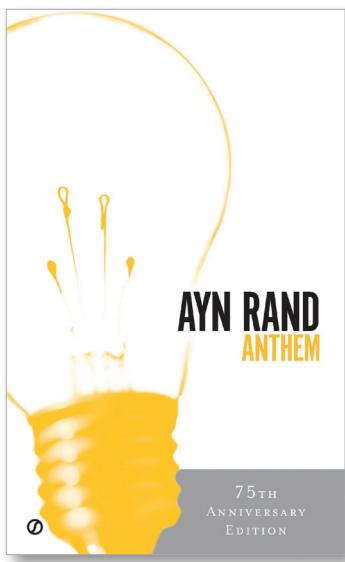


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## FIRST PLACE

- Elizabeth Anderson, R L Paschal High School, Fort Worth, TX

## SECOND PLACE

- Quinton Adair, Ocean Lakes High School, Virginia Beach, VA
- Nicole Pietruni, St Joseph Hill Academy Hs, Staten Island, NY
- Zahey Munther, Archbishop Wood High School, Warminster, PA
- Maxwell Mehlman, St Edward High School, Lakewood, OH
- Jonathan Qu, Redmond High School, Redmond, WA

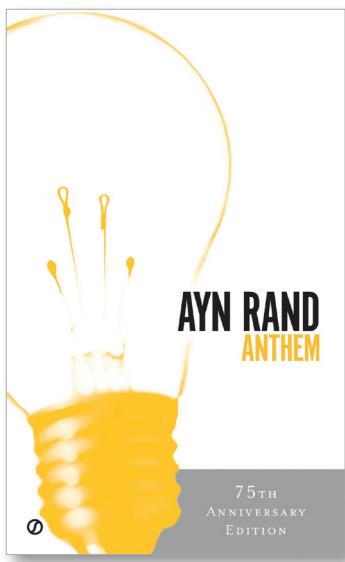
## THIRD PLACE

- Lina Gu, Lakeside High School, Evans, GA
- Ryan Conover, Central High School, Fort Worth, TX
- Hailey Ung, McGavock Comp High School, Nashville, TN
- Abigail Heitzman, Holton High School, Holton, KS
- Clarke Patrone, East Lyme School District, East Lyme, CT
- Lessane Ketema, Henry M Jackson High School, Mill Creek, WA
- Ann Nguyen, James Logan High School, Union City, CA
- Rebekah Hardy, School District Of Cadott Community, Cadott, WI
- Pranav Prakash, Challenger School Strawberry Park, San Jose, CA
- Ranjani Sundaresan

## FINALISTS

- Eric O'Neil, Hilliard Bradley High School, Hilliard, OH
- David Schroeder, Hilliard Bradley High School, Hilliard, OH
- Kit Sum Wu, Townsend Harris High School, Flushing, NY
- Sheridan Sasmor, Rancho Buena Vista High School, Vista, CA
- Jenna Bethany, Palmer Ridge High School, Monument, CO
- Kaitlyn Spooner, Hamilton High School, Chandler, AZ
- Daniel Lemr, Strongsville High School, Strongsville, OH
- Sandy Cho, Thomas Jefferson Hs-Sci & Tech, Alexandria, VA
- Awbrei Vachon, Homestead High School, Fort Wayne, IN
- Nathan Doctor, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Randall Pietersen, Elk Grove High School, Elk Grove, CA

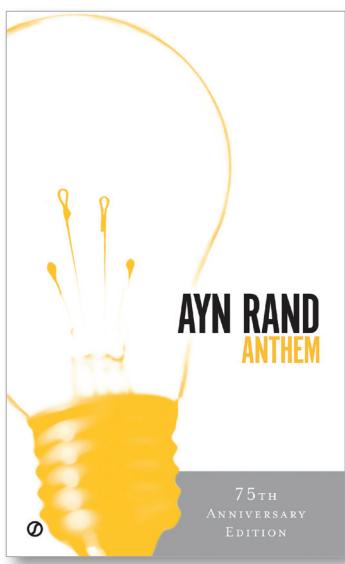
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## FINALISTS (continued)

- Pramoda Karnati, Gainesville High School, Gainesville, GA
- Jae Hong (James) Lee, Taft School, Watertown, CT
- Elliott Kim, Lawrenceville School, Lawrenceville, NJ
- Laura Dutzman, Downingtown High School East, Exton, PA
- Dana O'Connor, Longmeadow High School, Longmeadow, MA
- Nicholas Redd, North Springs High School, Sandy Springs, GA
- Lina Elmansi, Acad- Info Tech & Engineering, Stamford, CT
- Aditya Rao, Lopatcong Middle School, Phillipsburg, NJ
- Autumn Dirksen, La Center High School, La Center, WA
- Brooke Stoddard, La Center High School, La Center, WA
- Aaron Propp, Anne & Max Tanenbaum Cha-Kimel, Vaughan, ON, Canada
- Angela Cai, Downingtown High School East, Exton, PA
- Charles Deng, Seven Lakes High School, Katy, TX
- Isabelle Wright, Selma Middle School, Selma, IN
- Zoe Humphrey, Enterprise High School, Redding, CA
- Josh Curtis, Paul D Schreiber High School, Prt Washngtn, NY
- Siqi Liu, Naperville Central High School, Naperville, IL
- Nick Poniatowski, Hayfield Secondary School, Alexandria, VA
- Stephanie Hong, Riverside High School, Greer, SC
- Yeo Jean Song, Orange Co High Sch Of The Arts, Santa Ana, CA
- Sharanya Kumar, Parkway Central High School, Chesterfield, MO
- Nataly Calvo, Tokay High School, Lodi, CA
- Grace Chen, Bridgewater Raritan High Sch, Bridgewater, NJ
- Elizabeth Lilly, Norfolk Academy, Norfolk, VA
- Kenji Nikaido, White Station High School, Memphis, TN
- Harsimranjit Kang, El Molino High School, Forestville, CA
- Jaclyn Musci, Ss Vincent & Mary High School, Akron, OH
- Patrick Oliverio, Ss Vincent & Mary High School, Akron, OH
- Sarah Koshy
- Danielle Barna, Skyline High School, Idaho Falls, ID
- Pravin Ravishanker, Challenger School, Sunnyvale, CA
- Mohamad Hamze, Dracut Senior High School, Dracut, MA
- Nicholas Ezzell, West Jones High School, Laurel, MS
- Frankie Greenwood, Arlington Catholic High School, Arlington, MA

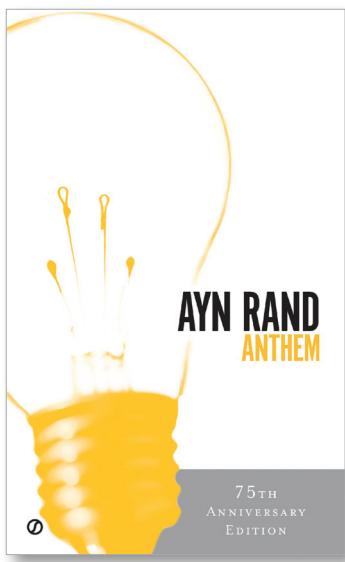
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## SEMIFINALISTS

- Maya St. Clair, Mundelein Cons High School, Mundelein, IL
- Madison Mobus, Hilliard Bradley High School, Hilliard, OH
- Marlena Colaiacovo, Hilliard Bradley High School, Hilliard, OH
- Katie Eckelberry, Hilliard Bradley High School, Hilliard, OH
- Sarah Hevener, Hilliard Bradley High School, Hilliard, OH
- Rachel Parsons, First Flight High School, Kill Devil HI, NC
- Kaiya Mcgillis, Lassiter High School, Marietta, GA
- Rachael Turner, Kentlake High School, Kent, WA
- Kaitlyn Ransom, Fountain-Ft Carson High School, Fountain, CO
- Cameron Davie, Snow Canyon Middle School, Saint George, UT
- Emerald Thomas, Windsor High School, Windsor, CO
- Kelly Genesio, Duquoin High School, Du Quoin, IL
- Jane Albrecht, Broadneck High School, Annapolis, MD
- Alex Blanco, Fountain-Ft Carson High School, Fountain, CO
- Annalise Stewart, Germantown High School, Germantown, TN
- Joey Gregor, Rancho Buena Vista High School, Vista, CA
- Kelvin Loke, Minnetonka High School, Minnetonka, MN
- Nina Singh, Oakwood High School, Morgan Hill, CA
- Ethan Shepherd, Phoenix High School, Phoenix, OR
- Lillian Tegner, Phoenix High School, Phoenix, OR
- Colin Danch, Wooster High School, Wooster, OH
- Alyssa Klapka, Bishop McLaughlin Catholic Hs, Spring Hill, FL
- Amy Ballard, Hurricane Middle School, Hurricane, UT
- Cameron Harrison, Ocean Lakes High School, Virginia Bch, VA
- Kelsey Briding, Palmer Ridge High School, Monument, CO,
- Ryan Kurtiak, Page High School, Greensboro, NC
- Stacy Ruther, Lake Havasu High School, Lk Havasu Cty, AZ
- Morgan King, Weslaco High School, Weslaco, TX
- Heather Rubin, Alexander Hamilton High School, Elmsford, NY
- Anna Deutsch, North Springs High School, Sandy Springs, GA
- Megan Lewis, Webster Thomas High School, Webster, NY
- Yasmine Raouf, Dr Ronald McNair Academic Hs, Jersey City, NJ
- Nivedina Sarma, Westwood Ib School, Dallas, TX

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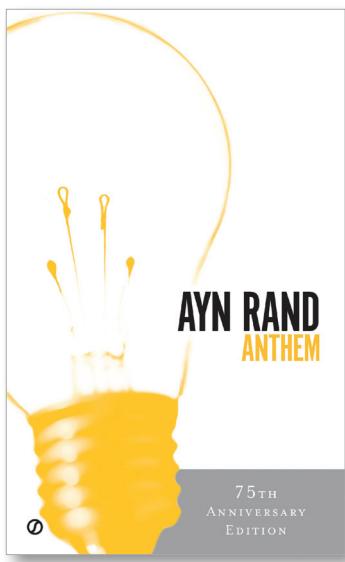


## SEMIFINALISTS (continued)

- Katie Kelley, Melbourne Central Catholic Hs, Melbourne, FL
- Madison Umberger, Central High School, Portage, MI
- Justin Luo, Germantown High School, Germantown, WI
- Arianna Fischer, Germantown High School, Germantown, WI
- Xander Rait Rait, Germantown High School, Germantown, WI
- Chaewon Jung, Hamilton High School, Chandler, AZ
- Rebecca Correa, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Sarah Mitravich, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Katie Gaburo, Mariemont High School, Cincinnati, OH
- Alex Gomez, Lakeside High School, Evans, GA
- David Scoville, Elk Grove High School, Elk Grove, CA
- Sarah Baker, Piedmont High School, Piedmont, OK
- Jacob Lester, Blue Valley High School, Stilwell, KS
- Elizabeth Muratore, Paul D Schreiber High School, Prt Washngtn, NY
- Samantha Carlson, Webster Thomas High School, Webster, NY
- Adam Barker, Classical Academy High School, Escondido, CA
- Caelin Laron, Elk Grove High School, Elk Grove, CA
- Nicholas Herrera, Clear Horizon Early College Hs, Houston, TX
- Lauren Appel, George Ranch High School, Richmond, TX
- Katie Ducker, Homestead High School, Fort Wayne, IN
- Kristen Cunanan, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Jacob Langbehn, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Evan Lovell, Elk Grove High School, Elk Grove, CA
- Esther Lee, Jhs 74 Nathaniel Hawthorne, Bayside, NY
- James Fong, South San Francisco High School, South San Francisco, CA
- Morgan Cox, Pickens High School, Pickens, SC,
- Savannah Bertolami, Mt Sinai High School, Mount Sinai, NY
- Elizabeth Reichert, Parkway Central High School, Chesterfield, MO
- Yesenia Perez, Lakewood High School, Lakewood, CA
- Alexander Mule, Mt Sinai High School, Mount Sinai, NY
- Lucy Zhang, Montgomery High School, Skillman, NJ
- Ryan Hecht, Mt Sinai High School, Mount Sinai, NY
- Su Yang, Mt Sinai High School, Mount Sinai, NY

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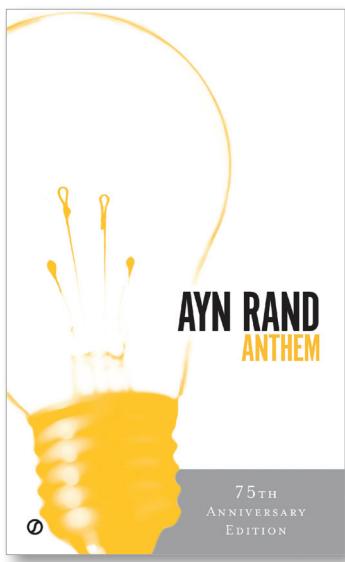
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## SEMIFINALISTS (continued)

- Caroline Luther, Southwestern Randolph High School, Asheboro, NC
- Justine Quan, Mt Sinai High School, Mount Sinai, NY
- Allison Elliott, Seminole Ridge Cmty High Sch, Loxahatchee, FL
- Heather Oliver, Veribest School, VERIBEST, TX,
- Jacob Dvorak, Douglas Anderson Sch Of Arts, Jacksonville, FL
- Megan Claire Routbort, St John'S School, Houston, TX
- Yoonjung Jo, Horace Mann Upper School, Bronx, NY
- Helene Lupa, Governor French Academy, Belleville, IL
- Collin Lehmann, Moutain Horizon Academy Homeschool, Poulsbo, WA
- Julia Barbee, Woodmore Jr Sr High School, Elmore, OH
- Emily Karr, Mccook Senior High School, Mc Cook, NE
- Ryann Howard, Hilliard Darby High School, Hilliard, OH
- Cinnamon Villines, Pender Early College High Sch, Burgaw, NC
- Brianna Kunes, Dubois Area High School, Du Bois, PA
- Megan Parker, Amherst Steele High School, Amherst, OH
- Guillermo Torres, Escuela Americana De El Salvador, Doral, FL
- Andrea Lewis, La Center High School, La Center, WA
- Phillip Swart, Pine Crest School, Ft Lauderdale, FL
- Zachary Herbert, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Mehdi Lemdani, Woodbridge Middle School, Woodbridge, NJ
- Corinne Mayle, Marblehead High School, Marblehead, MA
- Bryan Felix, St Edward High School, Lakewood, OH
- Prisca Modzinu-Kuse, Ford High School, Quinlan, TX
- Helen Nellie Butler, Downingtown High School East, Exton, PA
- Justin Waran, Crown Point High School, Crown Point, IN
- Ismail Alibrahimi, Passaic Co Technical Institute, Wayne, NJ
- Gareth Gransaul, Bloor Collegiate Institute, Toronto, ON,
- Jan Aclan, Phoenixville Area Sr High Sch, Phoenixville, PA
- Kristen Law, Fountain Valley High School, Fountain Vly, CA
- Lisa Kato, Senzoku Gakuen High School, Kanagawa, Kanagawa, Japan
- Leila Tou, Troy High School, Fullerton, CA
- PJ Loheide, St Xavier High School, Louisville, KY
- Jordyn Roemhildt, St Peter High School, Saint Peter, MN

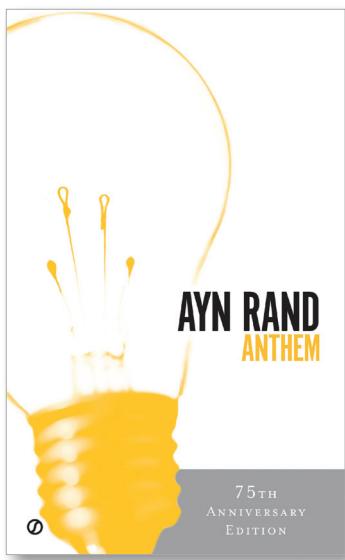
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- Steven Smelley, Trinity Presbyterian School, Montgomery, AL
- Briallyn Mansell, El Molino High School, Forestville, CA
- Miette Kringen, El Molino High School, Forestville, CA
- Carolyn Adcock, Willard High School, Willard, MO
- Philip Drembus, West Potomac High School, Alexandria, VA
- Bobby Ellis, Queens Grant Prep High School, Matthews, NC
- Cesar Rodriguez, East Early College High School, Houston, TX
- Vivian Bermudez, Miami Lakes Tech Senior Hs, Hialeah, FL
- Serge Cardoso, Brockton High School, Brockton, MA
- Andrea Vacchiano, Madison High School, Madison, NJ
- Derek Wong, San Ramon Valley High School, Danville, CA
- Kavya Ganesh, Seven Lakes High School, Katy, TX
- Jessica Mueller, Phoenixville Area Sr High Sch, Phoenixville, PA
- Timmy Riordan, Walker School, Marietta, GA
- max petersen, Banner Christian School, North Chesterfield, VA
- Meta Hughes, Nacogdoches High School, Nacogdoches, TX
- Rebecca Lee, North Allegheny Interm School, Pittsburgh, PA
- Samuel Schiller, Bolles School- San Jose, Jacksonville, FL
- Joseph Unger, St Edward High School, Lakewood, OH
- Ashley Chen, Saratoga High School, Saratoga, CA
- Ziyu Ding, Parkview High School, Lilburn, GA
- Shannon Beattie, William Floyd High School, Mastic Beach, NY
- Nathalie Mairena, Miami Lakes Tech Senior Hs, Hialeah, FL
- Erin Crawley, Sutherland Secondary School, North Vancouver, BC, Canada
- Elizabeth Medlin, Mater Dei High School, Breese, IL
- Joshua Kugath, Madison Junior High School, Rexburg, ID
- Luke Stacey, Home-School, Cathlamet, WA
- Namy Malik, Mercer Island High School, Mercer Island, WA
- Helena Guenther, Santa Catalina School, Monterey, CA
- Carra Wu, Deer Path Middle School-West, Lake Forest, IL
- Emily Pan, Bryn Mawr School, Baltimore, MD
- Desiree Goodfellow, St Patrick High School, Biloxi, MS
- Bryton Wong, Westmount Charter School, Calgary, AB, Canada

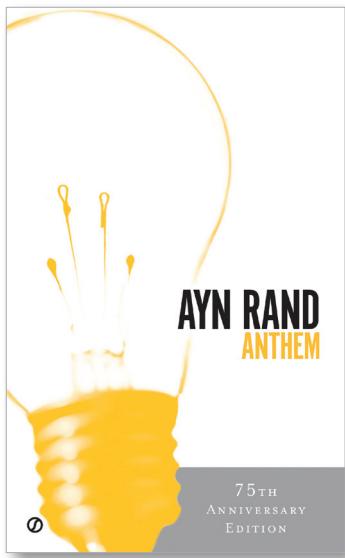
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- Christopher Bollinger, St. Vincent & Mary High School, Akron, OH
- Angela Flanagan, Miller Place High School, Miller Place, NY
- Emily Gleason, Miller Place High School, Miller Place, NY
- Sarah Sylvester, Shadow Ridge High School, Surprise, AZ
- Cameron Tenner, Crescinta Valley High School, La Crescenta, CA
- Ian Janson, Marion Local High School, Maria Stein, OH
- Melinda Meiring, Marion Local High School, Maria Stein, OH
- Tara McCoy, Rockwall, TX
- Genesis Cardenas, Paramount High School, Paramount, CA
- Asma Mammootty, Challenger School Strawberry Park, San Jose, CA
- Raymond So, Challenger School Strawberry Park, San Jose, CA
- Charles Suarez, American Heritage School, Delray Beach, FL
- Amara Crosby, Waverly High School, Lansing, MI
- Becky Brassfield, Courtland High School, Spotsylvania, VA
- Katie Gravante, Brookwood High School, Snellville, GA
- Michael Bowler, Brookwood High School, Snellville, GA
- Anh-Tu Mai, Brookwood High School, Snellville, GA
- Robert Pruitt, Indian Creek High School, Trafalgar, IN
- Katie Kartchner, Dent-Phelps R-III School, Salem, MO
- Joshua Losie, Timberstone Junior High, Sylvania, OH
- Eunnie Lee, Centennial High School, Corona, CA
- Emma Peterson, River Ridge High School, New Port Richey, FL
- Kelly Weaver, Hanover Area Jr/Sr High School, Hanover Township, PA
- Virag Martin, Jefferson High School, Shenandoah Junction, WV
- Alexander Biz, Challenger School, San Jose, CA
- Jamie Yeung, Easton Area High School, Easton, PA
- Adam Lowinger, Alonzo & Tracy Mourning Sr Hs, Miami, FL
- Ari Pusey, Cherry Creek High School, Greenwood Village, CO
- Ahyeon Cho
- Ann Gregurich, Springfield High School, IL
- Carl Raker, Brawley Middle School, Mooresville, NC
- Akim Richards, Maize High School, Maize, KS
- Cecilia D'Arms, Columbus School For Girls, Columbus, OH

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- Kayla Palmer, North Ft Myers High School, N Ft Myers, FL
- Akshata Rudrapatna
- Sean Crowley
- Jasmine Bekkaye
- Heewon Hah
- Sydney To
- Merritt Michelbrink, Aberdeen High School, Aberdeen, WA
- Siavash Zamirpour
- Darby LaPlant, Saugus High School, Saugus, CA
- Karleigh Villneuve