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American Boiler Manufacturers Association Announces the 2018 Randy Rawson Scholarship Program Recipients

Vienna, VA – May 31, 2018 – The American Boiler Manufacturers Association (ABMA) announces fifteen recipients for the 2018 Randy Rawson Scholarship Program. All recipients are pursuing degrees in engineering disciplines and have an interest in the boiler industry as a career. Since its inception, ABMA has dispersed almost \$180,000 in scholarships to more than 100 worthy students.

- *Bryan Burke - University of Louisville, sponsored by WARE*
- *Eric Caruso - Wichita State University, sponsored by Superior Boiler Works*
- *Collin Coolbaugh - Western Kentucky University, sponsored by WARE*
- *Lauren Coolbaugh - Western Kentucky University, sponsored by WARE*
- *Brett Curtsinger - Murray State University, sponsored by WARE*
- *Tobias Dwyer - University of Arkansas -Fayetteville, sponsored by Victory Energy*
- *Dylan Funk - Pittsburg State University, sponsored by Chanute Manufacturing*
- *Kolby Kiesling - Abilene Christian University, sponsored by Applied Heat Recovery*
- *Paul Kolbus - Cleveland State University, sponsored by Clark-Reliance*
- *Nathan McDonald - Northern Illinois University, sponsored by Karl Dungs*
- *Alexander Miller - University of Toledo, sponsored by Detroit Stoker Company*
- *Allison Reed - Abilene Christian University, sponsored by Applied Heat Recovery*
- *Xavier Rios - University of North Texas, sponsored by Vector Systems*
- *Vincent Souza - San Jose State University, sponsored by Nationwide Boiler*
- *Joseph Valentine - Irvine Valley College, sponsored by Pacific Combustion - Division of Nationwide Boiler*

“We are pleased to award almost \$30,000 in scholarship contributions to fifteen deserving students. The Rawson scholarship continues to grow awareness of the boiler industry and support a future generation of engineering leaders,” said Scott Lynch, President & CEO of ABMA.

The Randy Rawson Scholarship Program was created for the Promotion of Careers in Boiler Engineering and Fabrication. The specific purpose of the Fund is to support post-secondary education and/or training of graduating high school students pursuing careers in the commercial, institutional, industrial or power-generating boiler, combustion and related equipment industry through educational scholarships. The number and amount of scholarships



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awarded is determined by the ABMA Board of Directors each year in which scholarships are offered. For more details about the Randy Rawson Scholarship, please visit www.ABMA.com.

About ABMA

Since our founding in 1888, the American Boiler Manufacturers Association (ABMA) has advocated for the safe production and operation of boilers, facilitated advances in energy efficiency, and provided solutions for our member companies. Throughout our history, the boiler industry and our member base have relied on the ABMA to lead the industry as it tackles challenges and embraces opportunities in our constantly evolving sector. Through participation with ABMA, our members are better informed, connected, and positioned to thrive in today's global boiler industry. To learn more, please visit www.ABMA.com.

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