARD

For some, innovation is more than an idea, creativity is more than an exercise, and discovery is more than a revelation. For some, these ideals are a way of life—a means to build the world in which they want to live. Like Thomas Jefferson, these individuals display leadership and an unwavering commitment to serving the common good.

In recognition of this exemplary few, the University of Virginia is proud to offer the Jefferson Book Award, an honor recognizing outstanding high school juniors (or those in the next-to-graduating class) who embody Jefferson’s commitment to innovation, creativity, and the spirit of discovery.

Each year, high schools around the world select one student as the recipient of this prestigious honor. Through the support of local UVA Clubs, the honoree receives a copy of *Mr. Jefferson’s Telescope: A History of the University of Virginia in 100 Objects*, along with a bookplate and a certificate signed by University President James Ryan.

The award is an excellent way to recognize students’ individual achievements while introducing them to the extraordinary opportunities available at the University of Virginia.

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