

2018-2019 North Dakota Collegiate DECA Officers

Ally Carson, State President



Ally Carson, your current State President, is entering her last year at the University of Mary. She is majoring in Communications with an emphasis in Public Relations and minoring in Marketing. After graduation in April, she plans to pursue a career in event/entertainment marketing. Along with DECA, Ally is involved in the Harold Shafer Emerging Leaders Academy at Mary. When Ally is not working at the YMCA or Bismarck Cancer Center, she enjoys catching up on the news, graphic design and sewing. She has been an active member of her school's DECA chapter and has enjoyed being part of such a positive group of people. Ally is thankful to be able to serve on the state board this year and looks forward to meeting new and veteran members! **Contact Ally at**

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Heather Heyerman, State Vice President



Heather Heyerman serves your state vice presidents. Heather is from St. Michael MN. She attends school at North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton where she majors in Business Management. Heather is involved in many leadership programs at NDSCS, including DECA, Student Senate, Campus Activities Board, Student Ambassadors, Media Squad, Cru, Choir, and Wildcat singers and Residential life and she loves to be involved and make a difference at her school. Heather works on the campus of NDSCS, working in the Student Success center. In her free time, she likes to hang out with family and friends, spend time outside and on the lake and LOVES to go shopping. Heather is excited for another great year with DECA. **Contact Heather at**

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Mikayla Gustafson, State Vice President



Mikayla Gustafson serves as your state Vice President. She attends Valley City State University where she is a senior majoring in Business Administration with a concentration in Management and a Minor in Marketing. This is her 5th year as a DECA student. At VCSU she is involved in DECA, working with the VCSU football program, and being a member of the Philomathian Sorority. When she isn't working or managing her busy schedule she spends her spare time walking her dog named Tuc, cuddling her cat named Mr. Peppy, reading a book, or just hanging out with friends and family. She is excited to serve as your state Vice President again this year and can't wait for the year ahead. **Contact Mikayla at Mikayla.I.gustafson@vcsu.edu**.