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Three Cisco College Students Named to 2018 All Texas Academic Team

Cisco, Texas (April 6, 2018) – Cisco College is pleased to announce that three students, Jennifer Dirickson, Vicki Bill and Michael Hoehner, have been named to the 2018 All Texas Academic Team.

Each year, approximately 100 outstanding community college students are selected from the 50 community college districts in Texas to be honored as members of the All Texas Academic Team. Members of the team represent the best and brightest students who excel in academics, leadership, and service.

Competing colleges nominate up to two students per campus, with nominations reviewed by the international honor society for two-year colleges: Phi Theta Kappa. According to the Phi Theta Kappa web site, the honor society, two-year college presidents, and community college state associations co-sponsor All-State Academic Team recognition programs in 32 states. All-State recognition programs are most often held in a state's capital with legislators, education leaders, and corporate leaders attending. Nominations are based on outstanding academic performance and service to the college and community, according to the honor society web site.

The University of Texas System with The Texas Association of Community Colleges recently honored these students during a medallion ceremony at the at University of Texas at

San Antonio campus on Friday, March 30, 2018. At the ceremony, the winners received a certificate and medallion.

All three students will be recognized again for this outstanding achievement during the upcoming Phi Theta Kappa Induction Ceremony, scheduled to take place at on Thursday, April 26, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Foyer of the Abilene Campus.

For additional information about the upcoming ceremony or the award recipients contact Tom Bell or Sheron Caton, advisors to the Alpha Gamma Gamma Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at ptk@cisco.edu.

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Pictured From Left: Jennifer Dirickson and Vicki Bill at the 2018 All Texas Academic Team Medallion Ceremony in San Antonio on Friday, March 30th.