

## UCSD students receive prestigious scholarships

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Four University of California, San Diego students, all undergraduates at the school's Revelle College, have been named recipients of the 1998-99 Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education awards.

The Goldwater Scholars at UCSD are Roland Roeder of La Mesa, Melissa Shults of San Diego, Barry R. Smith of Rancho Palos Verdes and Erik Sudderth of Saratoga.

They were among 316 honorees selected on the basis of academic merit from a field of 1,186 mathematics, science and engineering students who were nominated by the faculties of colleges and universities nationwide. The scholarships cover the cost of tuition, fees, books, and room and board up to a maximum of \$7,500 per year.

The Goldwater Foundation and its scholarship program honors Sen. Barry M. Goldwater and was designed to foster and encourage outstanding students to pursue careers in the fields of mathematics, the natural sciences and engineering. The Goldwater Scholarship is the premier undergraduate award of its type in these fields.

Pat Ledden, chair of the UCSD Committee on Undergraduate Scholarships and Honors, said that it was particularly noteworthy to have all four of UCSD's nominees selected as scholarship recipients.

Tom Bond, Revelle College Provost, added that "these are incredible students who started research in their freshman year, but also are involved in a number of extra-curricular activities."

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