

**PRESS RELEASE: 2015 NATIONAL WORDS MAKE PEOPLE SCHOLARSHIP**

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*The ink of the scholar is more valuable than the blood of the martyr.*—The Prophet Muhammed (Peace be upon him)

**JACKSONVILLE, FL**, — FAMACO Publishers, LLC and the Words Make People (WMP) National Scholarship Committee have worked for years along with WMP Scholarship fiduciary Masjid An Nur Minneapolis, to administrate the WMP Scholarship program. Effective February 1, 2015, the Scholarship's program administrator changes to the national non-profit, Community Wide Shuraa Conference (CWSC) online at [www.cwsc.us](http://www.cwsc.us).

Outgoing chair of the WMP National Scholarship Committee, Mukhtar Muhammad, in a recent statement conveyed the importance of the move to CWSC:

"We've been blessed to work with some outstanding leaders over the years to get the WMP Scholarship established and developed to its present level. But to ensure the Scholarship's long-term ability to meet its objectives, we need a nationally focused service entity like CWSC to take the lead; the Scholarship's objectives include financially helping a deserving college student or college bound high school senior pursue higher education; promoting academic excellence and community service; and sharing an American legacy of leadership. Those objectives can now best be met through a national nonprofit community service organization like CWSC. At CWSC, the Scholarship is a cornerstone of a comprehensive CWSC program that promotes higher education, leadership development and emphasizes research of our communities' issues and concerns by student leaders. We're grateful to CWSC for its vision to administrate the WMP Scholarship and take it to the next level. FAMACO Publishers will continue to be a corporate sponsor and encourage others to join the effort. We're grateful to the private contributors (individuals and organizations) and the support of the Parade of Logos and our [twitter](#) and [causes](#) communities for their past and continued support. FAMACO will be updating all its sites to reflect the new WMP at CWSC."

CWSC Executive Director, Thomas Abdul-Salaam states, "The Scholarship's new CWSC home helps secure the future of the program for the long-term through more diverse funding including cooperative estate planning; increased awareness among students, teachers and administrators via our nonprofit platform, electronic footprint, and broadcasting network. It's especially rewarding to fulfill another milestone of CWSC's vision at the same time President Obama unveils his education initiative to fund two years of community college free. Insha-Allah, the President's proposal will be enacted because education is at the core of our future. We want to show our students that we care too about their future and that we need their voice and intellect at the table of shuraa baynahum for the community's future. Dr. Zakiyyah Muhammad along with our entire Scholarship Committee and CWSC are all very excited about the future and our expanded potential to help more students attend college."

More information on the WMP Scholarship is available now at [www.cwsc.us](http://www.cwsc.us).

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