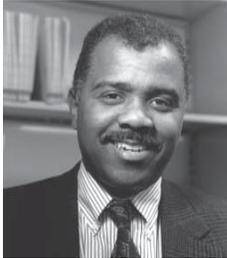


Message From the Executive Director



It is sometimes difficult to believe that within the next month our first class of Ron Brown Scholars will be graduating from college. It seems like only months ago when our first Selection Weekend was held. What a pleasure to have the opportunity to work with such a motivated group of bright and caring young leaders who have distinguished themselves by the breadth of their accomplishments. In spite of the fact that many of our Scholars have faced great obstacles in their own lives, they continue to lead and achieve at the highest level, and to give back to their communities.

From the earliest planning stages, Mr. and Mrs. Pilaro have wanted to do more than award undergraduate scholarships to promising African-American students. While our primary goal in establishing the Program was to honor exceptional young people who, like the late Secretary of Commerce, would inspire others, we sought to create a network of scholars who would collectively have the potential to make a difference. We also hoped that the relationships formed among the Ron Brown Scholars would be life-long.

Our ability to proceed now in building the next phase of the Ron Brown Scholar Program is a tribute to the vision and commitment of the CAP Charitable Foundation. After consulting current Scholars and friends of the Program, the Pilaro family has pledged to create the two initiatives described in this issue: the Ron Brown Scholar Alumni Association, and the Council on African-American Affairs. I hope you share our enthusiasm for these new directions. Thank you for your continued support.

Michael A. Mallory

RON BROWN SCHOLAR ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCED

As the first group of Ron Brown Scholars prepared to graduate from college, the CAP Charitable Foundation announced the formation of the Ron Brown Scholar Alumni Association. The Foundation's goal has been to encourage intelligent, motivated, and energetic students to strive, regardless of their backgrounds or areas of interest, to reach their potential, to learn from and support each other, and to assume their places as confident leaders in their communities.

The Alumni Association will serve as a vehicle for the graduates to achieve their goals while continuing to participate in the life of the Ron Brown Scholar Program. The shape that the Association takes and the role that it plays will largely depend on the Scholars themselves. A vital resource for the Association, the Council on African-American Affairs is concurrently being established under the auspices of the CAP Charitable Foundation.

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CAP FOUNDATION PLANS COUNCIL ON AFRICAN-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

The CAP Charitable Foundation has announced the establishment of the Council on African-American Affairs which will address critical policy issues being faced within the African-American community. The Council will be a core activity of Ron Brown Scholar Alumni. In addition to Scholars and Alumni, the Council will bring together university professors, seasoned policy makers, and experts to discuss issues of vital importance to African Americans.

"I see the Ron Brown Scholars and Alumni as the core intellectual resource for the Council. Active involvement by the Alumni in this forum is expected to achieve one of the original objectives of the Ron Brown Scholar Program," says Anthony Pilaro, founder of the Program. "It has always been our objective to retain the individual Scholars as a connected group for the rest of their lives. This powerful body of intellect that grows every year can make a lasting contribution to our nation."

In addition to Mr. Pilaro, who will chair the Board of Directors, two Ron Brown Scholar

Program Alumni will serve on the Board on a revolving basis. Scholars and Alumni will also be invited to serve internships. The Council will have its own executive director.

It is Mr. Pilaro's hope that all of the Scholars and Alumni will take an active role in framing and debating various policy issues. "An important goal of the Council," he says, "will be to create for Alumni a perpetual post-graduate course on thoughtful involvement in critical issues where they and the Scholars can make a difference." ■

Jamaal Young ('99) is serving as executive coordinator of the National & Community Service Coalition (NCSC), an advocacy group of over 80 organizations, such as the American Red Cross and the Points of Light Foundation, committed to making community service the common experience of all Americans.

Scholars Participate in Extra-Curricular Activities

Jamaal is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the NCSC, organizes policy forums, lobbies key administration and congressional staff members, and represents the organization at conferences, among other duties.

Kara Hamilton ('99) spent an exciting spring break working at Harvard's Model OAS Conference in Nicaragua. After returning to campus, she helped to plan a fast and benefit dinner for African AIDS orphans. **Amanda Alexander** ('00), a member of the Student Global AIDS campaign, traveled to Washington, D.C. to lobby senators for increased funding to support the fight against AIDS in Africa.

As a former Youth Achievement honoree, **Tracy Wynter** ('98) returned to her hometown of Willingboro, New Jersey to address this year's award recipients. She also recruited and organized students for Campus Volunteer Day at Princeton.

Marques Redd ('00) was elected vice-president of the Black Students Association at Harvard, and **Katori Hall** ('99) has been awarded a Mellon Fellowship at Columbia. **Jason Young** ('00)

and **Matthew Espy** ('99) attended the Goldman Sachs Diversity Forum in investment banking in New York this spring.

Leah Hodge ('99) served as co-chair of the 2001 Howard E. Mitchell Conference, the annual business forum of the Black Wharton Undergraduate Association. Still singing and arranging music for her a capella group, she has joined a gospel choir, and recently created her first web site for her AKA chapter.

Members of the 1997 Class are being recognized for their dedication to their studies. **Yolanda Covington** received an Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship in Humanistic Studies and a Rackham Merit Fellowship

to pursue graduate study in Anthropology at the University of Michigan. **Myia Alston** was awarded an African American Fellowship at Syracuse University, and **Angela Ledbetter** received the Peter Paytash Top Senior Award at Xavier University of Louisiana. **Carmelle Norice** is a College of Letters and Science Honors Student at UCLA.

Taking a break from traditional academic pursuits, a few 1997 Scholars have been exploring other interests. **Diarra Lamar** took a year-long course in photography and has offered to attend every gathering of Ron Brown Scholars just to do group portraits! **Meg Donovan** is learning about wine at Radius, one of the top two restaurants in Boston.

Congratulations to **Tiombe Jones** ('98) and Femi Osisanya, who are the proud parents of a baby boy, Abayomi (which means "born to bring me joy")! Tiombe says she is learning something about parenting every day and loves being a mother. She received a grant through the Summer Undergraduate Research Program at Pomona and will be researching and interviewing women of color about their lives, then using the material collected to write short stories. ■

Ron Brown Scholar Alumni Association Announced

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Based on suggestions from the Scholars, membership in the Alumni Association will include the following:

- Participation in a network of relationships with other Ron Brown Scholars
- Mentorship of younger Scholars
- Participation in Selection Weekend
- Invitations to participate in, and lead, the Aspen retreat and regional meetings
- Alumni website and message board that will enable alumni to keep in touch with each other by e-mail after graduation

- Life-time e-mail address as a Ron Brown Scholar
- Educational and career counseling by Ron Brown Scholar Program staff
- Collaborative community service projects
- Involvement in the Council on African-American Affairs

It is hoped that these activities will provide opportunities for alumni to support each other and to embrace the philosophy and mission of the Ron Brown Scholar Program: to foster leadership and commitment to meaningful community service. ■

Fifth Class of Ron Brown Scholars Chosen

Twenty-one high school seniors were awarded Ron Brown Scholarships by the CAP Charitable Foundation at the fifth annual Selection Weekend in Washington, D.C. March 23-25. The recipients were chosen from an applicant pool of over 8,000, the largest in the Ron Brown Scholar Program's history. (See page 8 for a list of recipients and Program statistics).

Like the Scholars before them, the newest members of the Program rank in the top tier of their high school classes and include valedictorians, National Merit and National Achievement recipients, AP Scholars, athletes, musicians, and published poets. They have

the New York Police Department's Auxiliary Police Force. Student body presidents or class presidents at their respective high schools include Bronx native Sheila Adams, who is also captain of the track and field team at Choate Rosemary Hall; Khalia Mounsey, first in her class at Kenwood High School in Essex, Maryland; editor-in-chief of Marin Academy's student newspaper Brandon Nicholson of Oakland, California; and Debate Team President Karla Hardy of John Tyler High School in Tyler, Texas.

The Class of 2001's leadership extends to the arts. In addition to being student body president of Brentwood School in Los Angeles,

mentoring program that pairs high school students with elementary children in need of positive role models while Veronica Threadgill volunteers in an afterschool program. DeLeon Wright is the head of Students Advocating for Young Children, a service group affiliated with Prep for Prep, and Koryse Woodroffe founded the Learning to Love Literature Program to encourage young children to read. Maris Jones created College Solutions, a web site for high school students.

At the Selection Weekend dinner at the Four Seasons Hotel, the finalists were joined by members of the Selection Committee, friends of the Program, and several Ron Brown

Scholars who had come to Washington to meet them and to reflect on their experiences in the Program: Aaliyah Williams, Tomeka Suber, Donielle Newell, Kyla Dotson, Marques Redd, Marco Ellis, and Jason Young. Aaliyah and Tomeka skillfully and sensitively led the "ice-breakers" after dinner, challenging the finalists to voice their opinions on some of the most critical issues facing African Americans: cultural heritage and mainstream society; affirmative action; self-segregation on college campuses.



pursued a wide range of intellectual interests and extracurricular activities.

Dylan Solomon participated in MIT's highly competitive Minority Introduction to Engineering, Entrepreneurship, and Science Program. Michael Thompson is a Presidential Classroom Scholar from the Bronx, New York while Misha Mutizwa edits *Driftwood*, his Rocky River High School's literary magazine. Morgan Harper was awarded a *Summa Cum Laude* Gold Medal for her performance on the National Latin Exam, and Eleanor Branch studied for a year in Japan on a Tsuzuki International Scholarship. Caddo Parish Magnet High School student Robert Brutus from Shreveport, Louisiana earned a trip to Germany as a result of his high scores on the National German Exam.

In keeping with the Program's emphasis on leadership, all of the new Scholars are formidable leaders. Saundra Quinlan, hoping to play a positive role in her community, joined

Caleb Franklin serves as concertmaster of the school orchestra and first violinist in the Pasadena Philharmonic Youth Orchestra. Christopher Khan is chairman of the Board of Gonzaga College High School's Dramatic Association and technical director of the Gonzaga Theatre in Washington, D.C.

Despite their academic and extra-curricular commitments, the students donate their time and talent to improving their communities and unselfishly helping others. William Chichester is a youth minister and ESL tutor; Nneka Madu, a peer educator in an AIDS prevention program. Victor Davis, also a youth counselor in an AIDS prevention program, was named the head volunteer in the Department of Infectious Diseases at Washington D.C. Children's Hospital.

Several members of the Class of 2001 are especially dedicated to helping younger students. Brennan Johnson founded a

The high school seniors rose to the occasion, speaking articulately and passionately, revealing an ability and willingness to think deeply about these issues.

The next day each of the finalists was interviewed by two separate Selection Committee panels at the law offices of Patton Boggs LLP, an experience that perhaps was not quite as intimidating as they expected after the "ice-breakers." Later, at the Park Hyatt Hotel where they were staying, the finalists learned that they had all been awarded Ron Brown Scholarships. Adding to their excitement about the monetary benefits of the scholarship was their awareness, fostered in the Committee interviews and in interactions with older Scholars, of what it means to be a Ron Brown Scholar. The Class of 2001 was welcomed into the community of Scholars, or as Donielle Newell had suggested at the dinner, the Ron Brown "family." ■

Congratulations to the 19

Myia Alston



Major: Electronic Media
School: George Washington University, School of Media and Public Affairs
Plans: Will pursue M.A. degree in Radio, Television, and Film at Syracuse University; hopes to produce children's television programming and eventually build her own production company.

Yolanda Covington



Major: Afro-American Studies, with Honors
School: Brown University
Plans: Will pursue a Ph.D. in Anthropology (Ethnology/Cultural Anthropology) at the University of Michigan with the goal of becoming a professor of Anthropology and Africana Studies.

Major: Economics, Concentration in Management

School: University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School of Business

Plans: Will continue his studies at the University of Pennsylvania.

Michael Billings



Major: German

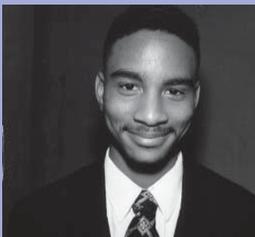
School: Princeton University

Plans: Will work for a year before applying to law school; hopes to specialize in international corporate law, politics, or government.

Kelly Cross



Jordan Brewer



Major: Computer Science
School: Massachusetts Institute of Technology, School of Engineering
Plans: Will continue his studies at MIT and work for Hewlett Packard in San Diego, CA; plans to pursue M.A. or MBA degree.

Megan Donovan



Major: Economics

School: Harvard University

Plans: Will continue her studies at Harvard; is interested in client relations and in the restaurant business.

John Burton



Major: History and Literature

School: Harvard University

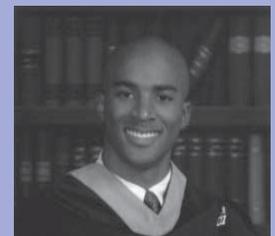
Plans: Will take a year off before graduate school.

Major: Biochemistry

School: University of Virginia, College of Arts and Sciences

Plans: Will attend Harvard Medical School and pursue a five-year MD/MBA program.

Marco Ellis



Terence Carter

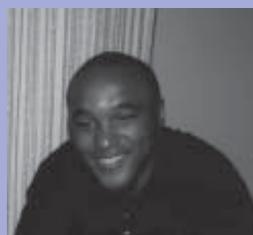


Major: Afro-American Studies with Honors

School: Harvard University

Plans: Will pursue a career in film/television production; hopes to eventually be in a position to green-light films as a producer.

Travis Gayles



Major: Public Policy; African/African American Studies; Certificate in Health Policy

School: Duke University

Plans: Will work for Johnson and Johnson in one of its pharmaceutical branches and pursue an MD/MPH the following year.

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Bianca Kannatey-Asibu



Major: Architecture/Urban Studies
School: Stanford University
Plans: Will continue at Stanford University; is interested in film.

Kelli Stewart



Major: Economics and Education
School: Emory University
Plans: Will attend New York University School of Law.

Major: Cognitive Neuroscience with Honors

School: Harvard University

Plans: Will attend Harvard Medical School; may also pursue a graduate degree in business or public health.

Diarra Lamar



Major: Computer Science and Electrical Engineering

School: Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Plans: To work in financial markets, then attend graduate school.

Francis Anthony St. Louis



Angela Ledbetter



Major: Chemistry
School: Xavier University of Louisiana
Plans: Will return to her home state of Michigan to attend Wayne State Medical School.

Sparlha Swaby



Major: Anthropology
School: Stanford University

Plans: Will study Permaculture/organic farming in intentional communities, then enroll in M.A. program in Environmental Leadership.

Major: Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology

School: UCLA

Plans: Will continue her studies at UCLA, then intern in a molecular biology lab; plans to apply to Medical Scientist Training Programs (NIH-sponsored joint MD/PhD programs).

Carmelle Norice



Major: Economics
School: University of Pennsylvania
Plans: Will continue his studies at the University of Pennsylvania; is interested in public policy and management.

Jean Paulson Tuffet



Michelle Robinson



Major: English and American Language and Literature, with Honors
School: Harvard University
Plans: Will work for the Campaign to Save the Environment in Portland, Oregon.

Luther Williams



Major: Government
School: Harvard University
Plans: Will work at Goldman Sachs & Co., Investment Banking Division, in communications, media, and entertainment.

*How did
being a
Ron Brown
Scholar
affect your
college
experience?*

*What advice
do you have
for
younger
Scholars?*

“Being a Ron Brown Scholar has given me an unexpected boost of confidence. I almost didn’t apply to the program because I never thought I could win. It took me over a year to realize that, like the other nineteen recipients, I had *earned* the award. We are each special in our own way. I now have a better understanding of my own self-worth and my ability to succeed. Being in the company of the best and the brightest has helped me get to this point.” **Myia Alston**

“The Program has been a source of support and motivation: seeing the Scholars accomplish so much excites me and reaffirms that I can also accomplish much.” **Angela Ledbetter**

“Being a Scholar is about carrying the ideals of Ron Brown into whatever profession one enters. It’s about contributing to just causes.” **Luther Williams**

“I am so blessed and lucky to have been a Ron Brown Scholar. Not only because I am walking out of Brown University debt free, but also because I am leaving on time and happy, thanks to the support from the program.” **Yolanda Covington**

“Knowing that Mr. and Mrs. Pilaro, Mr. Mallory, Linda Monahan, and friends of the Program believe in me, have faith in me, and hope in my future has been a source of motivation for me to achieve in college. That other Scholars are with me, working hard to attain their goals as well has inspired me to be persistent. Being named a Ron Brown Scholar has given me a sense of pride and confidence in my ability to grow and develop academically. The support I have received has been absolutely essential.” **Carmelle Norice**

“As a Ron Brown Scholar, I know that I will always have an accomplished, motivating, and creative support network for the rest of my life. Being able to have an extra, *valued* opinion at critical junctures has proved emotionally, academically, and professionally stabilizing. I can only imagine how being a Ron Brown Scholar will affect the rest of my life.” **Diarra Lamar**

“Pursue things you enjoy, both in education, and in your free time. Don’t worry so much about failure.” **Jordan Brewer**

“The key is diversity. Get involved in different types of activities. See what’s out there.” **Luther Williams**

“When I started college, if I’d been asked what I wanted to be when I grew up, I would have said: 1. Taller 2. President of the United States 3. Re-inventor of dynamite. Now my goals are: 1. Better dancer 2. Compassionate 3. Nobel laureate.” **John Burton**

“Use your college years to their full potential. Travel, study abroad, take advantage of internships, and cherish the friends that you make.” **Myia Alston**

“Seek out other Ron Brown Scholars. Each of us can provide insight and knowledge on a variety of issues.” **Michael Billings**

“My mom told me many years ago to ‘take it in stride, man!’ What else do you need to know?” **Diarra Lamar**

“Nurture the bonds formed during Selection Weekend and at your respective colleges. In order for the ‘family’ to prosper, we must unite in our scholarly pursuits to build bridges for others to follow.” **Marco Ellis**

“Enjoy yourself. Work hard . . . write a thesis. Play hard, too. Try things now so you won’t feel any regrets later. And remember to keep the program in mind. If you do that, you’ll find yourself giving back to the community and looking out for your peers—both admirable qualities.” **Terence Carter**

“The point worth pressing is that the Ron Brown Scholar Program is like making a buffet of success—there is no better meal you could have. But you’ll find that out yourselves.” **Michelle Robinson**

Ron Brown Scholars Marques Redd ('00) and Matthew Espy ('99) contributed to this column.

Christopher Pilaro Joins Selection Committee

Christopher Pilaro, freelance photographer and chair of the CAP Charitable Foundation, is the newest member of the Ron Brown Scholar Program Selection Committee. He joined the Committee in time to fully participate in this year's selection process, an experience he describes as "not only enjoyable and educational, but also emotional."

The product of traditional and alternative schools, Chris graduated from Prescott College in Arizona with degrees in Outdoor Education and Photography. He also studied at Bowdoin College and at the New York City School for Visual Arts and the International Center of Photography. Having made the decision to keep these two vocations separate, he has succeeded in becoming both an accomplished photographer and a skilled outdoor educator.

"Holding a camera changes the way I see things," Chris says, an awareness that convinced him that photography could serve not only as an opportunity for personal growth and self-expression, but also as a powerful tool for influencing how other people view the world. This was demonstrated in dramatic fashion in his work on the PBS documentary, "Children in America's Schools, with Bill Moyers." Chris was an associate producer and still photographer for the program, which documented the educational disparities that Jonathan Kozol describes in his book, *Savage Inequalities*. The under-funded inner city schools and rural Appalachian schools that Chris photographed contrasted starkly with those in affluent suburbs. He is justifiably

proud of his contribution to the documentary, which the Ohio Supreme Court acknowledged in a 1998 ruling that eliminated school funding



based on local property values in favor of a system that pools resources to assure greater equality in education.

The PBS program took two years to produce—"the equivalent of a graduate degree in film-making," says Chris. He is currently

working on another documentary, an HBO project entitled "Blue Vinyl: A Toxic Comedy," which addresses the environmental hazards involved in the production of vinyl. While he appreciates the opportunity to learn from others, he would like someday to do a film of his own.

Photography remains Chris' primary focus, however, and he recently exhibited his works in a one-man show in Berkeley, California. "The simplicity of still photography is what I strive for in my own life," he says. His is a philosophy that values making the most of every moment, embracing change ("it keeps me hopeful"), and refusing to view past decisions as mistakes, regardless of how they turn out. "There's always something you can learn from them—I believe it's the ability to think critically that keeps life interesting—but then you have to move on," he observes.

While Chris subscribes to the axiom "work hard, then play," he manages to combine work and play to a certain extent in his role as an outdoor educator. His love affair with the outdoors began when he learned to ski as a young child and was struck by the beauty of the mountains. This affinity for the outdoors guided his choice of careers. After he graduated from Prescott College, Chris worked for Outward Bound, taking at-risk youth into the wilderness to face physical and personal obstacles that would challenge them to grow in positive ways. He continues to spend part of every year in wilderness expeditions.

To his passions for photography and the outdoors, Chris has added the enthusiasm he brings to his new role as Chair of the CAP Charitable Foundation. He promises to be as supportive of the Ron Brown Scholar Program as parents Anthony and Linda Pilaro have been since its founding in 1996. "I hope that the Program continues to attract bright, thoughtful, and inspirational African American high school seniors for many years to come," he said after the recent Selection Weekend. "I believe this opportunity helps them to grow as individuals, to choose a life filled with passion and joy, and to belong to a community of scholars for the rest of their lives." ■

Scholars Awarded Summer Stipends

The CAP Charitable Foundation has awarded stipends to twelve Ron Brown Scholars who have committed to working at non-profit organizations this summer. A few small grants had been awarded during the summer of 2000 on a trial basis; this year the program is being implemented on a larger scale. The purpose of the awards is to make it possible for Scholars to intern in public service agencies or nonprofit organizations which generally offer little or no compensation. The stipends will help defray the costs of housing, meals, and transportation for the following students: *Amanda Alexander*, Human Rights Watch; *Shirley Delaleu*, Caribbean Orphanage Outreach; *Melanie Forbes*, National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities; *Nakiya Jones*, United States District Court; *Fatime Kaba*, Camp Sussex; *Dorothy Smith*, Work, Achievement, Values, and Education; *Kelli Stewart*, Humane Society; *Maria Velazquez*, National Endowment for the Arts; *Damian Williams*, Ronald H. Brown Foundation Center for Politics and Diplomacy; *Gerald Williams*, Sudan Campaign; *Sara Whetstone*, Office of Women's Health; *Jamaal Young*, National and Community Service Coalition. ■

2001 Ron Brown Scholars

Sheila R. Adams
 Eleanor W. Branch
 Robert L. Brutus
 William S. Chichester
 Victor A. Davis
 Caleb I. Franklin
 Karla J. Hardy
 Morgan G. Harper
 Brennan D. Johnson
 Maris S. Jones
 Christopher C. Khan
 Nneka C. Madu
 Khalia V. Mounsey
 Misha M. Mutizwa
 Brandon L. Nicholson
 Saundra S. Quinlan
 Dylan L. Solomon
 Michael Thompson
 Veronica H. Threadgill
 Koryse Woodrooffe
 DeLeon J. Wright

Hometown

Bronx, New York
 Sacramento, California
 Shreveport, Louisiana
 Warrenton, Virginia
 Washington, D.C.
 Los Angeles, California
 Tyler, Texas
 Columbus, Ohio
 Des Moines, Iowa
 El Cerrito, California
 Silver Spring, Maryland
 Dumfries, Virginia
 Baltimore, Maryland
 Rocky River, Ohio
 Oakland, California
 Laurelton, New York
 San Diego, California
 Bronx, New York
 Brooklyn, New York
 Brooklyn, New York
 Long Island City, New York

University

Harvard
 Stanford
 Princeton
 University of Virginia
 Dartmouth
 Harvard
 Iowa State
 Tufts
 Columbia
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 Northwestern
 Yale
 Duke
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 Princeton
 MIT
 Stanford
 Harvard
 Roger Williams
 Vanderbilt
 Amherst

**2001 RON BROWN SCHOLAR PROGRAM
 Statistical Information**

Total Applications: 8817

Breakdown by State and Country

Alabama	201	Mississippi	107	Washington	60
Alaska	7	Missouri	120	West Virginia	15
Arizona	42	Montana	0	Wisconsin	66
Arkansas	94	Nebraska	25	Wyoming	1
California	572	Nevada	29		
Colorado	83	New Hampshire	3	District of Columbia	93
Connecticut	121	New Jersey	406		
Delaware	65	New Mexico	18	Benin	1
Florida	632	New York	720	China	1
Georgia	513	North Carolina	417	Cote d'Ivoire	3
Hawaii	5	North Dakota	1	Egypt	1
Idaho	0	Ohio	335	France	1
Illinois	406	Oklahoma	68	Germany	14
Indiana	80	Oregon	22	Guam	1
Iowa	10	Pennsylvania	182	Haiti	1
Kansas	77	Rhode Island	17	Italy	2
Kentucky	81	South Carolina	271	Japan	2
Louisiana	212	South Dakota	1	Kenya	1
Maine	1	Tennessee	181	Korea	2
Maryland	675	Texas	776	Panama	1
Massachusetts	129	Utah	1	Switzerland	2
Michigan	284	Vermont	3	Togo	3
Minnesota	53	Virginia	472	U.S. Virgin Islands	27
				Zimbabwe	1

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