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## U of I Employees Credit Union Announces 2010 Scholarship Recipients

*Orange & Blue Scholarships Benefit High School Seniors*

**CHAMPAIGN, IL** — The U of I Employees Credit Union (UIECU) announced today the seven recipients of the 2010 Orange & Blue Scholarship Program. The seven scholarships are awarded each year to graduating high school seniors attending Illinois Colleges or Universities.

“UIECU believes in building strong, life-long financial relationships,” said Greg Anderson, UIECU Executive Vice President. “Since 1932, we have proudly supported our members, their families and our community. We are committed to supporting higher education and encouraging the academic excellence of today’s youth.”

With this commitment in mind, UIECU developed a Higher Education Scholarship Program. Offering seven, one-time scholarships annually, the Orange & Blue Scholarship Program will award high school seniors up to \$1,000 based on the college of their choice.

“Making college more affordable for Illinois students is something the U of I Employees Credit Union feels strongly about,” Anderson said. “We are committed to celebrating and serving both campus and community – part of that commitment is ensuring that our students have a chance to get the education they need to be competitive in tomorrow’s job market.”

UIECU is proud to announce the 2010 Orange & Blue Scholarship recipients:

**University of Illinois (\$1,000 each)**

- Damien Banks – Centennial High School
- Sydney Brimberry – Centennial High School
- Regina Hinders – High School of St. Thomas More

**Parkland (\$500 each)**

- Tiffany Green – Urbana High School
- Cassandra Henze – Gibson City-Melvin-Sibley High School
- Kathryn Karmazinas – Arcola Community High School

**College or University in Illinois (\$500)**

- Christopher Anderson – Champaign Central High School

Details about the scholarship and the 2010 recipients are available online at [uiecu.org/scholarships](http://uiecu.org/scholarships). The scholarships are designed to benefit students attending the University of Illinois, Parkland College, and other Illinois colleges and universities.

The U of I Employees Credit Union was founded in 1932, and today serves the University of Illinois community and anyone who lives or works in Champaign County. As a not-for-profit, member-owned financial cooperative, the U of I Employees Credit Union’s goal is to improve the financial lives of its members. The credit union serves more than 37,000 member-owners at its four locations in Champaign-Urbana and on the web at [uiecu.org](http://uiecu.org).

For more information about the U of I Employees Credit Union, contact Greg Anderson at 217-278-7700, or visit [uiecu.org](http://uiecu.org).

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Pictured above, left to right: Tiffany Green, Chris Anderson, Sydney Brimberry, Regina Hinders, Damien Banks, Cassandra Henze, and E.J. Donaghey. Not pictured: Kathryn Karmazinas.



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