

2021-2022 Delta Dental of Virginia Foundation Endowed Scholars



Justin Archer

Hometown: Wytheville, Virginia

Undergraduate school/degree:
Radford University, Bachelors
degree in biology

Why are you passionate about dentistry: The thought of becoming a dentist came to me early in life and I have been passionate about it ever since. Dentistry allows me to give back to my community by helping individuals while allowing me to use my hands and challenging my creative abilities.



Jackson Madigan

Hometown: Blacksburg, Virginia

Undergraduate school/degree:

West Virginia University, Biology

Why are you passionate about dentistry: It can change the lives of your patients. Not only can it better their oral health, but mental health as well. My sister was in severe need of braces and was very self conscious about it. Seeing her smile get fixed and how it changed her confidence and happiness shows how special dentistry can be.



Brittney Owen

Hometown: Draper, Virginia

Undergraduate school/degree:

Virginia Tech, B.S. Biochemistry, B.S.

Microbiology

Why are you passionate about dentistry: I am a very results driven person. I have found that dentistry allows me to have a direct impact on my patients in need with my work, which is very gratifying. I love that dental providers are unique in that we have a lot of patient interaction, allowing real patient relationships to be formed.



Brian Scalf

Hometown: Wirtz, Virginia

Undergraduate school/degree:

James Madison University, Bachelor of Science (Biology)

Why are you passionate about dentistry: Dentistry has the ability to make an instant impact in a patient's life. I look forward to the connections I will make with patients and the laughs shared. It is a dynamic field that is challenging and requires pragmatic solutions. I will not only be a provider, but a mentor and serviceman as well.