

# Student Awards: The Charles H. Coffin Scholarship Medal

The Charles H. Coffin Scholarship Medal is awarded each year to an honor graduate of Lyon College who has taken at least his or her last three years of work here as a regular student. The award, in the form of a gold medal, represents the highest award conferred upon a Lyon College student. It was founded around the turn of the century by Charles H. Coffin of New York City, Class of 1884, as the Alumni Medal. After his death in 1916, the award was endowed by a gift from a classmate of the original donor and renamed the “Charles H. Coffin Scholarship Medal.” After the mold for the medal was lost, Eugene Sloan, '12, loaned his personal Coffin Medal to the College so that another die could be cast. His lifelong respect for the medal caused Mr. Sloan’s family to create the Eugene Sloan Endowment for the Coffin Medal to underwrite the cost of the medal. Records are still being searched in order to compile a complete list of recipients. The following list is incomplete:

1906 Eula Maxfield Garrott	1907 George T. McKee
1908 Horace Sloan	1909 Stuart R. Oglesby
1910 E. B. Paisley	1912 Eugene Sloan, Christine Murphy
1914 Malcolm E. Evans	1915 M. S. Smith, Jr.
1916 Fred Maxfield	1921 Ira Nelson Barnett III
1922 John Quincy Wolf	1925 William A. Sensabaugh
1926 Elta Brewer	1927 Lillian Jimerson, Avon Shannon
1928 Marguerite Glant Shannon, Stuart H. Salmon	1929 Marjorie Norton
1930 Bess Millen Wolf	1933 Ella Myrl Dobson, Wilma Stanley
1934 Allie Beth Dent, Doris Wray, Lois Thomas	1935 Leila Heasley
1936 Martha Cantley, Dorothy Ross	1939 Lillie Mae Martin, Frances Ross
1940 Frances Chaney	1942 Betty Wasson, M. E. Wasson
1944 Mary Engels	1946 Charline Bryant
1947 Kathleen Sharp	1948 Lowell Southerland
1949 James Vernon Balch	1950 Gary Jones
1951 Pearl Ottinger	1952 Joan Creason
1953 Joyce Virginia Shillcutt	1954 Evelyn Willard
1955 Von Dean Gray	1956 Marjorie Stuart
1957 Jim Gillaspay	1958 Ernestine Teeter
1959 Barbara Buford	1960 Jacob C. Turner
1961 Mike Collins	1962 James Logan Morgan, Jr.
1963 Moorene Goff Newton	1964 Roberta Mae Bustin
1965 Mary King	1966 Lamar Middleton
1967 Mayola Satterfield	1968 Clifford Jackson
1969 Lance Jones	1970 Ronnie Gerald Brogdon
1971 Ray Hamlett	1972 Billy Wayne Bristow
1973 Peggy Reynolds	1974 Mary Ann Gray
1975 Mark Wood	1976 Mara Marlin
1977 Joan Rodella Chisam	1978 Jeannie Dacus Whitener
1979 Keith Stillwell	1980 Karen Sue Calaway

1981 William L. Garner	1982 John Collins
1983 Doug Punke	1984 Marsha Allen
1985 Cynthia Britton Barber	1986 Patty L. Keeton Burks
1987 David Wesley Duke	1988 Benjamin Carl Blount
1989 Jennifer Smith	1990 Leroy Roberts II
1991 Roger Weitkamp	1992 Benjamin Weston
1993 Shane Robert Smith	1994 Heather James
1995 Rebecca Osborne	1996 Robert Gregory Tebbetts
1997 Elizabeth Susan Neelly	1998 Leslie Lynn Chambliss
1999 Brandon Colby Flygare	2000 Kimberly Dickerson
2001 David McCullars	2002 Jonathan Thompson
2003 M. Danielle Temple	2004 Edlira Bashari
2005 Justin Holt	2006 Adam Long
2007 Robert Bailey	2008 Robert Frank
2009 Leah Byers	2010 April Burns
2011 Elena Rodriguez	2012 Andrew Todd
2013 Jon-Michael Poff	2014 Jonathan Dannatt
2015 Ralynn Brann	2016 Robbi Riggs
2017 Hope Woods	2018 Hannah Templin
2019 Jordan Trant	2020 Robert Luke Shackelford
2021 Zachary Ward	2022 Hannah Wu
2023 Nikkolette Perkins	