**FRA Education Foundation Announces 2019 Scholarship Recipients**

**THE FRA EDUCATION FOUNDATION** proudly announces its scholarship recipients for 2019. Funded through private donations, corporate sponsorships, and established trusts, the Foundation will present $93,000 in scholarships to 22 deserving students who are pursuing their dreams of a college degree in the 2019-2020 academic year.

Scholarship recipients are selected based on need, academic proficiency and character. Established in 2009, the FRA Education Foundation works to advance FRA’s longstanding tradition of helping students reach their educational and professional goals.

“Our scholarship program continues to be a great source of pride for the Foundation and we’re especially proud of this year’s award recipients,” says Joe Barnes, President of the Foundation’s Board of Directors and FRA National Executive Director Emeritus. “Students from 16 states will benefit from these scholarships. Since 2000, we’ve disbursed nearly $1.9 million in awards and we’re grateful for the great support from FRA, many FRA branches and shipmates, and other contributors who make these awards possible.”

All current and former members of the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard, their spouses and dependent children are eligible to apply for Foundation scholarships. Members of the FRA, their spouses, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren qualify for a broader range of awards, several of which are funded through member legacy donations.

Although applicants don’t require a connection to FRA to apply for Foundation awards, it is important to note that 16 of the 22 recipients are, or are related to, FRA Shipmates. “Our scholarship program is a high interest issue to prospective members. Shipmates should mention these scholarship opportunities when interacting with Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard personnel,” suggests Barnes.

Applications for FRA’s 2020-2021 scholarships will be available at www.fra.org/foundation after September 1, 2019.

**THE RECIPIENTS OF FRA EDUCATION FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS FOR 2019**

**Glenn F. Glezen Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(1)** Douglas J. Shelton, Manchester, Georgia, grandson of Shipmate Douglas J. Shelton, Member, Branch 293

**Robert W. Nolan Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(2)** Shipmate Thomas D. Melvin, North Charleston, S.C., Member-at-Large

**Joseph R. Baranski Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(3)** Darby M. Shadwick, Parma, Idaho, Granddaughter of Shipmate James A. Shadwick, Member, Branch 382

**FRA Education Foundation Awards ($5,000 each)**

**(4)** Lydia J. Elwell, Searsport, Maine, Spouse of Evan C. Treanor, Non-FRA Member

**(5)** Christopher A. LaCourse, East Taunton, Mass., Son of Anthony L. LaCourse, Non-FRA Member

**(6)** Michael Austin Gable, White House, Tenn., Step-son of Raymond B. Tuschl, Non-FRA Member

**GEICO Scholarship ($5,000 each)**

**(7)** Jakolby L. Wright, Tukwila, Wash., Step-son of Demond R. Ricard, Non-FRA Member

**(8)** Caelab A. Caretta, Burlington, Wis., Grandson of Ricky K. Stenzel, Non-FRA Member

**Robert M. Treadwell Annual Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(9)** Adam B. Reingold, Boise, Idaho, Grandson of Shipmate Harold E. Pinson, Member, Branch 382

**Stanley A. Doran Memorial Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(10)** Ethan A. Sizelove, League City, Texas, Son of Shipmate William E. Sizelove, Member, Branch 61

**Colonel Hazel Benn Scholarship ($2,000)**

**(11)** Erin E. Sulfaro, Fernandina Beach, Fla., daughter of Shipmate Eric G. Sulfaro, Member, Branch 181

**(12)** Emily R. Ray, Burleson, Texas, daughter of Shipmate Gregory P. Ray, Member-at-Large

**The Donald Bruce Pringle Family Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(13)** Claudia L. Harding, Runnemede, N.J., Granddaughter of Shipmate Randal G. Olsen, Member, Branch 1

**MCPO Ken E. Blair Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(14)** Thierry J. Simic, Shepherdstown, W.V., Daughter of Shipmate Robin A. Thomas, Member-at-Large

**Express Scripts Scholarship ($4,000 each)**

**(15)** Justin R. Williams, Pensacola, Fla., Grandson of Shipmate Laleta L. Boyce, Member-at-Large

**(16)** Danielle P. Lamson, Austin, Texas, Spouse of Shipmate Ryan Lamson, Member-at-Large

**US Family Health Scholarship ($5,000)**

**(17)** Trenton J. Sample, Cheyenne, Wy., Grandson of Shipmate Jack E. Sample (deceased), Member, Branch 267

**Angelo and Mildred Nunez Scholarship ($5,000 each)**

**(18)** Rachel M. Cartwright, Marshall, Ark., Daughter of Shipmate Robert Cartwright, Member, Branch 251

**(19)** Madison R. Garver, Lima, Ohio; daughter of Shipmate Grant W. Garver, Member-at-Large

**Tom and Karen Snee Scholarship ($3,000)**

**(20)** Suzannah R. Quirk, Woodford, Va., Granddaughter of Shipmate Ed Huylebroeck (deceased), Member, Branch 181

**Navy Department Branch 181 Scholarship ($2,000)**

**(21)** Suzannah R. Quirk, Woodford, Va., Granddaughter of Shipmate Ed Huylebroeck (deceased), Member, Branch 181

**Rosemary Posekany Memorial Scholarship ($1,000)**

**(22)** Hannah D. Maile, Woodbridge, Va., Daughter of Sabrina K. Ellis, Non-FRA Member