



**MAGGIE BEHLEN '14**  
**Currently:** Experiential Psychology Graduate Program at Towson, Md.  
**Major:** Psychology  
**Minor:** Art and Leadership

Originally from the Baltimore area, Maggie developed an interest in Marietta College due to the leadership program. She also liked the aspect of getting individual attention and the low faculty-student ratio really attracted her. While at Marietta, Maggie became very inspired in civic engagement and was able to take advantage of three alternative break trips including Nicaragua, the Dominican Republic, and then Nicaragua again! She says that these experiences instilled in her a desire to make a difference in the world. She also believes that her leadership skills and abilities to make cross-cultural connections were enhanced. But her travel experiences weren't just through the Office of Civic Engagement programs, as Maggie also took a biology class that focused on sustainability and included trips to Costa Rica and Belize. She thrived in the group research component and knew after these trips that graduate school would be her first destination after college. In fact, in August 2014, Maggie will begin her Master's program at the University of Towson, Md., in Experiential Psychology and from there hopes to apply to a PhD program. "The faculty connections and research methodology gained from Marietta College will definitely serve me well in my next steps."



**KEITH FOSTER '14**  
**Currently:** Acting in a community production of *Love's Labour Lost*  
**Major:** English and Theatre

Keith had never heard about Marietta College until he met a professor from Marietta at a theatre seminar in Akron. The small campus size really appealed to him, and he liked the flexibility of the curriculum since his interests weren't necessarily focused on one major. He is currently acting in a community production of *Love's Labour Lost* and anticipated moving to Chicago to teach arts management classes and direct contemporary plays. When he reflects on his experiences at Marietta College, he recalls three major highlights. First, in the summer of his junior year, Keith participated in the Summer Investigative Research program, where he received funding to create a full-length solo work that he performed the summer after graduating. Second, his study abroad in the fall of 2013 in Prague introduced him to the connection between the art world and social change. While in Prague he was able to develop a new one-act play for the Pride Theatre Festival. Third, in his senior capstone project, Keith directed a main stage production and delighted in the faculty and student collaboration it involved. "The experience of supervising peers in all aspects of the production of *Time Stands Still* has provided an incredible backdrop to begin my career."



**ASHLEY THOMAS '14**  
**Currently:** Logistics Executive Team Leader for Target Corporation  
**Major:** Sports Management  
**Minor:** Advertising/Public Relations and Leadership

Originally from a large metropolitan area, Ashley craved an environment that would be both supportive and engaging. She found that unique combination at Marietta College. "Marietta College felt like home but offered experiences that would take me out of my comfort zone. Now when I reflect on my four years, I am so thankful for the network — it is all about relationships and my MC network will never die!" Her study abroad experience in Australia and her alternative spring break service trip allowed her to expand her horizons while learning more about how her skills and abilities can impact in this world. In addition, Ashley valued her leadership role in initiating a new campus organization called "Women of Substance." Watching the growth and evolution of something that she helped to start was extremely rewarding. In her current role as a Logistics Executive Team Leader for Target Corporation, Ashley motivates a large work team in a fast-paced environment — all of which has resulted from her Marietta College "upbringing."

## Fast Facts: Academic Year 2013-14

### INTERNSHIPS:

- 105 internships for academic credit
- 50% were paid internships
- Several occurred outside of the U.S.
- More than half took place outside of the Ohio Valley region
- More than 50 students participated in formal presentations related to their internships
- Took students on alumni networking trips to Cleveland and NYC
- Participated in 3 job fairs throughout the region, state

### CIVIC ENGAGEMENT:

- 500 total student volunteers — 39% of student body volunteered
- 115 Student leaders trained to lead volunteer group programs
- Over 5,000 total hours of volunteer service by MC students
- Two community service trips: one to South Dakota (Indian Reservation) and one to Nicaragua

### STUDY ABROAD:

- 21 students studied abroad
- 2 faculty-led trips (Costa Rica via Drs. Brown & McShaffrey — Ghana via Dr. Vulor & Mr. Bosworth)

### RESEARCH/INVESTIGATIVE STUDIES/REUS:

The following are some of the titles of recent research projects in summer Investigative Studies-funded fellowship program:

- *Does berberine have anticancer properties and induce programmed cell death in B16 melanoma cells?*
- *The effect of emotional arousal and misinformation on recall in eye-witness testimony*
- *The effects of antioxidants on ultra-violet light-induced skin cell death*
- *Aaron and Othello: Shakespeare's presentation of ethnic minorities in Titus Andronicus and Othello*
- *Cataloguing and analyzing the James B. Stowe Letter Collection*
- *The history and influence of language policy and planning in Spain*

# Class of 2014:

145 respondents to First Destination Survey

## What describes your plan after graduation?

Reported full time employment . . . . .	53
Reported part time employment . . . . .	17
Reported full time graduate/professional school study . . . . .	36
Reported part time graduate/professional school study . . . . .	3
Reported seeking full time employment . . . . .	57
Reported searching for programs for further study . . . . .	13
Are you satisfied with your plans for after graduation?	
Yes . . . . .	94
No . . . . .	17
Unsure . . . . .	38

## GRADUATE SCHOOL AREAS OF STUDY:

Marketing	Law
Sustainability	Entomology
Sports Management	Accounting
Creative Writing, Poetry	Physical Therapy
Economics	Museum Studies
MBA	Human Resources
Engineering	Dentistry
Environmental Science and Policy	Geology
Special Education	Journalism & Mass Communication
Pediatric Health and School Psychology	Geoscience
Library and Information Science	Political Science
Psychology	Osteopathic Medicine
Early Childhood Education	Applied Mathematics



### NICOLE SCHALY '14

**Currently:** Production Engineer at Anadarko  
**Major:** Petroleum Engineering

Nicole remembers how early she was able to get involved in “big things” at Marietta College. For example, the spring of her freshman year she worked with faculty from the Petroleum Engineering department to initiate a new student organization, a part of the national chapter of the Society of Women Engineers. “The leadership and networking opportunities that stemmed from this early engagement were phenomenal!” Not only was Nicole busy during the academic years, she also participated in full time internships every summer. The first summer she interned with Southwestern Energy and then her next two summers she spent working for Anadarko, where she began her full-time Production Engineering position in August 2014 in Evans, Colorado. “Seek out the amazing opportunities that Marietta has to offer — they all count and add up!”



### SYDNEY MALTESE '14

**Currently:** Jesuit Volunteer Corps member serving in a one-year Position as Asylum and Intake Coordinator in the Pacific Northwest.

**Major:** Organizational Communications and Public Relations  
**Minor:** Leadership

Sydney attended a small, private high school and really wanted a small, private college experience. While at Marietta College, she became very involved in the Office of Civic Engagement and Leadership programs. “The connections made through these opportunities were rewarding and enhanced my ability to see how public service was transformative.” Sydney values the work she did in the Grants Office, which started out as a work-study position and eventually led to an internship. She met community leaders and learned a lot about the art of grant writing, which she knows will be valuable in her career. “The people at MC, the lessons taught both inside and outside of the classroom — these are the things that I will remember the most from my college days.”

## GRADUATE SCHOOLS:

American University  
Arizona State University  
Bowling Green State University  
Bristol University  
Case Western Reserve University  
Columbia University  
Dominican University  
East Carolina University  
Kent State University  
Marietta College  
Ohio State University  
Seton Hall University  
University of Akron  
University of Georgia  
University of Montana  
University of Nebraska  
University of Pittsburgh  
West Virginia University  
Wright State University

## EMPLOYERS:

Air Heater Seal  
American School of Madrid  
Anadarko Petroleum  
Cafrac Well Services  
CIEE  
ConocoPhillips  
Fastenal  
Ernst & Young  
Ohio Gov. John Kasich's Office  
Great Lakes Science Center  
Horry County Schools  
L.J. Smith, Inc.  
LPR Land Services  
Microbac  
Northwest Immigrants' Rights Project  
Ohio University  
Peoples Bank  
Quidel  
Salvation Army/ Boys & Girls Club  
Target Corporation  
Teach for America  
The Sherwin Williams Company  
WTAP

## JOB TITLES:

General Music Teacher  
Drilling Engineer  
Technical Specialist in Training  
Teaching English in Spain  
Associate Engineer  
English Teacher  
Sales Executive  
Staff Accountant  
Constituent Affairs  
Education Specialist  
Assistant Director of Business Affairs  
Project Manager  
Intake Coordinator  
Professional Development Associate  
Research & Development Assistant  
Athletic Director  
Executive Team Leader  
Special Education Teacher  
Field Internal Auditor  
Coordinator of Multicultural Recruitment  
Producer

**COLE TURNER '14**

**Currently:** Medical student at Ohio University's Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine  
**Major:** Biochemistry

The Physician Assistant Graduate Program at Marietta College caught Cole's interest, and once he visited campus, he couldn't forget about Marietta. One of the highlights he relates is the strong academic preparation that he received. Most of his medical school friends were not able to do dissections themselves during their undergraduate cadaver lab experiences like he was at Marietta. "The accessibility of the faculty and the rigorous academics are things that I will never forget!"

**CODY CLEMENS '13**

**Currently:** Communication and Rhetorical Studies Graduate Student and Assistant at Duquesne University  
**Major:** Organizational

Communications & Public Relations

**Minor:** Health Communications

**Certificate:** Leadership

Cody will always remember the networking and leadership development experiences he received at Marietta. His participation in Student Senate, the Career Center student-alumni networking trips and his fraternity made his experiences outside of the classroom as strong as those inside of the classroom. One of his college highlights involves an international research project between faculty and students from Marietta College, Texas A&M and a university in Brazil. The team-based research project culminated in a trip to Brazil to compare the different cultural definitions of leisure. He utilizes his research background in his current role as graduate student and graduate assistant at Duquesne University. As he applies to doctoral programs, he knows that his publications and professional association presentation experience, which began at Marietta as a first-generation college student, gives him an edge in this competitive process. "The attention that Marietta gives you is exceptional. The quality of the advising, guidance and constant feedback really allowed me to grow quickly and deeply."

# Class of 2013:

**281 TOTAL STUDENTS – 198 REPORTED INFORMATION  
 35 REPORTED TO BE ATTENDING GRADUATE SCHOOL (12.5%)**

**GRADUATE SCHOOLS:**

Columbia University  
 Texas State University  
 Northeastern University  
 Still University of Health Sciences  
 University of Nebraska  
 Marietta College  
 Ohio University  
 The Ohio State University  
 Marquette University  
 Penn State University  
 Chatham University  
 Indiana University  
 Point Park University  
 Northwestern University  
 University of Buffalo  
 Ball State University  
 San Francisco State University  
 University of Akron  
 University of Michigan  
 University of Toledo  
 Kent State University  
 Duquesne University

**GRADUATE SCHOOL  
 AREAS OF STUDY:**

Architecture  
 Physical Therapy  
 Athletic Training  
 Biochemistry  
 Physician Assistant  
 Osteopathic Medicine  
 Dentistry  
 Education  
 Higher Education Administration  
 English Literature  
 Geological Sciences  
 Law  
 Entertainment Management  
 Journalism  
 Chemistry  
 Physics  
 Counseling & School Psychology  
 Public Health  
 Higher Education Administration

**JESSA HERRON '13**

**Currently:** International Volunteer Coordinator for H.E.L.P.  
**Major:** Political Science  
**Certificate:** Leadership and TEFL

Jessa was originally recruited to Marietta to play basketball, but it was actually the experiences she had with the Office of Civic Engagement that better defined her undergraduate years. She became interested in humanitarian projects, attributing her first trip to Ghana is what underscored a desire to seek a career in international development and philanthropy. The exposure she received through OCE's programs and her experience with the Leadership program instilled both strong leadership and program management skills. Those skills are useful in her role as an International Volunteer Coordinator for H.E.L.P, where she interned as a Marietta student. Recently, her job sent her back to Africa — this time in Malawi — to continue her efforts for the international, humanitarian organization that provides teachers for elementary and middle schools in Malawi. Jessa's sorority experiences at Marietta have also served her well. In fact, it was through a sorority connection that she was able to obtain the internship with H.E.L.P, which eventually led to her career. "At Marietta College Greek Life is intertwined with service and philanthropy which really sets it apart from other schools."

**CALEB MULLER '13**

**Currently:** Working in the Leadership Development Rotational Program at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center  
**Major:** Information Systems  
**Minor:** Leadership

When Caleb was a student at Marietta College, he was often seen running around campus and the community, not just to stay in shape for the cross country and track teams, but also to keep up with numerous activities on campus and off campus. One of the highlights Caleb will always remember is the McDonough Leadership program, where he coordinated the Great Decision Series and built networks in the community through the non-profit capacity development program. Caleb recalls that Marietta was the place that helped him develop confidence in his abilities. "While at MC, I was thrown into roles that I wasn't familiar with ... the environment was supportive and I really grew into myself." In his current position at UPMC, Caleb believes he is able to utilize the leadership and communication skills, which Marietta helped to instill in him.

**MEGAN MASON '13**

**Currently:** Social Worker for Adult Protective Services for West Virginia  
**Major:** Psychology  
**Minor:** Spanish

Megan chose Marietta College “because it felt like home but offered the challenges to make me a better person.” For two and a half years of her four years at Marietta, she served as a Resident Assistant. Her initial goal was to help students make a successful transition to college, but then she realized just how much she was getting out of it herself in terms of developing her leadership and organizational management skills. Before coming to Marietta, Megan knew she always wanted to travel but felt she never had enough money to make it happen. The idea that her financial aid and scholarships would be applied to the cost of studying abroad while at Marietta made her dream become a reality. Her junior year she studied in Perugia, Italy. She chose a smaller city and program that didn’t require speaking Italian. She thrived in studying the rich Italian history and culture and knows that her cross-cultural experiences and ability to handle the unknown definitely help her succeed in her challenging career today.

**IAN BOLEY '13**

**Currently:** Chinese Philosophy Graduate Student at Fudan University near Shanghai, China  
**Major:** History and Asian Studies  
**Minor:** Philosophy

Ian originally chose to attend Marietta College because it was close to his home in Ohio and his family was already involved in the international student family mentoring project. As a member of the Honor’s program, Ian took great interest in building relationships with faculty throughout the disciplines and also enjoyed his experiences as a tutor in the Writing Center. He attributes his ability to debate diverse topics and strong writing and analytical skills to his experiences at Marietta College. His study abroad semester in China was one of his personal highlights and credits the strong academic preparation he received at Marietta College to helping him successfully transition into his competitive, international graduate program. Ian received a full scholarship, including tuition, room, and board, and enjoys living on campus and tutoring Chinese students in English and assisting them with the American college application process. He is currently in the process of applying for the Foreign Service and looks forward to his continuing his world adventures with this agency.

**EMPLOYERS:**

- Auditor of the State
- RJF International
- Concensus Technologies
- Teach for America
- Ann Taylor
- Chevron
- Planet Fitness
- CVS
- Fifth Third Bank
- Pharmafors
- New Community Bible Fellowship
- WHDH TV
- Paramour Industries
- New Albany City Schools
- Christy & Associates
- North Canton Schools
- Lake Erie Prep School
- Punhahou School
- Banfield Pet Hospital
- Oil & Gas Title Abstracting
- MAI Wealth Advisors
- Southwestern Energy
- Baker Hughes
- Team Detroit
- Marcom Group
- Off & White
- Watson Institute
- University Hospitals
- Select Energy Services
- Marietta Memorial Health System
- Peoples Bank
- Enterprise Rent a Car
- Speedway corporate headquarters
- UPMC
- Fidelity Investments
- Cap Gemini
- Hyland Software
- Lord & Taylor
- University of Findlay
- Marietta Times
- White Space Creative
- PLS Logistics
- National Federation for Independent Businesses
- American Income Life
- Grove City Schools
- Marathon Oil
- Chesapeake Energy
- Halliburton
- Chevron
- BP
- Southwestern Energy
- ConocoPhillips
- Chevron
- Cabot Energy
- Classic Design Stone
- Weatherlane Theatre
- State Farm Insurance
- Americorps
- Camden Clark Medical Center
- IMG
- U.S. Dept. of Treasury, Fiscal Services
- Chicago Hospitality Company
- Marietta YMCA
- Metropolitan Museum of Art Store
- Highmark West Virginia

**JOB TITLES:**

- Overnight supervisor
- Pharmacy technician
- Assistant office manager
- Personal banker
- Chemist
- Account manager
- Lease team member
- Agency coordinator
- Production assistant
- Sales and promotions leader
- Philanthropy analyst
- Brand ambassador
- Financial analyst
- Veterinary assistant
- Admissions counselor
- GIS technician
- Financial representative
- Records assistant
- Rotational engineer
- Graphic designer
- Teacher
- Billing compliance assistant
- Educational services representative
- Project manager
- IT specialist
- Deputy sheriff
- IT development analyst
- Consultant
- Sales associate
- Intervention specialist
- Assistant coach
- Reporter
- Field completions engineer
- Well site manager
- Business owner
- Reservoir engineer
- Claims representative
- Adult protective services social worker
- Bilingual service representative
- HR coordinator
- Sports coordinator
- Pitching coach
- Freight operations manager