

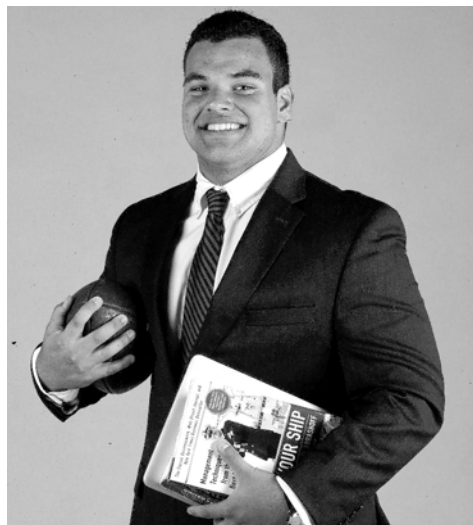
BOYS' FINALISTS



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KYLE DICKSON

Coral Reef

Sport(s): Baseball, golf, lacrosse.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 4.0/5.1 GPA, 2350/36 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** N/A.**College:** Harvard.**Athletic Honors:** Two-time regional golf qualifier, Baseball Scholar Athlete.**Scholastic Honors:** Congressional Medal of Merit, U.S. Presidential Scholar nominee, National Merit Scholar, National Hispanic Scholar, AP Scholar With Distinction, Principal's Honor Roll.**Class schedule:** Wind Ensemble Honors, Jazz and Pop Ensemble Honors, AP Calculus BC, AP United States Government, AP Macroeconomics, AP Physics 1, AP English Literature.**MICHAEL RODRIGUEZ**

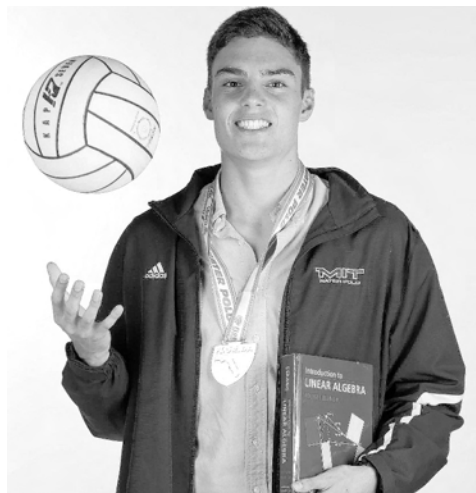
Columbus

Sport(s): Football, wrestling.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.72/4.78 GPA, 1260/29 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** 27th of 392.**College:** Pennsylvania.**Athletic Honors:** First-team All-Dade football.**Scholastic Honors:** Mas Scholar, National Honor Society, National Science Honor Society, National English Honor Society, National Spanish Honor Society.**Class schedule:** AP Microeconomics, AP Macroeconomics, AP U.S. Government, Honors Calculus, Honors Social Justice, Honors Computer Application, History of Modern Middle East.**KAYLAH CLARK**

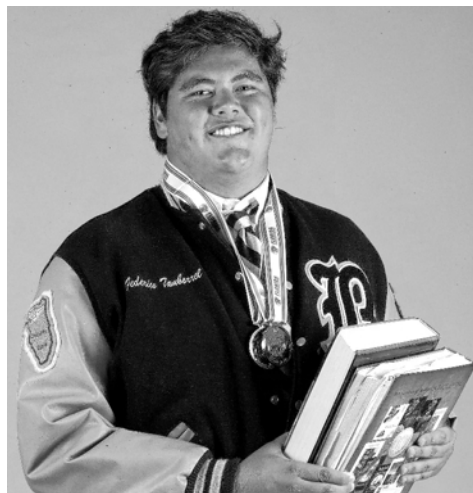
Northwestern

Sport(s): Track and field.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.97/4.79 GPA, 1270/29 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** Valedictorian.**College:** Howard.**Athletic Honors:** All-Dade first-team track, state shot put champion.**Scholastic Honors:** National Honor Society, National Achiever Society, Book of Harvard Law, Most Outstanding Scholar.**AMY RANSOM**

Coral Gables

Sport(s): Soccer.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 4.0/5.348 GPA, 1400/30 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** N/A.**College:** Undecided.**Athletic Honors:** First-team All-Dade in soccer, led team to regional semifinals.**Scholastic Honors:** AP Scholar with Distinction, AP Scholar with Honors, Scholastic Art and Writing Contest Regional Gold Key recipient.**Class schedule:** IB Theatre 3, IB Theory of Knowledge 2, IB English Literature 4, Journalism 6 Honors, IB Calculus/Desc. Statistics, IB Biology 2, IB Contemporary History 2, Culinary Arts 2.**MIGUEL LAMAR**

Ransom Everglades

Sport: Water Polo.**GPA/ACT:** 4.0 GPA, 34 ACT**College:** MIT.**Class Rank:** School does not rank.**Athletic Honors:** All-Dade first team and part of 30-0 state championship water polo team, Southeastern Zone ODP Selection, Junior Olympics.**Scholastic Honors:** USA Water Polo Academic All-American, AP Scholar with Distinction, Cum Laude Society, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta Society, Spanish Honors Society, Science National Honor Society.**Class schedule:** AP Calculus BC and Multivariable, AP Calculus AB, AP Comparative Government and Politics, AP US Government and Politics, AP Physics 1, AP Spanish Language and Culture, AP Macro/Microeconomics, AP US History, AP Music Theory.**FEDERICO TAMBORREL**

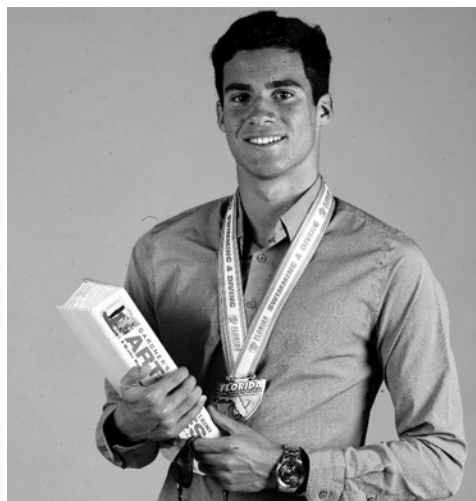
Belen Jesuit

Sport(s): Water polo.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 4.74 GPA, 2050/30 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** School does not rank.**College:** Northwestern.**Athletic Honors:** Two-time All-Dade first-team selection.**Scholastic Honors:** National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, National English Honor Society, National Math Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta President of Future Doctors of America President as well as Model United Nations First place Science Fair.**Class schedule:** Honors World Literature, Honors Philosophy, AP Calculus, AP Chemistry, Honors Latin American History, AP Human Geography and Theology 12.**BROOKE ELLIS**

Gulliver Prep

Sport(s): Swimming and diving.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.65/5.1 GPA, 1420/2130/31 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** School does not rank.**College:** Vanderbilt.**Athletic Honors:** Three-time All-Dade first-team swimmer, state team and relay champion.**Scholastic Honors:** AP Scholar with Distinction, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society.**Class schedule:** AP English Literature, AP Statistics, AP Calculus, AP Microeconomics, AP Macroeconomics, AP Environmental Science, Honors Writing for Mass Media.**GABRIELLA SOCARRAS**

Carrollton

Sport(s): Volleyball.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.5/4.04 GPA, 1310/31 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** School does not rank.**College:** Boston College.**Athletic Honors:** First-team All-Dade volleyball selection, AVCA College Showcase candidate.**Scholastic Honors:** National Honor Society, French National Honor Society, International Thespian Honor Society.**Class schedule:** IB English Lit HL, Theory of Knowledge, Catholic Social Teaching, IB Theory of Knowledge, IB Drama HL, IB 20th Century History HL, IB Math Studies SL, IB French SL, IB Chemistry SL.**GEORGE LUBIAN**

Varela

Sport(s): Swimming and diving.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.70/4.86 GPA, 1420/33 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** Top 2 percent of 745.**College:** USC.**Athletic Honors:** Four-time state finalist in three swimming events, third-team All-Dade.**Scholastic Honors:** AP Scholar with Distinction, AP Capstone Diploma Recipient.**Class schedule:** AP Research, AP Calculus BC, AP Art History, AP English Literature and Composition, Honors United States Government/Economics, Executive Internship II.**OLVIN VILLATORO**

Miami High

Sport(s): Swimming, cross-country, water polo, basketball.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.919/4.968 GPA, 1470/33 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** Valedictorian.**College:** Pennsylvania.**Athletic Honors:** Water polo team MVP.**Scholastic Honors:** Principal's Honor Roll, AP Scholar with Distinction, AP Capstone Diploma, AP Biology Award, Duke University Book Award.**Class schedule:** AP Macroeconomics, AP Physics 1, AP U.S. Government, AP English Literature, AP Calculus BC, Painting 1, Journalism 1, Critical Thinking and Study Skills, and Leadership Skills Development.**BRIANNA MORALES**

Ferguson

Sport(s): Basketball, badminton.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.8/5.119 GPA, 1380/32 SAT/ACT.**Class rank:** Top 2 percent of 1,000.**College:** Chicago.**Athletic Honors:** District champion in badminton, member of state runner-up basketball team.**Scholastic Honors:** College Prep Scholar, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta Vice President, Biotechnology Vice President, Science Olympiad Vice President.**Class schedule:** IB English, IB Contemporary History, Dual Enrollment Java Programming, AP Environmental Science, IB Theory of Knowledge, IB Further Math, IB Biology, IB Italian 4.**KYLA VALLS**

Ransom Everglades

Sport(s): Swimming and diving.**GPA/SAT/ACT:** 3.62 GPA.**Class rank:** N/A.**College:** Virginia.**Athletic Honors:** State champion and All-American freestyle swimmer.**Scholastic Honors:** National Honor Society, AP Scholar, University of Virginia Book Award, Science National Honor Society, Student Athlete Advisory Committee.**Class schedule:** AP European History, AP English, AP Biology, AP Statistics, Comparative Government and Politics, Environmental Science.

OTHER NOMINEES

American: Denvil Dixon (football, track, wrestling), 3.217/4.087 GPA, 1130 SAT; Sydney Vallejo (volleyball, soccer, basketball), 3.667/4.438 GPA, 1140/22 SAT/ACT.**Archbishop Curley:** Miguel Augustin (football, basketball, cross-country, baseball, track and field), 3.80/4.55 GPA, 1030 SAT; Janelle Forbes (volleyball, basketball, tennis), 3.4/4.1 GPA, 1010/21 SAT/ACT.**Archimedean:** Matthew Petrakis (swimming, basketball, volleyball, cross-country), 3.719/4.75 GPA, 1390/31 SAT/ACT; Linned Gomez (volleyball, basketball), 3.758/4.818 GPA, 1350/29 SAT/ACT.**Booker T. Washington:** Kevin Henry (basketball, volleyball), 3.6/4.0 GPA, 1000/19 SAT/ACT; Amanda Stewart (volleyball, tennis), 3.5/4.0 GPA, 1140/890/19 SAT/ACT.**Braddock:** Michael Leon (baseball), 3.88/5.4 GPA, 1200 SAT; Patricia Velasco (bowling, badminton, cheerleading), 3.893/5.3 GPA, 1310/28 SAT/ACT.**Colonial Christian:** John Morrissey (baseball, basketball, soccer), 4.56/4.6 GPA, 1220/27 SAT/ACT; Toni Torres (volleyball, softball), 4.32/4.28 GPA, 1110/1520/23 SAT/ACT.**Coral Gables:** Alex Rabell (soccer), 3.97/5.424 GPA, 30 ACT.**Coral Park:** Christian Sanchez (basketball, cross-country, track and field), 3.302/3.5 GPA, 1130 SAT; Natalie E. Diaz (soccer, flag football), 3.3/4.12 GPA, 970 SAT.**Coral Reef:** Abigail Chai-Onn (golf), 3.58/4.57 GPA, 1120/1550/24 SAT/ACT.**Doral Academy:** Andres Taquechel (football, track and field), 3.92/5.15 GPA, 1410/31 SAT/ACT.**Ferguson:** Stephen Schneider (football, wrestling), 3.367/4.533 GPA, 1260 SAT.**Florida Christian:** Diego Coviella (football, lacrosse), 3.8654/4.4115 GPA, 1450/34 SAT/ACT; Nicole Fontela (volleyball, soccer, softball), 4.0/4.6433 GPA, 1240/25 SAT/ACT.**Goleman:** Cesar Delgado-Vara (swimming and water polo), 3.36/4.22 GPA, 1040/21 SAT/ACT; Natalie Costero (softball), 3.78/4.83 GPA, 1200 SAT.**Gulliver:** Barry Robinson II (basketball), 3.3/3.9 GPA, 1100/1630/25 SAT/ACT.**Hialeah:** Jeffrey Abascal (soccer), 3.6/3.7 GPA, 1030 SAT; Jakeira Betties (flag football, basketball, cross-country), 3.5/3.7 GPA, 1060 SAT.**Hialeah Gardens:** Daniel Jay Algaze (football, volleyball), 3.962/5.377 GPA, 1270/28 SAT/ACT; Alessia Ortega (swimming, soccer, water polo), 3.796/5.148 GPA, 1240/29 SAT/ACT.**Killian:** Ryan Floyd (baseball, tennis), 3.815/4.907 GPA, 1310 SAT; Ryann Puente (volleyball, badminton), 3.551/4.673 GPA.**Loures:** Alex Peterson (volleyball), 4.0/5.19 GPA, 32 ACT.**MAST:** Vinson Rafael (basketball, cross-country), 3.982/5.333 GPA,

1450/33 SAT/ACT; Isabella Sanz (swimming, water polo), 4.0/5.281 GPA, 29 SAT.

Mater Academy: Angel Bu (soccer, volleyball), 3.94/5.20 GPA, 1410 SAT; Liz Travieso (swimming), 3.63/4.63 GPA, 1180/27 SAT/ACT.**Miami Beach:** Molly Chepenik (swimming, water polo), 4.0/5.169 GPA, 33 ACT.**Miami Country Day:** Jonathan Abramowitz (water polo, swimming), 3.92/4.57 GPA, 1450/30 SAT/ACT; Amelia Gregorio (swimming, water polo), 3.84/4.44 GPA, 1230/26 SAT/ACT.**Miami High:** Isabella Pujol (swimming, water polo), 3.411/4.179 GPA, 1050/21 SAT/ACT.**Miami Springs:** Jonathan Valencia (basketball), 3.93/5.0 GPA, 1380 SAT.**Norland:** Jaylen Daphnis (football, baseball, wrestling), 3.525/4.288 GPA, 1200 SAT; Denitria Stevens (basketball), 3.655/4.00 GPA, 1150 SAT.**Palmer Trinity:** Dylan DiBello (football, lacrosse), 3.53/3.85 GPA, 32 ACT; Victoria Rosales (soccer), 3.65/3.85 GPA, 30 ACT.**Palmetto:** Zachary Rouviere (cross-country, bowling, track and field), 3.963/5.111 GPA, 1430 SAT; Samantha Mornille (cross-country, track and field), 3.872/5.085 GPA, 1300/31 SAT/ACT.**South Dade:** Ricardo Sobalvarro (baseball), 3.3/4.5 GPA, 1060 SAT; Anyssa Verdin (swimming, track and field), 3.9/4.8 GPA, 1010/19 SAT/ACT.**South Miami:** Rogelio Bofill (soccer, tennis), 3.707/4.098 GPA, 1080/20 SAT/ACT; Emily Perretta (bowling, volleyball, tennis, softball), 3.151/3.811 GPA, 1130 SAT.**Southridge:** Andrew Richterkesing (baseball), 5.0 GPA, 1290 SAT; Ciara Knox (basketball), 3.8 GPA, 940 SAT.**Southwest:** Madison Chamizo (badminton), 3.821/5.107 GPA, 1230/26 SAT/ACT.**Sunset:** Pedro Igorra (volleyball, basketball), 3.5/4.604 GPA, 1290 SAT; Alexandra Poit (bowling, basketball, softball), 3.234/3.936 GPA, 22 ACT.**Terra:** Robert Fourqurean (soccer, badminton), 3.741/4.81 GPA, 1340/1930/28 SAT/ACT; Julia Talamo (swimming, water polo), 3.911/5.036 GPA, 1250 SAT.**Varela:** Leana Lu (basketball, badminton), 3.68/4.7 GPA, 1180/24 SAT/ACT.**Westminster Christian:** Sophia Poveda (volleyball, basketball), 3.77/4.93 GPA, 1240/28 SAT/ACT.**Credits:** Finalists were selected by Miami Herald executive sports editor Jorge Rojas, Miami Herald sportswriter Andre C. Fernandez and Miami Herald writer Bill Van Smith. Schools not listed did not submit ballots. Photos by Miami Herald photographer Charles Trainor, Jr. Scholar-athlete winners will be announced during the All-Dade Awards breakfast Tuesday at Jungle Island in Miami.