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St. Croix Resident Kelley Tison Awarded Salus University Alumni Association Travel Grant

Elkins Park, Pa. - Salus University student Kelley Tison, a St. Croix Central High School graduate and St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands resident, was awarded a travel grant to attend the Association of Vision Rehabilitation Therapists Professional Development Conference from the Salus University Alumni Association. Tison is currently enrolled in the Blindness and Low Vision Studies program at Salus University in Elkins Park, Pa.

Funding is awarded to Salus students participating in an approved professional conference or outreach program, including health screenings and humanitarian service trips. Grants are also awarded to students participating in an academic or clinical challenge bowl.

Tison used her grant funding to attend and present a poster at the Association of Vision Rehabilitation Therapists Professional Development Conference in Birmingham, Ala.

About Salus University

Salus University, founded as the Pennsylvania College of Optometry in 1919, today is a diversified, globally recognized professional academic center of learning that offers a wide range of degree programs in the professions of Optometry, Audiology, Physician Assistant, Public Health, Education and Rehabilitation for the Blind and Visually Impaired, Biomedicine, Occupational Therapy and Speech-Language Pathology. Salus operates four clinical facilities in the Philadelphia area that provide highly specialized vision, hearing and balance, and speech-language pathology services. The University has more than 1,200 students, including PhD candidates, and more than 14,300 alumni worldwide. For more information, please visit www.salus.edu.



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Allison White of Jeju Awarded Salus University Alumni Association Travel Grant

Elkins Park, Pa. - Salus University student Allison White, a Jeju University High School graduate and Jeju, South Korea resident, was awarded a travel grant to attend the American Academy of Optometry's annual meeting from the Salus University Alumni Association. White is currently a third-year student in the Doctor of Optometry program at Salus University in Elkins Park, Pa.

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White used her grant funding to attend and present a poster at Academy 2016 Anaheim, the American Academy of Optometry's annual meeting in Anaheim, Calif.

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Exton Resident Jessica Cecco Awarded Salus University Alumni Association Travel Grant

Elkins Park, Pa. - Salus University student Jessica Cecco, a Bishop Shanahan High School graduate and Exton, Pa. resident, was awarded a travel grant to attend a professional meeting at the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) Convention from the Salus University Alumni Association. Cecco is currently a second-year student in the Speech-Language Pathology program at Salus University in Elkins Park, Pa.

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Cecco used her grant funding for a professional meeting and poster presentation at the 2016 ASHA Convention in Philadelphia.

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