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The JEF Committee is proud to announce that the 2010 Johnstone Education Foundation Scholarship has been awarded to Alex Ketay. Alex is the son of Greg Ketay at Pearl Companies, a long time AIPAGIA member.

Alex worked at the Pearl Companies as a file management technician at age fifteen and after high school, he rejoined Pearl while in college, as a customer service representative. After college graduation, he once again returned to Pearl Companies as a sales representative. Alex has been accepted at the University Of Illinois College Of Law and is considering insurance defense work for law firms in Chicago when he completes his legal education. He is also considering a career in politics as a lobbyist for the insurance industry.

He credits not only the inspiration of his father, but the influence of working for the Pearl Insurance to become the person he is today.



Dear Joe Strunk & the AIPAGIA Members,

It is truly an honor to be selected as the recipient of the AIPAGIA Johnstone Educational Foundation Scholarship. It is recognition I am proud to carry with me for my entire life, and I assure you it will be a part of my resume after completing my JD at the University Of Illinois College Of Law.

I have been involved with the insurance industry throughout college and before law school. Working at the Pearl Companies as a Professional Liability Sales Specialist has sparked my interest in the insurance industry. Program managers, such as Pearl, offer a unique prospective into specialty insurance programs. I have learned about policy language, claims handling, and the underwriting process in great detail. I am confident that my AIPAGIA recognition and work experience at Pearl will serve me well in my legal career, and I will continue to involve myself in insurance related matters.

I would like to thank the scholarship committee, the AIPAGIA members, and all of the companies and individuals who have supported the Johnstone Foundation for making this scholarship and recognition possible.

*Best Regards,
Alex Ketay*