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### Dear Hillier Scholarship Recipients;

Since 1997, the James Hillier Foundation has bestowed scholarships for university to Brant County high school students wishing to pursue a career in scientific research. This year marks the 23rd year for the program and to date 68 local students have been awarded university scholarships. At the conclusion of this year, the Foundation will have awarded over \$1,107,887.00.

### **2019 Scholarship Recipients**

This year, the Foundation was pleased to offer three scholarships. High school students Anne Jing from Assumption College, Stewart McLellan from Pauline Johnson and Jacob Meleka of North Park Collegiate are the recipients of full four-year \$20,000 scholarships from the James Hillier Foundation. They were presented with their awards on June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the annual Innovation Day at Apotex Pharmachem, Brantford.



Pictured left to right – Anne Jing, Jacob Meleka, Stewart McLellan

The Brantford Expositor conducted interviews with this year's recipient and the article outlines some of their achievements and reports on their aspirations. <u>https://www.brantfordexpositor.ca/news/local-news/meet-the-latest-hillier-scholarship-recipients</u>

A complete listing of past scholarship recipients may be found at:

www.jameshillierfoundation.com

## **Foundation News**

# An Evening with Jane Goodall – Sept. 27th, 2018

To celebrate the milestone of over \$1,000,000 in awarded scholarships, the James Hillier Foundation in collaboration with Brantford's Sanderson Centre was delighted to bring this iconic world - renowned scientist to Brantford for a very memorable evening. The Foundation provided 350 complementary tickets to local high school students and their teachers. The event was also open to the public and sold out in less than one week.





### **Board of Directors**

- We are pleased to announce the addition of a new member to the Board of Directors. Sal Leo was elected to the Board of Directors in January. Sal Leo has spent his career in the financial services/investment industry and currently invests and manages his own personal portfolios. He lives in Paris, Ontario.
- After many years of dedicated service to the Foundation, long time secretary, Marg Simpson has stepped down from her position. The board recognized her outstanding contributions at their April 2019 Annual Meeting.



Marg Simpson (centre) with other members of the Board of Directors

Best Regards,

Cameron Johnston Chair – James Hillier Foundation

"Success favours a prepared mind" - James Hillier