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## **MSCC Students Benefit from Record Number of Foundation Scholarships**

Mid-South Community College students earned a record number of privately-funded scholarships this fall and will receive more than \$60,000 in assistance for the year, thanks to unwavering and increasing support for the MSCC Foundation.

“In spite of challenging economic times, we continue to be encouraged by the people of our community who remain deeply committed to the present and future of higher education in Crittenden County,” said Patti Coleman, MSCC Director of Advancement. “Our students are reaping life-changing rewards as a result of that ongoing generosity.”

“In addition to providing much-needed financial support, scholarships can be wonderful motivational tools for students who are eager to demonstrate to the donors that their money has been invested wisely.”

Award amounts range from \$150 to \$600, and students are able to use the funds to meet a variety of college-related expenses.

“Donors continue to step forward and give us the opportunity to add new scholarships almost every semester,” Coleman said. “We sincerely appreciate the overwhelming response we continue to receive from the community. One of our overall goals as an institution is making higher education as accessible as possible, and these scholarships are helping us achieve that goal.”

The following named awards, with their recipients, were made this fall at MSCC (list does not include the 259 students who received Thomas B. Goldsby Jr.

Scholarships):

*Arkansas Greyhound Association Scholarship:* Richard Cagle and Haley Turner;

*Barbara A. Bird Memorial Scholarship:* Caitlin Hall;

*Brenda Gail Ask Memorial Scholarship:* Laura Buralli;

*Centurions for Christ Glen Bailey Memorial Scholarship:* Kayla Graves;  
*Charley Bartholomew Memorial Scholarship:* Jeremy Wade;  
*Coach Cliff Garrison Scholarship:* Wardell Webber and Haley Turner;  
*Crittenden County Board of Realtors/Ralph Sloan Memorial Endowed Scholarship:* Xiaowei Lin;  
*Crittenden County Farm Bureau Scholarship:* Shelby McGriff and Kiersten Covington;  
*Crittenden National Bank Scholarship:* Ina Brown;  
*David Brennan Ray Memorial 'Sunshine' Endowed Scholarship:* Christopher Christian;  
*David Jacob Herren Memorial Scholarship:* Christopher Christian;  
*Donna and Fred Goodfellow Scholarship:* Jasmine Greer;  
*Dorothy Gautreaux Memorial Leadership Scholarship:* Mahogany Farmer;  
*Ford Turner Memorial Scholarship:* Sarah Lloyd;  
*Gene Arnold Memorial Scholarship:* Laura Buralli;  
*Greyhound Breeders of Arkansas Scholarship:* Steven Parker;  
*Grover Lloyd Agricultural Aviation Scholarship:* Christopher Christian;  
*Hattie M. Kemp Memorial Scholarship:* Lanesha Boston;  
*Isabelle Kate and Beau Franklin Fenter Scholarship:* Patricia Bassford;  
*Jimmie C. Barham Scholarship:* Patricia Crume;  
*Jimmie Ladd Richardson Scholarship:* Robyn Sparks;  
*John Gammon, Jr. Memorial Endowed Scholarship:* William Martin;  
*La Coterie Scholarship:* Amy Soto;  
*Mae and Charlie Wah Community Service Scholarship:* Julie Hart;  
*Marvin Steele Endowed Scholarship:* Clarence Holder;  
*Mary and John P. Wilson Memorial Endowed Scholarship:* Amanda Mott;  
*Mary Meux Toney Scholarship:* Christopher Christian;  
*Maxine Neri Memorial Scholarship:* Renee Saunders;  
*Molly Whistle Paudert Endowed Scholarship:* Amanda Mott, Annette McCollum, and William Martin;  
*MSCC Working Student Scholarship:* Julie Hart;

*Paul Gray Memorial Scholarship:* Jeremy Wade;

*Reed C. and Frank G. Fogleman Memorial Scholarship:* Talasharika Mooney;

*Reverend and Mrs. Zilmon Barr Memorial Scholarship:* Stephanie Rickman;

*Robert Bosch Tool Corporation Technical Scholarship:* Justin Guarisco and Xiaowei Lin;

*Robert Crittenden Chapter NSDAR Scholarship:* Laura Buralli and Patricia Crume;

*Roberta Jackson Memorial Endowed Scholarship:* Dekesha McNeill;

*Rosewood United Methodist Church Endowed Scholarship:* Jammie Hester;

*Ross Tyler Johnson Hamilton Foundation Scholarship:* Sarah Lloyd;

*Roy L. Gray Working Man Scholarship:* Bernice Coleman;

*Sam G. Ashworth Memorial Scholarship:* Kenisha Lloyd;

*Sanders Family Memorial Scholarship:* Lorin Peyton;

*Sean Coulter and Jennifer Coulter Memorial Endowed Scholarship:* Lashoyne Brown and David Murray;

*Senator Mike Everett Memorial Scholarship:* Caitlin Hall;

*Shelley and Jim Pugh Scholarship:* Shelby McGriff and Alielean Brown;

*Sorrells Family Scholarship:* Kassie Johnson;

*Southland Park Gaming and Racing Endowed Scholarship:* Bernice Coleman, Carlishiea Fisk, Amanda Burchett, Sharron Maxie, Gloria Inman, Juletha Hancock, and Kiersten Covington;

*Stephen M. Brick Memorial Scholarship:* Kimberly Jones;

*Todd Allen Scholarship:* Kimberly Echols;

*Tommy Gadberry Textbook Scholarship:* Amy Noles and Alice Little;

*Upton Family Memorial Scholarship:* Lauren Hall;

*Verneil and A.L. Reed Memorial Endowed Scholarship:* Amy Soto;

*West Memphis Quota Club International Scholarship:* Mahogany Farmer;

*West Memphis Recycling Scholarship:* Lauren Hall;

*West Memphis Rotary Partners in Education Scholarship:* Ina Brown, Patricia Crume, Amy Soto, Laura Buralli, Jimmie Hester, Kassie Johnson and Julie Hart.

To give to the Foundation's Annual Fund, to contribute to a current named scholarship, or to establish one in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact Coleman at (870) 733-6764 or [pdcoleman@midsouthcc.edu](mailto:pdcoleman@midsouthcc.edu). The Foundation is also offering direct on-line giving through the College's website, [www.midsouthcc.edu](http://www.midsouthcc.edu) (click on MSCC Portal, MSCC Foundation, Give Now).

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