# 2021 WSWA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM RECIPIENTS





#### Jaden Anderson

The University Of Wisconsin Madison General Beverage Sales Co.

This scholarship will be a big help in paying for things such as tuition, rent, and food costs that I otherwise would have struggled to afford. I am extremely excited about being able to attend in person classes this year and about being able to join clubs.

Thanks to this scholarship, I can worry less about how I am going to pay for school and can instead focus on working hard in my classes.





## Alison Baptista

Bridgewater State University Martignetti Companies

I am extremely grateful to be one of this year's WSWA College Scholarship recipients as this will help me to further my education and release some of the financial burden on myself and my family.

Thank you WSWA Educational Foundation!

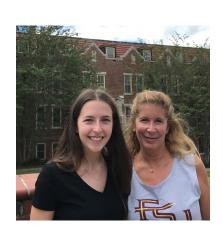




#### **Chloe Bontoux**

Florida State University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

Receiving this scholarship has given me reassurance that my hard work and dedication at FSU has not gone unnoticed. This scholarship will help towards supplemental costs that go along with attending a public university. I am really looking forward to making my experience at Florida State the best that it can be. Keeping myself involved with dance on Level Dance Company as well as focusing on my academics is the way that I will make this happen.







## Molly Bowen

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

I recently changed my major to Nutrition with a dietetics track. One of my classes this semester provides me with the opportunity to create my own project on campus to reduce food waste, and my idea is to create a food drive where students donate canned goods, which I hope to deliver to food insecure areas around Minneapolis.

My passion for this class project, helping others, and pursuing a degree in Nutrition is being supported by this scholarship – and for that, I am so grateful!

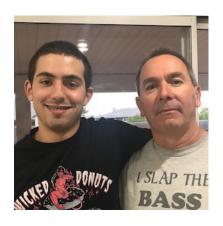




## **Bryan Carmenate**

University of Nevada, Las Vegas Breakthru Beverage Group

This scholarship helps me focus more of my time on school while also helping ease the financial burden on my family that comes with continuing my education. I really look forward to a great wrestling season at UNLV as well as a great semester in all my classes.





## **Bethany Cates**

University of Missouri Republic National Distributing Company

It is an honor to be awarded the prestigious WSWA scholarship. I will use the award to help offset the costs of my college tuition and additional financial requirements at the University of Missouri.

During my freshman year, I really look forward to expanding my network by meeting new people of various backgrounds. I am most excited to explore the field of journalism in my pursuit to become an Investigative news reporter. I also plan to become involved in organizations and explore opportunities to give back in service to the Columbia community. Thank you for selecting me to receive this scholarship!







## Makayla Cennamo

University of New Hampshire Horizon Beverage Group

I am so thankful and honored to have received this scholarship. This scholarship is helping my family and I afford for me to go to a great school that is offering me many amazing opportunities in their business program. I am really looking forward to taking advantage of those opportunities and receiving the experience and knowledge to prepare for my success in the future.

Thank you so much for helping me accomplish that.





#### Sarvesh Chidambaram

University of Texas at Austin Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship helps me and my family by making paying for college easier.

Attending a prestigious school, such as UT Austin, is wonderful but there will always be some stress to pay off the financial burden that comes with it. This year I'm excited to be studying something I'm interested in, as well doing internships, and joining clubs that support my education in the future and give me experience that is required for me to grow as a person.





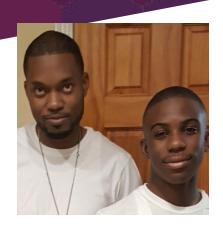
## **Garrett Cooper**

University of Kansas Donnewald Distributing

This year, I am very excited to learn about electrical engineering. My first step in that process is learning about digital logic systems and how they work. In that class, we get to solder components to circuit boards to create certain logic functions, which I am really looking forward to doing.





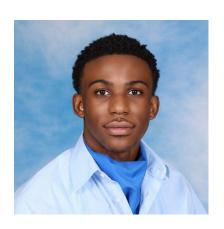


#### Giovanni Davis

Nova Southeastern University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship helps me pay for my engineering classes which brings me a step closer to achieving my dream of working with NASA.

What I look forward to doing in college this year is gaining the experience of being on my own as well as learning how to manage my time properly to be able to join these engineering programs my school offers.





## Mikayla Den Hartog

Minnesota State University, Mankato Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

As a Freshman in college, I look forward to learning about the traditions at Mankato and participating in the fun events.

I am also excited to pursue my major and meet new people!





## Chloey DiBartolo

Bowling Green State University Heidelberg Distributing Co.

This amazing scholarship will help my family with the financial costs of my senior year studying Communication Sciences and Disorders, and I am so thankful for my family's support throughout my college journey.

I am so grateful to be a recipient of this scholarship and the support it will provide me and my family.







#### **Kierstin Doll**

University of Florida Breakthru Beverage Group

I am a student at the University of Florida studying biology and planning on obtaining my master's degree in biomedical sciences with a concentration in genetics. I am looking forward to joining clubs and research opportunities they have here on campus.

I am honored and appreciative to have received this scholarship and plan to put it to good use.





## Sophie Dorgan

Millikin University Breakthru Beverage Group

This scholarship helps relieve some of the financial burden of college and allows me to delve deep into my studies rather than focusing on payment.

I am looking forward to further exploring my future career as a doctor through activities such a my course work and job shadowing. I am also looking forward to playing soccer in college.





## **Ava Doty**

Hope College Republic National Distributing Company

I really look forward to learning more about chemistry and the different research opportunities that Hope presents. I am also looking forward to participating in Hope's Dance Marathon, as well as various clubs including Women Empowerment.

Thank you so much for this award.







### Rya Epps

Florida State University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

I am a junior at Florida State University majoring in Athletic Training. This scholarship helps me and my family immensely with the steady college expenses. This scholarship means so much.
I really look forward to being able to continue my education and experiences within my Athletic Training program.
Thank you from the bottom of my heart,
I am honored to be chosen as a recipient of this scholarship!





#### **Chloe Evans**

Long Beach City College Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

I am so excited to have been accepted into a nursing program where I will continue my courses and ultimately become a Registered Nurse. This year I will be able apply the knowledge I have gained in my classes and put it to use in a clinical setting.

Thank you so much for this generous scholarship.





#### Franco Fabela

Texas State University
Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship helps me get started with college without having finances come out of my pocket which is really nice! College is expensive so having the WSWA Educational Foundation Scholarship takes weight off of me and my family's shoulders. Within my first year of college, I look forward to learning my technical core classes that will prepare me for my desired major in Engineering Technology.







#### Shanti Furtado

University of Massachusetts Horizon Beverage Group

I am so very grateful to have been selected among many deserving applicants for this scholarship.

This alleviates a significant portion of my expenses.
This year, I am a freshman studying Journalism; my hope to pursue a career in Sports Broadcasting.

It is organizations like yours, that are acting as a catalyst to the next generation towards their dreams, and for that and more: Thank You.





#### Lorenzo Gonzalez

San Jose State University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

The WSWA Scholarship will tremendously help myself and my family to lessen the financial expenses at college.

Because I will be paying the majority myself,
I cannot express the relief I feel. Any financial help is such a great contribution and knowing it came from my father's employer makes it more special. I look forward to having the best college experience possible. I am eager to continue my studies of mechanical engineering as well as adapting to living on campus.





## **Christopher Gory**

Rend Lake College Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship is really going to help me with paying for expenses while at school. Having the help of this scholarship will take a lot of worry about the amount I am spending a week and allow me to focus on academics and baseball. This year I am looking forward to graduating with an Associate in Science with the goal of maintaining a 4.0 GPA.

Also, I am looking forward to playing my first year of collegiate baseball.







## **Bridget Hiatt**

Sonoma State University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

Thank you for your generous contribution.
I'm beyond grateful for the opportunity of attending college with the support of not only my family and community, but also from donors like yourself. This money provided by this scholarship will allow me to work fewer hours and invest more time and attention to my professional career goal of nursing.





#### Steven Iwanek Jr.

Bowling Green State University Heidelberg Distributing Co.

This scholarship is going to greatly help me because as normal college life is returning, so are the costs! This scholarship will be able to help pay for my tuition and give me peace of mind. I am now even more excited for this school year, as I am now one of the head sports/news reporters for the Falcon Media organization here on campus. I am extremely grateful for the WSWA Educational Foundation College Scholarship Program for this amazing gift.





#### Cherese Jackson

Kean University Breakthru Beverage Group

I am truly thankful for this scholarship and it helps my family and I tremendously! The financial burden which has hung over my head has now disappeared and I can attend this semester free of any stress.

This year, I'm honestly looking forward to actually being here on campus! I'm finally able to get the full college experience, which is really exciting.







## Meghan Johnson

Northern Michigan University Imperial Beverage Company

I am honored to have been selected to be a recipient of the WSWA scholarship. This scholarship will help me be able to afford tuition and also help me achieve my goal of earning a degree in management.

This year I am looking forward to getting back on campus, meeting new people and getting more involved. I'm a sophomore at Northern Michigan University, I enjoy traveling, watching and playing sports and being outdoors.





#### Chris Kaschel

Florida International University Breakthru Beverage Group

This scholarship will help me to cover any book or class materials fees that otherwise would come out of my pocket. It's also saving me a lot of time from working which will be put to studying, since I don't need to work as hard to cover tuition fees. It is also helping my parents by giving them peace of mind by not having to worry on how to help me pay off any outstanding fees to my university. I'm looking forward to playing in the drumline this semester.





#### Anabelle Keimach

University of Vermont Martignetti Companies

This scholarship will support me in my studies at the University of Vermont, where I am a Global Studies major and am in a first year Fine Arts program. I am interested in learning about global social justice issues, and how to speak to these topics through art. I also look forward to interacting with the greater Burlington community through music, art, and social action work.







## Jake Koneczny

Old Dominion University Virginia Imports, Ltd.

This scholarship helps alleviate some of the financial burdens of paying for college. It also gives me the opportunity to continue my studies at school, allowing me to focus on my studies more and finances less. I really look forward to learning more about project management and what it involves. This is my first semester really involving my minor in engineering management and I am very excited to dig deeper into the course material.





## Kiley Krosky

Colorado State University Breakthru Beverage Group

I am looking forward to progressing my research in the computer science department this year.

Since May, I have been working with a team to make Internet of Things (IoT) devices more secure.

We have been using machine learning to determine if a device in the network is safe or not; if the device is classified as not safe it doesn't have the privileges that safe devices do. I am excited to finalize our research and get the results we have been hoping for.





## Kayla Layne

University of New Haven Breakthru Beverage Group

This scholarship helps my family and I afford another year of college, so that I can eventually become a Psychologist. I am beyond excited to learn new things and make new friends this year!







#### Alexis Lee

West Texas A&M University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

I was excited and privileged when I received my notice that I was the recipient of the scholarship. This scholarship will help financially with my tuition, fees and books. It will motivate me to reach my goals of a degree in Business Administration Accounting.

This scholarship will help me to focus on my education and continue to strive for so much more in the future.





### Olivia Lucas

The University of Iowa Breakthru Beverage Group

I am grateful to be awarded the WSWA scholarship.
This scholarship will help my family and me pay
for my tuition at the University of Iowa.
I am excited to experience my first year.





## Ciara Lynch

New York University Breakthru Beverage Group

I look forward to learning more about climate mitigation in New York City, as well as urban climate plans around the world. I also hope to continue developing interdisciplinary skills and perspectives that help others integrate art, passion, and environmentalism!







#### **Aurora McGinnis**

University of Nebraska, Omaha Republic National Distributing Company

I'm really excited for my information security classes that I have this semester. We've already gone over some really interesting stuff and I can't wait for all of the fun we're going to have with Kali in the University's test environment.





## Ryan McMahon

University of Dayton Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship helps me accomplish my dream of becoming a successful businessman and getting a great college education. I am extremely grateful to receive this scholarship. This year, I look forward to learning about the basics of business, as well as learning how to network myself for future career opportunities.





### Louseline Metinor

Palm Beach Atlantic University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

Growing up in a Caribbean household, every parent's greatest happiness is to see their children going to school and making a career for themselves.

This scholarship has lightened my financial burden, which allows me to focus more on the essential factors of school, such as learning the different body systems and how they function. Due to your generosity, I will be able to help my community and make my family proud. My family and I would like to thank you for this generous financial support of my education.







#### Jaskaran Mohem

University of California, Berkeley Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

I am honored to receive this scholarship as it will alleviate some of the financial burden of college. My parents work tirelessly and they have dedicated a good portion of their savings towards my college expenses, so receiving this scholarship allows me to give back to them in some manner. I am thrilled to attend UC Berkeley with the knowledge that I contributed to my college expenses. I can't wait to see what this journey holds!





#### Jasleen Mohem

University of Califronia, Irvine Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

Thank you so much for this scholarship!
This scholarship has made it much easier on my family to afford the expenses of college. It has eased some of the financial burden and made it so that I can focus more on my studies rather than the finances.
I hope in the future. I will become the best nurse I can be, and when I do I will always look back at your generosity with gratitude.





### Joseph Nichols

Florida State University
Republic National Distributing Company

I am so honored and thankful to have been chosen as a recipient of the 2021 WSWA scholarship.

This scholarship will help my parents, who have been my never-ending source of support, to fund my college education. I am beyond excited to start this new phase of my educational career. I will be pursuing a double major in Computer Science and Business Entrepreneurship.







#### Connor O'Dell

Florida State University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship helps me by allowing me to continue my studies in computer science at Florida State University. With this money I am able to focus on achieving exemplary grades and continuing the things I enjoy such as marching band without worrying about financial struggles. I am very excited to learn more about computer science and enhance my skill set as a programmer. I also am already enjoying the experience of being a Marching Chief (FSU's Marching Band) and plan on having a lot of fun with the rest of the season.





#### Jessica Pardi

Molloy College Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship helps pay for my masters at Molloy College. With this scholarship I am given the opportunity to obtain my childhood and special education degree and help change the lives of young students! I am so fortunate to have been given this opportunity and I cannot wait to finally be in a classroom! This year, I look forward to being back on campus after remote learning due to the pandemic. I'm so excited to socialize with teachers, friends, and students.





### **Emma Parkington**

Russell Sage College Ruby Wines, Inc.

I'm unbelievably thankful for the WSWA Scholarship as it allows me to pursue my passion of nursing. This year I am especially looking forward to my pediatric clinical shifts. I will officially be a graduate nurse in May 2022!







#### Karen Pete

Spelman College Major Brands Premium Beverage Distributors

This scholarship will help myself and my family by assisting in tuition and school fees so that I can continue my education. This year in college I am looking forward to working on my research project and attending courses that I will use for nursing school.





#### Claire Porter

California State University Fresno Republic National Distributing Company

This scholarship helps me put money that would be used for my undergrad tuition towards my master's program tuition. I just started classes for both of my minors and I am very excited to learn more about them this year in college.

Deaf Studies is one of my minors and I would say that becoming more fluent in ASL is the thing I'm looking forward to the most.





### Sebastian Rivero

Florida International University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

Words cannot express the gratitude I experienced when made aware that I won this scholarship.

The money being awarded to my academic institution will help relieve me of the financial pressure involved in paying my tuition for my next two semesters. I'm eager to learn and apply how my major in psychology will contribute to not only my everyday life, but also my future career as a Physical Therapist.







#### Ethan Ruhe

Pueblo Community College Breakthru Beverage Group

This scholarship means a lot to me. The scholarship will help provide extra money that will allow me to finish my college and help me learn more about what I love. This year I'm really excited to learn more about fabrication. One of my goals is to own a fabrication shop where I can build roll cages and custom parts for drift cars. I am also very excited to take a pipe welding class in case I ever want to work with pipelines.





#### Breanna Schroeder

Kansas State University Standard Beverage Corp.

This scholarship assists me with my academics by being able to take the financial stress off of me in order to focus my attention on my school work. I have a heavy and difficult course load and often times am only able to work minimal hours because of school and extra curriculars. I can also put more time into my on campus leadership positions that I'm particularly passionate about. I'm looking forward to rounding out my science classes this year to have a strong foundation in these concepts before medical school in two years!





### Jada Simpson

University of Central Arkansas Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

I am so grateful and honored to have received this scholarship as it will help me tremendously as I go through this year of college. It will lessen some of the expenses my parents have to endure; my parents have made so many sacrifices in order to help me achieve success, and receiving this scholarship will help aid me in continued success on my path to becoming an elementary teacher.







### Julia Sklow

County College of Morris Opici Family Distributing

This scholarship has helped my family and me further fund my education. With it, I have the ability to work less and dedicate more time to my studies. This semester, I am eagerly learning about American and English literature, and will begin classroom observations in the coming weeks. I am honored to have received this scholarship and to be another step closer to becoming an English teacher!

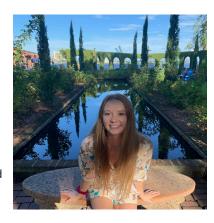




### **Ashley Smith**

University of North Florida Republic National Distributing Company

Being a recipient for the WSWA Educational Foundation
Scholarship is an exceptional honor. This scholarship
is an amazing gift that will help me reach my goal
of graduating without student loans. I am a Junior at
University of North Florida studying Civil Engineering
and this scholarship will financially support me through my rigid
curriculum. I look forward to graduating
and taking the Fundamentals of Engineering exam
followed by the Professional Engineering exam.
Thank you WSWA for all your support!





#### McKenzie Smith

Southern Utah University Breakthru Beverage Group

This amazing scholarship opportunity is without doubt one of the best things that has happened to me all year. I have the chance to move forward and become closer to my dreams as well as relieve the stress I have for my finances. I am a senior at Southern Utah University, studying Elementary Education with minors in Special Education and Art.

I have dreams of becoming an elementary special education teacher or even an elementary art teacher. I am so grateful to receive this scholarship. Thank you.







## **Anthony Surdo**

Seton Hall University Fedway Associates, Inc.

Being awarded this scholarship helps me because it establishes a sense of self-worth, of course in addition to removing the weight from some of the financial burden that is financing a college education. I find myself more motivated when I am recognized since it allows me to know that I am moving in the right direction.

This year in college I look forward to a return to normalcy and more involvement on and off campus. I am excited to transition from an accounting major to a marketing major this semester specifically.





#### Leo Oliver Truex

California Polytechnic State University Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits

This scholarship means so much to me.
I'm beyond grateful your association sees the value and importance in supporting students like me to attend college. This award will help me pay off my student loan quicker so I can focus more energy on doing well in school as I pursue a degree in Biology and a minor in Environmental Science.

