

# scholarship



**World Class**  
The Mediacom Scholarship Program

Just like most Midwestern families, the Mediacom family believes in the importance of higher education. As a corporation with strong community roots, we wanted to support, in some way, the higher education of our customers.

For this reason we formed *World Class*, a Mediacom scholarship program to help graduating high school students with their college expenses, such as tuition and books.

Through the World Class program, Mediacom will award \$1,000 leadership scholarships to winning applicants.

### **Scholarship Application Checklist**

Before you send your application materials to the address below, please make sure you have included the following:

- Completed application with your signature and the signature of your school guidance counselor
- A copy of your high school transcript
- Your essay of about 500 words, typed and double-spaced
- The references of two educators from your school (using the forms on the last page of this application)

Retain a copy of the above documents for your records (except for the references). Incomplete packets will be automatically rejected.



### **To be considered for a World Class scholarship, an eligible student must:**

1. Complete and include the application.
2. Compose and include the requested essay.
3. Include a copy of his/her high school transcript.
4. Include references of two educators from his/her school.
5. Mail all application materials postmarked on or before February 10, 2010.

### **The selection of scholarship recipients is based on:**

**Academic Achievement**, demonstrated by high school grade point average information (GPA) and class ranking.

**Leadership**, based on self-reliance, initiative and creative ability in school and out, as reflected in the applicant's personal essay. Additional determining factors include:

- Participation in school activities.
- Honors received.
- References of two educators from your school.
- Participation in community activities.

### **Completed application materials should be postmarked on or before February 10, 2010, and sent to:**

World Class – The Mediacom Scholarship Program  
Mediacom  
3737 Westown Parkway, Suite A  
West Des Moines, IA 50266

**Questions may be sent to:**  
[scholarship@mediacomcc.com](mailto:scholarship@mediacomcc.com).

An Adobe Acrobat® format of the application can be downloaded at [www.mediacomworldclass.com](http://www.mediacomworldclass.com).

### **Eligibility requirements:**

Children of directors, officers, employees or agents of Mediacom are not eligible.

Applicants must be legal residents of Iowa, Illinois, Minnesota, South Dakota or Wisconsin, and live in areas serviced by Mediacom (see list on page 4).

Scholarship awardees may attend any accredited two-year or four-year college, university, technical or vocational school within the United States.

Applicants must intend to pursue a course of study at a qualified post-secondary institution.

Applicants must be accepted by the qualified post-secondary institution prior to actually receiving a scholarship.

Applicants must commence their post-secondary education or training in the first academic year following their senior year of high school.

Applicants must be in their senior year of high school, must be high school graduates or persons who have achieved equivalent certification. If an applicant is awarded a scholarship while in his or her senior year of high school and does not graduate at the end of his or her senior year, he or she is no longer eligible to receive a scholarship.

Students completing high school in less than the normal four years are eligible to apply.

Students entering a qualified post-secondary institution in the middle of their senior high school year are permitted to apply the following year.

All scholarships will be awarded without regard to race, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, political affiliation or social or economic status.

Scholarships are not renewable.

# application

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE THE INFORMATION BELOW

**SECTION ONE:** PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION TWO:** ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Current School \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_  
Anticipated Graduation Date (Month/Year) \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and signature of high school guidance counselor, verifying the academic information above:  
Please Print \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION THREE:** ESSAY

As part of this application, we ask that you write and attach an original essay of 400-500 words (typed and double-spaced). This essay should describe how you exhibit leadership in your school and community. A separate list of honors, awards and accomplishments that you have achieved may be included.

**SECTION FOUR:** COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Please list the community events and organizations in which you participate (attach a separate sheet if needed).

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**SECTION FIVE:** REFERENCES

- Make photocopies of the forms on pages 6 - 7. Give a copy to two educators in your school. Once these forms are completed and returned to you, send to us with the rest of your application materials.
- Remember to make a copy of all application materials (except the references) for yourself. The materials you send us will not be returned to you. We will let you know during May, 2010, whether or not you have qualified for a scholarship.

**SECTION SIX:** TO BE READ AND SIGNED BY SCHOLARSHIP CANDIDATE

- I hereby declare that all information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. The essay is my own work. I also agree to abide by all scholarship policies as detailed in this document.
- Signature of candidate \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# communities served

YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR MEDIACOM'S WORLD CLASS SPONSORSHIP IF YOU LIVE IN A COMMUNITY LISTED BELOW

## ARIZONA

Ajo  
Amado  
Apache Junction  
Arrivaca  
Gold Canyon  
Nogales  
Pinal County  
Queen Creek  
Rio Rico  
Rock Shadows  
Sand Tanke

## CALIFORNIA

Kelseyville  
Lake Isabella  
Lakeport  
Lower Lake  
Menifee  
Middletown  
Ridgecrest  
Upper Lake  
Valley Center  
Inyokern Rc  
Bodfish  
Kernville  
Weldon  
Wofford  
Wildomar

## IOWA

Ackley  
Adel  
Agency  
Albia  
Algona  
Alta  
Altoona  
Amana  
Ames  
Anamosa  
Ankeny  
Aplington  
Arnolds Park  
Asbury  
Atalissa  
Atlantic  
Audubon  
Avoca  
Bancroft  
Barnum  
Beacon  
Beaman  
Bedford  
Belle Plaine  
Belmond  
Bertram  
Bettendorf  
Bloomfield  
Blue Grass  
Bondurant  
Boone  
Booneville  
Britt  
Buena Vista  
Buffalo  
Buffalo Center  
Burlington  
Burt  
Bussey  
Calhoun  
Calmar  
Camanche  
Carlisle  
Carroll  
Cedar Falls  
Cedar Rapids  
Centerville  
Cerro Gordo  
Chariton  
Charles City  
Charlotte  
Cherokee  
Clarinda  
Clarion  
Clayton  
Clear Lake  
Clinton  
Clinton County  
Clive  
Colfax  
Columbus City  
Columbus Junction  
Conrad  
Coralville  
Corning  
Corydon  
Cresco  
Creston

Dakota City  
Dallas  
Dallas Center  
Danville  
Davenport  
Decatur City  
Decorah  
Delaware County  
Denison  
Denver  
Des Moines  
Desoto  
Dewitt  
Dexter  
Dike  
Dubuque  
Dubuque County  
Duncan  
Durant  
Dyersville  
Dysart  
Eagle Grove  
Earlham  
Eddyville  
Edgewood  
Eldon  
Eldora  
Eldridge  
Elgin  
Elk Run Heights  
Elma  
Emmetsburg  
Epworth  
Essex  
Estherville  
Evansdale  
Fairbank  
Fairfax  
Fairfield  
Farley  
Fayette  
Floyd  
Forest City  
Fort Dodge  
Fort Madison  
Fredericksburg  
Fredonia  
Ft. Atkinson  
Garnavillo  
Garner  
Garwin  
Gilbertville  
Gladbrook  
Glenwood  
Glidden  
Goose Lake  
Granger  
Green Mountain  
Greenfield  
Grimes  
Grinnell  
Grundy Center  
Hamilton  
Hampton  
Hardin County  
Harlan  
Harris  
Hartford  
Hazleton  
Hiawatha  
Hills  
Hudson  
Humboldt  
Huxley  
Independence  
Indianola  
Iowa City  
Iowa Falls  
Janesville  
Johnston  
Jones County  
Kalona  
Kellerton  
Kensett  
Keokuk  
Keota  
Knoxville  
Lake City  
Lake Park  
Lakeside  
Lamb's Grove  
Lamoni  
Lansing  
Laporte  
Laurens  
Le Claire  
Le Grand  
Lee County  
Leland

Leon  
Lime Springs  
Linn  
Lisbon  
Lone Tree  
Long Grove  
Lovilia  
Low Moor  
Lucas  
Lynnville  
Madrid  
Manchester  
Manly  
Manson  
Maquoketa  
Marengo  
Marion  
Marshalltown  
Mason City  
Maynard  
McCausland  
Middletown  
Miles  
Mills County  
Mitchellville  
Monroe  
Monticello  
Montrose  
Morning Sun  
Mount Joy  
Mt Ayr  
Mt Pleasant  
Mt Vernon  
Mt. Pleasant  
Nevada  
New Hampton  
New Hartford  
New London  
New Sharon  
Newhall  
Newton  
North English  
North Liberty  
Northwood  
Norwalk  
Norway  
Oelwein  
Oelwein  
Okoboji  
Orleans  
Osage  
Osceola  
Oskaloosa  
Ossian  
Ottumwa  
Oxford  
Oxford Junction  
Panorama Park  
Park View  
Parkersburg  
Pella  
Perry  
Pleasant Hill  
Pleasant Valley  
Pleasantville  
Plymouth  
Pocahontas  
Polk City  
Prairie City  
Preston  
Princeton  
Randall  
Raymond  
Red Oak  
Redfield  
Reinbeck  
Riverdale  
Riverside  
Rockwell  
Rockwell City  
Rural Clinton County  
Rural Jackson County  
Sabula  
Sac City  
Sageville  
Scott  
Sheffield  
Sheldahl  
Shell Rock  
Shenandoah  
Shorewood Acres  
Shueville  
Sigourney  
Slater  
Solon  
Solon  
Spencer  
Spillville  
Spirit Lake

Storm Lake  
Story City  
Strawberry Point  
Stuart  
Sully  
Summer  
Swea City  
Swisher  
Tama  
Tiffin  
Tipton  
Toledo  
Traer  
University Heights  
University Park  
Urbandale  
Van Meter  
Ventura  
Vernon County  
Villisca  
Vinton  
Viola  
Wahpeton  
Walcott  
Wapello  
Wapello County  
Washburn  
Washington  
Waterloo  
Waukee  
Waverly  
Webster  
Webster City  
Wellman  
West Branch  
West Branch  
West Burlington  
West Concord  
West Des Moines  
West Liberty  
West Okoboji  
West Point  
West Union  
Westwood  
What Cheer  
Williamsburg  
Windsor Heights  
Winterset  
Woodburn  
Woodward  
Wright  
Wyoming

## ILLINOIS

Albany  
Aledo  
Alexis  
Altona  
Andalusia  
Andover  
Annawan  
Apple River  
Argyle  
Atkinson  
Belvidere Twp  
Boden  
Braceville  
Bradford  
Brimfield  
Bruce  
Buda  
Bureau  
Burlington  
Caledonia  
Cambridge  
Candlewick Lake  
Capron  
Carbon Cliff  
Carroll County  
Chadwick  
Chemung  
Chillicothe  
Cleveland  
Coal Valley  
Colona  
Cordova  
Cortland  
Dakota  
Davis  
Davis Junction  
Dayton Twp  
Dunlap  
Durand  
Eagle  
Earlville  
East Brooklyn  
East Dubuque  
East Moline  
Elburn

Elizabeth  
Erie  
Essex  
Fulton  
Fyre Lake  
Galena  
Galena Territories  
Galva  
Garden Prairie  
Geneseo  
German Valley  
Gilberts  
Godley  
Granville  
Green Rock  
Hamilton  
Hampshire  
Hampton  
Hanover  
Hebron  
Henderson  
Hennepin  
Henry  
Henry County  
Hillsdale  
Hinckley  
Hopewell Estates  
Jo Daviess  
Kane County  
Kangley  
Kirkland  
Lacon  
Lake Summerset  
Lanark  
Lasalle County  
Leland  
Lena  
Lyndon  
Malta  
Manlius  
Maple Park  
Mark  
Marse les  
Matherville  
Mcconnell  
Milan  
Milledgeville  
Mineral  
Minooka  
Mobet  
Moline  
Monroe Center  
Morrison  
Mt. Carroll  
Naplate  
Neponset  
Oak Grove  
Oak Park Est  
Orangeville  
Orion  
Osco  
Ottawa  
Otter Creek  
Pearl City  
Pecatonica  
Peoria County  
Poplar Grove  
Port Byron  
Preemption  
Princeville  
Prophetstown  
Rapids City  
Reading  
Reynolds  
Richmond  
Ridott  
Ringwood  
Rock City  
Rock Island  
Rock Island Arsenal  
Rolling Meadows  
Savanna  
Scales Mound  
Shabbona  
Shady Oaks  
Shannon  
Sheffield  
Sheridan  
Sherrard/Fyr  
Shullsburg  
Silvis  
Solon Mills  
Somonauk  
South Ottawa Twp  
South Wilmington  
Sparland  
Spring Grove  
Standard  
Stockton

Streator  
Sugar Grove  
Tampico  
Taylor Ridge  
Thomson  
Toulon  
Victoria  
Viola  
Walnut  
Warren  
Warsaw  
Wataga  
Waterman  
Whiteside  
Williamsfield  
Windsor  
Wolfe Road  
Wyoming

## MINNESOTA

Adams  
Appleton  
Arlington  
Atwater  
Aurora  
Beaver Bay  
Belgrade  
Belle Plaine  
Bird Island  
Biwabik  
Blooming Prairie  
Brooten  
Brownsdale  
Brownsville  
Brownton  
Buffalo Lake  
Buhl  
Butterfield  
Caledonia  
Caledonia Twp  
Cannon Falls  
Cantebury Estates  
Canton  
Carlton  
Chanhassen  
Chatfield  
Chisholm  
Chokio  
Clara City  
Cleveland  
Cloquet  
Cohasset  
Collinwood Twp  
Cook  
Cosmos  
Credit River  
Dakota  
Danube  
Darwin  
Dassel Township  
Dawson  
Deephaven  
Dodge Center  
Dover Twp  
Elko  
Ellsworth  
Eveleth  
Excelsior  
Fairfax  
Fayal  
Franklin  
Fulda  
Gaylord  
Gibbon  
Gilbert  
Graceville  
Grand Marais  
Grand Rapids  
Grand Rapids Twp  
Granite Falls  
Greenwood  
Grove City  
Hadley  
Hamburg  
Hancock  
Harris Twp  
Hassan Valley  
Hayfield  
Hayti  
Hector  
Henderson  
Hermantown  
Hibbing  
Hokah  
Houston  
Howard Lake  
Hoyt Lakes  
Hutchinson

Independence  
Ivanhoe  
Janesville  
Kasota  
Keewatin  
Kenyon  
Kinney  
Lafayette  
Lake Benton  
Lake City  
Lake Crystal  
Lake Jefferson  
Lanesboro  
Laprairie  
Le Sueur  
Leroy  
Lester Prairie  
Litchfield  
Litchfield Twp  
Long Lake  
Lonsdale  
Loretto  
Lower Sioux  
Luverne  
Lyle  
Mabel  
Madison  
Mantorville  
Belle Plaine  
Maynard  
Mckinley  
Medina  
Midway Twp  
Minnesota  
Minnestonka  
Montgomery  
Moose Lake  
Moose Lake Twp  
Morris  
Morris Twp  
Morton  
Mound  
Mountain Iron  
Mountain Lake  
Nashauk  
New Albin  
New Market  
North Redwood  
Norwood Young  
America  
Olivia  
Orono  
Pemberton  
Peterson  
Pipestone  
Preston  
Prior Lake  
Proctor  
Redwood Fall  
Riverside Te  
Rushford  
Savage  
Shorewood  
Silver Bay  
Silver Lake  
Slayton  
Sleepy Eye  
Spring Grove  
Spring Lake  
Spring Park  
Spring Valley  
Springfield  
St. Bonifacius  
St. James  
St. Charles City  
St. Peter  
Starbuck  
Sturgeon Lake  
Sunrise Vill  
Thomson  
Tonka Bay  
Trosky  
Two Harbors  
Tyler  
Veseli  
Victoria  
Virginia  
Waconia  
Waldorf  
Walham  
Waseca  
Wayzata  
Webster  
Wells  
Wheaton  
Winдемere  
Winnebago  
Winsted

Winthrop  
Woodland  
Worthington

## SOUTH DAKOTA

Arlington  
Aurora  
Brookings  
Bruce  
Castlewood  
Clinton  
Clontarf  
Colman  
Desmet  
Dickinson County  
Egan  
Elkton  
Estelline  
Flandreau  
Lake Norden  
Lake Preston  
Paynesv Twp  
Paynesville  
Sunburg  
Volga  
White

## WISCONSIN

Albany  
Albany Twp  
Argyle  
Belmont  
Benton  
Blanchardville  
Boscobel City  
Bridgeport Twp  
Brookview  
Browtown  
Camp Douglas  
Cashton  
Chaseburg  
Coon Valley  
Crawford County  
Cuba City  
Darlington  
Elkader  
Elkhorn/Sugar Creek  
Essman & Able  
Fennimore  
Ferrville  
Footville  
Fort Mccoey  
Fremont  
Gall Mills  
Germantown  
Grant  
Grant County  
Greenfield  
Guttenberg  
Harper's Ferry  
Hazel Green  
Hustler  
Iola  
Juneau County  
La Farge  
Lacrosse  
Lafayette Twp  
Lagrange Twp  
Marquette  
Mauston  
Mcgregor  
Monticello  
Muscodia Twp  
Muscodia Vill  
Necedah  
New Lisbon  
Norwalk  
Ontario  
Orfordville  
Potosi  
Prairie Du Chien  
Prairie Du Chien Twp  
Readstown  
Scandanavia  
Shelby  
Soldiers Grove  
South Wayne  
Stoddard  
Tennyson  
Viroqua  
Waukon  
Waukon Junction  
Westby  
Wilton

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# past scholarship winners

## PAST SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

### 2009 Winners

#### Iowa

Emily Anderson – Ankeny  
Erika Davis – Sigourney  
Ethan Kilburg – Maquoketa  
Haley Streff – Urbandale  
Jordan Hutchens – Des Moines  
Jordan Harbaugh-Williams – Waterloo  
Kalli Hannam – Marshalltown  
Mallory Sturtz – Newton  
Mythili Prabhu – Ames  
Nathan Bleadorn – Waverly  
Raeann Shimak – Mason City  
Sarah Dooley – Bettendorf  
Seth Nicholson – Dike  
Shelby Sieren – Keota  
Shelby Eaton – Dubuque  
Simone Renault – Clinton  
Todd Lyon – Toledo  
Tyler Gustafson – Spirit Lake

#### Illinois

Erika Lawson – Davis  
Gabrielle Speybroeck – East Moline  
Grant Pierce – Stockton  
Kasey Nelson – Ottawa  
Tara Vandygriff – Rock Island  
Shiann Poshard – Pontiac  
Mallory Livezey – Cheona  
Brittany Broadwater – Dwight  
Corey Sharp – Lexington  
Kara Johnson – Paxton  
Kaylee McCollum – Louisville  
Jodie Latham – Oakland  
Nichole Rush – Jacksonville  
Molly Stice – Jacksonville  
Wyatt Theodore Gard – Martinsville  
Sarah Odle – Marion  
Tali Kasser – Carbondale

#### Indiana

Kassidi Van Allen – Kendallville  
Meghan Sproch – Angola  
Ila A. Jackson – Walkerton  
Jessica Goldsmith – Syracuse  
Crystal Pearce – North Judson

#### Kansas

Allyson Sass – Baldwin City

#### Kentucky

Erin Oakley – Cadiz  
Jordan Henson – Burkesville

#### Minnesota

Katelin Strand – Blooming Prairie

#### Missouri

Zachary Baughman – Carl Junction  
Clint DeNisco – Mr. Vernon  
Brady Choat – Springfield  
David Waites – Springfield  
Elizabeth Darter – Cabool  
Robert Powers – Excelsior Springs  
Lori Beitsch – Columbia  
Lindsey Buschjost – Jefferson City  
Alex Turner – Columbia  
Viraj Patel – Caruthersville

#### South Dakota

Lindsay Hieb – Brookings

#### Wisconsin

Hillary Hartley – Soldiers Grove  
Megan Neitzel – Camp Douglas

### 2008 Winners

#### Iowa

Angela Marquard – Hampton  
Anna Statz – Boone  
Brian Darling – Toledo  
Chloe Dedic – Mason City  
Dakota Hoben – Wapello  
Emily Felkner – Centerville  
Ethan Gingerich – Iowa City  
Ian Mitchell – New Hampton  
Jacquelyn Erickson – Harlan  
John Schulz – Creston  
Jasmine Chen – Ames  
Jill McFee – Grinnell  
John Buzynski – Hudson  
Megan Balek – Creston  
Joseph Toale – Spencer  
Justin Cullen – Storm Lake  
Kalli Martin – Dubuque  
Megan Balek – Newton  
Michelle Wallace – Johnson  
Mickael Streicher – Cedar Falls  
Robert Humble – Estherville  
Samuel Wagner – Davenport  
Sara Wise – Des Moines  
Shazia Dharssi – Cedar Rapids  
Trevor Johnson – Cedar Rapids

#### Illinois

Fiona McGowan – Chillicothe  
Jacob Kuban – Geneseo  
Jeff Liles – Lena  
Joel Sedlacko – Streator  
Margaret Modica – Lena

#### Minnesota

Amanda Imberg – Dassel  
Donald Fahey-Ahrndt –  
Norwood-Young America  
Elizabeth Troolin – Hermantown  
Jonnica Norell – St. Peter  
Kayla Nygaard – Cannon Falls  
Michael Jordan – Hibbing

#### South Dakota

Benjamin Kantack – Brookings  
Rachel Remund – Elkton

#### Wisconsin

Abigail Wedig – Darlington  
Kelli Fischer – Argyle

### 2007 Winners

#### Iowa

Alyssa Beatty – Chariton  
Ashley Petersen – Davenport  
Edward Overy, Jr. – Manly  
Elizabeth Walsh – Creston  
Emily Richards – Dubuque  
Fariha Chowdhury – Davenport  
Gabriel Parker – Mt. Vernon  
Green Bouzard – Waverly  
Hayley Norton – Tipton  
Heidi Welsh – Williamsburg  
Janelle Vittetoe – Washington  
Jared Gebol – New Hampton  
Jason Davis – Davenport  
Jennifer Compton – Ames  
John Jessen – Des Moines  
John Kohorst – Harlan  
Jordan King – Davenport  
Joshua Strief – Sac City  
Kari McCann – Creston  
Kelly Wenman – Coralville  
Kristin Wilson – Lovilia  
Lindsay Stoll – Spirit Lake  
Lisa Gudenkauf – Cedar Rapids  
Nicole Stoll – Creston  
Paul Nelson – Iowa City  
Ryan Budding – Wilton  
Shreya Madhavaram – Cedar Rapids  
Stephanie Leinen – Des Moines  
Taylor Seemuth – Iowa City  
Tyler Miller – Mt. Pleasant  
Vanessa Shiu – Iowa City  
Youran Ye – West Des Moines

#### Illinois

Brittney Kajdacs – Colona  
Eva Hoffrichter – Pontiac  
Heidi Isermann – Streator  
Lauren Marshall – Fairbury  
Matthew Gonitzke – Rockford  
Melanie Lindell – Geneseo  
Shannon Failia – Kirkland  
Skylar Kempel – Lena  
Todd Epps – Gibson City

#### Minnesota

Christina Miles – Victoria  
Jeffrey Buchwitz – Virginia  
Joelle Elmer – Wells  
Laura Jensen – Norwood Young  
America  
Laura Northrup – Waconia  
Mia Johnson – Duluth

#### Wisconsin

Angela Walhovd – Mauston  
Brooke Anderson – Iola  
Kalee Crist – Darlington

### 2006 Winners

#### Iowa

Alexander Salem – West Des Moines  
Amanda Eikenberry – Des Moines  
Amy Xu – Fort Dodge  
Andrew Jennett – Creston  
Brandon Goodman – Boone  
Brent Miller – Rockwell City  
Caitlin Herrnstadt – Ames  
Caitlin Niggemeyer – Maynard  
Calli Friesen – Iowa Falls  
Catherine Gardner – Ottumwa  
Christina Schiltz – Clive  
Elizabeth Staloch – Ottumwa  
Emily Warford – Des Moines  
Heidi Ramaecker – Creston  
Hung Bui – Des Moines  
James Zhang – Fort Dodge  
Karla Fisher – Creston  
Kathryn Heiar – Manchester  
Katie Yourstone – Urbandale  
Kristin Hanson – Mason City  
Laura Kuennen – Northwood  
Marisa Erlandson – Spirit Lake  
Megan Deahr – Humboldt  
Megan Skinner – Des Moines  
Meredith Hobson – Urbandale  
Meredith Ritter – Urbandale  
Rob Romero – Altoona  
Samantha Toole – Des Moines  
Sarah Cramer – Des Moines  
Sarah Schlitter – Gladbrook  
Spencer Pflum – Burlington  
Thomas Grooms – Des Moines  
Whitney Carson – Swisher

#### Illinois

Brianna Martinez – Lena  
Katherine Cain – East Dubuque  
Kathryn Staver – Galena

#### Minnesota

Alissa Jansen – St Peter  
Brianna Frey – Hoyt Lakes  
Brittany Gentzler – Pipestone  
Jamie Kallestad – Cloquet  
John Weitgenant – Worthington  
Kelsey Loeger – Pipestone  
Laura Engman – Mountain Iron  
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