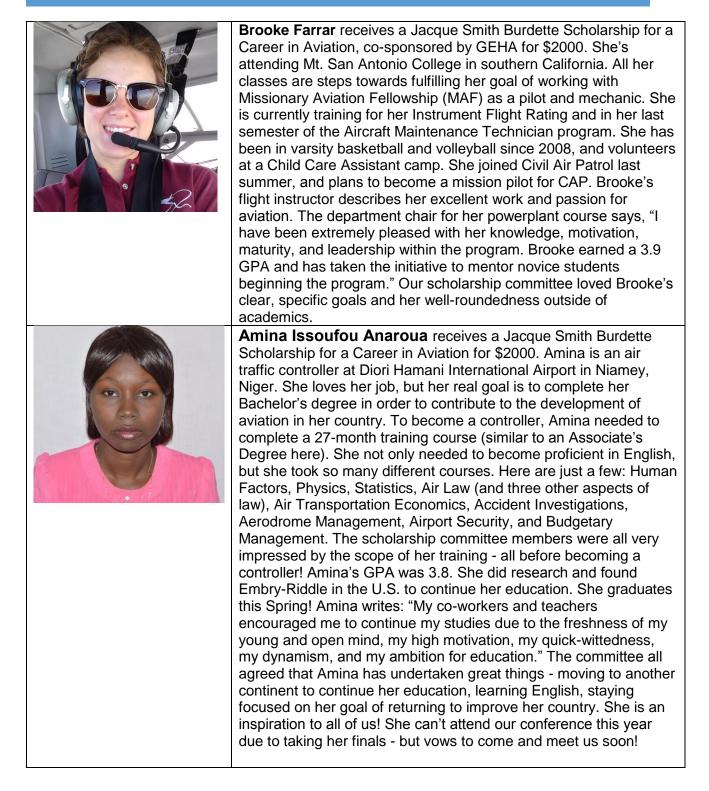
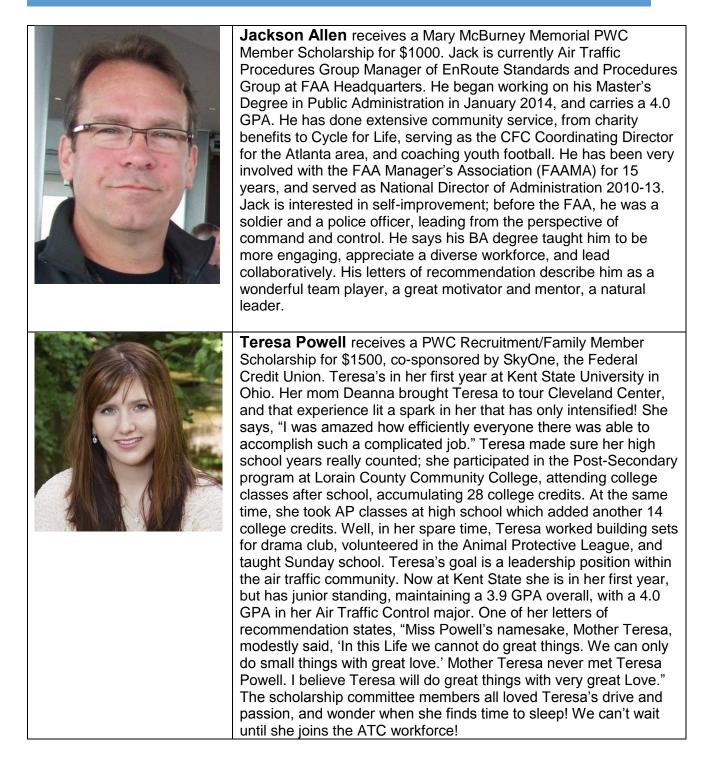
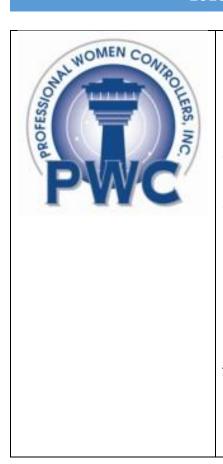
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Bria Goode receives a PWC Family Member Scholarship for \$1500. She's a freshman at University of Maryland, planning to become a veterinarian. One of her short-term goals is to get an internship at the National Institute of Health nearby. She has served as an intern with the Chairman of the Prince George County Council. Among her many high school honors: MVP and Captain in Cheerleading, VP of the National Honor Society, and Peer Minister, while maintaining a 4.1 GPA. She volunteered at Clinton Rehab and Nursing Center for four years, and So Others Might Eat (SOME). In her Honors English class, her semester-long project was LGBT Rights in Uganda, a challenging and understudied topic. Her letters of recommendation describe Bria as having excellent leadership, enthusiastic, resourceful, self-disciplined, a caring mentor to others, and thoughtful, happy, and motivating. One letter said, "Bria's thoughtfulness never ceases to amaze and impress me; however, it never surprises me. She is the real deal!" Our scholarship committee also rated Bria highly on her well-written essay.

<u>A cool fact</u>: Bria's mom, Norma Ely, is herself a PWC scholarship winner - she was the first recipient of the Jacque Smith Burdette Scholarship for a Career in Aviation in 2007. Way to pass on the gift of education, ladies!