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**Credit Union of Colorado Foundation Awards \$50,000 in College Scholarships**

DENVER- Ten students from throughout Colorado received a total of \$50,000 in scholarships from the Credit Union of Colorado Foundation. Each student received a \$5,000 scholarship for the 2018-19 school year.

The scholarship recipients are:

Melissa Bower, Mosca, Colorado Mesa University  
Ana Casteneda, Henderson, Regis University  
Keith Danielson, Colorado Springs, Colorado School of Mines  
Alexis Dingfelder, Alamosa, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs  
Flor Gonzalez, Commerce City, Regis University  
Lindsey Hand, Denver, Metropolitan State University  
Rachel Lucas, Lakewood, Colorado Christian University  
Kelsey Martin, Frederick, University of Colorado, Denver  
Kelly Shanley, Denver, Community College of Denver  
Briana Sherrer, Highlands Ranch, Montana State University

Scholarship eligibility was extended to students who are Colorado residents and enrolled in, or scheduled to enter, an accredited college or university as an undergraduate. Scholarship award criteria included maintaining a minimum 3.5 grade-point average in high school or during the previous 12 months as a college undergraduate. Applicants had to demonstrate active involvement in community service and also describe in an essay why they need the scholarship and their goals for their education.

“These are all outstanding students and we are proud to award them a scholarship,” said Doug Schneider, chairman of the Credit Union of Colorado Foundation. “They have shown a commitment to their education and to creating a better future for Colorado communities.”

**About the Credit Union of Colorado Foundation**

The Credit Union of Colorado Foundation was founded in 2012 to build upon Credit Union of Colorado’s long history of philanthropic commitment to its members and the communities where they reside. The foundation primarily focuses on two areas of interest: human services and education. For more information visit: <https://www.cuofco.org/credit-union-colorado-foundation>.

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