

Columbus National Scholarship Recognition Committee



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National Signing Day for Scholars

(Columbus, GA)—High school graduation is one of the most memorable times in the lives of high school seniors, their peers, family members, and educators. To make it even more memorable, the Columbus National Scholarship Recognition Committee and proud sponsor, Columbus Regional Healthcare System, will host the first ***National Signing Day for Scholars, Monday, May 3, 2010, at 7:00 p.m.*** The honorary event will be held at the Columbus Civic Center, located at 400 4th Street in Columbus.

Graduating seniors from public and private schools in Columbus who have earned academic scholarships will be honored. Total scholarship offers will be featured at the ceremonial signing. Dr. Frank Brown, retired President of Columbus State University, conceived the idea to honor our community's students who have excelled in the academic arena.

“Each year colleges and universities across this nation shower our best and brightest students with impressive scholarship awards, hoping to entice them to study on those college campuses,” said Dr. Brown. “It is fitting that we call attention to this clear evidence of the high regard in which our students are held across America. We hope to establish this annual opportunity for our community to honor these outstanding seniors who have achieved academic excellence.”

The general public and the media are invited to attend the event to help support and recognize the scholars on this momentous occasion. For more information, or to schedule a media interview, please contact the Columbus National Scholarship Recognition Committee Public Relations Coordinator, Valerie Fuller at (706) 748-2034, or e-mail vfuller@mcsdga.net .

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