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Zachary Dreyer Receives Northwest Iowa Community College's Student Leadership Award

Northwest Iowa Community College's Outstanding Student Leadership Award was presented to Zachary Dreyer, Engineering Design graduate, Marcus, IA, by Nicole Steele, Coordinator - Residence Life & Student Activities, at NCC's commencement ceremony held on Friday, May 13.

The Outstanding Student Leadership Award is in its 11th year of existence, and was created to award individuals who have gone above and beyond to be a leader. This leadership can be exhibited in the classroom, in on-campus activities, and outside of the classroom.

Earlier this semester, nominations for this award were submitted by faculty, staff and other students from NCC. Nominations had to include a narrative of specific activities or events that show this person's leadership abilities. After all nominations were submitted, a team of faculty and staff read the narratives and voted on the most deserving candidate.

On top of a full credit load, Dreyer helped with many community service projects including: fundraising for the local SkillsUSA Chapter, volunteered at the NCC Engineering Expo, completed a community service project at the MidAmerican Conference in Columbus, NE, helped with NCC's Canned Food Drive, and volunteered at the Soup Kitchen in Sioux Center, IA.

Dreyer also has many accomplishments: 2nd Place – State SkillsUSA CNC Milling Competition, April 2015; President for the Iowa State SkillsUSA Chapter, 2015/2016; Attendee of the State Officer Leverage Conference in Louisville, KY, 2015; Attendee of the Boone Leadership Conference, 2015; SkillsUSA Statesmanship Award recipient, 2015; MidAmerican Conference Chapter Officer, Vice President, 2015.

Dreyer also was an active member of NCC's Student Government Association (SGA).