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Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Announces Educational Advancement Opportunity Scholarship Recipients

Baton Rouge, Louisiana – The Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation is committed to the development and preparation of the next generation of women leaders in Louisiana. As one of their primary missions, the women legislators through the Foundation are determined to broaden the educational opportunities for women in Louisiana to support themselves and their families.

Six young women will be the first to be awarded the newly created Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation's Educational Advancement Opportunity Scholarship. This scholarship was created in 2010 by the women legislators of Louisiana. Each scholarship is for \$500 and will be used to defray the cost of tuition, room and board and books. The recipients were chosen from an exceptional pool of scholarship applicants across the state. The women of the Louisiana Legislature are pleased to help the young women with their academic goals and future dreams.

The scholarship recipients are:

- Natalie "Sloane" Arena--Lafayette High School--Lafayette
- Rachel DiMario--St. Joseph Academy--Baton Rouge
- Kelly G. Fleenor--University of New Orleans--New Orleans
- Sarah Guidry--South Lafourche High School--Cut Off
- Allyson Renae Jones--Northshore High School--Slidell
- Breanna ReShawn Riggins--McKinley Senior High School--Baton Rouge

The Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation's Educational Advancement Opportunity Scholarship will be presented at the Women of Excellence Awards & Scholarship Gala on Wednesday, May 11, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at the Baton Rouge Marriott. Contact the Women's Caucus Office at 225.342.0334 for ticket information.

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