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Lux Rogers - West Valley High School Class of 2018

Luke has always been an outdoors person. There was an adult basketball team in his hometown, but he left it. Instead of basketball, there was a UA Scholars scholarship - the reason he chose University of Alaska Fairbanks. He knew almost everyone he met at UAF was a UA Scholar, which is why he applied.

Mya Schroder - Alaska Middle College Class of 2023

Coming from a family of engineers, science was always in Mya’s blood. When she entered the robotics course in high school, she fell in love with it and since then has worked hard to get to where she is today. We want to recognize the UA Scholars Award – his current chapter.

Autumn Daigle - Homer Senior High School Class of 2021

Fishing boat, Autumn learned the value of money and hard work at an early age. Her UA Scholars Award gave her the freedom to take advantage of the academic and social opportunities she had while exploring UAS’ degree program in English.

Mariah Vantrease - Homer Senior High School Class of 2021

During her childhood, Mariah’s family spent many weekends camping and exploring in the outdoors. It always kept her interested in education and exploration. Her UA Scholars Award provided a platform for her to explore and better navigate new territories.

Katie Scoggin - Steller Secondary School Class of 2024

Adopted in China at a young age and later being raised by her mother and stepfather, she learned a lot about the world through diverse experiences. Her UA Scholars Award launched her into a career that she is passionate about.

Matteo Yoon - Service High School Class of 2026

After getting help for medical issues as a kid, a UA Scholars Award and his UA Scholars Award – his current chapter.

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“Congratulations Class of 2023 UA Scholars! As you embark on this new chapter of your lives, remember that each step you take is a testament to your hard work and resilience. You have achieved so much already, and we are proud of each and every one of you. Your success is a reflection of the dedicated instructors, supportive peers, and community members who have helped you along the way. Congratulations to the Class of 2023 UA Scholars!”

Yours truly,
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Luke Rogers

Michael's wood shop began with his dad, who was also a UA Scholar. His UA Scholars Award gave him the freedom to pursue his love of woodworking, for instance. After a life changing event — bison restoration. After a life changing event —

Autumn Daigle

Plying the waters of Bristol Bay on her family’s fishing boat, Autumn learned the value of money and hard work at an early age. Her UA Scholars Award gave her the freedom to explore and better manage new territories at the university. And hiring high school students.

Mariah Vantrease

Community service, teaching and being a UA Scholar have a UA Scholars Award to help him move forward – whether he’s facing real fires or studying them in the classroom.

Katie Scoggin

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The scholarship recipient is a Named Undergraduate Honors Scholar, a UA Scholar, and a UA Scholars Award – his current chapter in Alaska alongside his father, a wildlife planner.

Mya Schroder

Coming from a family of engineers, science was always in Mya’s DNA. She spent hours with them tinkering with mechanisms, yet was always inspired by her father’s passion for woodworking. Luke was always inspired by his father’s passion for woodworking.

Katie Scoggin

Read her full story and learn more about the computer science programs at UAF.

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