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Dear Sarah:

On behalf of the SVC Foundation, Nancy Louwagie (Scholarship Chair) and I would like to offer a hearty **Congratulations!** You have been selected to receive the “**J.A. Woollam Company Scholarship**” from the Society of Vacuum Coaters Foundation in the amount of **\$2,500**.

This award is subject to the terms and conditions of the Scholarship Program of the SVC Foundation. Scholarship funds will be disbursed directly to your school within the next 60 days. You will need to request a letter from the registrar certifying that you are an enrolled student for the 1st semester of 2022. This letter should be sent directly to the SVC Foundation and copied to my e-mail address (jhilfiker@svcfoundation.org).

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Confirmation / Photographs: Please confirm (no later than January 15, 2022) via email indicating that you accept this scholarship and that you will still be an enrolled student in 2022. We have several requests:

A) We would like to receive two recent digital photos for marketing and award announcements. The first should be a profile photo of yourself. For the second photo we find it useful to show you in a school or laboratory setting (e.g., using vacuum or characterization equipment). We plan to use the photos as part of our promotion of the Foundation’s scholarship program. Check our [website](#) for examples from past winners.

B) Send a thank you note addressed to **J.A. Woollam Company Scholarship** (the donor of your scholarship) which expresses what this scholarship means to you. The note can be sent to my attention (jhilfiker@svcfoundation.org) and I will make sure it is forwarded to the Fund donors.

We are copying Professor Boltasseva as her letter of recommendation was very supportive. The Foundation recognizes the close link between student researchers and their mentors.

We congratulate you on your achievement and hope that we may meet in the future. If you need any further assistance, you can contact me at jhilfiker@svcfoundation.org.

Sincerely,

James N. Hilfiker
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