Alumni Association of the University of Michigan
LEAD Scholars Program
35 LEAD SCHOLARS

- 31 In-State
- 4 Out-of-State

ETHNICITY
- 27 Black
- 7 Hispanic
- 1 Native American

SCHOOL/COLLEGE
- 26 LSA
- 1 Art
- 8 Engineering

AVERAGE ACADEMIC SCORES
- GPA: 3.94
- ACT: 28.2

13 MALE
22 FEMALE
African American Studies (Pre-Med)

Anatomical Sculpture & Illustration, Human Anatomy & Physiology

Biopsychology, Cognition and Neuroscience

Chemical Engineering

JONATHAN ROBERTS  
Grosse Pointe Park, MI

HABEN DEBESSAI  
Haslett, MI

JEREMY KAPALA  
Hemlock, MI

LISA PADILLA  
Bloomfield Hills, MI

GRACE KIBUULE  
Wixom, MI

ANDREA REVELS  
Canton, MI
Industrial & Operations Engineering

MONICA GRIFFIN
Rochester Hills, MI

International Studies (French)

KYLEE STAIR
Yardley, PA

Mechanical Engineering

DUANE GARDNER
Ypsilanti, MI

International Studies (Pre-Med)

NOZOMI GONZALEZ
Portage, MI

Mechanical Engineering

EDUARDO CERAME
Rochester Hills, MI

Microbiology

PAIGE MORENO
Lincoln Park, MI
Spanish

ERIN RUSS
Milan, MI

Undeclared
(Literature, Science and the Arts)

ISAAC KUSIIMA
Okemos, MI

Spanish

NOT PICTURED

Psychology
JENNIFER PESCE Oak Park, MI

Screen Arts & Culture
JE’VON BLACKWELL Jackson, MI

Theatre Design & Production
YEMISI ODETOYINBO Detroit, MI

Undeclared
(Literature, Science and the Arts)

KARINA LOPEZ Flint, MI
MORGAN MAZIQUE White Lake, MI
Biochemistry

MACKENZIE ELLSBERRY
Southfield, MI

Biology

SYLVIA ESCOLERO
Rockville, MD

Business

VICTOR ARRIBAS
Clarkston, MI

Cellular Molecular Biology

ELENA PERKINS
Ypsilanti, MI

Classical Language & Literature

PATRICK PJESKY
St. Joseph, MI

Computer Engineering

CHIKA UCHENDU
Southfield, MI
Computer Science

GABRIEL AGUILERA
Holland, MI

Economics

NATHANIEL HALL
Lansing, MI

Interarts Performance

JAMES DANIELSON
Lowell, MI

CHRIS FORD
Detroit, MI

NOT PICTURED

Actuarial Mathematics
ARTURO VIDALES-WOODS
Oak Park, MI

Biomedical Engineering
MARGARET DECKER Ann Arbor, MI

Biopsychology, Cognition and Neuroscience
TAYLOR SMITH-CANNON Detroit, MI

Business Administration
DAVID RUB North Miami Beach, FL

Computer Science Informatics
JORY PURVIS North Pompei, MI

Electrical Engineering
GEORGE GODDARD Ann Arbor, MI

German, Cellular & Molecular Biology
TERRENCE TIGNEY Ida, MI

Industrial Engineering
BRUNO BENDIX Miami, FL
Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

BRIANA LUNG
Orion, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

DALIA OWDA
Grand Blanc, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

AISHA STOKES
Bloomfield Twp, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

NOT PICTURED

Undeclared (Engineering)
FILMORE WALKER IV
Battle Creek, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

JORDAN MIZELL
Ecorse, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

NIA SCOTT
Ypsilanti, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

PARISH MORROW
Commerce Twp, MI

RICHARD PLOWDEN
Detroit, MI

PATRICIA RUBIO
San Juan, PR
Industrial Operations Engineering

JULIEN BRATHWAITE
Westbury, NY

Mechanical Engineering

OPEYEMI AKINBOLA
Ypsilanti, MI

Mechanical Engineering

ALEXANDRE GARRIGO
Waterford, MI

Mathematics, Computer Science

JARED DAY
Hendersonville, TN

Mechanical Engineering

CARLOS BARAJAS
Miami, FL

Mechanical Engineering

NOT PICTURED

Industrial Design
AMY KAMDEM
Okemos, MI

Nursing
DESTINEE MOORE
Mentone, IN

Research Psychology
KAYLA BENNETT
Yale, MI
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Undeclared (Engineering)

EZRA WOODARD
Bloomfield Hills, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)

AMANI YOUNG
Grand Blanc, MI

NOT PICTURED

Undeclared (Engineering)
FELIPE AGURTO Freemont, MI
SARA BECK Marquette, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts/Residential College)
ANDREA CRONK Petoskey, MI

Undeclared (Literature, Science and the Arts)
DAVID FRALEY Detroit, MI
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