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## **Forging Industry Educational and Research Foundation Announces Scholarship Recipients**

*Cleveland, Ohio* -- Forging Industry Educational and Research Foundation (FIERF) has awarded seventeen \$3000 Finkl Scholarships to university electrical, industrial, materials, mechanical and metallurgy engineering students enrolling in their junior year this fall. In the third year of the program, over fifty students have received support for their education.

The scholarships are named in memory of Charles W. Finkl's years of commitment and contributions to education and the forging industry that included over twenty-five years of service on the FIERF Board of Trustees, twice serving as president.

Scholarships were awarded to:

Angeline Blum, Colorado School of Mines  
Scott Bold, Pennsylvania State University  
Kevin Cloet, McMaster University  
Jeremy Elek, Cleveland State University  
Charles Fisher, Iowa State University  
John Fitzpatrick, Marquette University  
Joshua Hurst, Michigan Technological University  
Elizabeth Jeffries, Colorado School of Mines  
Andrew Joda, Michigan Technological University  
Lauren Mallisk, Cleveland State University  
Alan Manz, University of Toledo  
David Poerschke, Case Western Reserve University  
Kyle Rackers, University of Missouri – Rolla  
Stefan Revielle, Colorado School of Mines  
Karl Rinke, Michigan Technological University  
Matthew Weil, Grove City College  
Troy Widener, Colorado School of Mines

More information on the scholarships is available at [www.forging.org](http://www.forging.org) by selecting "Scholarships".

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