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NCI Student Wins Prestigious Canadian Award – 2015 Loran Scholar

Steinbach, MB. Feb. 20, 2015 – Niverville Collegiate Institute student Lauren Wiebe has been named a Loran Scholar, selected from an application list of 3,800 of Canada’s top high school students. The initial list of candidates was narrowed to 76 finalists who took part in national interviews in Toronto, Feb. 6-7, to determine this year’s 30 recipients of the prestigious award.

The Loran Scholars Foundation awards students for their exceptional character, commitment to service, and leadership potential. Winners receive an undergraduate award valued at up to \$100,000 over 4 years, tenable at one of 25 partner universities.

Founded in 1988, the Loran Scholars Foundation was the first national organization in Canada to grant scholarships based on a mix of academic achievement, extracurricular activity and leadership potential. The Loran Scholars Foundation has provided more than \$26 million in undergraduate awards to 2,300 Canadian students, including 500 past and present Loran Scholars. Past Loran Scholars include successful entrepreneurs, executive directors of local and national charities, and 15 Rhodes Scholars.

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