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BOZEMAN STUDENTS RECEIVE UM SCHOLARSHIPS

MISSOULA -

Fourteen students from Bozeman have been awarded scholarships from The University

of Montana.

- Chris Arneson, a UM junior in print journalism and history, received a \$2,250 D. J. Shults Journalism Scholarship. He is a 2006 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School and the son of Mark and Heide Arneson of Bozeman. The scholarship was established in 1985 by Dosia J. Shults, a 1933 graduate of UM.
- Emily Ballinger, a 2009 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School, received a \$6,000 Louis V. Dubay Scholarship. Her parents are Laura St. John and David Ballinger of Bozeman. The scholarship was established from the estate of Dubay, a longtime Missoula resident.
- Kassandra Gahagan, a UM freshman majoring in psychology, was awarded a \$3,000 Louis V. Dubay Scholarship. She is a 2008 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School and the daughter of Chad and Conradine Tompers of Bozeman.
- John Hansen, a 2009 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School, received a \$1,000 UM General Scholarship. He plans to major in political science at UM. His parents are Nora Martin and Andy Hansen of Bozeman.
- Nicholas Linsky, a 2009 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School, received a \$2,000
 A.B. and Florence Hammond Scholarship. He will major in pre-pharmacy at UM. His
 parents are Ray and Elizabeth Linsky of Bozeman. The scholarship was established in
 1957 by Mrs. Frank B. King in memory of her parents. The Hammonds were one of
 the founding families of Missoula, and Missoula's Hotel Florence was named after
 Florence Hammond.

- Carrie Mahurin, a 2009 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School, received a \$1,000
 James and Olive M. Rector Memorial Scholarship. She will major in biology and premedical sciences at UM. Her parents are Becky and Joe Mahurin of Bozeman. The
 scholarship was established in 1967 by Ann Rector Williams in memory of her parents.
- Matt McLeod, a UM senior in journalism, was awarded a \$2,200 Dorothy Rochon Powers Scholarship. He is a 2007 graduate of Manhattan High School and the son of Mike and Vicki McLeod of Bozeman. The scholarship was established in 1988 with a contribution from the Cowles Publishing Company of Spokane. Powers, a 1943 graduate of UM, worked as an associate editor for the Spokesman-Review.
- Kellie McMahon, a 2009 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School, received an \$8,000
 Fox Foundation Scholarship. She will major in pre-physical therapy at UM. Her
 parents are Tom and Doreen McMahon of Bozeman. The scholarship was established in
 1960 by the estate of Sadie Fox, who moved to Montana with her family in 1887, first
 to Helena and then to a ranch near Stark. She married George Fox in 1905 and moved
 to Missoula in 1906.
- Alexandria Miller, a 2009 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School, was awarded a \$1,500 James and Olive M. Rector Memorial Scholarship. She will major in anthropology at UM. Her parents are Heidi and Scott Miller of Belgrade.
- Victoria de Onís, a UM freshman majoring in business and Spanish, was awarded a \$6,000 Haynes Foundation Scholarship. She is a 2007 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School. Jack and Isabel Haynes, who owned and managed several Yellowstone Park photo shops, established the scholarship fund in 1960.
- Tyler Schultz, a UM senior in business management, information systems and finance, received a \$1,500 Bonhomme Scholarship. He is a 2004 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School and the son of Paula and Marty Schultz of Bozeman. The Bonhomme Scholarship Fund was established in 2001 by the estate of Peter and Elvi Bonhomme of Big Timber.
- Kirsa Shelkey, a UM sophomore in sociology, was awarded a \$4,000 Haynes
 Foundation Scholarship. She is a graduate of Bozeman Senior High School and the daughter of Sue and Eric Shelkey of Bozeman.

- Katie Smith, a UM junior in exercise science, received a \$2,000 Access Scholarship. She is a 2006 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School and the daughter of David and Janet Smith of Bozeman. Access scholarships are funded through the Student Assistance Foundation in Helena.
- Janna Stucky, a UM junior majoring in psychology, received a \$2,000 Carl and Bella Nelson Scholarship. She is a 2006 graduate of Bozeman Senior High School. Her parents are Chris and Doyle Stucky of Bozeman. George and Bernice Nelson Buergi established the scholarship in 1986 in memory of Bernice's parents.

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