



2024 – 2025 Education/Equity Zonta D5 Awards

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Kamryn Camp is Zonta International 2025 Young Women in Leadership winner from District 5!

Kamryn, from Georgetown, KY, was nominated by the Louisville Zonta Club. Club. She recently graduated from Scott County High School and will be attending the University of Kentucky this fall with a major in Biomedical Engineering. She is actively involved in the Kentucky United Nations Assembly and volunteers with an extensive list of organizations. And, of special note, Kamryn has received the American Heart Assoc. STEM award.

Congratulations Kamryn! For more information, see

https://zonta.org/Web/Web/Programs/Education/Zonta_Young_Women_in_Leadership_Award.aspx?hkey=95bdfa33-5efe-457e-b3bb-9e9e59500161



Discover Inspiration: Meet Zonta International 2025 Amelia Earhart Fellow Sage Herz!

Sage Herz, a Ph.D. student in aerospace engineering at Ohio State and research associate of Aerodynamic Flow Control and Advanced Diagnostics AFCAD, has received a 2025 Zonta International Amelia Earhart Fellowship, awarded to just 30 recipients globally. Join us to congratulate her on this achievement and learn how the \$10,000 fellowship will advance her research using flight test demonstrators to study aerodynamic phenomena. She is a Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Doctoral student. She is OSU's first awardee in over a decade! The Zonta Club of Columbus submitted her nomination. For more information, see

https://zonta.org/Web/Web/Programs/Education/Amelia_Earhart_Fellowship.aspx?hkey=87230eef-bcc2-4e78-97bc-97f0cdd281ac



Dr. Lynn Pickering PhD is our World-wide Zonta International Amelia Earhart Award winner in 2024!

The Zonta Club of Cincinnati submitted Dr. Pickering's application to District 5 which was then forwarded to compete with international applicants from all over the world of Zonta. We are thrilled to announce that Lynn earned her PhD from the Univ. of Cincinnati in Aerospace Engineering, after graduating in 2020 with a Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering (Summa Cum Laude and Distinguished University Honors Scholar) and a minor in German Studies. Her ongoing research involves using Fuzzy Logic as an artificial intelligence (AI) method that provides transparency and explainability to truly advance AI. Explainability in AI is essential to enhance partnerships with humans and ensure that AI is being utilized in a fair and ethical manner. To further promote explainable fuzzy systems, she is on the organizing board of the UC Explainable Fuzzy AI student competition as well. She has written several conference papers involving genetic fuzzy systems. Dr. Pickering is District 5's first World-wide Zonta International Winner in over a decade! Congratulations Lynn! For more information, see

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Kayla Bischoff, from the University of Kentucky, received our Jane M. Klausman 2024 Women in Business Scholarship from District 5. She was nominated by the Zonta Club of Louisville. (In 2025, the newly established ***Women in Business Leadership Scholarship*** replaces this scholarship)

Kayla is an arts administrator and visual artist with more than a decade of experience serving the arts community of Louisville, Kentucky. Currently the development manager at Louisville Visual Art (LVA), Kayla is enthusiastic about supporting its mission to nurture youth art education and professional artist development.

Her commitment to advancing arts organizations stems from her firsthand experience with the challenges faced by small nonprofit teams with limited resources. This inspired her to expand her skill set by pursuing a master's degree in arts administration and a graduate certificate in fundraising and development from the University of Kentucky. Kayla's bachelor's degree is in studio art from Bellarmine University, KY. For more information, see https://zonta.org/Web/Web/Programs/Education/Zonta_Women_in_Business_Leadership_Award.aspx?hkey=5fb4f07a-f30d-42ad-bb53-7cb802f1eb7c