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PRESS RELEASE

PCTI Senior Selected for Prestigious Gates Millennium Scholarship

Wayne, NJ – FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE –Devin Bristow of Passaic County Technical Institute (PCTI) is one of 1,000 elite students to be selected as a Gates Millennium Scholar (GMS) for the Class of 2016. This selective scholarship is presented to those who exhibit strong leadership, community service, and academic achievements. More than 53,000 students applied, making the final class of Gates Scholars one of the most competitive candidate groups in the program’s history!

As a Gates Millennium Scholar, Devin will receive GMS funds to attend any U.S. located, accredited college or university. He has been accepted to and will attend Pepperdine University in Malibu, California where he will pursue degrees in Computer Science/Mathematics with a minor in Psychology.

The scholarship is renewable based on program guidelines. Devin may be eligible for fellowship funding through the master’s and doctoral levels. As of now, he intends to pursue a Master’s degree in Mathematics and PhD’s in Philosophy and Theology.

In addition to this outstanding honor, Devin was recently selected as one of PCTI’s May Students of the Month – a distinction awarded to seniors who exhibit quality leadership characteristics, extreme academic savvy, and community involvement.

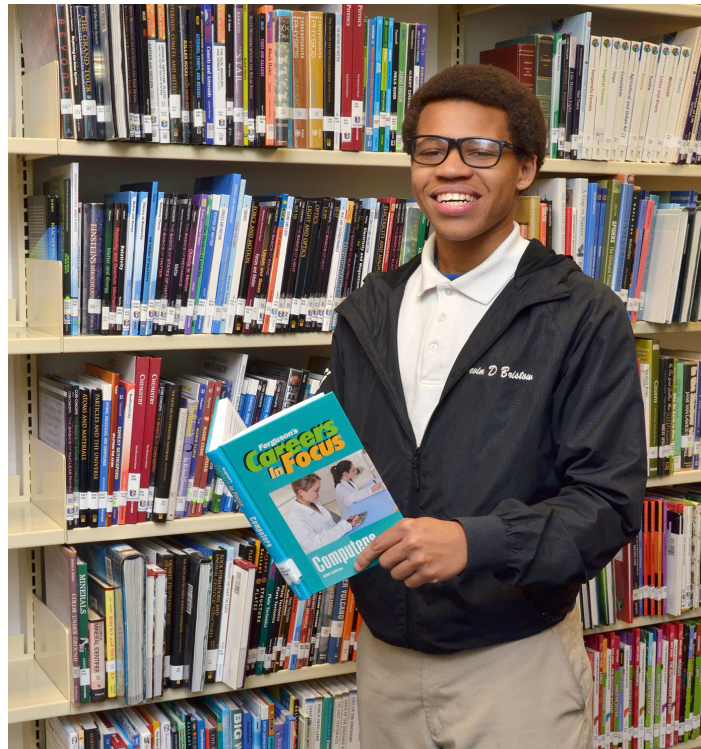


Photo Caption: Congratulations to PCTI senior Devin Bristow (Paterson), who was selected as one of 1,000 students to receive the Gates Millennium Scholarship – a competitive program that received more than 53,000 applications – which will potentially cover the cost of his entire postsecondary education.