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“25 Under 35” Award Recognizes & Celebrates
Saint Joseph Academy’s Young Alumnae

Cleveland, OH – Social justice warriors, advocates for the under-privileged or over-looked, educators of the next generation and path-forgers in research; these are the women nominated for the 2018 “25 Under 35” alumnae award from Saint Joseph Academy for their impact on their communities.

The “25 Under 35” distinction was established in 2015 as part of Saint Joseph Academy’s yearlong 125th birthday celebration. The young alumnae who are presented with this honor have been recognized as going above and beyond in personal and professional endeavors since graduation. Their compassionate leadership, service in a global society, overall achievements and spirituality have regarded them as women who continue to live the mission of Saint Joseph Academy and charism of the Sisters of the Congregation of St. Joseph, the Academy’s founding sponsors and spiritual leaders. These distinguished women are making a positive impact in the world through their roles as entrepreneurs, educators, doctors, lawyers and a variety of other professions.

The awards ceremony takes place on Saturday, June 16, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. It will be held at Saint Joseph Academy, located in Cleveland’s West Park Neighborhood.

A complete list of this year’s “25 Under 35” honorees and their Saint Joseph Academy year of graduation can be found below.

- Nancy Abdelshahid Baker ’09 of Clearwater, FL | Marketing Manager, The Torchbearer Group
- Erin Barrett ’06 of Cleveland, OH | Health and Physical Education Department Chairperson, Trinity High School
- Katherine Bej, OD ’09 of Eatontown, NJ | Optometrist, Red Bank Eye
- Rachel Bonoan ’06 of Cleveland, OH | Registered Nurse, Cleveland Clinic
- Tori Brenneison ’04 of Berea, OH | Software Developer, Hyland Software
- Brooke Danforth ’09 of Cleveland, OH | Intervention Specialist and Departmental Co-Chairperson, Cleveland Central Catholic High School
- Carmen Dvorak ’03 of Chicago, IL | Attorney, Cook County State Attorney’s Office
- Darcy Egan ’09 of Lakewood, OH | Board Member, Never 2 Young Colon Cancer Alliance
- Claire Foley ’09 of Missoula, MT | Graduate School Candidate, Master of Public Administration, University of Montana
Krystle George-Kearns ’05 of North Ridgeville, OH | Principal, Cleveland Metropolitan School District
Therese Greco ’09 of Cleveland, OH | Pharmacist, Discount Drug Mart
Alex Borusk Hasenohr ’07 of Portland, OR | Sports Dietitian/Athlete Ambassador, Evolution Health Care
Kristen Herrmann Fink ’09 of Los Angeles, CA | Graphic Designer, Giraffe Design
Laura Jacobs ’09 of Boston, MA | Associate, Goodwin Procter LLP
Mary E. Klecka ’02 of Bay Village, OH | Hospital Internal Medicine Physician and Core Teaching Faculty, University Hospitals St. John Medical Center
Erica Krasienko ’09 of Cincinnati, OH | Account Manager, Hobsons
Angel Lett ’02 of South Lyon, MI | Assistant Principal, Plymouth Canton Community Schools
Ariane Lovey ’09 of Newark, NJ | Biomedical Sciences/Infection, Inflammation Ph.D. Candidate and Graduate Fellow, Rutgers New Jersey Medical School
Maggie McGuire ’09 of Lakewood, OH | Research Assistant, The Begun Center for Violence Prevention Research and Education at Case Western Reserve University
Abby Millar ’09 of Lakewood, OH | Corporate and Foundation Relations, Cleveland Clinic, Philanthropy Institute
Clare Ogonek ’09 of Lakewood, OH | Occupational Therapist, Cleveland Clinic – Fairview Cleveland Clinic and Harrison Center for Children
Natalie Rodriguez ’06 of Lorain, OH | Special Education Teacher, Keystone Local Schools
Julie Seman ’09 of Baltimore, MD | International Student Coordinator, Maryland Institute College of Art
Emily Rose Smith ’09 of Cleveland, OH | Senior Systems Engineer, The Ohio State University
Maureen Wolf ’09 of Rocky River, OH | Third Grade Teacher, Avon Heritage Elementary School

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Now in its 128th year, Saint Joseph Academy is the only all-girls Catholic high school in the City of Cleveland. With a current enrollment of more than 725 young women, Saint Joseph Academy is rooted in the spirituality of the Congregation of St. Joseph and works to foster unifying relationships with God and all creation. Each young woman is empowered to achieve academic excellence, and inspired to a life of compassionate leadership and service in a global society. Saint Joseph Academy is located at 3470 Rocky River Drive in Cleveland. For more information, visit [www.sja1890.org](http://www.sja1890.org) or call 216.251.6788.