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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Innovia Foundation awards \$257,413 in Scholarships**

SPOKANE, WA, July 2019 — Innovia Foundation recently awarded \$257,413 in scholarships to 116 students throughout Eastern Washington and North Idaho for the 2019-2020 school year. The Foundation manages over 30 scholarship programs on behalf of donors who are invested in the educational success of students in our region. See the bottom of the page for a complete list of scholarship recipients.

Meet some of our regional Scholarship Recipients:



Travis Dillon

**Scholarship:** Newport-Priest River Rotary

**College Choice:** Lawrence University

**Major:** Mathematics

"With this scholarship, I will be able to travel to Budapest in the fall to attend the Budapest Semesters in Mathematics programs, one of the most prestigious mathematics study abroad programs in the world. Every student who has attended BSM has told me that it was an absolutely amazing mathematics experience, and I am looking forward to the opportunity. Thank you!"



Carolyn Moravec

**Scholarship:** Rika Ream Environmental

**College Choice:** Northwest Nazarene University

**Major:** Biology/Ecology

"I can't wait to pursue my passion for helping the environment! With this scholarship, I will be able to continue to pursue my education to become better informed on how I can help with the climate crisis. Thank you so much for awarding me with the amazing Rika Ream Environmental Scholarship!"



Nathan Anderson

**Scholarship:** East Spokane Kiwanis

**College Choice:** Grand Canyon University

**Major:** Computer Science or Cyber Security

"My desire is to wake up every morning with a sense of purpose and an eagerness for changing the world. Ultimately, I hope to break historically held notions that the best security and technology belongs only to the rich and powerful. I truly hope to make the East Spokane Kiwanis proud of helping me achieve my dreams."



Kierra Frick

**Scholarship:** Mark and Kay Burkett

**College Choice:** Idaho State University

**Major:** Health Science with EMS Concentration

"Thank you for your extremely generous contribution towards my future. It humbles me to have received this and it will push me to be an even better scholar and better person while I attend Idaho State University. I can guarantee that this scholarship will be put to good use and will not go unnoticed or unappreciated."



Caleb Petersen

**Scholarship:** Lenhart

**College Choice:** Brigham Young University

**Major:** Animal Science with Pre-Veterinary Module

"The small, rural town of Bonners Ferry I live in is a tremendous supporter of community projects, students, and activities. However, if I want to pursue advanced educational goals, I must attend school far from our region. This makes attending such a college very expensive. I appreciate your willingness to invest in my educational goals. This scholarship will allow me to achieve my goal of supporting people through working with their animals. Thank you for your support!"



Alissa Ludeman

**Scholarship:** Ren Rice

**College Choice:** Washington State University

**Major:** Speech and Hearing

“After seeing the effects that physical and cognitive disabilities can have on people, I knew that I wanted to help in any way I could. Speech and hearing are such an important part of how people communicate with others and it is isolating when you are struggling with those basic functions. I want to make sure no one ever feels alone.”

Scholarship Program	Name	Hometown	College Choice	Amount
Annie Maria Hitchings	Hope White	St. John	N/A	\$1,302
Annie Maria Hitchings	Olivia Larsen	St. John	N/A	\$651
Bess Mikalson	Haley Golding	Nine Mile Falls	Western Washington University	\$3,100
Bess Mikalson	Sydney Hause	Nine Mile Falls	Eastern Washington University	\$3,100
Bess Mikalson	Sophie Keller	Kettle Falls	Western Washington University	\$3,200
David L. and Frances G. Ray	Jazzmyn Gordon	Washtucna	Washington State University	\$1,000
David L. and Frances G. Ray	Bryce Kelly	Ritzville	Eastern Washington University	\$1,000
David L. and Frances G. Ray	Erica Leffel	Ritzville	Washington State University	\$1,000
Denny & Thelma Yasuhara	Deanna Dwyer	Spokane	University of Michigan	\$1,000
Doris Kenney	Hannah Hurst	Sagle	University of Idaho	\$1,440
Doris Kenney	Jessica Klein	Sagle	University of Idaho	\$1,440
Doris Kenney	Madison Koster	Sandpoint	Boise State University	\$1,440
Doris Kenney	Rachel Meyer	Sandpoint	Boise State University	\$1,440
Doris Kenney	Kellie Rich	Sagle	University of Idaho	\$1,440
Doris Kenney	Delaney Search	Sagle	George Fox University	\$1,440

Doris Kenney	Lauren Sfeir	Sandpoint	Whitworth University	\$1,440
Doris Kenney	Niah Brass	Sandpoint	Montana State University	\$800
Doris Kenney	Harrison Hertzberg	Sandpoint	Babson College	\$800
Doris Kenney	Alex Johnson	Sandpoint	University of Idaho	\$800
Doris Kenney	Christina McClelland	Sandpoint	Brigham Young University	\$800
Doris Kenney	Grace Meyer	Sandpoint	Northern Arizona University	\$800
Doris Kenney	Alana Seifert	Sandpoint	Yale University	\$800
Doris Kenney	Lillian Simko	Hope	University of Montana	\$800
Doris Kenney	Isaac Solly	Sandpoint	Stanford University	\$800
East Spokane Kiwanis	Nathan Anderson	Spokane Valley	Grand Canyon University	\$1,285
East Spokane Kiwanis	Bellamie Sy	Spokane Valley	University of Washington	\$1,285
Eileen Hutchison	Joy Mahowald	Nine Mile Falls	Washington State University	\$1,500
Eileen Hutchison	Rylee Thomas	Nine Mile Falls	Gonzaga University	\$1,500
Idaho Panhandle Dental Society Memorial	Jessica Schell	Spirit Lake	North Idaho College	\$560
Joe & June Fulton - Liberty High School	Margaret Nelson	Spangle	Eastern Washington University	\$1,000
Joe & June Fulton - Liberty High School	Haley Marsh	Spangle	Eastern Washington University	\$2,000
John R. Rogers - Ziegler	Kimberly Esperum	Spokane	Western Washington University	\$1,300
Joy-Hughes	Mariah Johnson	Spokane	Washington State University	\$1,200
Lenhart	Caleb Petersen	Bonniers Ferry	Brigham Young University - Idaho	\$1,500
Lillian M. Bailey	Jenna Couch	Ione	N/A	\$650
Lucille Hudon	Awson Wheeler	Lamont	University of Idaho	\$10,000

Lucille Hudon	Alanna Seifert	Sandpoint	Yale University	\$2,000
Lucille Hudon	Christina McClelland	Sandpoint	Brigham Young University	\$2,000
Lucille Hudon	McKenzie Ahrensbrak	Rathdrum	University of Idaho	\$2,000
Lucille Hudon	Carson Odegard	Wilbur	Central Washington University	\$2,000
Lucille Hudon	Danaca Colvin	Wilbur	Eastern Washington University	\$1,100
Lucille Hudon	Niah Brass	Sandpoint	Montana State University	\$1,100
Lucille Hudon	Jenna Dotson	Sandpoint	University of Idaho	\$1,100
Lucille Hudon	Rylee Thomas	Nine Mile Falls	Gonzaga University	\$1,100
Margaret F. Galbraith	Cade Warner	Kendrick	North Idaho College	\$1,000
Margaret F. Galbraith	Dawson Stokes	Deary	University of Idaho	\$1,000
Mark and Kay Burkett	Abigail Pyle	Spokane	Taylor University	\$2,500
Mark and Kay Burkett	Dominic Treis	Saint John	Eastern Washington University	\$2,500
Mark and Kay Burkett	Grace Lilje	Davenport	Gonzaga University	\$2,500
Mark and Kay Burkett	Kierra Frick	Kellogg	Idaho State University	\$2,500
Mark and Kay Burkett	Stephanie Bineau	Republic	University of Montana	\$2,500
Mark and Kay Burkett	Glory Dickerson	Colfax	Mississippi State University	\$1,000
Mark and Kay Burkett	Jordan Dick	Clark Fork	Brigham Young University - Idaho	\$1,000
Mark and Kay Burkett	Marlaena McKeehen	Davenport	Washington State University	\$1,000
Mark and Kay Burkett	Julie Martin	Edwall	Eastern Washington University	\$1,000
Mark and Kay Burkett	Makayla Miller	Pomeroy	Washington State University	\$1,000
Mark and Kay Burkett	Rose Melville	Spokane	Humboldt State University	\$1,000

Mark and Kay Burkett	Vanessa McClure	Davenport	Whitworth University	\$1,000
Mattawa Area	Beatriz Tapia	Mattawa	Big Bend Community College	\$750
Mattawa Area	Mirna Gallaga	Mattawa	Bellevue College	\$750
Newport-Priest River Rotary	Travis Dillon	Newport	Lawrence University	\$1,000
Newport-Priest River Rotary	Abigail Barnes	Priest River	Washington State University	\$1,000
Newport-Priest River Rotary	Evan Barnes	Priest River	Washington State University	\$1,000
Newport-Priest River Rotary	Rebekah Brooks	Newport	Eastern Washington University	\$1,000
Newport-Priest River Rotary	Giovanni Flavel	Priest River	Gonzaga University	\$1,000
Ren Rice	Tiffany Estes	Spokane	Seattle Pacific University	\$16,000
Ren Rice	Clara Plenty	Spokane	Whitworth University	\$16,000
Ren Rice	Jackee Smith	Spokane	Washington State University	\$12,000
Ren Rice	Alissa Ludeman	Spokane	Washington State University	\$12,000
Ren Rice	Titus May	Spokane	Washington State University	\$7,500
Ren Rice	Mario Reyes-Serrano	Spokane	Spokane Falls Community College	\$5,000
Rick Robinson Hotstart	Kaiha Hovanec	N/A	N/A	\$5,700
Rika Ream Environmental	Carolyn Moravec	Spokane	Northwest Nazarene University	\$2,000
Rika Ream Environmental	Emily Reidt	Spokane	Whitworth University	\$2,000
Travis Companies	Samantha Contreras Leos	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Ethan Cook	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Julia Jones	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Emma Morse	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Jaron Schneider	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Bryan Cortes	N/A	N/A	\$5,000

Travis Companies	Yaraizi Garcia Lopez	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Mason Hayes	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Alexis Ramired	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
Travis Companies	Greg Eversole	N/A	N/A	\$5,000
William & Flossie Sanborn	Awson Wheeler	Salem	University of Idaho	\$900
William & Flossie Sanborn	Hannah Brittain	Salem	University of Idaho	\$650
William & Flossie Sanborn	Madison Miller	Salem	Gonzaga University	\$650
William & Flossie Sanborn	Kimberly Rios	Salem	Central Washington University	\$500
William & Flossie Sanborn	Mya Lynch	Salem	University of Idaho	\$600
William & Flossie Sanborn	Rose Melville	Salem	Humboldt State University	\$600
William & Flossie Sanborn	Zane Swanger	Salem	Eastern Oregon University	\$300
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Grace Lilje	Davenport	Gonzaga University	\$2,000
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	John Tanke	Mohler	Washington State University	\$2,000
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Alizabeth Williams	Davenport	Montana State University	\$2,000
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Bryce Miller	Davenport	Northwest Nazarene University	\$1,800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Guthrie Boleneous	Cheney	Eastern Washington University	\$1,800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Awson Wheeler	Lamont	University of Idaho	\$1,800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Kyle Bodeau	Almira	Washington State University	\$1,800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Garrett Bodeau	Almira	Washington State University	\$1,800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Zane Swanger	Medical Lake	Eastern Oregon University	\$1,400
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Ezekial Tareski	Davenport	Spokane Falls Community College	\$1,400

Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Krisah Plumb	Davenport	Eastern Washington University	\$1,400
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Carson Odegaard	Lincoln	Central Washington University	\$1,100
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Cheyanna Wing	Edwall	University of Idaho	\$1,100
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Bailee Perleberg	Reardan	Washington State University	\$1,100
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Lacey Williams	Post Falls	University of Idaho	\$800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Colton Cotter	Nine Mile Falls	Montana State University Northern	\$800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Alexia Guhlke	Davenport	Eastern Oregon University	\$800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Kaylene Kuykendall	Reardan	Washington State University	\$800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Marlaena McKeenan	Davenport	Washington State University	\$800
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Whitney Bjornberg	Reardan	Washington State University	\$500
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Samantha Merriott	Medical Lake	Washington State University	\$500
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Chad Ross	Wilbur	Whitworth University	\$500
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Julie Martin	Edwall	Eastern Washington University	\$500
Wilson Farm/Mondovi Grange	Heather Murinko	Spokane	Washington State University	\$500
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