

PARK

SCHOLARSHIPS

Class of 2018

NIGERIA



Lagos - Kobi C. Felton, son of Keith Felton and Fredrica McDaniel Felton, on assignment in Lagos, Nigeria. Kobi will graduate from the American International School of Lagos where he is president of the student body and founder and president of the Photography Club. He is also a member of the National Honor Society, an Eagle Scout, and a trombonist in the symphonic band. Kobi plans to major in mechanical engineering.

UNITED STATES

DELAWARE



New Castle - Neelam Modi, daughter of Jignesh and Dipika Modi, Hockessin, Delaware. Neelam will graduate from the Charter School of Wilmington where she is senior class president, captain of the varsity girls' basketball team, and a member of the National Honor Society. She also volunteers at the local Veterans Affairs medical center, tutor/mentors elementary school students through the Science Ambassadors program, and is an active member of the Delaware Youth Leadership Network. Neelam plans to major in biomedical engineering.

KANSAS



Sedgwick - Jacob Joseph Barrett, son of Jeff and Joan Barrett, Wichita, Kansas. Jacob will graduate from Wichita Collegiate School where he is captain of the swimming and track teams and editor of the school newspaper, *The Spartan Voice*. He is an Eagle Scout, Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Ambassador, and state medalist in both swimming and track. Jacob plans to major in engineering.

MASSACHUSETTS



Plymouth - Christian Andrew Fuda, son of Robert and Kimberly Fuda, Hull, Massachusetts. Christian will graduate from Hull High School where he is senior class vice president, a member of the National Honor Society, and two-year captain of the varsity soccer team. He is an AP Scholar, a recipient of six Scholastic Art Awards, and has volunteered with his church for two week-long service trips. Christian plans to major in industrial design.

NEW MEXICO



Bernalillo - Kelley Kuuleilani Anderson, daughter of Jay and Maria Anderson, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Kelley will graduate from La Cueva High School where she is president of National Honor Society, debate captain of her speech and debate team, and vice president of French Honor Society. She is a National Merit Semifinalist, a member of Key Club, and performs piano. Kelley plans to major in mechanical engineering.



Bernalillo - Ryen Ormesher, daughter of Lori Parrott and Richard Ormesher, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Ryen will graduate from Albuquerque Academy where she is leader of Half the Sky Club, opinion editor of the school newspaper, and winner of the Future Female Engineer award. She tutors disadvantaged children around the city and is a founding member of a pending nonprofit organization. Ryen plans to major in biomedical engineering.

NORTH CAROLINA



Alamance - Allyson Leigh Patterson, daughter of Taylor and Cyndi Patterson, Burlington, North Carolina. Allyson will graduate from Southern Alamance High School where she is founder of the state-champion FFA Horse Evaluation Team, chaplain of the Southern Alamance FFA Chapter, and committee chairperson on Student Council. She volunteered at the North Carolina Therapeutic Riding Center, teaches horseback riding to a bilateral amputee, and has done mission work in Peru. Allyson plans to major in animal sciences.



Alamance - Kendall Elizabeth Wiggins, daughter of James Richard Wiggins, Jr. and Tina Loyd Wiggins, Gibsonville, North Carolina. Kendall will graduate from Western Alamance High School where she is president of National Honor Society and Project Green Light, an environmentalism club she helped to found and through which she implemented a school recycling program. She serves as a research assistant, working with the isolation of adipose-derived stem cells. She grew a charity garden, donating fresh produce to and volunteering at the local soup kitchen. She attended the North Carolina Governor's School for natural science and has been named a National Merit Semifinalist. Kendall plans to major in biomedical engineering.



Craven - Erica Nicole Neibaur, daughter of Kelvin and Julie Neibaur, New Bern, North Carolina. Erica will graduate from the Epiphany School of Global Studies where she is captain of the varsity soccer team, a class senator, and a student ambassador. She is a member of the Stop Hunger Now team and the president of a school service club called Far Beyond Imagining. She received the Scholar-Athlete of the Year Award as a sophomore. She plans to major in biomedical engineering.



Davidson - Adam Carson Lay, son of Ashley and Kevin Lay, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Carson will graduate from North Davidson High School where he is president of the senior class and the Engineering Club, and was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" by his classmates. Carson is an Eagle Scout, attended North Carolina Governor's School East in 2013, and serves as a board member and instructor for the Lexington Cotillion Club. Carson plans to major in aerospace engineering.



Forsyth - Samuel Owen Webster, son of Tim and Susan Webster, Clemmons, North Carolina. Samuel will graduate from West Forsyth High School where he is president of Young Political Leaders and the National Honor Society, and trumpet section leader in the marching band. He has interned with Organizing for America, the Coalition to Protect All North Carolina Families, and attended North Carolina's Governor's School West for social sciences. Samuel plans to major in engineering.



Forsyth - Danielle Elizabeth Winter, daughter of Keith and Diane Winter, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Danielle will graduate from the Early College of Forsyth where she is president of the Simply Service club and one of the first two students in her school's history to be recognized by the National Merit Scholar Corporation. She is captain of the R.J. Reynolds High School women's cross country team and founder of Sisters to Stop Traffic, an anti-human-trafficking ministry. Danielle is involved in various ministries at Clemmons United Methodist Church and received the Winston-Salem Student Human Relations Award for completing close to 500 hours of community service. Danielle plans to study environmental engineering.



Gaston - Chandler Joseph Kay, son of John and Jenifer Kay, Gastonia, North Carolina. Chandler will graduate from Ashbrook Senior High School where he is student body president, Chief Marshal, and a two-sport varsity captain. He is also a member of Gastonia Mayor's Youth Leadership Council, Junior Leadership Gaston, and co-founder and grant writer for the Just SWIM Camp for disabled children. Chandler plans to major in biomedical engineering.



Gaston - Jeremy Nortey Nortey, son of Thomas and Julienne Nortey, Gastonia, North Carolina. Jeremy will graduate from the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics where he is president of Legacy, a student-organized club that focuses on developing the underrepresented male population of his school, and an Attaché, a leadership position that organizes school fundraising activities. He initiated a tutoring partnership between Legacy and Urban Hope, a nonprofit organization that helps the underprivileged youth of Durham, and he has volunteered as a tutor at the Emily Krzyzewski Center. Jeremy plans to major in biomedical engineering.



Gaston - Kathryn Nicole Scruggs, daughter of Don and Jeanette Scruggs, Belmont, North Carolina. Kathryn will graduate from South Point High School where she is senior class president, school representative for the Superintendent's Student Advisory Council of Gaston County, and a varsity swimmer. She has volunteered with a Special Olympics swim team, served on mission teams to Nicaragua the past three summers, and attended the Governor's School of North Carolina for social science. Kathryn plans to major in biological sciences or political science.



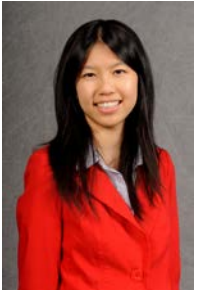
Haywood - Alexandra Grace Dinwiddie, daughter of William and Barbara Dinwiddie, Waynesville, North Carolina. Allie will graduate from Tuscola High School where she is co-president of the Ecology Club, co-captain of an Envirothon team, and a core leader of the Tuscola Peace Jam Club. She volunteered in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, for a local arts organization, Folk Moot, and has received numerous high school honors and awards. Allie plans to major in environmental engineering.



Henderson - Anna Catherine Yarbrough, daughter of Jonathan Yarbrough and Elizabeth Schneider, Mills River, North Carolina. Anna will graduate from West Henderson High School where she is editor-in-chief of the *Wingspan*, the school news magazine; captain of the Mock Trial team; and an all-conference player on the tennis team. She attended North Carolina Governor's School West for English and volunteers with the Asheville Humane Society and Henderson County Parks and Recreation Youth Soccer Program. Anna plans to major in chemistry.



Jackson - Maggie Elizabeth DeWeese, daughter of Jerry and Catherine DeWeese, Sylva, North Carolina. Maggie will graduate from Smoky Mountain High School where she is involved in National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and varsity athletics. Her teachers voted her Miss Mustang all four years. She participates in a nationally recognized show choir and is a member of her youth group. Maggie plans to major in biological sciences.



Mecklenburg - Deirdre Clare An, daughter of Michael and Miao Qin An, Charlotte, North Carolina. Deirdre will graduate from Cato Middle College High School where she is editor-in-chief of the school yearbook, induction committee member and historian of National Honor Society, and member of the CPCC Student Government Association. She is a volunteer tutor at 1-7 Academy, a Freedom School Zephyr during the summer, and was the recipient of the Grady Lane Award at the NC State Resource Conservation Workshop. Deirdre plans to major in environmental sciences.



Mecklenburg - Jonathan Joseph McKenzie, son of Cindy and Greg McKenzie, Charlotte, North Carolina. Jonathan will graduate from South Mecklenburg High School where he is co-president of the National Honor Society and captain of the men's cross country team. He earned his Eagle Scout award in 2012 as a member of Troop 116. While serving on the Cross Country for Youth advisory board, he developed a nutrition and hydration program for middle school runners. He led the expansion of the community garden at his church to boost donations of produce to benefit local food pantries and the homeless. Jonathan plans to major in biological sciences.



Mecklenburg - Richa Vinay Patel, daughter of Vinay and Chetna Patel, Charlotte, North Carolina. Richa will graduate from Mallard Creek High School where she is president of the Interact Club, vice president of Health Occupations Students of America Future Health Professionals, and a National Honor Society member. She teaches Hinduism to kindergartners at her Hindu Center and volunteers at the Presbyterian Hospital. Richa plans to major in aerospace engineering.



Mecklenburg - Shradha Rathod, daughter of Nitesh and Jayshree Rathod, Charlotte, North Carolina. Shradha will graduate from the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics where she is president of Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA), Dance Marathon, and the Indian Classical Dance Club. She has placed twice at the National HOSA Conference, has become involved in the HOSA District Office, and has worked on various science research projects and competitions. Shradha plans to major in business administration with a focus in science.



New Hanover - Rachel Elizabeth DeLange, daughter of Stephen and Theresa DeLange, Wilmington, North Carolina. Rachel will graduate from John T. Hoggard High School where she is a legislator for Hoggard Youth and Government, a representative for Hoggard Student Council, and a member of National Honor Society. She also volunteers with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, tutors students regularly in math, and was selected to the 2012 U.S. Army Pacific Teen Panel. Rachel plans to major in biological sciences.



New Hanover - Rachel Grace Walter, daughter of Joseph and Kenda Walter, Wilmington, North Carolina. Rachel will graduate from New Hanover High School where she is co-captain of the cross country team, senior class treasurer of Student Council, and a member of the Lyceum Academy. She is a frequent volunteer and summer intern at the Cameron Art Museum and is an actress in the Wilmington community theater. Rachel plans to major in environmental sciences.



Stokes - Kenneth Andrew Erickson, son of Andrew and Patricia Erickson, King, North Carolina. Kenneth will graduate from West Stokes High School where he is a member of North Carolina Youth and Government, the Rotary Interact Club, and the lacrosse team. He is a section chief for the Order of the Arrow, an Eagle Scout, and a Special Olympics volunteer. Kenneth plans to major in fisheries, wildlife, and conservation biology.



Stokes - Ashley Michelle Lawson, daughter of Nolan and Kim Lawson, Sandy Ridge, North Carolina. Ashley will graduate from North Stokes High School where she is president of the Beta Club and the Technology Student Association, and the senior class treasurer. She has received the award for the highest grade point average in her class since her freshman year. She has participated in or organized a canned food drive since her freshman year and taught dance to a group of handicapped young adults to improve their physical abilities. Ashley plans to major in mechanical engineering.



Wake - Alex Chen, son of Liang Chen and Karen Peng, Raleigh, North Carolina. Alex will graduate from William G. Enloe High School where he is president of Science Days, vice president of Debate Club, a member of the Science Olympiad team, and has been voted Homecoming King. He has been a volunteer youth attorney at Capital Area Teen Court in Raleigh and is an Eagle Scout. Alex plans to major in aerospace engineering.



Wake - Madeline Julia Finnegan, daughter of Stephen and Carla Finnegan, Apex, North Carolina. Madeline will graduate from the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics where she is editor-in-chief of the *Broad Street Scientific*, a scientific research publication; president of Junior Civitan; and a student ambassador. She is a participant in the Shaw University/ Environmental Protection Agency Research Apprenticeship program and has tutored neighborhood children in math since her freshman year of high school. Madeline plans to major in mathematics.



Wake - Nicholas William Mazzoleni, son of Andre and Kate Mazzoleni, Raleigh, North Carolina. Nicholas will graduate from Franklin Academy High School in Wake Forest, where he is president of the National Honor Society and the National French Honor Society. He has taken classical piano lessons since first grade. He is a volunteer tutor in math and chemistry, a cantor and instrumentalist at St. Luke the Evangelist Catholic Church, and a volunteer trombone instructor. Nicholas plans to double major in mechanical engineering and physics with a minor in music.



Wake - Gautam Ramakrishnan Nagaraj, son of Shubha and Ramakrishnan Nagaraj, Cary, North Carolina. Gautam will graduate from Raleigh Charter High School where he is a three-time varsity member of Science Olympiad; president of the Mathletics Department; and founder and president of Quark Heroes Club, in which students interested in physics discuss and learn about exciting facets of the field not covered in the classroom. He is the director of marketing for the North Carolina Youth Classical Arts for Charity, a group of young musicians that hosts an annual music festival to raise money for various charities, and he placed third in Fermi Questions in the 2013 National Science Olympiad tournament. Gautam plans to major in physics.



Wake - Kathryn Lilly Sebastian, daughter of Joseph and Teresa Sebastian, Morrisville, North Carolina. Kathryn will graduate from Cary High School where she is president of both History Club and Book Club and chairwoman of Junior Bank Board. She is a member of the National Honor Society and has been voted "Most Likely to Become the Next Steve Jobs" by her classmates. Kathryn plans to major in electrical engineering.



Wake - Sonia Su, daughter of Keli Su and Huey-Lin Ni, Cary, North Carolina. Sonia will graduate from William G. Enloe High School where she is president of the Chinese Club, a lead marshal, and treasurer of Enloe's Key Club. She volunteers with The Caring Place, and serves as chairman of the Cary Teen Council and vice president of the Triangle Area Chinese American Society Youth Group. Sonia plans to major in food science.



Wake - Dawson Reid Tripp, son of Reid and Angela Tripp, Cary, North Carolina. Dawson will graduate from Athens Drive High School where he is a board member for the National Honor Society and a section leader for the marching band. He received the AP Scholar with Distinction Award and was nominated by his peers for Homecoming Court and the Athens' Senior Superlative Show, Gradman. Dawson is an Eagle Scout and has served as a Governor's Page and Boys' State Delegate. He plans to major in engineering.



Warren - Evan Cortez Brooks, son of Burke and Iva Brooks, Norlina, North Carolina. Evan will graduate from the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics where he is a residential life assistant, president of the Service Learning Board, and director of competitions of Health Occupations Students of America. He is a National Achievement Semifinalist, a tutor at Urban Hope Ministries, and is a state and national winner for medical spelling. Evan plans to major in biochemistry.



Watauga - Spencer Louis Schlenker, son of Erich and Lynn Schlenker, Deep Gap, North Carolina. Spencer will graduate from Watauga High School where he is founder and manager of the Swipe for Schools Fundraising Program, president of the Friends of Rachel Club, and coordinator of the Recycling Program through the National Honor Society School Service Committee. He tutors students in math and chemistry at his school, is a recipient of the Education Partnership Award from the Watauga County School Board, and was honored to attend North Carolina Governor's School for mathematics. Spencer plans to major in chemical engineering.

OHIO



Hamilton - Cambray Smith, daughter of Blayne and Suzanna Smith, Wyoming, Ohio. Cambray will graduate from Wyoming High School where she is vice president of Model UN, varsity swim captain, and a Project LEAD officer. She planned a community-wide viewing of *The Human Experience* documentary and corresponding volunteer fair her senior year, and she has been on service and medical trips to Mexico and India. Cambray plans to major in biological sciences.

PENNSYLVANIA



Northampton - Jacob Daniel Alfieri, son of James and Leslie Alfieri, Easton, Pennsylvania. Jacob will graduate from Easton Area High School where he is president of the Technology Student Association, vice president of the National Honor Society, and a member of the varsity indoor and outdoor track teams. He has been active in his Boy Scout troop, recently earning the rank of Eagle Scout. Jacob plans to major in chemical engineering.

SOUTH CAROLINA



Dorchester - James Chandler Gonzales, son of Michael Gonzales and Lynda Grossman, Summerville, South Carolina. James will graduate from Ashley Ridge High School where he is drum major of the marching band, president of Mu Alpha Theta math honor society, and leader of the math and engineering teams. He was awarded the rank of Eagle Scout and served as a junior marshal and a Palmetto Boys State attendee. James plans to major in computer science.

TEXAS



Galveston - Nicole Taylor Stelling, daughter of James and Laurie Stelling, League City, Texas. Nicole will graduate from Clear Falls High School where she has maintained straight A's, will graduate Summa Cum Laude, and has been awarded the Superintendent's Scholar Award for academic excellence. She shadows local physicians and has been actively involved in the community, setting up a program that benefited underprivileged youths and abandoned dogs. Nicole plans to major in biological sciences.



Montgomery - Donnielle Ashly Jones, daughter of Donnie and Kimberly Jones, Spring, Texas. Donnielle will graduate from Oak Ridge High School where she is president of Mu Alpha Theta math honor society, secretary of Science National Honor Society, and a spokesperson for Advanced Placement Ambassadors. She is an Interfaith of the Woodlands All Star Volunteer, was awarded the 2013 Rotary Youth Leadership Award, and volunteers at the Buffalo Soldiers National Museum. Donnielle plans to major in biomedical engineering.

VIRGINIA



Colonial Heights - Anna-Claire Virginia Bousquet, daughter of Joanna and Marc Bousquet, Colonial Heights, Virginia. Anna-Claire will graduate from Colonial Heights High School where she is president of the Beta Club, the Science National Honor Society, and the Youth Advisory Council. She has been recognized as both an AP Scholar and a National Merit Commended Student, and has attended the Virginia Residential Governor's School for Math, Science, and Technology. Anna-Claire plans to major in biochemistry.