ECSU scholarships

WILLIMANTIC — Eastern Connecticut State University recently hosted its annual scholarship reception in the Betty R. Tipton Room of the Student Center.

The event brought together major ECSU Foundation scholarship donors and their respective student-recipients. This year, more than 325 scholarships were awarded, totaling more than $750,000 in financial aid to students of all backgrounds and academic majors.

The following local students received scholarships:

- **Ashford**: Dustin Munson, General Endowed Scholarship.
- **Canterbury**: Alexis Ballirano, ECSU Foundation Community Youth Scholarship.
- **Chaplin**: Whitney Hoskins, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship; Kelly Labanara, Edith, John and Chandler Hicks Family Scholarship Fund and the Founders of Accounting Endowed Scholarship.
- **Columbia**: Jason Capizzi, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship; Craig Dzielen, General Endowed Scholarship.
- **Coventry**: Matthew Longmire, Veterans Endowed Scholarship; Samantha Manno, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship; Jessica Pawell, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship; Lea Richman, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship.
- **Hampton**: Kelsey Haddad, General Endowed Scholarship; Brandon Martingano, Doris K. Brown Endowed Scholarship.
- **Lebanon**: Sarah Andruchowski, Eastern Employees Scholarship; Morgan Battye, Andy Jones Visual Arts Endowed Scholarship; Ronald Davis, David A. Yutzy Music Fund.
- **Mansfield**: Fang Chen, Founders of Accounting Endowed Scholarship; Samuel Martin, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship; Peter Morrow, SBM Academic Excellence Scholarship.
- **Windham**: Charlene Ayala, Dr. K. Narayan Kutty Endowed Scholarship; Chelsea Brisson, Henry N. and Frances Z. Winiarski Endowed Scholarship; Amy Cordner, Luva Mead Hoar Endowed Scholarship; Sabrina Davis, Paul E. Johnson Sr. Community Conference Room Endowed Scholarship; Joseph Garzone, George Shafer-Frederick Noble Endowed Scholarship and the Ann and Kenneth Tucker Endowed Scholarship; Taylor McBride, General Endowed Scholarship; William Rivera, Altrusa International Inc. Scholarship; Alexis Roberts, SBM Charitable Foundation Early Childhood Education Scholarship Fund; Brianna Taylor, ECSU Foundation Endowed Scholarship; Stephen Wilmot, Veterans Endowed Scholarship; Elizabeth Woodmancy, Mohegan Tribe Scholarship.

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