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Minot State Spring 2025 VPAA and Engagement Honor Roll

MINOT, N.D. – Minot State University announced that 255 students have been named to the Vice President for Academic Affairs' Honor Roll for Spring 2025, and six students earned a spot on the Engagement Honor Roll.

Students who earned a term grade point average of 3.5-3.79 while enrolled for 12 or more credits during the Spring 2025 semester were named to the VPAA list. The honor will show on the student's transcript for the semester in which it was earned.

The Engagement Honor Roll is an opportunity for Minot State University undergraduate students to receive recognition for the engagement activities they participate in while a student at MSU. This distinction is included in their transcripts. Students must complete a minimum of 50 hours, verified by supervisors, in any combination of engagement activities in order to be recognized during any given term.

The Engagement Honor Roll is ordered by the student's last name. Students named to the VPAA Honor Roll are ordered according to their hometowns. North Dakota students are listed first, followed by students with out-of-state hometowns listed alphabetically by state, then hometown; and then Canadian students alphabetically by province, then hometown. Finally, international students are listed by home country and hometown.

ENGAGEMENT HONOR ROLL

Accra, Ghana	Venissa Adeti
Minot	Cheyenne Douglas
Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada	Brooklyn Hanelt
Minot	Faith Hauck
Minot	Chaylee Hewson
Minot	Addyson Hughes

VPAA HONOR ROLL

NORTH DAKOTA STUDENTS

Anamoose	Ashley Irish
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Belcourt	Orion Keplin
Berthold	Katelyn Schumaier
Beulah	Chloe Voigt
Bismarck	Sierra Becker, Holter Bridwell, Seyth Derheim, Kristy Glines, Samantha Haag, Alayna Locken, Robert Paulson, Lakkin Ryum, Cameron Schmidt, Sonora Schneider, Marquel Wald
Bottineau	Leslie Ostreim, Isaac Pomarleau
Burlington	Ethan Brevik, Zander Grover, Cheyenne Haga, Isaac Patchen, Hailey Tallmadge, Skylyn Walker
Crosby	Tia Nygaard, Hailey Vigness
Des Lacs	Shelby Ruden
Fargo	Olivia Opheim, Ashley Wacha
Fessenden	Haleigh Lematta
Garrison	Alyssah Torno
Glenburn	Makenzie Croxall, Nadia Post
Goodrich	Tessa Galvin
Grand Forks	Dezralee Martinez
Granville	Natasha Gail
Hettinger	Peyton Tuhy
Jamestown	Avery Mee
Langdon	Marcus Erickson
Lansford	Kylie Abernathey, Lily Savelkoul
Larimore	Camryn Adams
Leeds	Lacey Guthmiller
Linton	Laura Hovland
Mandan	Dustin Braaten, Shunterria Majisi
Maxbass	Rebecca Suzda
Mercer	Sophie Sparrow
Minot	Ellington Anderson, Isabelle Anderson, Kylie Anderson, Mattison Balas, Savannah Barnes, Eva Bloom, Maxwell Boeckel, Stivenson Bouton, Benjamin Brown, Samuel Buckhanan, Matthew Cook, Taylor Coonrod, Shannise Crawford, Tara Czemereres, Joshua Czyz, Dominic Demma, Addisen Dennis, Kennady Dewitz, Julianna Folk, Molly Frey, Kasidee Fuller, Ceirra Fulton, Brittany Godejohn, Mikel Green, Blake Guttormson, Nicholas Harbort, Jeannie Hochstrasser, Amber Holcomb, Mabel Hopkins, Benjamin Hornaday, Isabella Howard, Trevor Huss, Jersey Johnson, Tyler Johnson, Dejaris Jones, Savanna Jones, Isaac Keller, Kye Keplin, Lindsey Kielbowick, Ryan Kostenko, Payton Lang, Charles Larsen, Casey Larson, Logan Layman, Christian Long, Emma Lundeen, Weston Martell, Casey McMahon, Kailee McRoy, Madalyn Meagher, Shiloh Mende, Emelea Miller, Ethan Miller, Erik Moore, Tyler Nelson, Fathima Nowsath Malikshaw, Eden Olson, Peter Panales, Axel Parker, Sydney Poppinga, Dallas Reese, Kelsie Richey, Haylee Ritzke, Haley Rosinski, Kari Schalesky, Hadyn Schuler, Morgan Shay, Anna Smith, Jamie Snyder, Kerzy Sorensen, Tatum Stebleton, Zoe Struckness, Andrew Swartwout, Abigail Tallman, Eduardo

	Taromaru Matsuoka, Reese Terrel, Kaitlyn Thorson, Hayden Tinker, Melissa Tuttle, Ashley Vargas, Laney Wahus, Mariah Weatherford, Cali Wilson, Kyleigh Wiltse, Jaeger Zarr
Minot AFB	Charles Westphal
Norwich	Brooke Larson
Powers Lake	Noah Fredrickson, Lucas Parslow
Ray	Maelee Cancade, Madelyn Oster, Kayleigh Walters
Rugby	Kiara Larson
Ryder	Lora Rockwell
Stanley	Kerrington Lee, Joshua Moore
Strasburg	Katie Heidrich
Surrey	Dalen Engg, Dalton Engg, Alex Gilberg, Mariah Halton, Jaeger Hoiland, Cody Leonard
Surrey	Carleen Severson
Tioga	Maelyn Sanders
Trenton	Alyssa St. Pierre
Velva	Taryn Braaten, Kyle Sandy, Sadie Weninger
Verona	Anna Sandness
Wahpeton	Tracy Bjugstad
Washburn	Owen Patterson
Watford City	Jessica Mogen
West Fargo	Charles Cummer
Williston	Amy Rivera

OTHER U.S. STUDENTS

Soldotna, Alaska	Journey Miller
Owens Cross Roads, Ala.	Evan Vieira
Kingman, Ari.	Zachary Allen
Mesa, Ari.	Maxwell Bray
Laveen, Ari.	Taylor Eatherton
Chandler, Ari.	Javier Gutierrez
Tucson, Ari.	Evan Lovett
Ontario, Calif.	Charisse Bustamante
Orland, Calif.	Kaden Byker
Lake Forest, Calif.	Paulette Dominguez
Whittier, Calif.	Laryssa Galvez
Oceanside, Calif.	Kyan George
Fairfield, Calif.	Evan Hoff
Willows, Calif.	Victoria Leeman
Fontana, Calif.	Chinonyelum Ozonoh
Modesto, Calif.	Thezelle Pinlac
La Mesa, Calif.	Hunter Solly
Castle Rock, Colo.	Tyler Stonebraker
Aurora, Colo.	Brian Weatherford
Hollywood, Fla.	Wilfredo Diaz
Naperville, Ill.	Aiden George
Roann, Ind.	Madison Parson
Clarkston, Mich.	Jaina Macaulay

Onsted, Mich.	Jake Swirple
Mankato, Minn.	Shafer Ehmke
Moorhead, Minn.	Brandon Grund
Shakopee, Minn.	Ben Holte
Ham Lake, Minn.	Abygayle Lohse
Fairview, Mont.	Allison Axtman
Kalispell, Mont.	Trinity Boivin
Terry, Mont.	Audrey Diesen
Miles City, Mont.	Jentry Dutton
Glendive, Mont.	Kale Farrington
Roundup, Mont.	Gwendolyn Stevens
Cut Bank, Mont.	Kenzie Stiner
Burlington, N.J.	Saxon Cuddie
Hobbs, N.M.	Maria Machado
Las Vegas, Nev.	Clayton Hawkins, Paige Kellogg
Mesquite, Nev.	Kiara Kinchen
Henderson, Nev.	Kaden Vermillion
Hilton Head Island, S.C.	Skylar Smith
Rapid City, S.D.	Terrin Frank
Houston, Texas	Marcus Allen
Salt Lake City, Utah	Lukaas Bloxham
Clinton, Utah	Mia Thompson
Superior, Wis.	Emily Barker
Sundance, Wyo.	Grace Trandahl

CANADIAN STUDENTS

Innisfail, Alberta	Anthony Chatwood
Medicine Hat, Alberta	Matayah Metz
Sherwood Park, Alberta	Logan Cyca
Yellowhead County, Alberta	Zoe Banack
Cranbrook, British Columbia	Madelyn Beek
North Saanich, British Columbia	Jacob Thompson
Elkhorn, Manitoba	Colby Joseph
Flin Flon, Manitoba	Kari Rutherford
Glenboro, Manitoba	Marlie Rutherford
Manitou, Manitoba	Erica Fijala
Portage la Prairie, Manitoba	Joey Moffatt
Winnipeg, Manitoba	Kieran Cooke
Corner Brook, Newfoundland	Taylor Cormier
Maberly, Ontario	Nikita Neyshtadt
North York, Ontario	Isavella Tyrologou Nouniez
Estevan, Saskatchewan	Emmey Rae
Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan	Emily Shiers
Regina, Saskatchewan	Walker Jerome, Claire Sauve
Rosetown, Saskatchewan	Amy Leith
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	Gillian Forke
Southey, Saskatchewan	Jake Orthner
Tisdale, Saskatchewan	Bailey Norris-Pott

Warman, Saskatchewan
Yorkton, Saskatchewan

Jared Hamm
Tayah Yanke

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Newcastle, Australia

Lara Dobbins

Perth, Australia

Max Groom

Sao Paulo, Brazil

Joao Simplicio

Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

Arianna Polonio Polanco

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Dawit Tesfaye

Raimbeaucourt, France

Elsa Duquesne

Freudenberg, Germany

Roman Leifridt

Hafnarfjörður, Iceland

Natalia Arnarsdottir

Jaipur, India

Toshif Khan

Ami, Japan

Aina Murata

Tokyo, Japan

Kenji Takahashi

Benin City Nigeria

Marvellous Okunbor

Lagos Nigeria

Taiwo Lawal

Yaba, Nigeria

Jeremiah Akande

Karachi, Pakistan

Syed Hassan

Makati City, Philippines

Francis Ogabar

Wroclaw, Poland

Paulina Kowalska

Bratislava Slovakia

Viktoria Sedova

Helsingborg, Sweden

Linnea Svenzen

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