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MVCTC Student, Desiree Seeloff, Receives 2011 DEKALB Agricultural Accomplishment Award

Clayton, Ohio – Desiree Seeloff of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC) was recently presented the school's highest agricultural honor, the DEKALB Agricultural Accomplishment Award, sponsored by Monsanto Company.

Seeloff, the daughter of Jeff and Denise Seeloff, received the award for excellence in academics, leadership, and agricultural work experience. Selloff's significant experiences and accomplishments have included a FFA Small Animal Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE), Ag Education SAE, and Equine SAE. She is also part of the school's Student Ambassador Team, National Technical Honor Society, and 2010-2011 Vice President of the MVCTC FFA Chapter. Mrs. Lindsay Griffin is Selloff's agricultural education instructor at MVCTC.

This year the DEKALB Agricultural Accomplishment Award celebrates its 64th anniversary. Over these 64 years more than 166,000 high school seniors from across the country have received the Award, which has become a symbol for excellence and the school's highest agricultural honor. In 2010, over 2,000 students from high schools in 49 of the 50 states were recognized with the Award.

As the winner of the 2011 Award, Selloff's names will be recorded on a permanent plaque displayed at MVCTC.

Monsanto, a long-time supporter of agricultural education, FFA, 4-H and other farm youth organizations and initiatives, sponsors the DEKALB Agricultural Accomplishment Award. Monsanto is a leading global provider of technology-based solutions and agricultural products that improve farm productivity and food quality.

MVCTC is very proud of Desiree Seeloff and congratulates her on this great accomplishment. For more information about MVCTC and the 50 exciting career programs offered to high school juniors and seniors, or the career training opportunities offered to adult students, please visit www.mvctc.com or www.ctctube.com.

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Photo: MVCTC 2011 Plant Science graduate, Desiree Seeloff was presented with the DEKALB Agricultural Accomplishment Award, the school's highest agricultural honor sponsored by Monsanto Company.