



## **NBCE Announces the Winners of the 2019 Student Scholarship**

**Greeley, CO.** – The National Board of Chiropractic Examiners has announced the four winners of their Annual Student Scholarship Competition. Each winner received \$2,500 for their outstanding scholarly papers for a total of \$10,000 offered in academic scholarships.

### 2019 NBCE Scholarship Winners

**Elizabeth Boomhower** - *New York Chiropractic College*

"What Role Chiropractors Could Have in Smoking Cessation"

**Sarah Elizabeth Uptmor** - *Southern California University of Health Sciences*

"Raising the Bar with Research Informed Clinical Practice"

**Sarah Saxton** - *New York Chiropractic College*

"Physical Touch and Mental Health: How Chiropractic Can Aid in the Reduction of Anxiety and Depression"

**Huxlande Petigny** - *Logan University*

"What is Medicare?"

To be considered eligible, applicants must be enrolled in a US, Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE) accredited chiropractic program. College registrars must confirm the student's enrollment and that they are in good academic standing in their program. Each essay must be original and between 1,200 and 3,000 words, not including references. Topics must be relevant to the chiropractic practice.

The scholarship program is administered by an independent third party, Brighthall, Inc., with President Dr. Claire Johnson leading the review and selection process. Scholarship winners can choose to submit their essays for a peer review process, and if accepted, will be published in *The Journal of Chiropractic Humanities*.

Headquartered in Greeley, CO. the NBCE is the international testing organization for the chiropractic profession, with the mission of ensuring professional competency through excellence in testing. Established in 1963, the NBCE develops, administers, and scores standardized examinations for candidates seeking chiropractic licensure in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and in several international countries.

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