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***MVCTC Class of 2014 Scholarship Winners***

Clayton, Ohio – Congratulations to all of the MVCTC Class of 2014 Scholarship Winners. **There were a total of 534 Tech Prep Scholarship earned this year by MVCTC seniors, totaling over \$1.6 million.** The following Class of 2014 students earned additional scholarship money.

- **Garrett Allen**, Graphic Commercial Art student from Bethel, earned a School of Advertising Art scholarship for \$5,000.
- **Julia Anspach**, Architectural & Engineering Technology student from Brookville, received a scholarship from Ohio Northern University for \$36,000.
- **Paige Baker**, Early Childhood Education student from Franklin Monroe, earned the Franklin Monroe Alumni Association Scholarship for \$1,000.
- **Brett Barger**, Culinary Arts student from Northmont, received the New England Culinary Institute Scholarship for \$16,500.
- **Nicole Casner**, Allied Health student from Bethel, received a scholarship to Ohio Northern University for \$24,500, a scholarship to Wright State University for \$2,500, and a scholarship to The Ohio State University for \$300.
- **Jesse Cavendish**, Computer Technology Academy – Game Programming and Web Applications student from Tri-County North, received a scholarship to Case Western Reserve totaling \$122,000.
- **Kylee Clarke**, Graphic Commercial Art student from Vandalia, received a scholarship for \$15,000 to the School of Advertising Art in Kettering.
- **Brittany Fietz**, Medical Careers student from Tri-County North, received the Word of Life Bible Institute Scholarship for \$950.
- **Justin Furrow**, Power Technologies student from Miami East, won the Ryan Wulber Scholarship to the University of Northwestern Ohio.

- **Dyreda Helton**, Allied Health student from Northridge, received the Northridge Optimist Club Scholarship for \$750 and the Katherine B. Hays Scholarship for \$1,000.
- **Briana Kimberlin**, Culinary Arts student from Brookville, was accepted into the Johnson & Wales Baking and Pastry Honors Program that starts in June. It is an 11-week program that includes a \$36,000 scholarship. After Briana completes the summer program, she will start the fall at Johnson & Wales as a college sophomore.
- **Amber Knisley**, Early Childhood Education student from Eaton, won a Wright State University Work Award for \$1,000.
- **Destiny Lane**, Air Force Junior ROTC student from Tri-County North, was awarded the Air Force Association Scholarship for \$500.
- **Samuel Larson**, Precision Machining student from Troy, received a scholarship to Wright State University for \$37,500.
- **Brittany Meng**, Veterinary Science student from Vandalia, received the University of Findlay Dean's Scholarship for \$56,000.
- **Tori Minnich**, Business Academy student from Versailles, received a scholarship for \$4,000 to the University of Northwestern Ohio and she earned the V.H. Cooper Scholarship for \$500.
- Congratulations to **Ben Montez**, Sports Medicine student from Northridge, for receiving the Arrigo Family Scholarship of \$2,000 and the Mount St. Joseph Opportunity Award of \$26,000!
- **Emily Norrod**, an Early Childhood Education student from Huber Heights, received the Wittenberg University Scholar Award for \$72,000 and the Wittenberg University Work Study Award for \$2,000.
- **Danielle Onyia**, Marketing and Media student from Northmont, received The Sisters in Christ Chorale Scholarship for \$1,000 and the Willis Bing Davis Scholarship for \$1,000.
- **Ashton Purcell**, Criminal Justice student from Eaton, received the Buckmaster Scholarship for \$1,000.
- **Esco Reeder**, Culinary Arts student from Northridge, was accepted into the Johnson & Wales Culinary Arts Honors Program also starts in June. His 11-week program also includes a \$36,000 scholarship towards a four

year degree and will allow him to start college in the fall as a sophomore. Esco also received the Northridge Optimist Club Scholarship for \$750.

- Shelby Roach, Veterinary Science student from Miami East, received the Miami County Soil & Water Conservation District Scholarship for \$750.
- Congratulations to **Hannah Sanders**, Sports Medicine student from New Lebanon, for receiving the Father Chaminade Scholarship from the University of Dayton in the amount of \$43,440.
- **Nathan Scott**, Computer Technology Academy – Game Programming and Web Applications student from Huber Heights, received a scholarship to Ohio Northern University for \$56,000.
- **Heather Shaw**, Graphic Commercial Art student from Huber Heights, received a scholarship to the Columbus College of Art & Design for \$42,000 and a scholarship to the School of Advertising Art for \$15,000.
- **Craig Swartz**, Precision Machining student from Tri-Village, received the IUPUI Recognition Scholarship for \$54,000.
- **Kaitlyn Thomison**, Early Childhood Education student from Northmont, received the Northmont Rotary Club Scholarship for \$1,000.
- **Emily Toney**, Graphic Commercial Art student from Vandalia Butler, earned a \$41,000 scholarship to the Columbus College of Art & Design; \$10,000 to the School of Advertising Art; \$32,000 to Spalding University; \$60,000 to Kings College NYC; \$10,000 to Maryland Institute College of Art.
- **Brooke Tracy**, Digital Design student from Northmont, received \$18,000 to Ohio University.
- **Sydney VanHorn**, Graphic Commercial Photography student from Valley View, earned a \$50,000 Columbus College of Art and Design Academic Scholarship and a \$4,000 Columbus College of Art and Design National Art Honor Society Scholarship.
- **Hannah Westfall**, Marketing and Media student from New Lebanon, earned the Plainview Open Bible Church Scholarship of \$1,000; The Dayton-Montgomery County Scholarship of \$1,000; the Carol Pokorney Memorial BPA Scholarship for \$500; and the Delta Theta Tau Sorority Scholarship of \$1,500.
- **Jerrod Widener**, Power Technologies student from Ansonia, earned the Ryan Wulber Scholarship to University of Northwestern Ohio for \$500

- **Colton Zimpfer**, Power Technologies student from New Lebanon, won the SkillsUSA Diesel Contest earning him a scholarship to the University of Northwestern Ohio for \$6,000 and he earned the OTI scholarship for \$6,500.

For over 40-years, MVCTC has been providing career technical education for 27 partner school districts encompassing five counties in Southwest Ohio. MVCTC is dedicated to providing in-demand workforce training for youth, adults, and organizations in the Miami Valley.

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