



BTA Names 2023-24 Scholarship Winners

On Feb. 23, 1968, the Dorothy R. Ames Scholarship Fund was announced in honor of Ames at her retirement dinner for her many contributions to the industry. Ultimately, the fund became the BTA



(Business Technology Association) Scholarship Foundation. Today, through the foundation, BTA awards a number of scholarships to the eligible full-time employees and children of full-time employees of current BTA member dealerships. Since the 1984-85 school year, BTA has awarded 1,561 scholarships to deserving students, totaling \$1.7785 million.

BTA scholarships are awarded based on a review of completed applications, transcripts and essays by an independent, impartial evaluator. For the 2023-24 school year, BTA awarded a total of \$30,000 in scholarships to 24 students. The association would like to congratulate this year's recipients and their sponsoring BTA member dealerships:

- Emily Bourgois, Fireside Office Solutions, Bismarck, North Dakota
- Calli Bremness, EO Johnson Business Technologies, Wausau, Wisconsin
- Anthony Brown, Current Office Solutions, Bryan, Ohio
- Brooke Conner, R.K. Black Inc., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
- Allison Couch, Standley Systems, Chickasha, Oklahoma
- Reagan Fries, Eakes Office Solutions, Grand Island, Nebraska
- Gabriella Hamvas, Coordinated Business Systems, Burnsville, Minnesota
- Jessica Houglund, Gordon Flesch Co., Madison, Wisconsin
- Lydia Imbrogno, Gordon Flesch Co., Madison, Wisconsin

- Amanda LeBlanc, LDI Connect, Jericho, New York
- Victoria Liguori, Electronic Business Products Inc., Latham, New York
- Ava Lucas, Purvis Business Machines, Meridian, Mississippi
- Nick Marigo, Kyocera Document Solutions Northern California, Santa Rosa, California
- Mackenzie McKim, RJ Young Co., Nashville, Tennessee
- Madeline Moran, Gordon Flesch Co., Madison, Wisconsin
- Ashley Nierman, Eakes Office Solutions, Grand Island, Nebraska
- Bailey Nutter, Eakes Office Solutions, Grand Island, Nebraska
- Caitlin Robel, Forward TS, West Allis, Wisconsin
- Avery Smartt, UBEO Business Services, San Antonio, Texas
- Kyla Soard, Duplicator Sales & Service, Louisville, Kentucky
- McKenzie Turner, Duplicator Sales & Service, Louisville, Kentucky
- Alexa Webb, Pacific Office Automation, Beaverton, Oregon
- Connor Williams, Loy's Office Supplies, LaGrange, Georgia
- Grace Zea, Gordon Flesch Co., Madison, Wisconsin

The BTA Scholarship Foundation is supported by contributions from individuals, dealerships, manufacturers and distributors. You can see a list of this year's contributors or make a contribution online at www.bta.org/Scholarships.

The scholarship application for the 2024-25 school year will be available in December. For more information as it becomes available, visit www.bta.org/Scholarships or contact Elizabeth Marvel at elizabeth@bta.org or (816) 303-4060. ■

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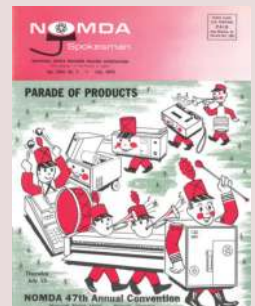
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The association's magazine cover 51 years ago this month — the NOMDA Spokesman, July 1972.