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SEVEN NURSING AND PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STUDENTS AT PENNSYLVANIA'S PRIVATE COLLEGES RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

HARRISBURG, August 3, 2015 — The Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Pennsylvania (AICUP), today announced the names of seven private college students who have been awarded the McLean Scholarship for Nursing or Physical Assistant Majors.

Mary Clinton from Cedar Crest College, Jessica Silverblatt from DeSales University, Christine DeAndrea from Duquesne University, Gretchen Stanley from Gannon University, Amanda Kemp from Holy Family University, Kayleigh Morein from Misericordia University, and Alexandra Gillespie from Villanova University were selected to receive the award for the 2015-2016 academic year.

“Congratulations to the winners of this year’s McLean Scholarship on their academic success and leadership skills. All seven recipients represent the type of educated, active and engaged citizens that come from Pennsylvania’s independent schools, and the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities applauds your contributions to our community,” said AICUP President Don Francis. “The association is grateful to the McLean Contributionship for its unending dedication to the nursing and physician assistant students at Pennsylvania’s independent colleges and universities.”

The McLean Scholarship for Nursing or Physical Assistant Majors is a \$3,000 award presented through AICUP and a generous endowment from the McLean Contributionship. It is presented to full-time undergraduate scholars enrolled in a Nursing or Physician Assistant program at one of AICUP’s 89 member institutions. Students must have a GPA of 3.0 to be eligible.

The Association of Independent Colleges & Universities of Pennsylvania (AICUP), the only statewide organization that serves exclusively the interests of private higher education within the Commonwealth, exists to complement and support the work of campus leaders. With a membership of 89 private colleges and universities within Pennsylvania, the Association provides a variety of services and programs tailored specifically to the needs and situation of independent higher education. A list of AICUP’s member colleges and universities is included on its website at www.aicup.org.

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