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THREE STEM CHARTER STUDENTS ACCEPT FULL POSSE SCHOLARSHIPS

UPPER MARLBORO, MD (February 8, 2021) – Our Chesapeake Lighthouse Foundation is delighted to announce three (3) STEAMazing PGcps students at Chesapeake Math & IT Academy South have formally accepted full POSSE scholarships! The POSSE scholarship recipients are Matthew Miller (Bucknell University), Iman Osman (Lafayette College), and Moses Vincent (Sewanee).

Prestigious Posse Scholars from across the nation will enter colleges and universities in multicultural groups of 10 known as “posses.” Throughout their college career, they will support each other and receive ongoing assistance from The Posse Foundation. Posse Scholars have a 90 percent college graduation rate and demonstrated potential to positively impact their professions. Each scholarship is worth approximately \$140,000. More than 50 PGcps students have received Posse scholarships since 2013.

“Our scholars are doing great things and it is a testament to CLF'S mission: In partnership with students, parents, and the community, CMIT will attain educational excellence,” said CLF Board Member CathyAnn Andrews.

This year, 3 of the 14 recipients from PGcps are from CMIT South. This is a tremendous accomplishment considering the size of the school and CMIT South being the only school to have multiple recipients.

Our Chesapeake Lighthouse Foundation is also excited to announce two STEAMazing AACPS students at sister school, Chesapeake Science Point, have formally been accepted to Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and John Hopkins University (JHU)!

Together, Chesapeake Math & IT Academy South, CMIT Academy North, and Chesapeake Science Point are top rated S.T.E.A.M charter schools providing these students and many alumni with the tools and skills to maximize their potentials and succeed at some of the most prestigious universities of our students' choice.

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About Chesapeake Lighthouse Foundation: As a 501(c)3, Chesapeake Lighthouse Foundation's world-class educational systems, together with your diverse philanthropy, supports YOUR successful STEM/STEAM programs across MD. We maximize our potential by working in harmony with community leaders and our region's leading businesses.

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