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2015 Keystone Grant Awarded by the Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology

Tallahassee, Florida: Today, The Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology (The Foundation) is proud to announce the four winners of the 2015 Keystone Grant:

Bates Technical College – Tacoma, WA

Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne – Fort Wayne, IN

Kirkwood Community College – Cedar Rapids, IA

Los Angeles City College – Los Angeles, CA

The Foundation created the Keystone Grant Program in 2011 to support accredited educational institutions with a dental laboratory technology program or those accredited educational institutions who wish to add a dental laboratory technology program. Since 2011, the Keystone Grant program has provided over \$100,000 – about \$20,000 of that being released from this year's grant – of support to schools to better support their dental laboratory technology program.

In considering contributions, the Foundation evaluates each application on its own merits. It considers the programs in which the organization is engaged, the constituencies it serves, the services it offers, its accountability and its fundraising practices, and the level of local community support it attracts.

This annual, competitive, grant selection process awards winners based on submitted materials that include planned usage of funds, current program outline, current funds being received and efforts being made on behalf of the program.

Grant recipients may re-apply in future years as long as a report detailing use/impact of the grant monies is provided with the application. Those interested in applying for next year's grants can apply online at www.dentallabfoundation.org/resources/keystone-grant. We encourage all qualifying organizations to take the time to utilize this opportunity to advance the current dental laboratory technician program at your school.

The Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology (FDLT) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. The purpose of the Foundation is to advance the profession of dental laboratory technology by addressing industry driven needs and providing solutions that are relevant and accessible to dental technicians and other members of the dental team. For additional information about the Foundation and its program, visit www.dentallabfoundation.org.

The Foundation relies heavily on donations from individuals as well as companies to fund the scholarship and grant programs. Donations are accepted throughout the year. To support the Foundation, please [click here](#).

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