

2021 International COMAP Scholarship Award Press Release—April 23, 2021

COMAP is pleased to announce the results of the 4th annual **International COMAP Scholarship Award**. This year 26,112 teams representing 1,576 institutions, consisting of 77,594 students participated in the MCM/ICM contests. The four teams below were designated as the **International COMAP Scholarship Award** winners:

- Team 2100454
- Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
- Advisor, Xiaofeng Gao
 - Qi Zhou
 - Yujia Xia
 - Jiaheng Chen
- Team 2107870
- University of Colorado Boulder, CO, USA
- Advisor, Bengt Fornberg
 - Emma Goodwill
 - Lauren A Marsh
 - o Ishika Urvish Patel

- Team 2119893
- Nanjing Agricultural University, China
- Advisor, Zhongliang Tang
 - Dezhou Wang
 - o Jian Zong
 - Shuning Jiang
- Team 2124668
- The College of William & Mary, VA, USA
- Advisor, Anh Ninh
 - Ethan Shelburne
 - Stuart Thomas
 - o Clare Heinbaugh

The **International COMAP Scholarship Award** is awarded to four top MCM/ICM teams; \$10,000 per team with \$9000 going to the team members and \$1000 to the school, in the name of the advisor.

To obtain additional information about the MCM/ICM and to obtain a complete listing of all team designations, please visit the MCM/ICM Website at: <u>www.mcmcontest.com</u>.

COMAP, the Consortium for Mathematics and Its Applications, is an award-winning non-profit organization whose mission is to improve mathematics education for students of all ages. Since 1980, COMAP has worked with teachers, students, and business people to create learning environments where mathematics is used to investigate and model real issues in our world.

Major funding for the MCM/ICM is provided by COMAP. COMAP's Mathematical Contest in Modeling and Interdisciplinary Contest in Modeling are unique among modeling competitions in that they are the only international contests in which students work in teams to find a solution. Centering its educational philosophy on mathematical modeling, COMAP uses mathematical tools to explore realworld problems. It serves the educational community as well as the world of work by preparing students to become better informed and prepared—citizens, consumers, and workers.

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ICM Contest Director Amanda Beecher, Ramapo College, NJ, USA
Executive Director Solomon A. Garfunkel, COMAP, Inc., MA, USA