### Tampa, Florida Resident Wins \$3,000 College Scholarship

#### DoSomething.org Awards Scholarships to Students Creating Change Supported by Fastweb

**Tampa, Florida** – May 10, 2017 – John Irish, a 24-year-old from Valrico, Florida was awarded \$3,000 college scholarship money for his participation in a national campaign by <u>DoSomething.org</u>, a global movement for good, supported by Fastweb, the premier online resource for paying and preparing students for college.

John Irish participated in "<u>I Beat Bullying</u>," an anti-bullying campaign that asks students to make a sign to share tactics on how they overcame bullying. A total of 43,949 members participated in this campaign with 74,347 tactics shared, a full report of the campaign can be viewed here.

"This campaign is important to me because I believe that bullying affects everyone involved, not just the victim," said scholarship winner John Irish. "So it is important to me to do all that I can to be a positive influence, and role model against bullying, and bigotry. Having an honest and critical conversation on disagreements is what I want everyone to strive towards, as we try to solve domestic and international issues."

Fastweb provides students like John Irish help pay for school. To learn more, visit Fastweb.com.



To learn more about DoSomething.org campaigns that give young people easy ways to do good and pay for school, visit: <u>DoSomething.org/Scholarships</u>.

## About DoSomething.org:

<u>DoSomething.org</u> is the largest tech company exclusively for young people and social change. We're activating 5.5 million young people (and counting!) to make positive change, online and off, in every US area code and in over 131 countries. Our members have clothed half of America's youth in homeless shelters. And cleaned up 3.7 million cigarette butts from the streets. And run the largest youth-led sports equipment drive in the world. And more! Welcome to DoSomething. Let's Do This.

# About Fastweb:

Fastweb, a top site in the Monster Worldwide network, is the nation's recognized leader in helping students pay for school, by providing scholarship and financial aid information, as well as information on jobs and internships. As the oldest and most popular free online scholarship matching service, one out of three college-bound seniors use the site and more than 50 million users have benefitted from Fastweb's information and services. Fastweb lets students create personalized profiles that can be matched against its expansive databases of colleges and scholarships. To learn more about Fastweb, visit <a href="www.fastweb.com">www.fastweb.com</a> and follow Fastweb on social media for the latest on paying for school all year long: Twitter (at @PayingForSchool); Facebook; Pinterest; Google+.

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