

# Previous SSS Award Recipients

## Roll of Honor

*In recognition of a career of distinguished intellectual contributions to sociology*

2024 Larry Isaac, Vanderbilt University  
2023 Lynn Smith-Lovin, Duke University  
2020 Michael Hughes, Virginia Tech  
2015 Robert Agnew, Emory University  
2014 Walter Gove, Vanderbilt University  
2014 Kenneth Land, Duke University  
2013 John Shelton Reed, University of North  
2012 Ronald Wimberley, North Carolina State University  
2011 Charles S. Johnson, Fisk University  
2008 Clifton Bryan, Virginia Tech  
2008 Patricia Yancey Martin, Florida State University  
2007 Ida Harper Simpson, Duke University  
2006 Richard L. Simpson, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill  
2002 Ronald L. Akers, University of Florida  
1996 Lewis M. Killian, University of West Florida  
1995 Charles B. Nam, Florida State University  
1994 Alan C. Kerckhoff, Duke University  
1990 Rudolf Heberle, Louisiana State University  
1989 Kurt W. Back, Duke University  
1986 Guy B. Johnson, University of North Carolina-  
1986 Joseph H. Fichter, Loyola University  
1984 Joseph S. Himes, University of North Carolina-Greensboro  
1982 Vernon J. Parenton, Louisiana State University  
1979 Ernst Borinski, Tougaloo College  
1977 Rupert B. Vance, University of North Carolina- Chapel Hill  
1977 T. Lynn Smith, University of Florida

## Odum Student Paper Award

*In recognition of outstanding research papers by undergraduate and graduate students*

\*denotes undergraduate student, +denotes graduate student

2024 Rose Elizabeth Archer, Florida State University+  
2024 Brigit S. Reese, Southwestern University\*  
2023 Aidan Combs, Duke University+  
2023 ThuyMi Phung, Southwestern University\*  
2020 Jordyn Livingston, University of South Carolina\*

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2020 Emily K. Maloney, Duke University+  
2015 Joanna Hawkins, Southwestern University\*  
2014 Yueran Zhang, Duke University\*  
2014 Richard Benton, North Carolina State University+  
2013 Cara Wagner, Furman University\*  
2013 Anne Kronberg, Emory University +  
2012 Kristen McCollum, Southwestern University\*  
2012 Regina Baker, Duke University+  
2011 Kristen Warren, Stetson University\*  
2010 Jessica Herbst, Southwestern University\*  
2010 Michael Gaddis, North Carolina-Chapel Hill+  
2009 Long Doan, University of Georgia\*  
2009 Nicole Powell, Southwestern University\*  
2009 Daniel B. Shank, University of Georgia+  
2009 Mark Bodkin, North Carolina State University+  
2008 Rachel Powell, Centenary College of Louisiana\*  
2007 Meagan Elliot, Southwestern University\*  
2007 Lydia Aletraris, University of Georgia+  
2007 Matthew Mahutga, University of California-Irvine+  
2006 Alexandra Hendley, Southwestern University\*  
2006 Diya Surie, Centenary College\*  
2006 Miyuki Fukushima, University of Oklahoma+  
2005 Scott Jacques, University of Georgia\*  
2005 Carissa Froyum, North Carolina State University+  
2004 Shawn Trivette, Tennessee Technological University\*  
2004 Melissa Sloan & Koji Ueno, Vanderbilt University+  
2003 Harmony Newman, Centenary College\*  
2003 Edward W. Morris, University of Texas at Austin+  
2002 Eduardo Ho, University of Georgia\*  
2002 Deana Rohlinger, University of California-Irvine+  
2001 Brian Lee Thompson, University of South Alabama\*  
2001 Jason W. Beckfield, Indiana University+  
2001 Jen'nan Ghazal Read, University of Texas+  
2000 Carmen Schmitt, University of Florida\*  
2000 Krista McQueeney, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill+  
1998 Emily Stewart, Furman University\*  
1994 Chris Palmer, Indiana University\*  
1994 Vincent J. Roscigno & M. Keith Kimble, North Carolina State University+  
1993 Clasina Segura, Louisiana State University\*  
1993 John McMullen, Emory University+  
1989 Diashiro Nomiya+  
1986 M. Therese Stafford & Diane Bradley, Louisiana State University+

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1985 Ginia M. Caruso, Guilford College\*  
1985 Scott D. Camp, Pennsylvania State University+  
1984 Jane M. Smith, Valencia Community College\*  
1984 Charles Vaught, University of Kentucky+  
1983 Lori Swartz, University of North Carolina-Greensboro\*  
1983 Brian Powell & Jerry Jacobs, Emory University+  
1982 Toni Calasanti, University of Kentucky  
1981 Susan Twaddle & Alan Stump, Virginia Tech  
1979 Alan Stump & Susan Twaddle, Virginia Tech  
1977 Cecil L. Willis, Virginia Tech  
1976 Donna E. Parmelee, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill  
1975 Paula Dressel & Virginia Murray, University of Georgia & Appalachian State University  
1973 William Howard, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill  
1972 Elbert L. Cook, North Carolina State University  
1971 T. Jean Blocker & Janis W. Chesson, East Carolina University

## Distinguished Contributions to Teaching Award

*In recognition of outstanding contributions to the teaching of sociology*

2020 Jennifer Patrice Sims, University of Alabama-Huntsville  
2019 Jody Clay Warner, University of Georgia  
2016 Department of Sociology, University of South Florida  
2015 Mindy Stombler, Georgia State University  
2013 Rebecca Bach, Duke University  
2010 Edward I. Kain, Southwestern University  
2006 Gregory Weiss, Roanoke College  
2005 Idee Winfield, College of Charleston  
2004 Maxine Atkinson, North Carolina State University  
2002 Clifton D. Bryant, Virginia Tech  
2002 Department of Sociology, James Madison University

## Distinguished Lectureship Award

*In recognition of excellence as a scholar and lecturer*

2019 Barbara Risman, University of Illinois Chicago  
2015 Jon Shefner, University of Tennessee-Knoxville  
2012 Shirley Laska, University of New Orleans  
2011 Larry W. Isaac, Vanderbilt University  
2008 Larry J. Griffin, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill  
2007 E.M. Beck, University of Georgia

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2006 William W. Falk, University of Maryland  
2005 Dolores Aldridge, Emory University  
2002 John Moland, Jr., Alabama State University  
1997 Charles U. Smith, Florida A&M University  
1994 Daniel S. Johnson, Dillard University

## Charles S. Johnson Award

*In recognition of distinguished scholarly contributions on race and the South*

2016 Earl Wright II, University of Cincinnati  
2010 Larry J. Griffin, University of Maryland  
2006 William W. Falk, University of Maryland  
2005 Delores P. Aldridge, Emory University  
2002 John Moland, Alabama State University  
1997 Charles U. Smith, Florida A&M University  
1994 Charles S. Johnson, Dillard University

## Katharine Jocher-Belle Boone Beard Award

*In recognition of scholarly contributions to the understanding of gender and society*

2020 Justine E. Tinkler, University of Georgia  
2018 Robin W. Simon, Wake Forest University  
2015 Holly McCammon, Vanderbilt University  
2014 David Maume, University of Cincinnati  
2013 Karen Campbell, Vanderbilt University  
2010 Irene Padavic, Florida State University  
2004 Barbara Risman, North Carolina State University  
1999 Patricia Yancey Martin, Florida State University  
1995 Rachel Rosenfeld, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill

## The Martin L. Levin Distinguished Service Award

*In recognition of outstanding service to the Southern Sociological Society*

2022 Shannon Davis, George Mason University  
2020 Cameron Lippard, Appalachian State University  
2019 David Brunsma, Virginia Tech  
2016 Dennis R. McSeveney, University of New Orleans  
2014 Stephanie Bohon, University of Tennessee-Knoxville

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2013 Bob Freymeyer, Presbyterian College  
2010 Tom Hood, University of Tennessee  
2006 Clifton Bryant, Virginia Tech  
2005 Abbott L. Ferriss, Emory University  
2004 Catherine Harris, Wake Forest University  
2003 Martin L. Levin, Mississippi State University

## Charles Gomillion-Joseph Sandy Himes Award

*In recognition of a career of distinguished sociological practice*

2020 Michael Royster, Prairie View A&M University  
2019 Cynthia Neal Spence, Spelman College  
2019 Charles U. Smith, Florida A&M University (posthumous)  
2019 John L. Moland, Alabama State University (posthumous)

## Junior Scholar Award

*In recognition of early-stage scholars whose work demonstrates promise*

2024 Tania Jenkins, University of North Carolina – Chapel Hill  
2023 William J. Scarborough, University of North Texas  
2022 Alison Adams, University of Florida  
2020 Shawn Bauldry, Purdue University  
2020 Kasey Henricks, University of Tennessee  
2019 Michaela DeSoucey, North Carolina State University  
2019 Victor Ray, University of Tennessee