

PRESS RELEASE: Ferris Alumni Association Awards \$30,000 in Legacy Scholarships

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Good morning!

Here is a press release about 25 Ferris State University students who have been awarded Alumni Association Legacy Scholarships totaling \$30,000 for the 2013-14 academic year. Any questions can be addressed to Sandy Gholston, News Services and Social Media Manager, (231) 591-2021 or sandygholston@ferris.edu.



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BIG RAPIDS – Twenty-five Ferris State University students were awarded Alumni Association Legacy Scholarships totaling \$30,000 for the 2013-14 academic year.

The Legacy Scholarship recognizes the academic achievements and leadership potential in students whose parent, sibling or grandparent is a Ferris graduate. The one-time award can total up to \$2,000 and is presented in two equal increments for two consecutive semesters.

The winners of \$2,000 awards are:

Edward Peters of DeWitt, a Biology/Pre-Optometry major

Caleb Schultz of Lowell, Pharmacy

Amanda Jensen of Muskegon, Elementary Education

Heather Evans of Howard City, Radiography

Students awarded \$1,000 scholarships are:

Laura Unaeze of Big Rapids, Integrative Studies

Katherine Wyman of Howard City, Pharmacy

Breanna Wooster of Chelsea, Graphic Design

Molly Schmid of Kent City, Business Administration MBA

Morgan Weiss of Caledonia, Pre-Pharmacy

Mackenzie Roerig of Belding, Health Care Systems Administration

Laura Walton of Big Rapids, Printing and Digital Graphic Imaging Technology

Todd Bunce of Big Rapids, Business Administration Professional Track

Spencer Schuiling of Lake Odessa, Pre-Business

Bethany Sonefeld of Ludington, Graphic Design

Bradley Williamson of St. Clair, Welding Technology

Samantha Simmons of Milford, Biology/Pre-Pharmacy

Zachary Cross of Byron Center, Energy Systems Engineering

Cody Haines of Cadillac, Rubber Engineering Technology

Elizabeth Bartlett of Traverse City, Art Education (Ferris' Kendall College of Art and Design)

April Neilsen of Atlanta, Music Industry Management

Haley Hawes of Cedar Springs, Graphic Design

Lauren Carnevale of Plymouth, Television and Digital Media Production

Hillary Meyer of St. Clair, Elementary Education

Vanessa Kuske of Midland, Health Care Systems Administration

Ashley Beaudette of Washington, Health Information Technology

Erica St. Clair of Marne, Biotechnology

The winners will be honored at the Legacy Luncheon on Saturday, Sept. 14 at the Holiday Inn Hotel and Conference Center.

To be considered for the competitive scholarship, a student must not only be the relative of a Ferris graduate, but also have a 2.75 cumulative grade point average and have successfully completed a minimum of two full-time semesters. Applicants must submit an essay that describes their personal career goals and how a Ferris degree will help achieve those goals. In addition, they must submit a letter from the Ferris graduate describing the effect their educational experiences had on their life or professional career. Finally, the student must submit a recommendation by a Ferris faculty or staff member.

For more information about the Legacy Scholarship or to apply, visit

http://ferrisalumni.org/s/812/index_wide.aspx?sid=812&gid=1&pgid=282

For additional information on the Ferris Alumni Association, go to http://ferrisalumni.org/s/812/start2.aspx

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