

## MEET THE ROTARY CLUB OF MILWAUKEE'S NEW SCHOLARS!

This spring the RCM Scholarship Program received over 50 very strong applications from Milwaukee high school seniors. After a round of interviews, the committee extended financial support and mentorship to seven new scholars.



**Kiya Mooney**  
**Mary & Bill Herd, & Rozena Baker Barber Scholar**

*High School: Bradley Technology & Trade School*  
*College: UW-Stout*  
*Anticipated Major: Electrical Engineering*

Kiya is the first recipient of the Mary and Bill Herd, & Rozena Baker Barber Scholarship, which supports an African-American graduate of MPS who intends to pursue a career in science, technology, engineering, math or teaching. Kiya's career goal is to change and improve technology.



**Alexander Mancilla**  
**RCM Leadership Scholar**

*High School: Carment High School of Science and Technology*  
*College: Marquette University*

Alex is the first recipient of the RCM Leadership Scholarship, which is awarded to a student who exemplifies promise and potential to be a leader in the Milwaukee community.



**Omar Chavez**  
*High School: Carmen High School of Science and Technology*  
*College: UW-Milwaukee*  
*Anticipated Major: Engineering*

Omar discovered a passion for engineering after taking several rigorous Project Lead The Way courses in high school. He also enjoys playing soccer and hopes to become part of the soccer team at Milwaukee.



**Nathalia Dominguez**  
*High School: Carmen School of Science and Technology*  
*College: Marquette University*  
*Anticipated Major: Psychology*

Natalia discovered a love for psychology in high school. She would like to study how people's life experiences shape them and their decisions by becoming a behavioral analyst.

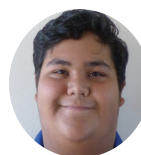


**Leah Moore**  
*High School: Pulaski*  
*College: UW-Milwaukee*  
*Anticipated Major: Criminal Justice*

Leah was a member of her high school's honor roll and played soccer. She enjoys writing in her free time. Leah would like to become a Forensic Analyst and continue her education to obtain a law degree.

**Tavirelle K. Moore**  
*High School: James Madison Academic High School*  
*College: Miles College (Alabama)*  
*Major: Kinesiology or Education*

Tavirelle was a multi-sport athlete in high school and Vice President of the Senior Board. He would like to teach and coach high school football, and hopes to mentor youth through sports.



**Juan Padilla-Mendez**  
*High School: Reagan High School*  
*College: UW-Oshkosh*  
*Major: Biology*

Juan has worked as a CNA at Aurora/St Luke's, and has an interest in becoming a Physician's Assistant. He would like to enrich the lives of others in his community through the medical field.

*Special thanks to all of our outstanding RCM Scholarship Committee members and mentors for making this program possible!*

# MEET RCM'S CONTINUING SCHOLARS!

## William Adams Scholar



**Aleeya Conway**  
*Marquette University, Psychology*  
This is Aleeya's second year as a resident assistant. She is also a mentor in the Women and Youth Support Club.

## Jim and Judy Ford Scholar



**Alexis Edwards**  
*UW-Madison, Bio-Medical Engineering*  
This year Alexis is co-leading a research group tasked with developing a glue for lacerations.

## James I. Miller III Scholar



**Dayanara Gonzalez**  
*Mount Mary University, Education*  
Dayanara loves learning, and has made many friends through classes, clubs, and crocheting.

## Gordon & Elizabeth Smith Scholar



**Jorge Olmo-Santiago**  
*UW-Whitewater, Communications*  
Jorge continues to strive for an A in every class, (3.8 GPA last year). He is hopeful to secure an internship next summer.



**Vanessa Garnica**  
*Mount Mary, International Studies*  
Vanessa won the Academic Major Award for International Studies last year. Congratulations, Vanessa!



**Guillermo Guerrero**  
*UW-Milwaukee, Psychology*  
Guillermo is dedicated to his studies, and his mentors have been very helpful. He volunteered at the Golf Outing in June.



**Jim Her**  
*UW-Madison, Kinesiology*  
As Finance Chair for the Hmong American Student Association, Jim has enjoyed leading and providing resources for its members.



**Chue Lee Chang**  
*Northland College, Urban Studies*  
Chue joined Northland's Student Council, and learned about aquaponics through an internship last semester.



**Christine Little**  
*Northland College, Environmental Science*  
Christine is exploring her post-grad career plans in her final year of college with her professors and advisor.



**Anthony Pittman**  
*UW-Madison, Marketing*  
Last year, Anthony joined a first year interest group: Education Policy: Youth, Education, and Society.



**Alvaro Rodriguez**  
*Carroll University, Music Therapy*  
Alvaro developed an orientation program for incoming freshman last year. He is in his final year of studies.



**Mayra Solis**  
*Mount Mary University, Education*  
Mayra worked at COA this summer to gain more experience in her journey to educate youth.



**Dalicia Simpson**  
*Minnesota - Twin Cities, Pre-Medicine*  
Dاليا serves as the President of the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority. She was their representative at the National PanHellenic Conference.



**Kenyon Terrell**  
*Fordham University, Theatre*  
Kenyon is ecstatic to be in New York learning and being exposed to pioneers in his field.



**Shawn Turner**  
*Marquette University, Engineering*  
Shawn interned with Rockwell Automation in North Carolina, and has accepted a position at their HQ upon his graduation next spring. Congratulations, Shawn!



**Jose Uribe**  
*UW-Whitewater, Spanish Education/ESL & International Studies*  
Jose is active in the Voto Latino group where he serves as Director of Public Affairs.



**Nhia Vang**  
*UW-Madison, Personal Finance*  
Nhia Vang took a 5th year to obtain his coding certificate. He will graduate next spring.



**Zoua Pa Yang**  
*Mount Mary University, Art Education*  
Zoua spent the summer in Chiang Mai, Thailand, where she took courses on Thai culture and dance.