
The 484th Bomb Group Association Gave Six Scholarship Awards in 1997.

Report of the Scholarship Committee

Four Italian Students Honored

The first four were given to Italian students living in Cerignola, Italy, near the old airbase at Torretta, Italy. They are: 1) Massimilia Debeneditis, Viale di Levante, 64 71042 Cerignola (FG), 2) Adriana Desantis, Via Torino 24 71042 Cerignola (FG), Italia, 3) Viviana Trallo, Via Garigliano, 71042 Cerignola (FG),Italia, 4) Stefania Colonna, Via Gran Sasso No 32, 71042 Cerignola (Fg) Italy. Professor Umberto Albanese was able to select four outstanding students with high grade point averages. With 10 being the highest in Italian schools, each one scored above 9. This is no small accomplishment considering that Cerignola is a small town. See their letters on pages 9 and 10.



Professore Umberto Albanese

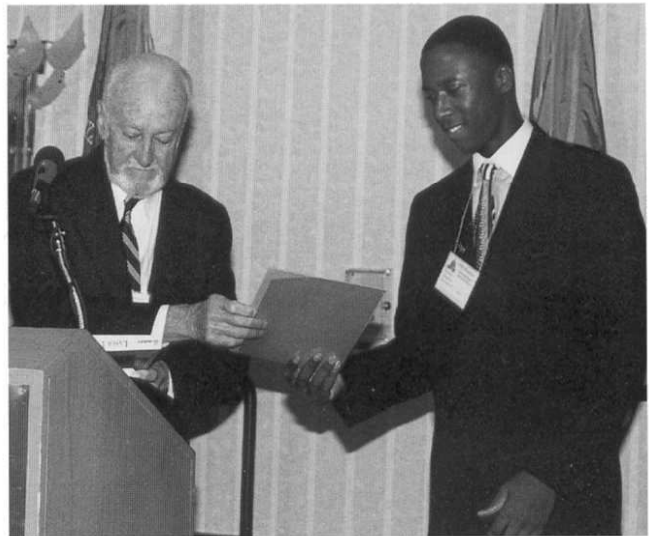
Washington, DC Junior Receives an Award.

Delonte Gholston, a junior at Benjamin Banaker High School in Washington, DC received an award for being the most outstanding student in his class of 1998. He was presented with his award certificate at the 16th annual banquet of the 484th Bomb Group Association.

We take pride in honoring all of these outstanding students who have honored their parents, schools, and especially the 484th Bomb Group Association. We wish them the very best of luck in achieving their goals and take a measure of pride in knowing that we helped them along the way.

Harvard, Nebraska Graduate Receives a 484th BG Scholarship

One award was made to a graduate of Harvard Nebraska School. Stephane Cude received the 1997 award at Harvard, Nebraska School. This is the second year an award has been given to a graduate of this school. Here again in the small town of Harvard with only one school for all grades, an outstanding student was selected. See statement of her career goals on pages 9 and 10.



Richard Muscatello (left) Chairman, Scholarship Committee presents the award certificate to Delonte Gholston, the award winner from Washington, DC.