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The Public Relations Foundation of Houston Awards 2016 Scholarship Recipients

-- Record of five scholarships awarded --

(HOUSTON, Texas) –The Public Relations Foundation of Houston (PRFH) held its annual scholarship interviews this past weekend. The Public Relations Foundation of Houston, the charitable arm of PRSA Houston, has focused on supporting college students in and from the Houston area studying PR or a communications-related field. The Foundation typically awards scholarships each year to deserving students in the surrounding Greater Houston area.

Three \$3,000 scholarships went to Abby Hendricks, freshman student at Texas A&M University-College Station, Natasha Wilson, senior at the University of Houston, and Erika Sanchez, graduate student at University of Houston- Clear Lake. Angela Theis, junior at Sam Houston State University and Stefani Crowe, graduate student at the University of Houston were finalists and each received \$1,000 to \$2,000 as honorable mention.

“We are thrilled to contribute to these students’ academic careers. Five scholarships is very exciting for us as it is the largest amount of educational funding that we have ever given before as an organization. This would not be possible without the support of the Greater Houston Community Foundation of Houston and the Public Relations Society of America- Houston chapter,” said Sparkle Anderson, foundation president.

All recipients will have the opportunity to be recognized and attend the PRSA Houston 2016 Excalibur Awards Gala on June 23rd at the Crystal Ballroom. For questions about the scholarship program, please contact PRFH scholarship chairs, Kelly Lawrence and Lauren Lucas, at prfoundationhou@gmail.com. For more information about the PRFH, please visit www.prsahouston.org/foundation.

About the Public Relations Foundation of Houston

The Public Relations Foundation of Houston (PRFH) was formed by PRSA Houston to support the growth and development of the PR profession by awarding scholarships to college students at regional universities. Their mission is to strengthen the future of public relations.

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