NATIONAL MERIT® SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS July 13, 2015 Announcement

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Note to editors: College-sponsored Merit Scholarship® winners in your state are listed alphabetically by city following this press release. News media are encouraged to contact high school principals for additional information about these outstanding students.

This material is prepared solely for news media to announce the names of Merit Scholar® designees; its use for any other purpose is prohibited.

This is the last group of National Merit Scholar designees to be announced in 2015 by National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). In three spring releases, NMSC announced winners of National Merit® \$2500 Scholarship awards, corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards, and the first group of college-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards.

Additional College-Sponsored Merit Scholarship Winners

(Evanston, Illinois) Today, National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) announced approximately 1,700 additional winners of National Merit Scholarships financed by colleges and universities. These Merit Scholar designees join more than 2,200 other college-sponsored award recipients who were announced in late May.

Officials of each sponsor college selected their scholarship winners from among the Finalists in the National Merit Scholarship Program who will attend their institution. College-sponsored awards provide between \$500 and \$2,000 annually for up to four years of undergraduate study at the institution financing the scholarship.

This year, 183 colleges and universities are sponsoring about 3,900 Merit Scholarship awards. Sponsor colleges include 106 private and 77 public institutions located in 44 states and the District of Columbia.

This final group of winners brings the number of 2015 National Merit Scholars to about 7,400. These distinguished high school graduates will receive scholarships for undergraduate study worth a total of more than \$32 million. In addition to college-sponsored awards, two other types of National Merit Scholarships were offered—2,500 National Merit \$2500 Scholarships, for which all Finalists competed, and approximately 1,000 corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards for Finalists who met criteria specified by their grantor organizations.

2015 National Merit Scholarship Competition

This year's competition for National Merit Scholarships began when over 1.4 million juniors in some 22,000 high schools took the 2013 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT®), which served as an initial screen of program entrants. In September 2014, about 16,000 Semifinalists were named on a state-representational basis in numbers proportional to each state's percentage of the national total of graduating high school seniors. Semifinalists were the highest-scoring program entrants in each state and represented less than one percent of the nation's seniors.

To become a Finalist, each Semifinalist had to complete a detailed scholarship application, which included writing an essay, describing leadership positions and contributions in school and community activities, showing an outstanding academic record, and being endorsed and recommended by a high school official. Semifinalists also had to take the SAT[®] and earn scores that confirmed their performance on the initial qualifying test. From the Semifinalist group, about 15,000 attained Finalist standing, and more than half of the Finalists were chosen to receive National Merit Scholarships.

NMSC, a not-for-profit corporation that operates without government assistance, was founded in 1955 to conduct the National Merit Scholarship Program. Over the past 60 years, more than 315,000 outstanding young men and women have won National Merit Scholarships worth over \$1 billion. The majority of awards offered each year are underwritten by approximately 440 independent corporate and college sponsors that support NMSC's efforts to recognize scholastically talented youth and encourage the pursuit of academic excellence.

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CAUTION: Any attempt to compare high schools on the basis of numbers of Merit Scholarship winners will lead to erroneous and unsound conclusions. The National Merit Scholarship Program honors *individual* students who show exceptional academic ability and potential for success in rigorous college studies. The program does not measure the quality or effectiveness of education within a school, system, or state.

FLORIDA

Parker J. Lunn APOPKA 32703

Probable career field: Computer Engineering

LAKE BRANTLEY H. S., ALTAMONTE SPRINGS

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Lucas D. Idone AVE

AVENTURA 33180

AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, PLANTATION

Probable career field: Medicine

NATIONAL MERIT VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Vanderbilt University is an independent, privately supported university located in Nashville, Tennessee. It was founded in 1873 and is named after Cornelius Vanderbilt who provided funds to establish the university. The university offers undergraduate programs in Liberal Arts, Music, Engineering, Education, and Human Development. Graduate programs are offered in the Humanities, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences, Business, Engineering, Nursing, Divinity, Law, Medicine, and Public Policy.

Victor R. Pires

AVENTURA 33160

AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL,

PLANTATION

Probable career field: Economics

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Reef Chisolm Landrum

BIG PINE KEY 33043

MARATHON H. S., MARATHON

Probable career field: Astrophysics

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James G. Lynch

BOCA RATON 33486

BOCA RATON COMMUNITY H. S.,

Probable career field: Aerospace Engineering

BOCA RATON

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Richard J. Gammon

CASSELBERRY 32707

SEMINOLE H. S., SANFORD

Probable career field: Materials Engineering

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Nina P. Kumar

CHULUOTA 32766

PAUL J. HAGERTY H. S., OVIEDO

Probable career field: Law

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Jason T. Brown

COCOA 32926

ROCKLEDGE H. S., ROCKLEDGE

Probable career field: Activism

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Silvia Daniela Moreno

COCONUT CREEK 33073

POMPANO BEACH H. S., POMPANO BEACH

Probable career field: Molecular Biology

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Chicago is small, private, coeducational, and residential; it has an international reputation for distinction. The college (3,425 undergraduate students) offers liberal arts training in over 60 areas; 3,100 students are enrolled in 4 graduate divisions and about 3,000 in 7 graduate professional schools. Since 1892, Chicago has drawn gifted students from around the world to its beautiful 165 acre campus and has offered unexcelled teaching and extensive library and research facilities.

Megan C. White

COCONUT CREEK 33073

CARDINAL GIBBONS H. S., FORT LAUDERDALE

Probable career field: Electrical Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP

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Felix Tiet COOPER CITY 33024 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, Probable career field: Chemistry PLANTATION

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Isabella de la Guardia CORAL GABLES 33134 CARROLLTON SACRED HEART SCHOOL,
Probable career field: Engineering MIAMI

NATIONAL MERIT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Northwestern University is a major teaching and research institution whose undergraduate campus is located in Evanston, Illinois. Its full-time undergraduate enrollment includes 7,300 students pursuing programs of study in the Arts and Sciences as well as the specific professional schools of Education, Social Policy, Engineering, Journalism, Music, and Speech.

Brian T. Ransom CORAL GABLES 33134 CORAL REEF H. S., MIAMI

Probable career field: Mathematics

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 Jeanetta Nicole Balducci
 CORAL SPRINGS 33071
 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL,

 Probable career field: Law
 PLANTATION

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Jack K. BelkCORAL SPRINGS 33067ST. THOMAS AQUINAS H. S.,Probable career field: UndecidedFORT LAUDERDALE

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Olivia R. Bergeron-Oakes CORAL SPRINGS 33065 CORAL GLADES H. S., CORAL SPRINGS

Probable career field: Undecided

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Melanie Ryanne Cammarata-Philbrick CORAL SPRINGS 33075 ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL, BOCA RATON

Probable career field: Veterinary Medicine

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Alisha S. Kabir CORAL SPRINGS 33071 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, Probable career field: Law PLANTATION

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida, is a private, independent, international university. About 14,000 students from 50 states and over 100 countries are enrolled. Undergraduate programs are offered in over 50 areas of study, and there are over 100 programs offered at the master's and doctoral levels. The libraries contain more than one million volumes. The Rosenstiel School of Marine & Atmospheric Sciences is one of 11 academic divisions of the university.

Brendan M. Foley DADE CITY 33523 PASCO H. S., DADE CITY Probable career field: Physics

NATIONAL MERIT ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Arizona State University offers over 130 degree programs through its nine undergraduate colleges: Architecture, Business Administration, Education, Engineering & Applied Sciences, Fine Arts, Liberal Arts, Public Programs, Nursing, and Social Work. Academic honor programs, Phi Beta Kappa, and other honorary organizations offer special learning opportunities for outstanding students. Located in Tempe, A.S.U. enrolls nearly 38,000 students, of which 29,000 are undergraduates.

Jeremy C. Pierce **DESTIN 32541** FORT WALTON BEACH H. S., Probable career field: Law FORT WALTON BEACH

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Alabama offers over 150 undergraduate and 85 graduate majors through 12 divisions. A resident student body of some 18,000 comes from across the nation and over 60 foreign countries. The university has many innovative learning programs, a Law Center, a School of Mines and Energy Development, a College of Engineering, and a College of Commerce and Business Administration. Student activities center around some 300 organizations including fraternal groups, student government, and service organizations.

John W. Shine **DUNEDIN 34698** Probable career field: Urban/City Planning

CLEARWATER CENTRAL CATHOLIC H. S., **CLEARWATER**

NATIONAL MERIT TULANE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Tulane is a privately endowed, nonsectarian university offering a wide range of undergraduate, professional, and graduate courses in 11 divisions. Founded in 1834, it is located in the university section of New Orleans. Enrolled are 6,500 undergraduates, 2,300 graduate students, and 2,100 in professional schools. All divisions are coeducational except Newcomb College for Women and the College of Arts and Sciences for Men.

Chloe Carll FLAGLER BEACH 32136 FLAGLER PALM COAST H. S., PALM COAST

Probable career field: Education

Gabriel C. Cabrera-Cruz

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FORT LAUDERDALE 33312

Probable career field: Mechanical Engineering (Automotive)

ARCHBISHOP EDWARD A. MC CARTHY H. S., SOUTHWEST RANCH

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Jaclyn A. Jacobs **GAINESVILLE 32605**

GAINESVILLE H. S., GAINESVILLE

Probable career field: Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA SCHOLARSHIP

Founded in 1890, the University of Oklahoma is a doctoral degree-granting research university serving the educational, cultural, economic, and health care needs of the state, region, and nation. Through its 19 colleges, OU provides comprehensive learning experiences in over 300 total majors at the baccalaureate, master's, doctoral, and professional levels. Today OU has some 30,000 students representing 50 states and over 100 countries. The University of Oklahoma is an equal opportunity institution.

EASTSIDE H. S., GAINESVILLE Kelly A. Lampotang **GAINESVILLE 32608**

Probable career field: Computer Science

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Southern California is private, coeducational, and nonsectarian, and is located in the heart of the city of Los Angeles. Undergraduate enrollment is nearly 14,000 students. A College of Letters, Arts and Sciences is complemented by 19 professional and graduate schools offering undergraduate and graduate degrees. Graduate enrollment is about 12,000.

Shayli A. Patel **GULF BREEZE 32563** PENSACOLA H. S., PENSACOLA

Probable career field: Medicine

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Troy Andrew Stringfellow GULF BREEZE 32561 PENSACOLA CATHOLIC H. S., PENSACOLA

Probable career field: Engineering

Probable career field: Business

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Dominic R. Murazzi HOLLYWOOD 33021 ST. THOMAS AQUINAS H. S., FORT LAUDERDALE

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Onyeka Acholonu JACKSONVILLE 32207 STAN
Probable career field: Pediatric Neurosurgery SCI

STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP

The University of South Florida has four campuses in Tampa (main campus), St. Petersburg, Sarasota, and Lakeland. The university enrolls over 41,000 students in Bachelor's, Master's, and Ph.D. programs of the College and Schools of Arts & Sciences, Architecture, Business, Education, Engineering, Health Sciences, Honors, Marine Science, Medicine, Nursing, Public Health, and Visual & Performing Arts and Pre-Medical preparations. Honors students enjoy unique undergraduate research opportunities.

Harrison F. Andrew JACKSONVILLE 32211
Probable career field: Law (Intellectual Property)

PAXON SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES, JACKSONVILLE

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Elyse L. CarleyJACKSONVILLE 32277

STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORY

Probable career field: Film Production

SCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

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 Cassius Alexander Cunningham
 JACKSONVILLE 32225
 PROVIDENCE SCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

 Probable career field: Medicine
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Haley N. GarvinJACKSONVILLE 32226STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORYProbable career field: EngineeringSCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

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Yzra C. GoJACKSONVILLE 32225STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORYProbable career field: PharmacySCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

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Jessica E. Koros JACKSONVILLE 32259 ALLEN D. NEASE H. S., PONTE VEDRA

Probable career field: Undecided

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 Connor R. Nugent
 JACKSONVILLE 32207
 PAXON SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES,

 Probable career field: Business
 JACKSONVILLE

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Raj V. ShahJACKSONVILLE 32225STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORYProbable career field: Computer EngineeringSCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

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Matthew R. Shinego JACKSONVILLE 32226

STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL, JACKSONVILLE

Probable career field: Biomedical Engineering

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Karl I. Singletary

JACKSONVILLE 32246

DOUGLAS ANDERSON SCHOOL OF THE

Probable career field: Education

ARTS, JACKSONVILLE

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Joe R. Azar-Williams

JUPITER 33478

SUNCOAST COMMUNITY H. S.,

RIVIERA BEACH

Probable career field: Computer Science

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Rochester is an independent, coeducational university located in Rochester, New York, with an undergraduate enrollment of 2,400 men and 1,800 women with 85% in residence. There are eight schools or colleges in the university, including the Eastman School of Music and the School of Medicine and Dentistry. The undergraduate academic calendar features a flexible period in the spring in which students may undertake special academic projects.

Ashlvn Nicole Marcinak

KEY LARGO 33037

CORAL SHORES H. S., TAVERNIER

Probable career field: Genetics

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Aaron C. Stack

KEY LARGO 33037

CORAL SHORES H. S., TAVERNIER

Probable career field: Medical Research

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Evan J. Budo

LAKELAND 33812

HARRISON CENTER FOR VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS, LAKELAND

Probable career field: Biomedical Engineering

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Jared M. Greenberg

LAKE WORTH 33467

PALM BEACH CENTRAL H. S., WELLINGTON

Probable career field: Physics

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Dan V. Tran

LAKE WORTH 33467

ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL, BOCA RATON

Probable career field: Biomedical Engineering

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Sarah M. Cool

LITHIA 33547

NEWSOME H. S., LITHIA

Probable career field: Nursing

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Matthew Thomas Hendrick LIVE OAK 32060 SUWANNEE H. S., LIVE OAK

Probable career field: Mathematics

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LONGWOOD 32779 TRINITY PREPARATORY SCHOOL, Swathi Gayathri Krishnan WINTER PARK

Probable career field: Psychology

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Virai N. Shah LONGWOOD 32750 SEMINOLE H. S., SANFORD

Probable career field: Cardiology

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Matthew D. Kuhl WINTER PARK H. S., WINTER PARK MAITLAND 32751

Probable career field: Science/Research

NATIONAL MERIT UAB SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) is a comprehensive, urban, research university and academic health center with enrollment exceeding 16,000 students. UAB is the only university in Alabama to earn top ranking (Research University I) in the Carnegie Foundation's classifications of colleges and universities. Through UAB's rich mix of academics, honors options, social organizations and Division I sports, students can pursue a wide array of opportunities and gain valuable experience.

Nathaniel G. Hermann MELBOURNE 32940 HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL ACADEMY. Probable career field: Physics **MELBOURNE**

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI SCHOLARSHIP

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MELBOURNE 32935 Eva N. Johnson WEST SHORE H. S., MELBOURNE

Probable career field: Medicine

NATIONAL MERIT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Florida State University is located in Tallahassee, Florida's capital city. More than 29,000 students are enrolled in fourteen schools and colleges, all of which offer courses of study leading to the Baccalaureate, Master, and/or Doctoral degrees. In addition, integrated graduate instruction is offered in a variety of institutions, including the Institute of Human Development, Institute of Molecular Biophysics, and Political Research Institute.

Tiffany W. Chen MIAMI 33156 MIAMI PALMETTO H. S., MIAMI

Probable career field: Electrical Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT PURDUE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Purdue University is a state-assisted university system with students on five campuses. Among the 25 largest colleges and universities in the nation, Purdue's West Lafayette campus enrollment exceeds 34,000. Undergraduate education at the West Lafayette campus is organized by academic schools: Agriculture; Consumer and Family Sciences; Education; Engineering; Liberal Arts; Management; Pharmacy, Nursing and Health Sciences; Science; Technology; and Veterinary Medicine.

Allegra E. Hill **MIAMI 33133** PALMER TRINITY SCHOOL, PALMETTO BAY

Probable career field: Environmental Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT BOWDOIN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

Founded in 1794, Bowdoin is one of the nation's oldest liberal arts colleges. This independent, nonsectarian, coeducational, residential college is located on a 110-acre campus in Brunswick, Maine. An exceptionally flexible curriculum allows students to tailor their academic programs and over sixty percent engage in faculty supervised independent study. Approximately 70 percent of Bowdoin's alumni enter graduate or professional schools within five years of graduation.

Elliot Karr **MIAMI 33180** DR. MICHAEL M. KROP H. S., MIAMI

Probable career field: Business

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Amy Lynne Meltzer MIAMI 33176 CORAL REEF H. S., MIAMI

Probable career field: Speech/Language Pathology

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MIAMI 33143 CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS H. S., MIAMI

Probable career field: Dentistry

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Kevin J. Shechter MIAMI 33156 GULLIVER PREPARATORY SCHOOL, MIAMI

Probable career field: Accounting

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SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES- SOUTH, Derek J. Stafford **MIAMI 33176**

Probable career field: Economics

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Charles H. Wardlow SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES- SOUTH, MIAMI 33157 MIAMI

Probable career field: Biomedical Engineering

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MIRAMAR 33027 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, Probable career field: Mechanical Engineering **PLANTATION**

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Chloe A. Nadon-Enriquez MIRAMAR 33027 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL,

Probable career field: Theater **PLANTATION**

NATIONAL MERIT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

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Emilio Otermin MIRAMAR 33029 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL,

Probable career field: Medicine **PLANTATION**

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Robert J. Simpson **MOUNT DORA 32757** MOUNT DORA H. S., MOUNT DORA

Probable career field: Aerospace Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT AUBURN UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Auburn University, located in Auburn, Alabama, is a state-supported, coeducational, residential, land grant institution which offers undergraduate study in over 135 areas and graduate study in over 65 areas. Its degree-granting schools are Agriculture, Architecture & Fine Arts, Business, Education, Engineering, Home Economics, Pharmacy, and Veterinary Medicine. Graduate and pre-professional study in law and the medical sciences is also available.

Samantha T. Korn NAPLES 34109 COMMUNITY SCHOOL, NAPLES

Probable career field: Writing

NATIONAL MERIT EMORY UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Emory College is the undergraduate division of Emory University, a private, coeducational university located in suburban Atlanta. With over 3,000 students and a 12:1 student-faculty ratio, the college provides the advantages of individual attention plus the resources of a major university. Emory also offers undergraduate schools of Business Administration and Nursing, and graduate schools of Arts and Sciences, Dentistry, Law, Medicine, Allied Health, and Theology.

Laura D. Mattson NAPLES 34109 BARRON COLLIER H. S., NAPLES

Probable career field: Non-Profit Management

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP

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Catherine N. Escoffier NICEVILLE 32578 NICEVILLE H. S., NICEVILLE

Probable career field: Medicine

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Nicholas J. Pelisek NOKOMIS 34275 PINE VIEW SCHOOL, OSPREY

Probable career field: Engineering

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Anastasia N. Petrik NORTH FORT MYERS 33917 NORTH FORT MYERS H. S., Probable career field: Theater NORTH FORT MYERS

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Brandon C. Hass NORTH PALM BEACH 33408 OXBRIDGE ACADEMY, WEST PALM BEACH

Probable career field: Finance

NATIONAL MERIT VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Vanderbilt University is an independent, privately supported university located in Nashville, Tennessee. It was founded in 1873 and is named after Cornelius Vanderbilt who provided funds to establish the university. The university offers undergraduate programs in Liberal Arts, Music, Engineering, Education, and Human Development. Graduate programs are offered in the Humanities, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences, Business, Engineering, Nursing, Divinity, Law, Medicine, and Public Policy.

Aria R. Henderson ORANGE PARK 32065 OAKLEAF H. S., ORANGE PARK

Probable career field: Biomedical Engineering

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Josephine R. Stair ORANGE PARK 32073 RIDGEVIEW H. S., ORANGE PARK

Probable career field: Bioengineering

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND SCHOLARSHIP

There are three University of Maryland campuses. The College Park campus provides a comprehensive program of graduate and undergraduate work, including a large and active general honors program. The Eastern Shore campus offers a small college environment with a selective honors program leading to admission to the university's professional schools. At Baltimore County students will find a medium-sized state university campus with particularly strong programs in the Arts and Sciences.

Jess E. Campbell ORLANDO 32825 UNIVERSITY H. S., ORLANDO

Probable career field: Mathematics

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Claire Elise Collins ORLANDO 32806 WILLIAM R. BOONE H. S., ORLANDO

Probable career field: Industrial Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Texas A&M University is chartered by Congress as the state's land-grant, sea-grant, and space-grant university. Extraordinary faculty and academic resources annually place Texas A&M among the top 10 producers of sponsored research, according to the National Science Foundation, in disciplines ranging from the humanities and social sciences to the life sciences and engineering. Outstanding undergraduates from all 50 states and over 100 nations have access to more than 150 degree programs.

Rahim R. Gulamali **ORLANDO 32836** TRINITY PREPARATORY SCHOOL, Probable career field: Medicine WINTER PARK

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Allison E. Mason ORLANDO 32828 TIMBER CREEK H. S., ORLANDO

Probable career field: Counseling

NATIONAL MERIT LIBERTY UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Liberty University is a private, evangelical university dedicated to academic excellence and Training Champions for Christ. Liberty offers 60-plus degree programs through 10 schools: the College of Arts and Sciences, Helms School of Government, School of Aeronautics, School of Business, School of Communication, School of Education, School of Engineering and Computational Sciences, School of Law, School of Religion and the Seminary, Select students can apply to participate in Liberty's Honors Program.

EDGEWATER H. S., ORLANDO Curtis W. Mitchell ORLANDO 32836

Probable career field: Mechanical Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA SCHOLARSHIP

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Francis Nguyen ORLANDO 32837 CYPRESS CREEK H. S., ORLANDO

Probable career field: Chemical Engineering

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William F. Tang ORLANDO 32817 WINTER PARK H. S., WINTER PARK

Probable career field: Law

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Eshan Tarneia ORLANDO 32836 LAKE HIGHLAND PREPARATORY SCHOOL. **ORLANDO**

Probable career field: Business

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Caleb J. Robev **OVIEDO 32765** OVIEDO H. S., OVIEDO

Probable career field: Mechanical Engineering

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Hannah E. Philips PENSACOLA 32526 J. M. TATE H. S., CANTONMENT

Probable career field: Dentistry

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Olivia M. Brown PLANTATION 33317 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL. **PLANTATION**

Probable career field: Journalism

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Reese P. Dengler PLANTATION 33317 ST. THOMAS AQUINAS H. S., Probable career field: Computer Science FORT LAUDERDALE

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Shruthi G. Reddy PLANTATION 33325 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, Probable career field: Undecided **PLANTATION**

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Ryan R. Romero PLANTATION 33322 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, **PLANTATION**

Probable career field: Advertising

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PONTE VEDRA 32082 Rina A. Samant PONTE VEDRA H. S., PONTE VEDRA

Probable career field: Medicine

NATIONAL MERIT GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

The George Washington University--private, coeducational, and nonsectarian--is located in the heart of Washington, DC, four blocks from the White House. Total on-campus enrollment of 17,000 students from all 50 states and over 100 foreign countries includes 6,100 undergraduates who select from more than 80 academic programs in Arts & Sciences (including Prelaw and Premedicine), Business, Communications, Education, Engineering, Health Sciences, and International Affairs.

Turner F. Street PONTE VEDRA BEACH 32082 ALLEN D. NEASE H. S., PONTE VEDRA

Probable career field: Law

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Juan S. Rojas **RIVERVIEW 33579** TAMPA BAY TECHNICAL H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Medicine

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SANFORD 32771 SEMINOLE H. S., SANFORD Gabriela A. Parpia

Probable career field: Dentistry

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Central Florida, located in Orlando, is a member of the State University System of Florida, noted for excellence in undergraduate teaching. Its curriculum combines diversified programs in Engineering, Computer Science, Business Administration, Arts & Sciences, Education, and Health. Graduate programs through the Ph.D. and accompanying research activities provide enhancement and continual educational opportunities.

Kristopher J. Tolopka SANFORD 32771 SEMINOLE H. S., SANFORD

Probable career field: Mechanical Engineering

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Natasha Zdravkovic SANFORD 32773 LAKE MARY H. S., LAKE MARY

Probable career field: Management

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Christopher H. Savoie SANTA ROSA BEACH 32459 **HOMESCHOOL**

Probable career field: Architecture

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PINE VIEW SCHOOL, OSPREY Angelina V. Grebe SARASOTA 34239

Probable career field: Biology

NATIONAL MERIT FORDHAM UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Fordham, New York City's Jesuit University, offers a distinctive educational experience, characterized by the rich Jesuit tradition of education, in the 'capital of the world.' Fordham has three residential campuses: green and Gothic Rose Hill; Lincoln Center, in the cultural heart of Manhattan; and Marymount, in historic Tarrytown, NY. The distinguished faculty is committed to challenging each student to excel, and the low student-faculty ratio of 11:1 ensures individual attention. Fordham offers more than 65 majors.

Peper E. Langhout SARASOTA 34241 PINE VIEW SCHOOL, OSPREY

Probable career field: Linguistics

NATIONAL MERIT DEPAUW UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Founded in 1837, DePauw University is a selective, private, coeducational liberal arts university of 2,300 students. Both Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Music degrees are offered, along with innovative programs in Management, Media, Honors, Science Research and Technology. A national leader in internships and overseas study opportunities, DePauw is ranked eleventh in the nation in the production of CEOs. Uncommon success begins at DePauw University.

Caleb H. Proffitt SARASOTA 34236 PINE VIEW SCHOOL, OSPREY

Probable career field: Computer Science

NATIONAL MERIT VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Vanderbilt University is an independent, privately supported university located in Nashville, Tennessee. It was founded in 1873 and is named after Cornelius Vanderbilt who provided funds to establish the university. The university offers undergraduate programs in Liberal Arts, Music, Engineering, Education, and Human Development. Graduate programs are offered in the Humanities, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences, Business, Engineering, Nursing, Divinity, Law, Medicine, and Public Policy.

Caitlin Richter SARASOTA 34237 PINE VIEW SCHOOL, OSPREY

Probable career field: Undecided

NATIONAL MERIT GRINNELL COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

Grinnell College is coeducational, nonsectarian, and privately endowed and supported with an enrollment of 1,200. The first 4-year college west of the Mississippi River, Grinnell is nationally known for its outstanding faculty and student body. The liberal arts curriculum is offered on a largely elective basis, students having responsibility for planning their own courses of study with the help of faculty advisers. Emphasis is placed on hard work, excellence in scholarship, and personal enjoyment.

Nathan D. Schlesinger SARASOTA 34240 PINE VIEW SCHOOL, OSPREY

Probable career field: Psychology

NATIONAL MERIT LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Lawrence University is a nationally recognized undergraduate college of liberal arts and sciences and conservatory of music. Chartered in 1847, Lawrence was among the first colleges in the United States to be founded coeducationally. The university emphasizes individualized learning through a rich set of small group or single-student tutorial courses, independent study projects, studio work, and faculty-student research collaborations, all of which take advantage of a 9:1 student-to-faculty ratio.

Devin R. Michaels SEBASTIAN 32958 SEBASTIAN RIVER H. S., SEBASTIAN

Probable career field: Software Engineering

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John W. Baier STARKE 32091 BRADFORD H. S., STARKE

Probable career field: Chemistry

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Jenna Elizabeth Abell ST. AUGUSTINE 32086 PEDRO MENENDEZ H. S., ST. AUGUSTINE

Probable career field: Psychology

NATIONAL MERIT NEW COLLEGE OF FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP

New College of Florida is a public honors college for the liberal arts and sciences, specializing in advanced undergraduate study. Regularly selected among the nation's best values in higher education, New College's innovative academic program directly involves students in designing individualized curricula to meet each student's educational goals. The college's emphasis on close interaction between students and faculty and its beautiful setting on Florida's Gulf Coast attract students from throughout the U.S. and abroad.

Erin E. Wadhams ST. JOHNS 32259 ALLEN D. NEASE H. S., PONTE VEDRA

Probable career field: Biology

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Weir L. King III STUART 34997 OXBRIDGE ACADEMY, WEST PALM BEACH

Probable career field: Computer Science

NATIONAL MERIT ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Arizona State University offers over 130 degree programs through its nine undergraduate colleges: Architecture, Business Administration, Education, Engineering & Applied Sciences, Fine Arts, Liberal Arts, Public Programs, Nursing, and Social Work. Academic honor programs, Phi Beta Kappa, and other honorary organizations offer special learning opportunities for outstanding students. Located in Tempe, A.S.U. enrolls nearly 38,000 students, of which 29,000 are undergraduates.

William Spencer McArthur TALLAHASSEE 32309 LEON H. S., TALLAHASSEE

Probable career field: Aerospace Engineering

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Brendan Z. Schneider

TALLAHASSEE 32317

LINCOLN H. S., TALLAHASSEE

Probable career field: Computer Science

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Devan H. Adhia TAMPA 33612

HILLSBOROUGH H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Computer Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Southern California is private, coeducational, and nonsectarian, and is located in the heart of the city of Los Angeles. Undergraduate enrollment is nearly 14,000 students. A College of Letters, Arts and Sciences is complemented by 19 professional and graduate schools offering undergraduate and graduate degrees. Graduate enrollment is about 12,000.

Garrett J. Andrews TAMPA 33624 HILLSBOROUGH H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Economics

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Isha Bhutada TAMPA 33647 C. LEON KING H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Oncology

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Divya Chopra TAMPA 33647 C. LEON KING H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Medicine

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Bindiya Desai TAMPA 33647 C. LEON KING H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Medicine

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Probable career field: Fashion Design

NATIONAL MERIT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Florida State University is located in Tallahassee, Florida's capital city. More than 29,000 students are enrolled in fourteen schools and colleges, all of which offer courses of study leading to the Baccalaureate, Master, and/or Doctoral degrees. In addition, integrated graduate instruction is offered in a variety of institutions, including the Institute of Human Development, Institute of Molecular Biophysics, and Political Research Institute.

Bernardo J. Rodriguez **TAMPA 33647** WHARTON H. S., TAMPA

Probable career field: Finance

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VALRICO 33596 Tanner K. Chastain BLOOMINGDALE H. S., VALRICO

Probable career field: Aerospace Engineering

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND SCHOLARSHIP

There are three University of Maryland campuses. The College Park campus provides a comprehensive program of graduate and undergraduate work, including a large and active general honors program. The Eastern Shore campus offers a small college environment with a selective honors program leading to admission to the university's professional schools. At Baltimore County students will find a medium-sized state university campus with particularly strong programs in the Arts and Sciences.

SUNCOAST COMMUNITY H. S., WELLINGTON 33414 RIVIERA BEACH

Probable career field: Physics

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WESTON 33327 AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL, Lauren H. Goboff **PLANTATION**

Probable career field: Undecided

NATIONAL MERIT CARLETON COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

The first private college in the Upper Midwest to have chapters of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, Carleton has been committed to academic excellence since its founding in 1866. The college's 1,000 acre campus is 35 miles south of Minneapolis-St. Paul in Northfield, where its 1,800 resident students and over 140 full-time faculty are near enough to the city to avoid rural isolation, yet far enough away to enjoy the advantages of small town life in the country.

Jennifer A. Schonberger **WESTON 33331** CYPRESS BAY H. S., WESTON

Probable career field: Journalism

NATIONAL MERIT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Northwestern University is a major teaching and research institution whose undergraduate campus is located in Evanston, Illinois. Its full-time undergraduate enrollment includes 7,300 students pursuing programs of study in the Arts and Sciences as well as the specific professional schools of Education, Social Policy, Engineering, Journalism, Music, and Speech.

Lindsey B. Spring **WESTON 33332** AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL. Probable career field: Architecture **PLANTATION**

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida, is a private, independent, international university. About 14,000 students from 50 states and over 100 countries are enrolled. Undergraduate programs are offered in over 50 areas of study, and there are over 100 programs offered at the master's and doctoral levels. The libraries contain more than one million volumes. The Rosenstiel School of Marine & Atmospheric Sciences is one of 11 academic divisions of the university.

Kerstin Yu **WESTON 33327** CYPRESS BAY H. S., WESTON

Probable career field: Surgical Medicine

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WEST PALM BEACH 33406 Joshua M. Bom LAKE WORTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, Probable career field: Mechanical Engineering **BOYNTON BEACH**

NATIONAL MERIT UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Central Florida, located in Orlando, is a member of the State University System of Florida, noted for excellence in undergraduate teaching. Its curriculum combines diversified programs in Engineering, Computer Science, Business Administration, Arts & Sciences, Education, and Health. Graduate programs through the Ph.D. and accompanying research activities provide enhancement and continual educational opportunities.

Andrew B. Etter WINDERMERE 34786 GENEVA SCHOOL, WINTER PARK

Probable career field: English Literature

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