

University of Nevada, Reno
Undergraduate

Biography for Kristina Yeskie
Regents' Scholar Award 2011

Kristina Yeskie moved to Nevada from the Midwest, where she attributes her motivation and her accomplishments to her parents. She enrolled at the University of Nevada, Reno, and participated as a scholar athlete on the Golf team. While working to support her education, she pursued degrees in Biology and Nursing, and achieved a major GPA of 3.91. Throughout her undergraduate career, she has volunteered for Ronald McDonald House, Veteran's Guest House, Relay for Life, Moms on the Run, and served as a Court Appointed Special Advocate and as a Camp Counselor for American Lung Association. Her commitment to serve others is evident in everything she does. She participated in, and led, the Orvis School of Nursing Student Association, and achieved recognition as top fundraising organization in the 2010 Relay for Life. She plans to continue her education and pursue a Masters in Nursing. She currently works as a Registered Nurse and plans to continue serving.