

## Eastern Newfoundland Science Fairs Council 250 LeMarchant Rd. P.O. Box 26036 St. John's, NL A1E 0A5 Canada http://eastern.scifairs.k12.nf.ca/eastern.html



April 13 and 14<sup>th</sup>, Waterford Valley High school in St. John's was host to 130 young creators and innovators. Students from grades 7 to 12 represented 15 schools from the Avalon Peninsula at the 2018 Husky Energy Eastern Newfoundland Science and Technology Fair, organized by the volunteers of the Eastern Newfoundland Science Fairs Council (ENSFC). The student participants were competing for medals and awards in the areas of life sciences, physical sciences and engineering. A total of 15 honourable mentions, 56 medals (25 gold, 16 silver, 15 bronze) and more than 50 special awards were presented. Six students were chosen to represent Eastern Newfoundland at the Canada Wide Science Fair in Ottawa, for a week in May. These included Jasmine Rahman and Henley Mullins from St. Bonaventure's College, Oishi Hawlader from Gonzaga, and Mitchell Hynes, Chris Peacock and Aaron Sarkar, all from Holy Heart. Chris Peacock received MUN's Marine Institute Entrance Scholarship (\$1000), Oishi Hawlader received MUN's Faculty of Science Scholarship (\$2550), and Jasmine Rahman was awarded the "Husky Energy Best of Fair" Prize (\$500). The monetary value of all prizes at the fair, including the all-expenses paid trip to the national competition, totaled over \$20 000.



A more detailed summary of the fair as well as a list of all award winners can be found at: <a href="http://eastern.scifairs.k12.nf.ca/eastern.html">http://eastern.scifairs.k12.nf.ca/eastern.html</a>

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