Special Awards

**African American History Award**  
**Sponsored by African American Museum of Iowa**  
For a group or individual who examines a topic in African American History.

**Agricultural or Rural History Award**  
**Sponsored by National History Day in Iowa**  
For an outstanding individual or group project focused on agriculture-related topics in history.

**American History Award**  
**Sponsored by Hoover Presidential Foundation**  
For an individual entry that strongly demonstrates the American spirit. Entries with a focus on presidential history or using sources from presidential libraries preferred.

**Archaeology Award**  
**Sponsored by Office of the State Archaeologist and the Association of Iowa Archaeologists**  
For individual or small group entries related to prehistoric or historic archaeology in one of two ways: (1) in topic or theme, or (2) in archaeological methods, research, or approach. Note: Unsupervised archaeology projects involving excavation or collecting artifacts are not encouraged.

**Colonial & Early American History Award**  
**Sponsored by National History Day in Iowa**  
For a group or individual project that documents and analyzes Colonial or early American subjects.

**History of the Holocaust Award**  
**Sponsored by Iowa Jewish Historical Society**  
Awarded to an outstanding individual or group project that explores a topic related to the Holocaust. Use of Iowa-related source material/connections preferred.

**Iowa Resource Award**  
**Sponsored by National History Day in Iowa**  
For individual or group entrants who best used the State Historical Museum of Iowa and/or State Historical Library and Archives of Iowa in their research.

**Iowa History Award**  
**Sponsored by National History Day in Iowa**  
Awarded to a group or individual project in the junior and senior division based on an Iowa history topic. Topics that use Iowa research networks, libraries, archives and museums, or used preserved country schools in their research is highly recommended.

**Jim Wengert Award for Labor History**  
**Sponsored by the Iowa Labor History Society**
For individual or group entrants in the junior and senior divisions who best address the history of workers or organized labor.

**Military History Award**  
**Sponsored by the Iowa Gold Star**  
For an individual or group that looks at a topic related to Military History with emphasis on Iowa or Iowa soldiers.

**Science and Engineering Award**  
**Sponsored by National History Day in Iowa**  
For a group or individual entry focused on topics in the fields of science and engineering. By looking to our past and the contribution pioneers in these fields have provided, we can encourage and inform the next generations to pursue science and engineering as careers.

**William D. Bartine Award**  
**Sponsored by William Bartine Memorial**  
For an individual student in the junior and senior division project that focused on the American Civil War or Lewis & Clark.

**Women’s History Award**  
**Sponsored by the Iowa Board of Questers**  
For a group or individual who examines a topic in women's history.