



UCT inAction

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2018 UCT Heaston Scholarship winners named!

Congratulations to the 2018 UCT Heaston Scholarship recipients, who will receive a total of \$48,000.

- **Maysen Pribbernow, Okinawa, Japan - \$6,000 each year for four years, attending Liberty University in Lynchburg, Virginia**
- **Shane Uribe, Santee, California - \$3,000 each year for four years, attending the University of Evansville in Evansville, Indiana**
- **Decorey Davis, Houston, Texas - \$3,000 each year for four years, attending Texas State University in San Marcos, Texas**

Evidence of hard work and overcoming obstacles to achieve their goals is a major criterion for UCT Heaston Scholarship Program applicants. Applicants need to discuss their academic careers and extracurricular activities, provide examples of hard work and challenges they have had to overcome, and show a commitment to community service.

Scholarships are awarded to students with the equivalent of high school senior status. Students must be enrolled and entering a college program in the coming academic year. All scholarship funds are to be used for school-related expenses and are sent directly to the college/university. Applications are due **March 15** and scholarship awards are announced after May 1.

The UCT Heaston Scholarship Program application & guidelines are available for download at [www.uct.org/UCT in Action](http://www.uct.org/UCTinAction). For more details contact Anita Neal at aneal@uct.org or at 800.848.0123 x1100.



**Don't miss
the 2018
convention
presentations!**

If you're attending this year's UCT convention, you'll want to make sure you don't miss the presentations taking place – some educational, some celebratory, all full of worthwhile information you'll want to know. Here's a brief rundown of who's speaking and when:

130 Challenge Finale
Numan Loafman, UCT President
6:30 p.m., Monday, July 2
Regency Ballroom

New Medal of Honor Guidelines
Linda Fisher, UCT Public Relations Manager & Kate Chillinsky, UCT Marketing Manager
9 a.m., Tuesday, July 3
Scarborough Two

Meaningful Fraternal Service = Fraternal Tax Exemption
Joe Annotti, President & CEO, American Fraternal Alliance
1:30 p.m., Tuesday, July 3
Regency Ballroom

Urban Hope Presentation
Dianna Loafman & Corey Phelan
1:30 p.m., Wednesday, July 4
Regency Ballroom

We want to know about your Join Hands Day events!

Has your UCT local council held or is it planning to hold a Join Hands Day event? If so, we want to hear about your project so we can share the details on our Facebook page and in the autumn issue of *The Sample Case*.

It's easy - just send us your Join Hands Day project details (name and council number, project date, number of adults and youth participating, what you did and

where) **before July 13!** We want your photos too, so send them along as well.

Remember, while many Join Hands Day projects take place the first Saturday in May, our local councils can hold events anytime during the year. If you haven't yet planned a project but are thinking about it, there's still time. Go to the Join Hands Day page on the Members' Area/UCT Programs of our website at www.uct.org for more information and resources.

Send photos and project descriptions to Linda Fisher immediately following your event. Questions? Contact Linda at lfisher@uct.org or at 800.848.0123 x1130.

Savannah – register now, rooms are booking fast!

Time is running out to register for the 2018 UCT convention coming up July 2-5 at the Hyatt Regency Savannah, so book your rooms now!

Room rates are as follows and are applicable three days prior and three days following the convention, based on availability:

- **\$119 per night – single/double rooms**
- **\$144 per night – triple rooms**
- **\$169 per night – quadruple rooms**

Reservations MUST be made by no later than **JUNE 7, 2018**, by calling 888.421.1442. Make sure to tell them you're with UCT. You can also register online by using the Hyatt Passkey: <https://aws.passkey.com/event/16251322/owner/3948/home>.

To find out more about Savannah, go at www.savannah.com and/or Like the Visit Savannah page on Facebook at www.facebook.com/visitsavannahga.



Convention Photo Challenge

UCT Vice President Chris Phelan, UCT President Numan Loafman and Forrest Gump will all be in Savannah, Georgia, this July for the UCT convention! Will you be joining them? If so, take a picture of yourself in your UCT gear and post it to UCT's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/UCTinAction or email it to kcillinsky@uct.org to post for you by no later than **JUNE 15**, and we'll enter your name into a drawing for a \$100 gift card to be presented at the convention! Don't forget to include your full name and the name and number of your local council.

This is about having fun, not worrying about posing, so keep it casual. Sit or stand in front of a UCT banner, hold up a UCT mug, magnet or scratch pad, or wear your favorite UCT T-shirt! If you've just been elected a delegate to the UCT convention at your regional session, have someone take your photo on your phone and post it or send it along to Kate to post – and let her know if you have any questions.

GIFT \$100 CARD

