

Previous Winners of Governor's Awards for Excellence in Science

1985	Excellence in Science	James R. Durig , Ph.D., Dean, College of Science and Mathematics, University of South Carolina.
1986	Excellence in Science	Howard F. Harrison , Senior Breeder, CR Feeds, Hartsville.
1987	Excellence in Science	F. John Vernberg , Ph.D., Director, Belle W. Baruch Institute of Marine Science and Coastal Research, USC.
1988	Excellence in Science	Darryl D. DesMarteau , Ph.D., Professor and Head, Department of Chemistry, Clemson University.
	Excellence in Science	Harry S. Margollus , M.D., Ph.D., Professor of Pharmacology and Medicine, Medical University of South Carolina.
1989	Excellence in Science	Lon B. Knight, Jr. , Ph.D., Professor of Chemistry and Chairman, Furman University.
1990	Excellence in Science	Paul D. Ellis , Ph.D., George H. Bunch, Professor of Chemistry.
	Excellence in Science	US William J. Padgett , Ph.D., Head, Department of Statistics, University of South Carolina.
1991	Excellence in Science	James A. Marshall , Guy Libscomb Professor of Chemistry, University of South Carolina.
	Excellence in Science	Rudolph E. Mancke , Director of Science and Nature Programming for the South Carolina Educational TV Network.
1992	Science Discovery	Maklo Ogawa , Professor and Director of Experimental Hematology at the Medical University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Larry J. McCumber , Palmetto Professor of Biology at Francis Marion University.
1993	Science Discovery	Yaki Aharovov , Distinguished Professor of Physics at the University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	William Junkin , Professor of Physics at Erskine College.

1994	Science Discovery	Donald D. Clayton , Ph.D., Professor of Physics and Astronomy at Clemson University.
	Science Awareness	R. Bruce Dunlap , Ph.D., Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry at University of South Carolina.
1995	Science Discovery	Frank T. Avignone , Ph.D. Professor of Physics at USC.
	Science Awareness	Daniel F. Antion , Ph.D. Associate Director of the Office of Technology Transfer at USC.
1996	Excellence in Science	Maria G. Buse , Ph.D., Medical University of South Carolina.
	Excellence in Science	Elizabeth M. Martin , College of Charleston.
1997	Excellence in Science	John H. Dawson , Ph.D., University of South Carolina.
	Excellence in Science	Sarah F. Stallings , PhD., Winthrop University.
1998	Excellence in Science	Joseph R. Manson , Ph. D., Clemson University.
	Excellence in Science	George E. Tempel , PhD., Medical University of South Carolina.
1999	Excellence in Science	Roy E. Wuthier , Ph. D. University of South Carolina.
	Excellence in Science	Michael H. Farmer , PhD., Greenville Technical College.
2000	Scientific Research	The team of Thomas Borg , Ph.D. and Louis Terracio , Ph.D., USC School of Medicine.
	Science Awareness	Elaine Craft , SC Advanced Technological Education Center of Excellence.

2001	Scientific Research	Kenneth Marcus , Ph.D., Clemson University
	Science Awareness	Jeff Priest , PhD., Ruth Patrick Science Education Center, USC Aiken.
2002	Scientific Research	Roger R. Markwald , Ph. D., Medical University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	William T. Pennington , Ph.D., Clemson University.
2003	Scientific Research	Richard Adams , Ph.D., University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Charles Beam , Ph.D., College of Charleston.
2004	Scientific Research	John W. Baynes , Ph.D., University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	David J. Stroup , Ph.D., Francis Marion University.
2005	Scientific Research	Frank Berger , Ph.D., University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Gabriel Virella , MD, Ph.D. Medical University of South Carolina Thomas Jerry Reeves , Ph.D. Midlands Technical College
	Young Scientist	Ya-Ping Sun , Ph.D. Clemson University
2006	Scientific Research	Yusuf Hannun , M.D., Medical University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Rebecca Bullard-Dillard , Ph.D., Claflin University. Omar Bagasra , M.D., Ph.D., Claflin University.
	Young Scientist	Karen Burg , Ph.D., Clemson University.
2007	Scientific Research	Dr. Daniel Reger , University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Stacey F. Jones Benedict College.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Varavut Limpasuvan , Coastal Carolina University.
2008	Scientific Research	Dr. Terry Tritt , Clemson University.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Don M. Jordan , University of South Carolina.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Donna Chen , University of South Carolina.

2009	Scientific Research	Dr. Dennis Smith , Clemson University.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Martine LaBerge , Clemson University. Sondra Wieland , Heathwood Hall Episcopal High School
	Young Scientist	Dr. Qian Wang , University of South Carolina.
2010	Scientific Research	Dr. George Wicks , Savannah River National Laboratory.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Barbara Speziale , Clemson University.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Paul Thompson , University of South Carolina.
2011	Scientific Research	Dr. James Sodetz , University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Dr. James Privett , University of South Carolina Sumter.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Laine Mears , Clemson University.
	Undergraduate	Dr. Saul Adelman , The Citadel.
2012	Scientific Research	Dr. Peter Kalivas , Medical University of South Carolina. Dr. Michael Sutton , University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Joshua Summers , Clemson University.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Melissa Moss , University of South Carolina.
	Undergraduate	Dr. Garriet Smith , University of South Carolina Aiken.
2013	Scientific Research	Dr. Rosalie Crouch , Medical University of South Carolina.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Fanglin (Frank) Chen , University of South Carolina. Dr. Caryn Outten , University of South Carolina.
	Undergraduate	Dr. Gilles Einstein , Furman University.
2014	Scientific Research	Dr. John Bellato , Clemson University. Dr. Russell Pate , University of South Carolina. Dr. Apparao Rao , Clemson University.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Russell Pate , University of South Carolina.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Brian Powell , Clemson University.

2015	Scientific Research	Dr. Asif Khan , University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Perry Halushka , Medical University of South Carolina.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Matthew Carpenter , Medical University of South Carolina. Dr. Brenda Garcia-Diaz , Savannah River National Laboratory.
	Undergraduate	Dr. John Wheeler , Furman University.
2016	Scientific Research	Dr. Carol Jantzen , Savannah River National Laboratory. Dr. Hans-Conrad zur Loye , University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Bert Ely , University of South Carolina.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Chuanbing Tang , University of South Carolina.
	Undergraduate	Dr. Yiming Ji , University of South Carolina Beaufort.
2017	Scientific Research	Dr. Dean Kilpatrick , Medical University of South Carolina.
	Science Awareness	Dr. Michael Schmidt , Medical University of South Carolina.
	Young Scientist	Dr. Chen Li , University of South Carolina.
	Undergraduate	Dr. Timothy Hanks , Furman University
2018	Scientific Research	Dr. Judy Dubno , Medical University of South Carolina
	Scientific Awareness	Dr. John Kaup , Furman University
	Young Scientist	Dr. Srikanth Pilla , Clemson University
	Undergraduate	Dr. Rizana Mahroof , South Carolina State University
2019	Scientific Research	Dr. Kathleen Brady , Medical University of South Carolina
	Scientific Awareness	Dr. Timothy Mousseau , University of South Carolina
	Young Scientist	Dr. Hui Wang , University of South Carolina
	Undergraduate	Dr. Dena Garner , The Citadel

2020	Scientific Research	Dr. Michael Zile , Medical University of South Carolina
	Scientific Awareness	Dr. Jerry Mitchell , University of South Carolina
	Young Scientist	Dr. Mark Blenner , Clemson University
	Undergraduate	Dr. Chris Fragile , College of Charleston Dr. Paul Wagenknecht , Furman University
2021	Scientific Research	Dr. Tanju Karanfil , Clemson University Dr. Robert Sindelar , Savannah River National Laboratory
	Scientific Awareness	Dr. Linda Shimizu , University of South Carolina
	Young Scientist	Dr. Marco Ajello , Clemson University
	Undergraduate	Dr. Eric Montie , University of South Carolina Beaufort
2022	Scientific Research	Dr. Stanley Michael Angel , University of South Carolina
	Scientific Awareness	Dr. Bob Couch , Anderson Institute of Technology
	Young Scientist	Dr. Julianne Flanagan , Medical University of South Carolina Dr. Jessica M. Larsen , Clemson University
	Undergraduate	Dr. John E. Weinstein , The Citadel
2023	Scientific Research	Dr. James S. Krause , Medical University of South Carolina
	Scientific Awareness	Dr. Jonathan Storm , University of South Carolina Upstate
	Young Scientist	Dr. Lindsay Squeglia , Medical University of South Carolina
	Undergraduate	Dr. Sorinel Adrian Oprisan , College of Charleston