

JANE M. KLAUSMAN WOMEN IN BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP

2007 Klausman Winner

Elena Korsakova was selected as the 2007 Jane M. Klausman scholarship winner. A student majoring in Accounting at the University of North Florida, Elena came to the United States from Onyx in Siberia, Russia on a basketball scholarship. After suffering a devastating injury that ended her basketball career and along with it her scholarship, Elena was faced with having to return home without completing her education. Through much sacrifice, generous friends, and making the most of every opportunity available such as the Klausman scholarship, she was dedicated to graduating in the US. In fact, Elena will be earning her bachelor's degree from UNF this May 2008 and has already accepted an accounting position. In addition to her academic achievements, Elena has illustrated true desire, determination, and drive in her pursuit of a better education and ultimately, better life than the one she left in Russia.