Lake Michigan College students earn scholarships

gan College students Carolina Brito of the fall to pursue a bachelor of social Dowagiac and Elena Fantroy of Berrien work degree. Her application score also Springs have been awarded \$500 Michiqualified her to receive the \$1,000 Silas gan College Access Programs and Per-Purnell Scholarship from by the Mid-

sonnel (MICAPP) Academic Achievement scholarships.

Brito also was awarded the \$1,000 Silas Purnell Scholarship at the MI-CAPP Student Leadership Summit Banquet in Traverse City, the first time an LMC student has received the award. "The MICAPP Scholar-



first-generation college students," said gree. Nancy Johnson, Student Support Ser-

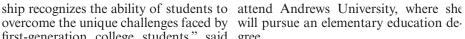
sist children and families."

degree with high honors in May and will at-risk elementary students

BENTON HARBOR — Lake Michi- attend Grand Valley State University in

America Association of **Educational Opportunity** Program Personnel.

Fantroy will graduate from LMC in August with an associate of general studies degree with honors. While attending LMC she has been recognized as the 2015 LMC Student Support Services Student of the Year. In the fall she will



Brito and Fantroy are members of Phi vices project director at LMC. "It ac- Theta Kappa national honor society for knowledges the perseverance, excellent community college students. Brito serves academic work and community involve- as the public relations and outreach offiment of these young women, and brings cer for the society and is co-president of each of them one step closer to their the LMC Student Senate. She also volshared goal of working to positively as- unteers with her church youth group Fantroy serves as the youth and women's Brito will receive her associate of arts ministry leader at her church and tutors