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MSS AWARDS FIVE SCHOLARSHIPS TO ENGINEERING UNDERGRADS

Mr. Mark Clark, President of MSS, announces the award of the 2016 MSS Tom Hannafin Scholarships to five qualified undergraduate engineering students. All five awardees submitted an application accompanied by academic transcripts and an essay on How Standards Development Organizations Impact Industry Worldwide. A committee of engineers representing MSS member companies reviewed the applications and recommended candidates for approval by the MSS Board of Directors.

The MSS Tom Hannafin Scholarship Program provides annual cash award(s) of $2,000 to one or more engineering and material science students interested in the Valve and Fittings Industry and whose parent or employer is a member company of MSS.

The five awardees are:

Lianna Castillo Ooltewah, Tennessee U of Tenn. – Chattanooga Mechanical Engineering
Aaron Dockendorf Waite Park, Minnesota Montana State University Mechanical Engineering
William G. Parkins Leawood, Kansas Kansas State University Mechanical Engineering
Dakota West Houston, Texas University of Alabama Mechanical Engineering

Since its establishment in 1924, MSS has been dedicated to developing standards for global application in the Valve and Fittings Industry in cooperation with other standardizing bodies and regulatory authorities. MSS is an ANSI-accredited standards developer. For more information about MSS and the Scholarship Program, visit the MSS website at www.mss-hq.org.

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