



Education Awards REPORT 2010

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Alex was born in the Ukraine and at the age of 7, his family sold everything and with only \$100 to their name, they immigrated to Israel. Alex watched his parents work many jobs just to get by; life was difficult for them. When Alex was 18 they left Israel for Winnipeg. He realized this new world might provide him with the opportunity to follow his dreams. Within months of arriving and wanting to do something meaningful for his new community, Alex approached Jewish Child and Family Services to become a big brother. He also had the dream of becoming a dentist. As a young boy he learned that because his father and grandfather were Jews, they were not permitted to be dentists in the Soviet Union. Alex wanted to help people and decided to honour his father and grandfather and pursue their collective dream. Alex was easily accepted to the Faculty of Dentistry at the University of Manitoba and with the assistance of the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba his dream was realized.

Alex received over \$11,000 in scholarships and because of the generosity of our Jewish community he is determined to give something back, in part as thanks for what he had received and in part for the impact his generosity might have on someone else. Alex has been practicing dentistry for one year and has already established a fund at the Jewish Foundation. This fund will assist students whose educational pursuits are in dentistry or the sciences.

Alex believes in balance and is also a volunteer dancer with the Sarah Sommer Chai Folk Ensemble. He has been performing with the group for 7 years and considers this a meaningful way for him to give back to the community. It has been a great outlet and has also given him an important cultural connection to Israel. When talking with Alex you get the sense that he is grounded, that he recognizes his good fortune and that he is most grateful. Alex is one of the new philanthropists and leading by example. We congratulate him on his achievements.



Alexander Serebnitski

Mark & Dorothy Danzker Scholarship



Lawrence Cohen, trustee of the Mark and Dorothy Danzker Perpetual Trust Fund with Eryn Rubenfeld

The Jewish Foundation of Manitoba is pleased to name Eryn Rubenfeld as the 2010 recipient of its prestigious Mark and Dorothy Danzker Scholarship.

The \$10,000 award is presented annually to a student in the Jewish Community entering a post graduate program who has demonstrated academic excellence combined with volunteerism.

The award honours philanthropist and former Winnipeg city councilor Mark Danzker and his wife Dorothy.

Eryn is currently in second year medicine at the University of Manitoba and is considering pursuing a career in obstetrics. *"While I know that I have a long road ahead of me, I know that I will not be walking it on my own."*

Eryn graduated from Gray Academy with the Governor General's medal and has always performed at a very high level of excellence. She credits much of her success to the Jewish Community of Winnipeg. *"I have been fortunate to grow up surrounded by loving friends and family in an amazing community, I hope to be able to provide the same experience for my own children."*

Eryn is thrilled to have been chosen as this year's Mark and Dorothy Danzker Scholarship recipient. *"The Danzkers were incredible people and it is an honour for me to receive this scholarship in their name; I am so grateful for this incredible gift."*



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Milana Abramovich
Human Nutritional Sciences



Josef Bader
University One



Michael Berkovich
Aircraft Maintenance Engineer



Adam Bookatz
Physics



Mariya Bronfman
University One



Natalia Burachynsky
Biomedical Communications



Emma Cloney
University One



Sergio Cohen
Pharmacy



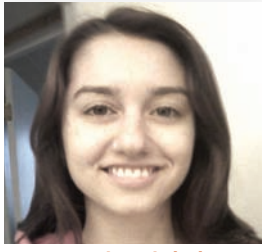
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Medicine



Sergei Didenko
University One



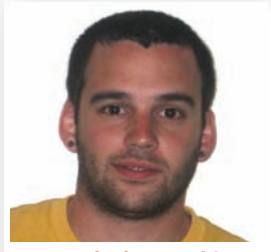
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Biochemistry



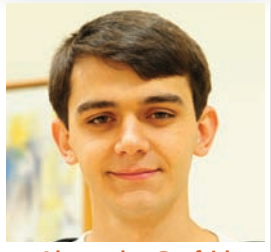
Jessica Finkel
University One



Josepha Garland
Psychology



Joel Glogowski
Civil Engineering



Alexander Gotfrid
Pharmacy



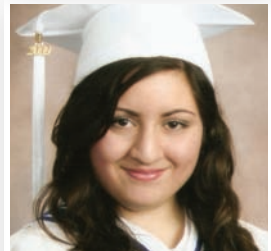
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History



Tina Greenfield
Archaeology



Vivian Gustadt
Social Work



Avira Ilkanaev
Science



Michal Itzhak
Commerce



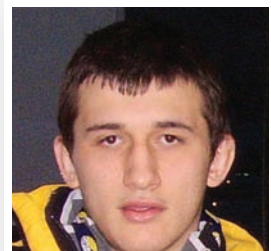
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Education



Julia Kapostinsky
Nursing



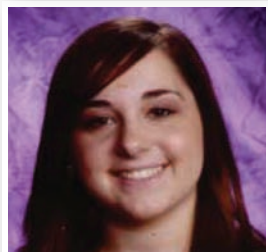
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Education



Maxim Kharitonov
Actuarial Mathematics



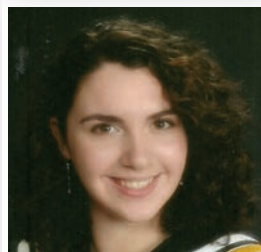
Ksenya Kharnam
Arts - Kinesiology



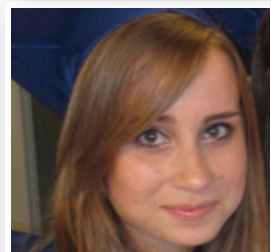
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Education



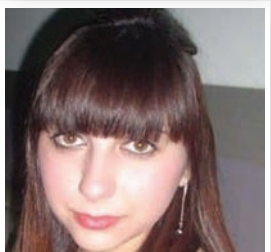
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Science



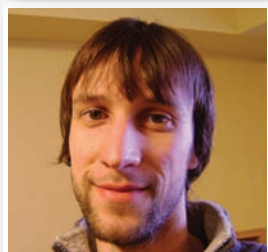
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Criminal Justice



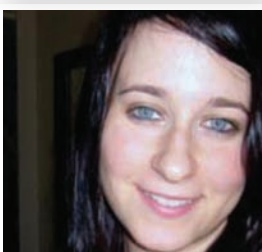
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University One



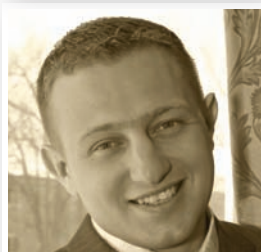
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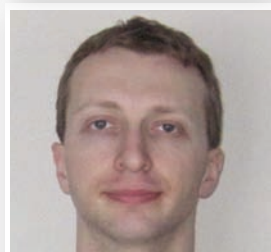
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Engineering



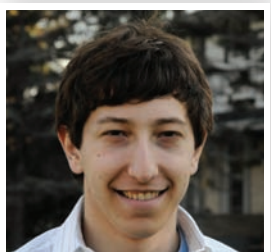
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Social Work



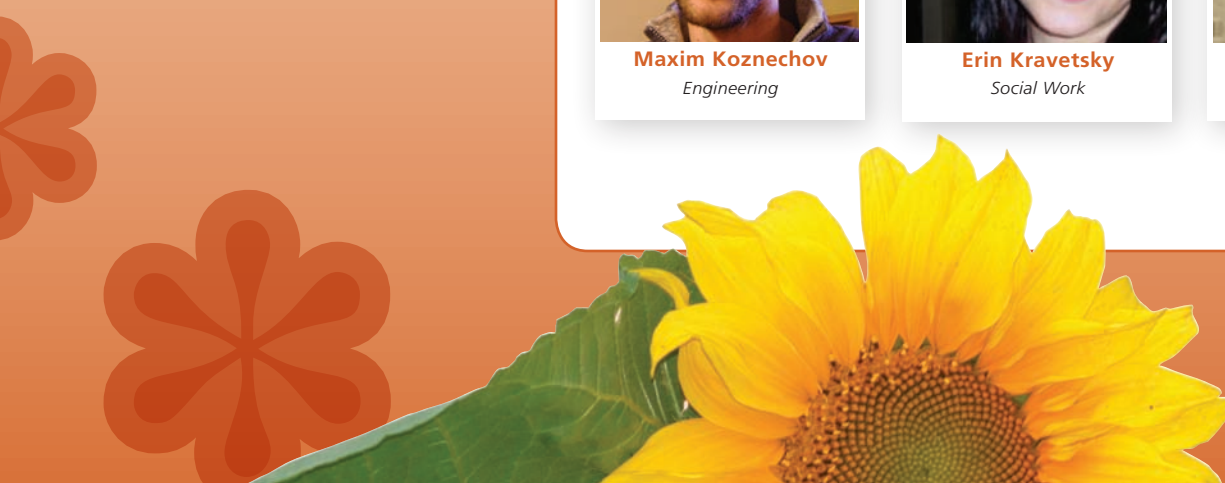
Maxim Kravtsov
Physiotherapy



Vladimir Levin
Science



Mark Lipson
Medicine



of Manitoba Award Recipients



Michael Litvak
Program for Internationally
Educated Teachers



Einat Menashe
Environmental Design



Daniel Moscovitch
Political Science



Egor Nesterenko
Commerce



Jordan Newman
Musicology



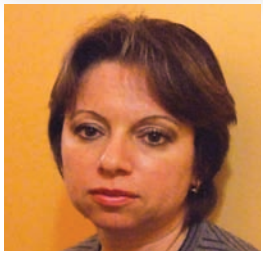
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Human Nutritional Science



Alexandra Puzhevich
Science



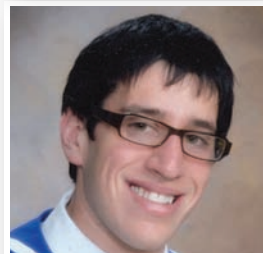
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University One



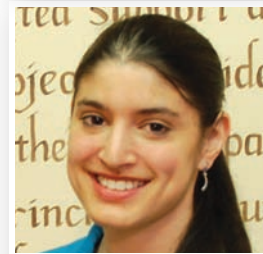
Marina Risman
Teacher Certification



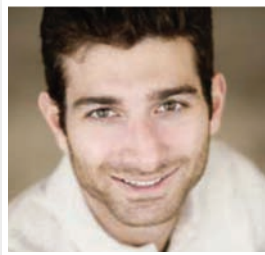
Karina Rondberg
Business Administration



David Rubinfeld
Massage Therapy



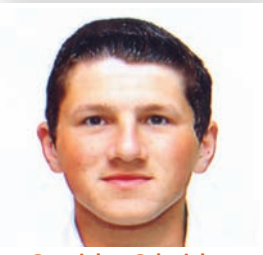
Eryn Rubinfeld
Medicine



Matthew Rykiss
Dentistry



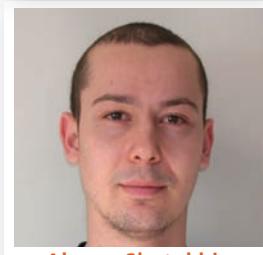
Sofia Schoichet
Education



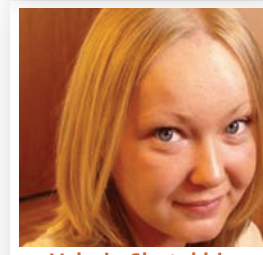
Stanislav Schoichet
Business Administration



Ryan Segal
Arts



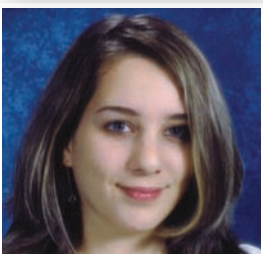
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Biochemistry



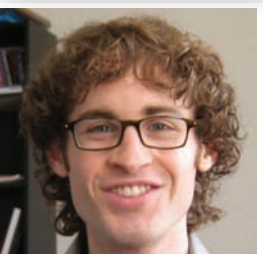
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Microbiology



Yelena Shmelov
Microbiology



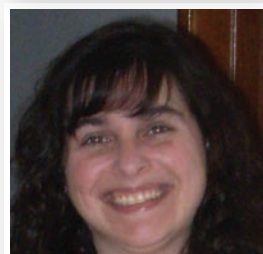
Michal Shvartsman
University One



Jordan Slosower
Medicine



Yakov Slutsky
Business



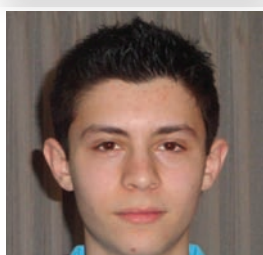
Nora Sobel
Education



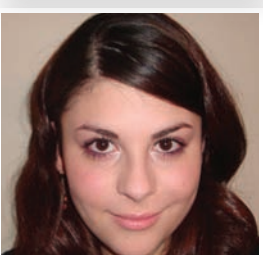
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Education/Kinesiology



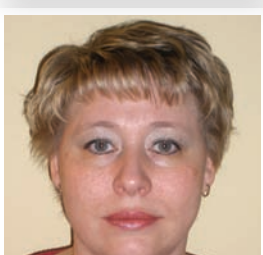
Jayda Sosnowicz
Psychiatric Nursing



Marcos Sturym
Biological Sciences



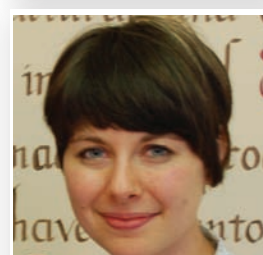
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Classics



Olga Tchaousov
Civil Technology



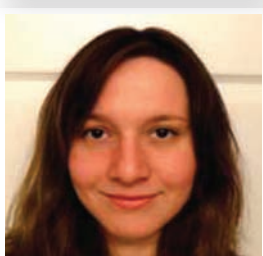
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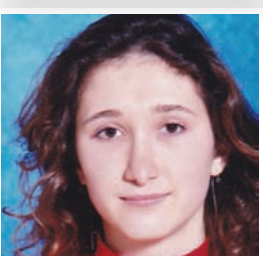
Rachel Tennenhouse
Media Design



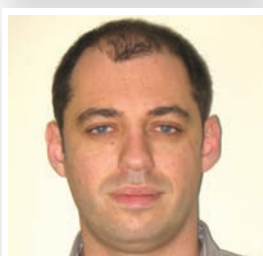
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Science



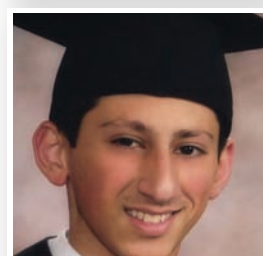
Ekaterina Tuzov
Statistics



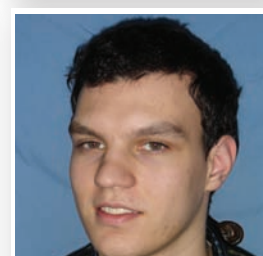
Yana Tyomkin
Science



Vitali Unke
Computer Science



Edward Yakobov
University One



Pavel Yarmak
Biochemistry

In 2010, the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba
was pleased to distribute over \$124,500
to education award recipients!



GROSBERG FAMILY JUDAIC STUDIES/HEBREW TEACHERS' AWARD



Andrew Kaplan
The 2010 "Grosberg Family" award recipient

For Judaic Studies/Hebrew Teachers

Applicants must teach Judaic Studies/Hebrew in Winnipeg. The award (up to \$5,000) is towards study in a post-graduate program or recognized and approved program in Judaic Studies/Hebrew that leads to enhancing the Judaic Studies/Hebrew curriculum of the school or the teaching practice of the teacher.

MONA GRAY CREATIVE ARTS SCHOLARSHIP



Gerry Gray, z"l with Rachel Tennenhouse
The 2010 "Mona Gray" award recipient

For Artists Pursuing Graduate Studies

Applicants must be a Bachelors Degree graduate of a Manitoba university and be pursuing graduate studies in one of the following areas: creative writing, film, fine art, music, theatre, dance, or photography. This is a \$5,000 award based on artistic merit, financial need, community involvement and academic achievement.

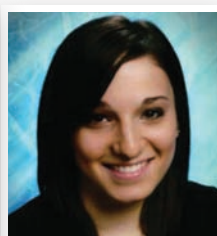
RUTH & JOE FREED AND STEPHEN FREED AND FAMILY ACADEMIC AWARDS



Milana Abramovich



Sean Fainman



Skylar Kneller

The 2010 "Freed Academic Award" recipients

For University/College Students

Awarded to Jewish students who are **currently enrolled** and who have excelled academically in university or college studies.

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION AWARD

For High School Graduates

Applicants must be Jewish, Manitoba residents and graduating from Grade 12 at any high school in the Province of Manitoba. They must be applying for, or accepted into, a post secondary institution in Manitoba and **must demonstrate financial need.** (Please note, only a limited amount of High School Education Awards are distributed each year.)

MARK & DOROTHY DANZKER SCHOLARSHIP

For University/College Students

Applicants must be Jewish, entering or enrolled in a post graduate degree program and have demonstrated academic excellence combined with volunteerism. Preference is given to applicants studying at a Manitoba educational institution.

SHARON HOME FAMILY EDUCATION AWARD

For children/dependants of Sharon Home Employees

Friends of the Sharon Home established this award to help children/dependants of long-service employees of the Sharon Home pursue post-secondary education. The award is based on financial need, academic achievement and community involvement.

New Deadlines for Applications

The new deadline for the following special awards is **February 28** of any given year:

- Mark & Dorothy Danzker Scholarship
- Mona Gray Creative Arts Scholarship
- Ruth & Joe Freed and Stephen Freed and Family Academic Awards
- Grosberg Family Judaic Studies/Hebrew Teachers' Award
- Sharon Home Family Education Award

The deadline for all other education awards remains **March 31** of any given year.

For complete guidelines and to apply online, go to:

<http://www.jewishfoundation.org/scholarshipguides.html>

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