

Barnes and Noble awards two Presidential Scholarships to AU students

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Two Alfred University freshmen are recipients of Barnes and Noble Presidential Scholarships of \$5,000 each for the current academic year. They are: Annie Chih, who is an undeclared major in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, and who is considering a career as a veterinarian. She is the daughter of Shiu-Mei Chen of Corona, NY, and is a graduate of Townsend Harris High School, Queens College. Zoe Chin, also a freshman in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences who intends to major in biology. She is a graduate of Belmont, MA, High School and a daughter of Jennifer Chin and Carlton Chin, both of Belmont, MA. In order to qualify for the Barnes and Noble Presidential Scholarships, students must have a high school average of 90 percent or better and be in the top 10 percent of their high school graduating class. They retain their AU Presidential Scholarships by maintaining a 3.0 or higher grade-point average. Names of each year's recipients of the Barnes and Noble Scholarships are added to a plaque near the entrance to the Alfred University Bookstore in the Powell Campus Center. Barnes and Noble operates the Alfred University Bookstore, and over the past five years has awarded \$50,000 in scholarships to assist AU students.