## Corporations sponsor APS scholarships for minority students

The APS Selection Committee, headed by Charles E. Bush of Oak Ridge, has chosen the 18 winners of Corporate Sponsored Scholarships for Minority Undergraduate Students in Physics for 1982. Now in its third year, this program is intended to increase the level of minority participation in physics in the US. Each scholarship is sponsored by a corporation and consists of \$2000 awarded to the student and \$500 awarded to the host physics department.

Six of these scholarships were awarded to new recipients and 12 are renewals for the 1982-1983 academic year. The new recipients are listed with the name of the winner, the school that nominated them, the corporate sponsor and the host college: Mona J. Guzman (New Mexico Tech), Xerox Scholarship at New Mexico Tech; William C. Hoston Jr (Americus High School), Beckman Instruments Scholarship at MIT; Jessie B. Kingg (Alma College), KMS Fusion Scholarship at Alma College; Fred A. Lado (Cornell University), Bell Labs Scholarship at Cornell University; Joseph A. Reed (Alabama A&M University), Arthur D. Little Scholarship at Alabama A&M University; and Todd A. Treado (Georgetown University), IBM Scholarship at Georgetown University.

The winners of scholarship renewals are: William J. Adams, Eastman Kodak Scholarship at California State University; Victor M. Aguero, Gould Scholarship at MIT; Lloyd W. Allen, Xerox Scholarship at Southern University; Vernessa M. Edwards, Eastman Kodak Scholarship at Alabama A&M University; Karl R. Garcia, IBM Scholarship at Stanford University; Dollie M. Howell, Chevron Scholarship at Grambling State University; Tommy J. Jones (not shown), Westinghouse Scholarship at Southern University: Barbara J. Liggon, Gillette Scholarship at Amherst College; Grace E. Mendez, General Electric Foundation Scholarship at SUNY, Stony Brook; Verett A. Mims (not shown), IBM Scholarship at Southern University; Estela V. O'Brien, Exxon Scholarship at Harvard University; and Frank E. Smith III, General Electric Foundation Scholarship at Southern University.

In addition to these 18 scholarship winners, the Selection Committee chose the following eleven semifinalists for honorable mention from the total group of 59 applicants. Their names and schools are: Carla R. Horton, Northeastern State University; Ronald K. Jackson, Clinton High School; Jevonne R. Johnson, Grambling State University; Eric M. Lee, Morristown-









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Hamblen High School; Lawrence E. Monger Jr, Broad Ripple High School; Devonne L. Moore, Carroll High School; Richard L. Scott III, The High School of Charleston; Karl E. Thompson, Morgan State University; Pablo A. Velez-Ortiz, Catholic University of Puerto Rico; Rita B. Williams, Alabama A&M University; and John T. Wilson Jr. Alabama A&M University.

This scholarship program was organized by the APS Committee on Minorities in Physics in collaboration with the

Corporate Associates of the American Institute of Physics. The program will be continued next year. Any Black, Hispanic, or Native American US Citizen who plans to major in physics and is a high-school senior or college freshman or sophomore may apply. Application forms and information about this program may be obtained from: APS Minorities Scholarship Program, 335 East 45th Street, New York, NY 10017. The deadline for receipt of completed applications is 31 March.









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