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Labrensz Awarded Ron & Ann Anstrom Scholarship for English, Math or Science Instructors

BISMARCK, N.D. – Jonathan Labrensz, of Moorhead, Minn., has been awarded the Ron & Ann Anstrom Scholarship for English, Math or Science Instructors from the North Dakota United Foundation for the 2015-16 year. Labrensz will receive a cash award of \$2,000 for his master's degree in Math Education. The Ron & Ann Anstrom Scholarship Program is intended to assist individual English, math or science instructors to improve their qualifications by attending summer school or engaging in graduate level courses during the regular academic year, online courses or extension courses that are part of a graduate program.

Labrensz is in his second year of teaching at Davies High School in Fargo, N.D., and is completing his master's degree in Mathematics Education. He currently teaches Algebra 2, Math in Action, and has taught Pre-Calculus, Geometry and AP Calculus. He has a wife named Erin, a three-year-old daughter, Whitney, and a baby on the way.

North Dakota United is the state's largest professional association of public educators and employers. Membership includes over 11,000 K-12 school teachers and support staff, higher education faculty and staff, city, county and state employees, retirees and students pursuing a degree in education. The purpose of the NDU Foundation is to promote educational excellence and quality public service in North Dakota. The Foundation's goal is to aid educators, public servants and students in achieving greater educational success. The Foundation accomplishes this by providing grants and scholarships to individual educators, public servants and college students, to use toward continuing education and developing skills.

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