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Canaan Fair Trade is pleased to announce the third generation of Canaan Scholarship recipients. The Canaan Scholarship Award Committee has released the award recipients of the Annual Canaan Scholarship Award. Canaan Fair Trade is a mission-based Palestinian fair trade company located in Jenin , Palestine that buys and exports agricultural goods from a pool of Palestinian farmers organized within the Palestine Fair Trade Association (PFTA) [www.palestinefairtrade.org](http://www.palestinefairtrade.org) in Jenin. In order to fulfill its commitment to empowering rural communities in Palestine, Canaan Fair Trade has developed the Canaan Scholarship Award <http://canaanfairtrade.com/scholarships> .

Ten students from the 2010 class of Palestinian high school graduates have received this award. Recipients are students whose parents are members of the Palestine Fair Trade Association (PFTA). The Committee considered a number of factors in selecting this year's recipients, including academic performance and potential for leadership. Priority for these scholarships is given to students whose parents never attended the university in order to increase educational access of marginalized Palestinian youth.

The Canaan Scholarship Award covers the full cost of tuition through graduation within four years. Award recipient will be required to spend the summer holidays as interns serving in PFTA development programs where they will gain first-hand experience in social and economic development.

The Canaan Scholarship Committee is confident in this year's recipients promising academic performance and commitment to serve their communities. The list of award recipients along with name of institution they will attend and their intended course of study as follows:

<i>Student Name</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>University</i>	<i>Major</i>
1- Hanin Mahmoud Al Kerem	Jalqamous	An-Najah	Arts
2-Tamara Kamal Habayba	Sanour	An-Najah	Media
3- Mahdi Nabil Hassan Sheikh Ibrahim	Kofor Ra'ie	An-Najah	Medicine
4- Enas Mahmoud Saleh	Mazare' Annobani	Berzeit	Social Science
5- Sara Samir Zaid	Alsela Al Harthy	An-Najah	Geography
6- Osaïd Mohammad Ismail Abu Ghanem	Berqin	AAUJ	Accounting
7- Arin Amer Shahdeh	Taloza	An-Najah	Physical Education
8- Ohood Adly Al Qadi	Mazare' Annobani	Al Quds O.U.	Administrative and Financial Sciences
9- Saja Taleb Omoor	Anza	An-Najah	English Literature
10- Haneen Sami Al Ayaseh	Sanour	AAUJ	Computer System Engineering