2019

Bright Students
Bright Futures

Community Foundation Scholarship Recipients
The Community Foundation of the Holland/Zeeland Area (CFHZ) seeks to ensure that our community thrives today, tomorrow, and forever by building our Community’s Endowment and providing donor services. One service we offer our donors is the facilitation of scholarship for local students.

CFHZ will award more than $975,000 in the 2019–2020 academic year for students to attend schools of higher education throughout the nation. Our scholarships are possible thanks to the generosity of many local individuals, families, and businesses who have invested in our community’s future through CFHZ by furthering the education of others.

To learn more about our program and how you can establish your own scholarship fund, contact Stacy Timmerman, Director of Scholarships, at stimmerman@cfhz.org or (616) 994-8852.

CFHZ scholarship program by the numbers

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BRANDY BROWN  
Grand Rapids Community College

LUCIA RIVERA  
Muskegon Community College

JESSICA BROUWER  
Grand Valley State University

TAYLOR TWORK  
Grand Valley State University

HANNAH STURGEON  
Hope College

LILLIAN MULDER DALMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR RESTHAVEN EMPLOYEES

JOHN C. DEWITT SCHOLARSHIP

KRISTINA BOLMAN  
Grand Rapids Community College

DYKHOUSE CLAYTON  
Hope College

JORDAN PROCE  
Miami University, Ohio

SAMUEL MARTENS  
Grand Valley State University

LEVI LANGELLIER  
Calvin College

LAWRENCE F. AND BARBARA J. DICKMAN SCHOLARSHIP

ANNE E. DIRKSE MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

MARTIN J. DYKSTRA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

SYDNEY ARENDSEN  
Northern Michigan University

ALYSSA HUGHES  
Lake Michigan College

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Michigan State University

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CHARLES C. & CELESTE Y. FERRELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE (FOP) LODGE 104 UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP

SYDNEY ARENDSEN  
Northern Michigan University

ALYSSA HUGHES  
Lake Michigan College

VICTORIA-LI SISOMSOUK  
Michigan State University

JESSICA BROUWER  
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ANGEL VERDUSCO  
Western Michigan University

FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE (FOP) LODGE 104 POLICE ACADEMY SCHOLARSHIP

CAMERON PARKER  
Mid Michigan Police Academy

SPENCER SLENK  
Grand Valley State University Police Academy

CHLOE KIKSTRA  
Western Michigan University

SAMANTHA ROON  
Hillsdale College

C. NORMAN FRY SCHOLARSHIP

FRANZ FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

C. NORMAN FRY SCHOLARSHIP
FREEDOM VILLAGE RESIDENTS' SCHOLARSHIP

ELIZABETH CARILLO-GARCIA
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ALICIA GARDEA
Ferris State University

SAM LUKAS
Central Michigan University

CARLOS PANUCO
Michigan State University

MAYA ROOKS
Calvin College

RASHON SMITH
Ferris State University

SHA-RON SMITH
Ferris State University

MORGAN STURGIS
Grand Rapids Community College

SCOUT VERDOORN
Kendall College of Art & Design

JOCELYN VIZCARRA
Hope College

KATE GARROD POST EDUCATION FUND SCHOLARSHIP

AARON YOST
Grinnell College

DAVID PEREZ
Ferris State University

COURTNEY VANDE VORDE
Grand Valley State University

EDGAR CABRERA
Grand Rapids Community College

JADAH BURCIAGA
Michigan State University

CATHY GEEFLING'S INDOMITABLE SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP

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Kalamazoo College

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ALIZA PEYTON BURDENTE
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Ferris State University

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Grand Valley State University

NHI TRAN  
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Milwaukee Area Technical College

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Southern New Hampshire

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Frontier Nursing University

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Indiana University Bloomington

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Hope College

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University of Alabama

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Eastern Michigan University

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Hope College

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Lourdes University

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DePaul University

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AARON COOKE  
University of Michigan

BETHANY HULST  
Otterbein University

BROOKE DROST  
University of Michigan
“Your generosity does not end with me. It will continue on into all the students whose lives I hope to one day touch”

– Rodrigo Zavala-Cintora, Promise Scholarship recipient and future teacher
Returning Scholarship Recipients

**DR. TAI AFRIK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Cody Thammavongsa, Grand Valley State University

**ROGER AND LOUISE BRINKS ELEMENTARY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**
Megan Bosch, Trinity Christian College
Sydney Eustice, Central Michigan University

**BROOKS FAMILY FIRST GENERATION SCHOLARSHIP**
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Mckenna Bigelow, Kent State University
David Chhum, Liberty University
Lisset De La Rosa, University of Michigan
Karen Lin, University of Michigan
Raymond Surya, University of Michigan

**THOMAS AND SUSAN DEN HERDER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**
Tessa Bartels, North Central University
Karissa Walters, Concordia University (Illinois)
Rodrigo Zavala-Cintora, Hope College

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Jazmin Martinez, Hope College

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Jaxson Bedolla, Ferris State University

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Lisa Charlis, Michigan State University

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Nicole Cordova, Muskegon Community College
David DeBoer, Calvin College
Katelyn Eding, Grand Rapids Community College
Jennifer Fuentes-Rivas, North Park University (Chicago)
Maisy Heyboer, Calvin College
Helen Lim, Baker College
Maria Lopez Alvarez, Grand Rapids Community College
Megan VanAsperen, Western Michigan University
Elizabeth Vizcarra, Hope College
Sarah Yonker, Hope College
Aaron Yost, Grinnell College

**JULIE GENZINK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Ashton Maloney, Grand Valley State University

**IAN GUARR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Natalie Bloss, University of Michigan
Randy Nguyen, Grand Valley State University
Dominic Perales, Central Michigan University

**G.W. HAWORTH SCHOLARSHIP**
Alexander Ky, University of Michigan
Stephanie Schouman, University of Michigan

**GERALD B. JOHANNESON SCHOLARSHIP**
Avery Bullard, University of Mississippi
Sydney Hannigan, Georgia State University

**HOLLAND DOCTORS OF AUDIOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP**
Annika Gibson, Calvin College
Anne Spence, Washington University School of Medicine

**HOLLAND FRIENDS OF ART SCHOLARSHIP**
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**TRACY HOUTING SCHOLARSHIP**
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Eric Solis, Michigan State University

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Andrew DePree, Michigan State University
Jael Stilwell, Hope College
Micah Stilwell, Hope College

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Abigail Palmateer, Central Michigan University
Christina Piecuch, Grand Valley State University
Heidi Pohl, Elmhurst College

**KAREN AND LARRY MULDER SCHOLARSHIP**
Lucas Adams, Grand Valley State University
Kylie Darling, Baker College
Ashley Davison, Ferris State University
Jordyn DeNeff, Grand Valley State University
Dawson Forner, Ferris State University
Maria Gonzalez, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
Chad Mesbergen, Grand Valley State University
Jessica Nephew, Union College
Mackenzie Trevino, Ferris State University
Tin Vu, University of Georgia
Nathan Walter, Georgia Institute of Technology

**HERBERT F. AND MABEL L. OLNEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Sydney Ritsema, Ferris State University
Kaylee Twork, Grand Valley State University
HOLLAND/ ZEELAND PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP
Karen Alvarado, Kalamazoo College
Kariana Alvarado, University of Michigan
Ivonne Alvarez, Grand Valley State University
Lesly Blanco, Ferris State University
Eliseo Bustillos, Hope College
Edgar Cardenas, Western Michigan University
Micah Cuevas, Michigan State University
Michael Cruz, Michigan State University
Alfredo de Larosa, University of Michigan
Arely Gardea, Grand Valley State University
Diana Hernandez-Garcia, Western Michigan University
Taylor Klifman, Michigan State University
Marita Ky, University of Michigan
Julian Lugo, Hope College
Marisol Martinez, Ferris State University
Graciela Montoya, Michigan State University
David Mora, Michigan State University
Tanya Pompa, University of Michigan
Anna Prins, Hope College
Lydia Prus, Grand Valley State University
Nancy Roman, Calvin College
Eric Solis, Michigan State University
Justin Thomas, Grand Rapids Community College
Nhi Tran, Grand Valley State University
Melissa Urieta, Grand Valley State University
Srey Yol Vang, Grand Valley State University
Elizabeth Vera, Hope College
Taylor Weenum, Ferris State University
Taliah Young, Grand Valley State University
Rodrigo Zavala-Cintora, Hope College

WAYNE A. STREUR FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP
Kelby Bosma, University of Notre Dame
Isabella Correa, Central Michigan University

DONALD J. AND LILEETH BROUWER VAN ARK SCHOLARSHIP
Andrew DePree, Michigan State University

JACK W. AND MICHAEL W. VAN DYKE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Craig Smith, Michigan State University

ANGIE VAN HOVEN NURSING SCHOLARSHIP
Sara York, Trinity Christian College

VAN’T HOF SCHOLARSHIP
Onika Bouwkamp, Hope College
Quinn Bouwkamp, Hope College

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Brigitte Brault, Grand Valley State University

WAGNER CATHOLIC SCHOLARSHIP
Margaret Becker, University of Michigan
Emma DeNave, Saint Louis University
Mia Marroquin, Saint Mary’s College
Tess Mashour, Aquinas College
Tess Monahan, University of Notre Dame
Andrew Nguyen, University of Michigan
Katherine O’Brien, Marquette University
Olivia Panozzo, Hope College
Victoria Perez, Loyola University Chicago
Jenna Ringquist, University of Michigan
Cristina Schueerman, Aquinas College
Garrett Shrode, Hope College
Raymond Surya, University of Michigan
Elizabeth Vizzarra, Hope College
Ian Worthington, University of Notre Dame
Megan Youngerman, DePaul University

WEST MICHIGAN DENTAL SCHOLARSHIP
Michelle Meiste, Ferris State University
The Holland/Zeeland Promise began in 2010 as a dream to allow our area’s young people to graduate college or technical school without crushing student debt. Since its inception, the Promise has been housed at the Community Foundation of the Holland/Zeeland Area where it has received administrative support. CFHZ is proud to be a part of the Promise’s story and contribute toward its future growth with a $120,000 grant over four years.

Promise candidates are nominated by their high school or Careerline Tech Center guidance counselors or staff at Hope College’s Upward Bound, the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Holland or Latin Americans United for Progress. Selection is based on a range of factors including high financial need, the motivation to achieve a college or technical degree and proven academic success. Most Promise recipients are the first in their families to go to college.

What makes the Holland/Zeeland Promise unique?

- The Promise **covers the remaining cost** of tuition, books, room and board.
- The Promise is **renewable** for additional undergraduate years.
- The Promise offers a **side-by-side** approach with support services.
- The Promise encourages **peer mentoring**.
- The Promise boasts a **93 percent graduation rate**.
- Many Promise graduates **return to our community** to live, work and give back.
To learn more about the Promise Scholarship, contact Stacy Timmerman, Director of Scholarships, at stimmerman@cfhz.org or (616) 396-8852.