  
— CAROLINAS —  
**CREDIT UNION  
FOUNDATION**  
**2024-2025 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS**





FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT



SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT



COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT

## — 2024-2025 AWARDED SCHOLARSHIPS —

The Carolinas Credit Union Foundation’s Scholarship Fund Management Program, which is comprised of a collection of funds from individual credit unions, was established to help credit union members in North and South Carolina with higher education expenses.

The Foundation is honored to serve as partner in philanthropy to credit unions and congratulates all of this year’s scholarship recipients.



### Acclaim Federal Credit Union Ed Thomas Community Service Scholarship

Natalie States

\$1,000

Anderson University

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### Allegacy Federal Credit Union Cathy Pace Scholarship

Logan Scott Church

\$2,500

UNC at Charlotte

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### Allegacy Federal Credit Union Ike Keener Scholarship

Sienna Lawrence

\$2,500

Davidson College

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### Allegacy Federal Credit Union Mel Hughes Scholarship Fund

Cheyenne Rogers

\$500

Surry Community College

Jay Mitchell

\$2,000

Campbell University

Kia Carter

\$500

Davidson Davie Community College

Landyn Reese Sullivan

\$2,000

UNC at Chapel Hill

Maurice Wilson

\$500

UNC at Charlotte

Olivia Gabrielle-Monet Johnson

\$2,000

NC A&T State University

Troy Haywood

\$2,000

North Carolina State University



## Bragg Mutual Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Jadelyn Molina Velasquez	\$2,500	Fayetteville State University
Lylle Villavert	\$2,500	UNC at Charlotte
Margarette Rufo	\$2,500	UNC at Charlotte
Renarta Robinson	\$2,500	Fayetteville Technical Community College

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## Carolina Foothills Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Ian Downs	\$2,000	Clemson University
Lauren Olson	\$2,000	USC Upstate
Maryanna Dawkins	\$4,000	Clemson University

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## Carolina Trust Federal Credit Union Community Service Scholarship

Giana M. Montante	\$5,000	Coastal Carolina University
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## Carolina Trust Federal Credit Union Legacy Scholarship

Isaiah Na'Shad Charley	\$5,000	North Carolina A&T State University
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## Carolinas Telco Federal Credit Union Legacy Scholarship Fund

Aiden McVickers	\$1,500	Midlands Technical College
Alexis Jerome	\$1,500	UNC at Charlotte
Ava Staton	\$1,500	University of Georgia
Brianna Jett	\$1,500	East Carolina University
Caitlyn Bame	\$1,500	Gaston College
Elijah Whitted	\$1,500	Gaston College
Haidy Diaz	\$1,500	University of South Carolina
Myla Hoover	\$1,500	Winston-Salem State University
Reed Wessinger	\$1,500	Clemson University
Samaad Peoples	\$1,500	North Carolina Central University

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## Champion Credit Union A. Roland Leatherwood Memorial Scholarship

Alexis Messer	\$1,000	Western Carolina University
Avery Arrington	\$1,000	A-B Tech Community College
Haley Lopez	\$1,000	East Tennessee State University
Jesse Jakubielski	\$1,000	Appalachian State University
Logan Russell	\$1,000	Lander University
Matthew Bennett	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Tannon Sorrells	\$1,000	Gardner-Webb University



## Coastal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Abby Zachary	\$2,000	Harvard University
Elise Hill	\$5,000	East Carolina University
Jose Perez-Hernandez	\$5,000	North Carolina State University
Kathryn Brewer	\$2,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Lauren Grey	\$2,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Mary Macarthy Monteith	\$2,000	Gardner-Webb University
Payton Haag	\$2,000	University of Tennessee
Ryan Swagert	\$5,000	North Carolina State University

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## Greenville Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Bailey Brown	\$1,000	Clemson University
Blake Slaughter	\$1,000	The Julliard School
Braden Freeman	\$1,000	Southern Methodist University
Connor Johnston	\$1,000	Furman University
Gabrielle Leacock	\$5,000	Clemson University
Nola Robertson	\$1,000	Elon University

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## Lion Share Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Ken'i Nelson	\$1,000	Winston-Salem State University
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## Local Government Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Abigail Armstrong	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Aidyn Walkush	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Andrew Lee	\$5,000	Rowan-Cabarrus Community College
Anna Cashwell	\$5,000	North Carolina State University
Avery Briley	\$5,000	North Carolina State University
Brooklynn Bissette	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Caleb Langley	\$5,000	Patrick Henry College
Caroline Goodwin	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Donovan Calhoun	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Eddie Turberville	\$5,000	Brevard College
Emma Medina-Munoz	\$5,000	UNC at Charlotte
Emmett Broda	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Eva Fatzaun	\$5,000	Duke University
Hunter Nelson	\$5,000	North Carolina State University
Joseph Ward	\$5,000	East Carolina University
Kaelynn Guyette	\$5,000	Wingate University
Lily Rogers	\$5,000	UNC at Wilmington
Madison Lanier	\$5,000	East Carolina University



## Local Government Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund (cont.)

Mollie Rogers	\$5,000	University of North Georgia
Noelle Benjamin	\$5,000	Purdue University
Peyton Purvis	\$5,000	UNC at Wilmington
Peyton Southern	\$5,000	UNC at Charlotte
Rachel Robinson	\$5,000	Wingate University
Shreya Karumuri	\$5,000	Duke University
William Hooper	\$5,000	North Carolina State University

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### Members Credit Union Daniel H. Elkins, Jr. Scholarship Award

Cameron Norris	\$2,000	UNC at Charlotte
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### Members Credit Union General Scholarship Fund

Addison Lowe	\$2,000	Western Carolina University
Amy Shealy	\$2,000	University of South Carolina
Belgica Vanessa Hernandez	\$1,000	Caldwell Community College and Technical Institute
Bonnie Joellyn Taylor	\$2,000	North Carolina State University
Braeden Rodgers	\$5,000	Barton College
Ester Alpizar-Ortega	\$2,000	UNC School of the Arts
Hurley Williams III	\$1,000	Winston-Salem State University
Isabella Brown	\$2,000	Gardner-Webb University
Jacob Jennings	\$2,000	University of Wisconsin - Whitewater
Jade Tinsley	\$2,000	North Carolina Central University
Jorge Hernandez	\$2,000	Appalachian State University
Joseph Campbell	\$2,000	Georgia Institute of Technology
Kevin Austin Stephens	\$4,000	North Carolina State University
MaKayla Beard	\$2,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Makayla Coleman	\$2,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Max Dyer	\$2,000	University of Alabama
Nigel Gay	\$2,000	Catawba College
Rachel Jennings	\$2,000	University of Washington
Raquel Alpizar	\$1,000	UNC at Charlotte
Sarah Yewande Akiwumi	\$1,000	North Carolina A&T State University
Susan Gibbons	\$1,000	UNC at Wilmington
Takirah Nichols	\$2,000	North Carolina A&T State University
Virginia Crews	\$2,000	Methodist University
William Shealy	\$1,000	Midlands Technical College
Xin Yin	\$2,000	UNC at Greensboro



## Members CU Eric Stiff Memorial Scholarship

Riley Tate \$4,000 Western Carolina University

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## Members CU John R. Loftin Scholarship Award

Will R Allard \$2,000 North Carolina State University

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## MTC Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Blake Hydrick	\$1,500	Clemson University
Danielle Gray	\$1,500	Greenville Technical College
John Schoenmaker	\$1,500	Clemson University
Katherine Davis	\$1,500	Clemson University
Kenton Fields	\$1,500	Wingate University
Lloyd Kyle Mitchell	\$1,500	Clemson University
Melisa Man	\$1,500	UNC at Chapel Hill
Morgan Henderson	\$1,500	Winthrop University
Neeharika Ramasubramanian	\$1,500	University of South Carolina
Taryn Martin	\$1,500	University of Central Oklahoma

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## Neighbors United Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Dominique Smith \$1,000 University of South Carolina

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## Palmetto Citizens Scholarship Fund

Addison Goethe	\$1,000	University of Richmond
Allison Vaughn	\$1,000	Charleston School of Law
Amber Harrison	\$1,000	Walden University
Andrew Farmer	\$1,000	Clemson University
Anna Elizabeth Cully	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Cassandra Eve Thomas	\$1,000	Furman University
Charles Smith Templeton	\$1,000	Clemson University
Christian Harrell	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Drayden Young	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Emma Shealy	\$1,000	Clemson University
Jessica Baxter	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Katelyn Anne Simmons	\$1,000	College of Charleston
Katherine McNally Sowell	\$1,000	Wofford College
Kendall Brown	\$1,000	Clafin University
Kiya Fisher	\$1,000	Midlands Technical College
Michael Boswell	\$1,000	Clemson University
Morgan Grooms	\$1,000	Anderson University



## Palmetto Citizens Scholarship Fund (cont.)

Morgan Grooms	\$1,000	Anderson University
Nathan Londhe	\$1,000	Clemson University
Samuel D. Kolowith	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Skylar Esbensen	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Susana Blalock	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Taylor Mills Jones	\$1,000	Carnegie Mellon University
Temple Dunlap	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Terence Harris	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Victoria Parga	\$1,000	Midlands Technical College

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## Piedmont Advantage Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Bryson James	\$1,000	Appalachian State University
Ellen Hunt	\$1,000	College of William and Mary
Joshua Hay	\$1,000	Mitchell Community College
Lauren Brickey	\$1,000	Elon University
Maggie Clement	\$1,000	Western Carolina University
Sofia Ugalde	\$1,000	Baret Scholars

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## Revity Federal Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Kathryn Scott Angrave	\$5,000	Meredith College
Taylor Martin-Jones	\$5,000	North Carolina State University

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## SAFE FCU Scholarship Fund

Allison Culick	\$2,500	Clemson University
Emma Dusenbury	\$2,500	Clemson University
Gabrielle Miller	\$2,500	Claflin University
Graceanne Crumpton	\$2,500	Clemson University
Jennifer Boone	\$2,500	Wofford College
Macy Ahtonen	\$2,500	University of South Carolina Sumter
Michael Walker	\$2,500	University of South Carolina
Miles D Farmer	\$2,500	University of South Carolina
Olivia Ritchie	\$2,500	Anderson University
Shana Turner	\$2,500	University of South Carolina



## Sharonview Federal Credit Union Paul Paliyenko Scholarship Fund

Bellamy Bangoura	\$2,000	Coastal Carolina University
Brookelynn Little	\$2,000	Winthrop University
Caroline Stowe	\$2,000	North Carolina State University
Delilah Hatheway	\$5,000	Catawba College
Kinsley Elizabeth Stanley	\$2,000	Coker University
Sidney Griffin	\$5,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Victoria Schmidt	\$2,000	Georgetown University

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## Sharonview Federal Credit Union Phil Abrams Scholarship Fund

Branden Miller	\$2,000	University of South Carolina
Camille Griffith	\$5,000	UNC at Charlotte
Logan Snipes	\$2,000	University of South Carolina-Lancaster
Mackenzie Hart	\$2,000	UNC at Wilmington
Quinton Huntley	\$2,000	University of South Carolina
Ryan A Munn	\$5,000	University of South Carolina
Trace Phillips	\$2,000	Gardner-Webb University

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## Skyla Credit Union Herman Hoose Scholarship Fund

Emerson A Smith	\$5,000	North Carolina State University
Lily A. Burton	\$5,000	Liberty University
Mia Soledad Geter	\$5,000	High Point University
Morgan Tartal	\$5,000	University of Florida
Myla-Joi Jacobs	\$5,000	UNC at Charlotte
Natna Iyassu Kesete	\$5,000	North Carolina Central University

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## SPC Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Abby Stewart	\$1,000	Francis Marion University
Austin Smith	\$1,000	Charleston Southern University
Christopher Rogers	\$1,000	South Carolina State University
Courtney Brooke Haste	\$1,000	University of South Carolina
Drake Howle	\$1,000	Coker University
Kierra Hicks	\$1,000	Winthrop University
Morgan Griggs	\$1,000	Lander University
Sarah A. James	\$1,000	Charleston Southern University





## Summit Credit Union's Elizabeth Hamilton Scholarship Fund

Barnabas Jillcha	\$500	Catawba Valley Community College
Jagger Zeidel	\$500	Catawba Valley Community College
Jammie Brown	\$500	Alamance Community College
Victoria Newsome	\$500	Forsyth Technical Community College
Adedayo Adekanle	\$1,000	North Carolina A&T State University
Adekemi Adekanle	\$1,000	Appalachian State University
Angela Hodges	\$1,000	UNC at Greensboro
Arrianna Delgado	\$1,000	UNC at Wilmington
Aryalyn Stewart	\$1,000	Guilford Technical Community College
Asal Avazpour	\$1,000	UNC at Greensboro
Benjamin Levinson	\$1,000	Lenoir-Rhyne University
Brian Schoellner	\$1,000	UNC at Charlotte
Brooklyn Bess	\$1,000	Appalachian State University
Carlee Morgan Farlow	\$1,000	Appalachian State University
Caroline Paige Wilson	\$1,000	High Point University
Cassady Ann Butler	\$1,000	UNC at Greensboro
Christina Fisher	\$1,000	Lenoir-Rhyne University
Christine Carter-Akins	\$1,000	Johnson C Smith University
Christopher Michael Pierce	\$1,000	UNC at Greensboro
Christy Greer	\$1,000	A-B Tech Community College
Collin Register	\$1,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Courtney Every	\$1,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Elaine Trainer	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Elizabeth Breher	\$1,000	UNC at Wilmington
Emma Haynes	\$1,000	University of Mount Olive
Ethan Monico Bayotas	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Evan O'Leary	\$1,000	Lenoir-Rhyne University
Evie Grey Corn	\$1,000	Western Carolina University
Gabrielle Aleghe	\$1,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Hannah Michelle Meyer	\$1,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Haylee Sodlink	\$1,000	Newberry College
Henry Nichols	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Isabella Brown	\$1,000	Gardner-Webb University
Jahlani Odujole	\$1,000	George Washington University
Jane Kamau	\$1,000	UNC at Charlotte
Jarman A Perry	\$1,000	North Carolina A&T State University
Jayla S Ellerbe	\$1,000	North Carolina A&T State University
Jeffrey T. Strader	\$1,000	Virginia Tech
John Thomas Holbrook	\$1,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Jonathan Jackson	\$1,000	High Point University
Jonathan Wearn	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Katherine Mitcheltree	\$1,000	UNC at Chapel Hill
Katie March	\$1,000	UNC at Charlotte
Laurelyn Ridge	\$1,000	Liberty University
Lauren Turner	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Lillian Faye Nuzzo	\$1,000	UNC at Charlotte



## Summit Credit Union's Elizabeth Hamilton Scholarship Fund (cont.)

Maggie Nichols	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Micheal Morgan	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Nicholas Lenfestey	\$1,000	Duke University
Olivia Gabrielle-Monet Johnson	\$1,000	North Carolina A&T State University
Orangellys Santiago	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Prescillia Messa	\$1,000	UMD Francis King Carey School of Law
Riley Kay Hudson	\$1,000	Virginia Tech
Ryan Dant	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Ryan Zych	\$1,000	Catawba Valley Community College
Sarah McNeil	\$1,000	Mars Hill University
Skylar Deaton	\$1,000	North Carolina State University

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## Telco Community Credit Union Scholarship Fund

Addison Wilder	\$1,000	East Tennessee State University
Charles Marsh	\$1,000	UNC at Asheville
Laci Patton	\$1,000	East Tennessee State University
Oliver Blackwood	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Ryan Dant	\$1,000	North Carolina State University
Tyler Dula	\$1,000	Clemson University

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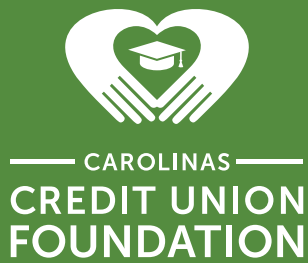
## Truliant FCU Clyde Padgett Scholarship

Ethan Connor Vallance	\$2,500	UNC at Asheville
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## Truliant Federal Credit Union's Fred Sarda Scholarship Fund

Brantley O'Day	\$1,500	North Carolina State University
Carter Elaina Wright	\$1,500	North Carolina State University
Ella Alcorn	\$1,500	North Carolina State University
Ella Blizard	\$1,500	UNC at Charlotte
Graham Sexton	\$1,500	Word of Life Bible Institute
Jacnel DeLeon-Pino	\$1,500	North Carolina State University
Jonathan Wearn	\$1,500	North Carolina State University
Jordan Karpovich	\$1,500	UNC at Chapel Hill
Kaleigh Temple	\$1,500	Regent University
Leah Waisner	\$1,500	Western Carolina University
Lela Baker	\$1,500	UNC at Chapel Hill
Leonardo Garcia Pantoja	\$1,500	University of Northwestern Ohio
Lily Newcomb	\$1,500	Queens University of Charlotte
Madison Kurz	\$1,500	Auburn University
Mallie Blizard	\$1,500	UNC at Charlotte
Melaniya Batsuk	\$1,500	Central Piedmont Community College
Melissa Slonin	\$1,500	UNC at Chapel Hill
Sandith Ganhwage	\$1,500	Duke University
Seren Julian	\$1,500	George Washington University



# Foundation General Fund Scholarship Winners

## \$60,000 awarded

### **Arturo Alanis-Merlin**

MTC FCU | North Carolina State University

### **Ava Belue**

Greenville FCU | Greenville Technical College

### **Caleb Thomas**

Coastal CU | North Carolina State University

### **Carly Anna Love**

Carolinan Telco FCU | UNC at Charlotte

### **Colin Burke Evans**

Palmetto Citizens FCU | Benedict College

### **De'Von France**

Allegacy FCU | Saint Louis University

### **Elliott J Ross**

Summit CU | Guilford Technical Community College

### **Elton Levert Holley**

SECU | North Carolina Central University

### **Erin Burgess**

Palmetto Health CU | Syracuse University

### **Gary Jones III**

SAFE FCU | University of South Carolina- Sumter

### **Gavin Hunter**

LGFCU | Appalachian State University

### **Genesis Cheri Medley**

Family Trust FCU | Converse University

### **Graham Rousseau**

Coastal CU | North Carolina State University

### **Hannah Sosby**

Neighbors United FCU | Western Carolina University

### **Heather Cox**

Sharonview FCU | North Greenville University

### **Isabella Ricks**

Founders FCU | North Carolina State University

### **Jael Liliane Sawuna**

Truiant FCU | NC A&T University

### **Jehovani Mpembu**

Skyla CU | UNC at Charlotte

### **Jessica Boone**

Brookland FCU, SAFE FCU | Wofford College

### **Jordyn Crouch**

SC State CU | Lander University

### **Kam'Ron Hopper**

Carolina Foothills FCU | NC A&T State University

### **Kyndal Tuitt**

Skyla CU, Truiant FCU | NC A&T State University

### **Landon Stevens**

LGFCU | Wayne Community College

### **Letoshia Thompson**

Summit CU | Guilford Technical Community College

### **Mackenzie Beck**

SPC CU | North Greenville University

### **Madison Page**

Revity FCU | East Carolina University

### **Marquarius Flythe**

Acclaim FCU | Guilford Technical Community College

### **Marques Kidd, Jr.**

Coastal CU | NC A&T State University

### **Mary Catherine Ashworth**

Greenville FCU | University of South Carolina

### **Mattison Cheek**

Summit CU | ECU School of Dental Medicine

### **Michaela Matthews**

Shuford FCU | UNC at Greensboro

### **Noah Wyatt**

SRP FCU | Anderson University

### **Sage Alexander Davis**

Carolinan Telco FCU | Orangeburg Calhoun  
Technical College

### **Sara Bailey**

Carolina Foothills FCU | Converse University

### **Siri Patterson**

Blue Flame CU | Appalachian State University

### **Synia Banks**

Revity FCU | Guilford Tech Community College

### **Timire Leak**

SECU | New York University

### **Tyler Wriston**

Palmetto Citizens FCU | Midlands Technical College

### **Wyatt Chaney**

Carolinan Telco FCU | Central Piedmont  
Community College