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FIRST TECH FEDERAL CREDIT UNION AWARDS \$50,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS

(BEAVERTON, Ore., and MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif.) – August 24, 2015 – [First Tech Federal Credit Union](#), the nation’s premier credit union serving the technology industry, continues its commitment to local communities and higher education by awarding 10, \$5,000 scholarships to college students across the nation. Through its annual college scholarship program, First Tech is dedicated to investing in developing tomorrow’s leaders.

First Tech awarded five scholarships to students with a technology-focused major and five to students pursuing other areas of study. The winners were evaluated on their scholastic standing and their level of community involvement.

This year’s recipients include:

- Maximillian Bourdillon - Saint Louis University School of Medicine
- Shelby Byerly - George Fox University
- Valerie Ding - Stanford University
- Dane Fisher - Loyola Marymount University
- Peter Forister - Virginia Tech
- Maya Ganesan - Stanford University
- Samantha Lee - Mississippi State University
- Jeremy Rollins - Regis University
- Riley Shearer - Montana State University
- Allison Young - Oregon Institute of Technology

“We’re delighted to help support our members’ higher education goals as they pursue their dreams,” said Greg Mitchell, First Tech president and CEO. “I want to extend my heartfelt congratulations to our recipients and wish them well on this exciting next phase of their life.” Throughout the past year, First Tech employees contributed more than 15,000 hours of community service and invested more than \$480,000 in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) education and literacy, including the scholarship program.

To learn more about First Tech’s scholarship program and other ways they give back to their local communities, visit firsttechfed.com/community.

About First Tech Federal Credit Union

First Tech Federal Credit Union is an \$8 billion institution headquartered in Mountain View, Calif. It is the nation’s premier credit union serving the world’s leading technology-oriented companies and their employees, including HP, Microsoft, Agilent, Intel, CISCO, Amazon, Nike, CH2M Hill, Intuit, Google and more. First Tech is recognized as the industry catalyst for delivering effortless banking experiences to its 400,000 members through its 40 branch locations, more than 5,000 CO-OP Branch locations, 30,000 CO-OP Network ATMs and 286,000 ATMs nationwide. First Tech offers a full range of banking services, including traditional banking, mortgage, financial planning and insurance services. For more information, visit firsttechfed.com.