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## Align Credit Union Awards \$12,000 in Scholarships to Local Students

**Lowell, MA, September 7, 2023** - Align Credit Union is proud to announce the winners of its 2023 scholarship program. This year, Align donated \$12,000 in total scholarships to the following local students:

Kathryn Baird from Lowell, MA (University of Massachusetts Amherst)
Yulianna Crispin Valdez from Lynn, MA (North Shore Community College)
Marissa Gallozzi from Wilmington, MA (Syracuse University)
Jakob Levasseur from Dracut, MA (University of Massachusetts Lowell)
Liam Martin from Chelmsford, MA (Wentworth Institute of Technology)
Declan McDonough from Nashua, NH (Worcester Polytechnic Institute)
Lea Mitchell from Chelmsford, MA (University of Massachusetts Amherst)
Jared Parks from Wilmington, MA (University of Massachusetts Amherst)
Anthony Rousseau from Atkinson, NH (University of South Carolina)
Taylor Scanlon from Dracut, MA (University of New Hampshire)
Christopher Vick Jr. from Framingham, MA (Fitchburg State University)
Patrick Xavier from Wilmington, MA (Boston College)

The scholarship program is open to Align Members who are graduating high school seniors and/or current college students enrolled in an undergraduate course of study. Over the past 30 years, Align has awarded more than 270 scholarships. Having served our community for over a century, Align remains committed to helping their members achieve their educational goals.

"At Align we are investing in the future by helping students reach their professional goals through education," stated Align President and CEO Kenneth Del Rossi. "This year's scholarship recipients are very accomplished and active in their communities. Congratulations to all recipients, we look forward to observing your future achievements."



Pictured L-R: Kathryn Baird (Scholarship Recipient), Ken Del Rossi (Align President & CEO), Yulianna Crispin Valdez (Scholarship Recipient), Marissa Gallozzi (Scholarship Recipient), Lea Mitchell (Scholarship Recipient), Taylor Scanlon (Scholarship Recipient), Anthony Rousseau (Scholarship Recipient), Jakob Levasseur (Scholarship Recipient), and Richard Piecewicz (Align 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors & Scholarship Committee Chairman.

## About Align Credit Union

For over 100 years, Align Credit Union has provided customized banking solutions to individuals and families throughout Northeastern Massachusetts and Southern New Hampshire. Align offers a full suite of products and services including Personal and Business Banking, Mortgages, Financial Planning and Insurance. Founded as the Northern Massachusetts Telephone Workers Credit Union (NMTW), the Credit Union changed its name to Align in 2013. Membership is open to anyone who lives, works or attends school in many communities throughout Eastern Massachusetts and Southern New Hampshire. For additional information, stop by one of eight branches in Amesbury, Danvers, Framingham, Haverhill, Lowell, Methuen, Seabrook, and Wilmington or visit www.AlignCU.com. Insured by MSIC. Federally insured by NCUA. Equal Housing Lender. NMLS ID 423280.

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