Allen G. Marr Distinguished Dissertation Award

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Criteria: The nominated dissertation should represent original work making an unusually significant contribution to the disciplines. Both methodological and substantive quality will be judged. The fields of competition for the 2021 award are Biological Sciences, Humanities and Fine Arts.

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Name of Nominator: ____________________________________________________________
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Name of Nominee (First, Middle, Last): ____________________________________________
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Graduate Program: ______________________________________________________________

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Is Dissertation Multi- or Interdisciplinary? (if yes, what fields are included?):
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All materials are to be submitted in a single PDF document to Kathryn Raley (knraley@ucdavis.edu, no later than February 28, 2021, in order to be considered. Application materials will not be returned. Please contact Kathryn Raley (knraley@ucdavis.edu; 530-752-4480) in Graduate Studies with questions.