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UPE Scholarship Awards to Student Members of the ACM – UPE is pleased to announce the names of four students who will each receive a \$1,000 scholarship check from the ACM. UPE makes an annual donation to the ACM to fund these four awards. More than 50 applications were received from colleges and universities in the U.S. and other countries with active student chapters of the ACM. Applicants must be active student members of the ACM and were required to submit academic transcripts, two faculty recommendations, and a summary of their CS-related activities. The names of these students are shown below.

Ertem Esiner	KOC University, Turkey
Dalene Hart	Austin Peay State University, TN
Hannah Miller	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire
Jared Wheeler	University of North Florida

UPE also presents **scholarship awards to student members of the IEEE-CS**. IEEE-CS members should refer to the the IEEE-CS website for more details on UPE-funded scholarships that are administered by the IEEE-CS. Email inquiries can also be sent to Mr. John Daniel at the IEEE headquarters (jw.daniel@computer.org).

2013 UPE Annual Convention – The 2013 Annual Convention of UPE will be held on Thursday, February 28, 2013. UPE will conduct this convention via the Polycom Video Conferencing System, courtesy of the Graduate School of Computer & Information Science at Nova Southeastern University in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. The Polycom system will allow members of the UPE Executive Council and chapter representatives to meet naturally over distance, share ideas, make presentations, present chapter reports, and interact across various environments.

More details on the use of the Polycom system and the 2013 UPE Convention will be sent to chapters in early January 2013 including information on meeting times (two sessions are planned in order to maximize chapter participation), web access procedures, registration requirements, and financial incentives for those who make an effort to participate as chapter representatives to the 2013 UPE Annual Convention.

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