



## NEWS ADVISORY

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## MCCS BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO HONOR STUDENTS OF THE YEAR

*Board will also hold regularly scheduled meetings on Wednesday*

AUGUSTA, ME — Seven Maine community college students will be honored on Wednesday for their academic success and campus and community involvement at a ceremony hosted by the Maine Community College System (MCCS) Board of Trustees.

The 2015 Student of the Year Awards ceremony will be held Wednesday, April 29, at the Senator Inn in Augusta. The ceremony will start at 10:30 am followed by a luncheon. The 2015 MCCS Students of the Year are:

- **CMCC:** Brianna Mae Crosby, Business Administration and Management - Culinary Arts/Hospitality Management, Wayne;
- **EMCC:** Angel S. Pacheco, Liberal Studies, Jackman;
- **KVCC:** Keith M. Sullivan, Medical Assisting, Fairfield;
- **NMCC:** Duska Kingsbury, Liberal Studies, Mars Hill;
- **SMCC:** Maisarah Miskoon, Liberal Studies, Portland;
- **WCCC:** Alana-Marie Pulkkinen, Adventure Recreation and Tourism, Monmouth;
- **YCCC:** David Dionne, Computer Technology, Alfred.

The award winners were selected by college faculty and staff. Each of the students will be awarded a John H. Lapoint, Jr. Leadership Award in the amount of \$1,000. Mr. Lapoint was president of UF Strainrite in Lewiston and a trustee of the Maine Community College System. After his death in 1995, his widow, Jana Lapoint, served on the Board from 1995 to 2006 and helped establish the fund for the annual awards.

### MCCS Board of Trustees to meet in Augusta

Also on Wednesday, April 29, the MCCS Board of Trustees will hold regularly scheduled meetings at the MCCS System Office, 323 State Street, Augusta. The meetings will include:

- 8:30 am: Education Committee, Board Room, First Floor
- 8:00 am: Finance Committee, Conference Room, Third Floor
- 1:10 pm: Board Work Session, Board Room, First Floor
- 1:30 pm: Full Board Meeting, Board Room, First Floor

Agendas for the sessions are available at <http://www.mccs.me.edu/event/full-board-meeting-4/>

*If special accommodations are needed to attend either of these events, please contact Ellyn Chase at 629-4017.*