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### **Vector Security® Announces 2013 Loss Prevention Foundation Scholarship Winners**

*\$18,500 in support to loss prevention professionals in U.S. and Canada*

Pittsburgh, PA, April 22, 2013: Vector Security® recently announced the winners of its Loss Prevention Foundation (LPF) scholarships, which provide financial support to loss prevention professionals in the U.S. and Canada seeking to obtain LPQ and LPC certifications. The company began awarding the scholarships five years ago to support career development and continuing education for professionals in this rapidly-growing industry.

The 2013 winners are:

#### **LPQ Scholarship Recipients**

Aleksandra Alfonso, Staples, Inc.  
Jamie Bailey, Claires, Inc.  
Joshua M. Blakely, Lowes Companies, Inc.  
Eric Bosko, Richland County Sheriff's Office  
Christopher L. Kilgallon, Neiman Marcus  
Jean-Henri Laprime, Sears Holding Corp.  
Phillip Lawless, Rite Aid Corp.  
Pradeep Sengupta, Garda Canada Security Corp.  
Elizabeth Darby Tichenor, Lenscrafters  
Tom Zimmerman, DSW, Inc.

#### **LPC Scholarship Recipients**

Larry Borden, Lowes Companies, Inc.  
Dustin Brown, Spartan Stores, Inc.  
William D'Narvarte, CVS Pharmacy  
Jacob Gillette, Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc.  
Deborah Giordano, Deb Shops  
Kevin Martin, Staples, Inc.  
Eric Rode, LP Innovations, Inc.  
Rui Rodrigues, Staples Canada, Inc.  
Tonya Sjolin, Sur La Table  
Kevin M. Turnbull, AAFES – Army and Air Force Exchange Services

"While the awardees represent a variety of professional backgrounds, they each express the highest level of desire for the opportunity," said Michael Grady, Executive Vice President of

Vector Security. "In addition, they all possess a positive outlook as to how they will use this program to enhance the value they bring to their respective employers. We are pleased to help them advance their career aspirations."

For more than 40 years, Vector Security, Inc. ([www.vectorsecurity.com](http://www.vectorsecurity.com)) has been a premier provider of intelligent security solutions tailored to the needs of the customer. Headquartered in Pittsburgh, the company offers a full suite of electronic security services for residential, business and national account customers across North America and the Caribbean through a network of branches and authorized dealers. Vector Security is a sister company of the Philadelphia Contributionship, a private insurance company founded in 1752, and currently provides cost-effective, technology-based security solutions to more than 260,000 homes and businesses.

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