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Margot Le Bris ('16)

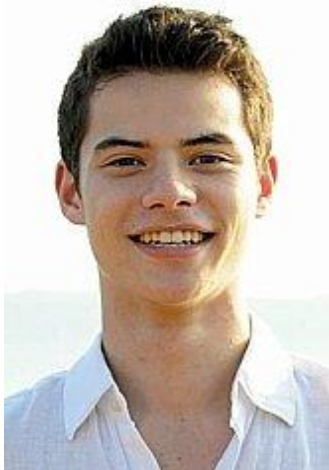
● **Nikoline Wolf** (LSY: 10eme (CE1B) in 2006) is currently a student at IÉSEG School of Management. She obtained her Economic Baccalauréat at the Lycée International Honoré de Balzac in 2016. (<https://fr.linkedin.com/in/nikoline-wolf-578b76131>)

● **Margot Le Bris** (LSY: 7eme/CM2A in 2009): After leaving the LFNY, Margot completed her studies at the Lycée Français International de Bangkok. She is now a first year student at the IESEG School of Management in Lille. (<https://www.linkedin.com/in/margot-le-bris-97386a12b/>)

● **Lilou Decker Willer** (LSY: 11eme/CP in 2005) obtained her Baccalauréat scientifique (mention TB) in 2016 at the Lycée Henri Poincaré, in Nancy. She is now studying at the Université de Lorraine, where she expects to obtain a Licence Sciences de la Vie (Cursus Master Ingénierie, Biologie, Santé et Environnement) in 2023. ([linkedin.com/in/lilou-decker-willer-11b402134](https://www.linkedin.com/in/lilou-decker-willer-11b402134))

● **Autumn Boutin** (LSY: 3eme in 2013) finished her high school studies at the Trinity School where she graduated in 2016. She "joined Lucy Moses School in 2001 at the age of three and began her piano studies with Catherine Fabian at the age of four. In addition to her piano studies, Autumn has danced with Alvin Ailey in their junior division for 15 years. Autumn is a senior at Trinity High School and the president of the Booster Squad, the Black Affairs Club, and the Dance Club. She was also a founding member of the Aaron School Alliance, a group at Trinity focused on helping special needs students. Autumn will attend Harvard University in the fall."

(<http://www.kaufmanmusiccenter.org/kc/article/congratulations-to-the-2016-lucy-moses-school-graduates/>)



Luc Dowell (LSY: 3eme in 2013)



TOP: Aissatou Keita ('16)
(LSY: 7eme/CM2C in 2009);
BOTTOM: Eva Hangartner ('16)



TOP: Yann Bofferding ('16)
(LSY 7eme/CM2A in 2009);
BOTTOM: Lilou Decker-Willer
('16)

● **Victor Chaix** (LSY: 3eme in 2013) : After leaving the LFNY, Victor attended the French International School of Hong Kong where he obtained the Baccalauréat (Option Européenne -- Mention Très Bien) in 2016. He now majors in liberal arts at The King's College London where he expects to graduate in 2019. In 2014, he spent a month in Aflao, Ghana as a volunteer "teaching English to orphan kids (6 to 8 years old) in the morning, and helping to build the extension of the orphanage in the afternoon."
(<https://www.linkedin.com/in/victor-chaix-9a5bba124/>)

● **Eva Hangartner** (LSY: 4eme in 2012) finished her high school studies at the Bronx High School of Science where she graduated in 2016. In February, 2016 she was featured in an article in Spectrum News/NY1:

"Eva Hangartner -- Swim and Track Team Captain Does Not Settle For Being Anything But Great: Our latest Scholar Athlete of the Week has a passion for learning and speaks three languages fluently, never letting her vision loss make her lose her vision. NY1's Matt McClure introduces us.

Eva Hangartner realized early on that she did not see things the way everyone else did.

"The moment I realized that my eyes weren't functioning normally, I guess was when my grandmother would say, 'Oh, do you see that plane up there?,' And I would always say, 'No.' And I was always so frustrated because I could never see the planes in the sky," Hangartner said.

Hangartner was diagnosed as a child with Cone Dystrophy, a genetic eye disorder that causes vision loss. She said some may think the disability slows her down, but she believes it has made her stronger.

"I'm grateful for it, honestly," she said. "I think it's helped me develop character, and something, yes, I've struggled with, but I don't resent it at all anymore."

It is that positive outlook that has turned Hangartner into the student-athlete she is today.

Hangartner is a senior at the Bronx High School of Science. She is the captain of both the swim and track teams, serving as a role model to her younger teammates.

"She's a very dedicated athlete, focused in what she does all the time," said her track coach, Charles Goldberg.

"She does not settle for being anything but great. She works hard, and she's also very much of a leader."

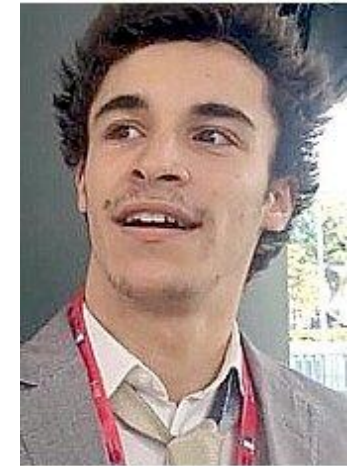
While playing sports takes up a lot of Hangartner's time, she is most passionate about learning.

The teen is fluent in three languages and has set a goal to learn seven. She has taken on the challenge of advanced placement calculus, Latin, and physics courses, and she is always finding connections between her lessons and the outside world.

"When I'm running around the track, I honestly do think about banked curves and momentum and all these physics concepts that I wouldn't normally think of. Like, I don't think most people think about physics when they're running," Hangartner said.

"If you're surrounded by a few kids like that, although there are very few who approach her level, you feel good about the future," said her history teacher, Fredric Schorr.

Hangartner is off to Stanford University in the fall, where she plans to study international relations. She says in her spare time, she will continue to pound the pavement.



TOP: Victor Chaix, ('16);
BOTTOM: Autumn Boutin
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So, for overcoming every hurdle in her way, Eva Hangartner is the latest Ford Lincoln of Queens NY1 Scholar Athlete of the Week. “

(<http://www.ny1.com/nyc/all-boroughs/scholar-athlete/2016/02/26/eva-hangartner--swim-and-track-team-captain-does-not-settle-for-being-anything-but-great.html>)