

## Press Release



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### For Immediate Release

## ***NAGC Congratulates 2022 Carolyn Callahan Doctoral Student Award Recipients***

**Washington, DC (October 14, 2022)** – The [National Association for Gifted Children](https://www.nagc.org) (NAGC) is pleased to announce the 2022 [Carolyn Callahan Doctoral Student Award](#) recipients. Each year, the Association recognizes up to five doctoral students who have demonstrated exemplary work in research, publications, and educational service, as well as their potential for future scholarship. This year’s recipients include:

- Aakash Chowkase, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana
- Rebecca Johnson, University of North Texas, Denton, Texas
- Fabio Andres Parra Martinez, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana
- Jessica Ottwein, University of North Texas, Denton, Texas
- Pamela M. Peters, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut

“NAGC has a distinguished history of dedicated members who have committed themselves to advancing the field of gifted education and improving the outcomes for our gifted and talented children. I congratulate these doctoral students and look forward to recognizing their achievements during [NAGC22](#) in Indianapolis,” said Lauri Kirsch, NAGC Board President.

### **About the National Association for Gifted Children**

The [National Association for Gifted Children \(NAGC\)](https://www.nagc.org) is the nation’s leading organization focused on the needs of gifted and talented children. Dedicated to uplifting and empowering those who support children with advanced abilities, NAGC provides energizing professional learning, impactful research, and inspiring advocacy to allow its members to work collaboratively so that all children have equitable opportunities and support to develop their gifts and talents.

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