

~ AUI SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS ~

Below are the winners of the 2008 AUI Trustee Scholarship competition conducted by Scholarship & Recognition Programs. These students will each receive an award of \$3,500 per year to aid in defraying expenses at the college of their choice.

Andreas Bastian

Andy is a senior at Western Albemarle High School and plans to pursue sustainable engineering during the course of his college career. His interests are many and varied, ranging from chemistry, to metal working, to hiking and wilderness skills, to photography. He is a founding member of the WAHS Outdoor Club, and a member of the National Honor Society, and the French Honor Society. He tutors in chemistry and math and is currently an intern at Luna Innovations, in Charlottesville.

Andy has not made a final decision with regards to his school in the fall. He is the son of Tim and Ruta Bastian of Charlottesville. Tim is an astronomer with the Observatory while Ruta is an architectural archivist with the University of Virginia.

Katherine Beverage

Katherine is a senior at Pocahontas County High School and President of her local National Honor Society Chapter. She is co-captain of her soccer team, was honorable mention All-State, and participated in the North-South All-Star game. She participates in the marching band, colorguard, jazz band, and concert band and plays the baritone saxophone and contrabass clarinet. During spring Katherine runs sprints and throws shot put and discus for the track team. She is an active member in her church. She enjoys photography, traveling, and being with her friends.

Katherine plans to major in Exercise Physiology and continue to Physical Therapy School at West Virginia University. Katherine is the daughter of Charles and Marilyn Beverage. Charles is the Management Information Systems Manager at Green Bank.

Katrina Cotter

Katrina is a senior at New Mexico Military Institute, where she has spent her four years of high school. Within the corps of cadets, she has achieved the rank of Sergeant First Class. Katrina's responsibilities include supervising and training the 28 cadets of her platoon. She has also been a member of the regimental band, the Lady Colt swim team, and the Lady Colt track team. Katrina has been a member of the Science Olympiad Team, Science Bowl Team, National Honor Society, Drama Club, Relay for Life, and Yoga Club. Katrina was twice selected as Cadet of the Month. She is highly interested in art, music, and science.

In the future, Katrina hopes to obtain a degree in Environmental Science from New Mexico Tech. Katrina is the daughter of Susie and Terry Cotter. Terry is the LO/IF group leader in Socorro.

Jeffrey Hertz

Jeffrey is a senior at Socorro High School. He has been a member of the National Honor Society and Art Club for 4 years, Renaissance Council, and Spanish Club. Jeffrey competed in the Science Olympiad for 4 years. He attended Boys State in his junior year. He was awarded Student of the Year three times. He was a participant in and assisted with the National Dance Institute. He played Varsity basketball, and made All-District Pitcher in his junior year. He's published a short story in "Anthology of Short Stories by Young Americans" and has also worked for a local newspaper as a photographer, writing sports articles, biographies, and other various assignments.

His interests include international travel, photography, creative writing, travel writing and drawing. He also likes running, hiking, movies, reading, playing ping-pong and pool.

He plans to attend the University of New Mexico in the fall 2008 to study Journalism. Jeffrey is the son of Jon and Lisa Hertz. Lisa is an Accounting Assistant in the Socorro Fiscal Division.

Elizabeth Janney Lockman

Janney is a senior at Pocahontas County High School where she is a member of the National Honor Society and Vice-President of the French Honor Society. She plays bassoon and clarinet in the PCHS band, and upright bass in the Old Time Music Club. She also runs long distance on the track team and works for the Pocahontas Times as a sportswriter. In her spare time she enjoys running, walking, biking and cross-country skiing around Green Bank, and jamming at old-time music festivals.

Janney has not made a final decision with regards to her school in the fall, but has narrowed her choices to Wellesley or Oberlin. Janney is the daughter of Jay and Elizabeth Lockman. Jay is an astronomer at Green Bank.

Brian Stanley

Brian is a senior at Socorro High School. He has participated in Science Olympiad, MESA, and Science Bowl, receiving several medals at the state level for Science Olympiad and medaling at the national level for MESA. He has enjoyed playing the trumpet in the marching, jazz, and concert bands for four years. He is the secretary of the National Honor Society, the senior class, and the Renaissance Council. In the spring he plays golf for SHS and has lettered for four years. He is an active member in his church as well. He likes to play the piano, read, and snowboard.

Brian will be attending New Mexico Tech in the fall where he will study engineering. Brian is the son of Michael and Meri Stanley. Meri is the Lead Data Analyst for NRAO in Socorro.