Honors and Awards
Convocation

MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY
FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL

Undergraduate Honors and Awards Convocation

SATURDAY THE TWENTY-FOURTH OF SEPTEMBER
TWO THOUSAND SIXTEEN
AT ELEVEN A.M.

CLAIR PERFORMANCE HALL
WINTER VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY
MILLERSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA
Honors and Awards Convocation

VILAS A. PRABHU, Ph.D., Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Presiding

PRELUDE

THE MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY
SAXOPHONE QUARTET

WELCOME

DR. PRABHU

RECOGNITION OF ALUMNI AWARDS

SCOTT A. BAILEY ’98
President,
Millersville University Alumni Association

LT. COL. PAUL M. MACNAMARA ’84, USA, Retired

DENNIS DENENBERG, D.Ed.

ROBERT “BOB” E. LEHR ’57

THOMAS G. BERNHARDT ’96, Ph.D.

JOHN G. “GREG” PIZZOLI ’05

KRISTIN ALBRIGHT WATERS ’05, Ed.D.

SALUTATIONS

SEPIDEH YALDA, Ph.D.
Professor of Meteorology
Director of Center for Disaster Research & Education

JUSTIN A. PIERRE ’18
President

From the Faculty

From Student Senate

Please silence cell phones and all electronic devices during the ceremony. Thank you.
Audience Note:
For a full listing of the awards presented today, please visit www.millersville.edu/ha-program. Those students who receive more than one award will be presented with all their awards at one time. Please hold your applause until the conclusion of each academic college.

Millersville University thanks the Millersville University Foundation, an independent board, for administering funds established in perpetuity, as prescribed by donors. The interest income from the endowments managed by the Foundation supports many of the awards and scholarships presented today.
Students of Academic Distinction

Students who have earned at least 75 credits at Millersville University with a cumulative quality point average of 3.75 or above.

Toni M. Adamko  Abigail Daley  Sara M. Howell  Helena L. Protopapas
Melody Aleman  Derick M. DeCamp  Alexis J. Huhn  Jaclyn E. Read
Melissa A. Amberger  Michael A. DeCaria  Kendall L. Hunsecker  Brian L. Ross
Ricky L. Asplin  Mariel L. DeLuca  Husam Bassam Idrees  Matthew T. Schuck
Bradley S. Auker  Adam K. Dent  Jennifer L. Jury  Andrew A. Sechrist
Nicole K. Bachman  Emily F. DiCola  Alexander D. Kaltenbaugh  Amanda V. Shaleen
Sarah E. Barnes  Alyssa R. Dill  Shira L. Kauffman  Eric N. Showalter
Shannon D. Barnes  Christopher J. DiImperio  Danielle A. Keaser  Devon A. Singh
Charity M. Bechtel  Genevieve N. Domaracki  Alexis D. Ketterman  Leslie E. Stilinger
Brittany M. Beckett  Ryan D. Durborow  Amanda J. King  Devon S. Smoker
Jenna M. Bisbing  Jessica E. Epple  Bonita D. Lauver  Gavin T. Sonntag
Kayla M. Bixler  Courtney E. Fenice  Kaitlyn M. Lund  Abby E. Spanos
Jennifer A. Blessing  Olivia J. Flickinger  Rebecca A. Lurie  Khalilie D. Stackhouse
Amber R. Bodine  Kelsey R. Fulton  Stefanie M. Mangir  Jessica L. Sunderland
Kelsey Jo Bomboy  Madison L. Garrigan  Carly E. Marks  Jamie E. Thorpe
Caitlyn J. Bordon  Kirstyn J. Giggeous  Cameron J. Martzall  Margaret A. Thorwart
Christian H. Boyer  Annalise R. Giuliani  Patricia E. McEvoy  Jordyn E. Triplett
Jacob L. Bradley  Gretchen A. Goth  Lauren E. Mogey  Alexa H. Uras
Samantha R. Brenner  Erica L. Gramm  Brett R. Morgan  Jose F. Urena
Brandy L. Bressler  Rebecca L. Grube  Christina A. Mueller  Richard J. Vivol
Eli J. Brill  Marie A. Grutza  Eric M. Mueller  Korynn M. Wagner
Brandon J. Brown  Danielle A. Hamme  Olivia D. Ober  Rachel A. Wagner
Jessica L. Butts  Amanda B. Hammond  Rachel N. Oler  Elizabet H. Wahra
Hannah L. Campbell  Sara E. Henry  Ivanny J. Jacometa Ottati  Janelle L. Witmer
Victoria J. Carroll  Madeline K. Heraty  Halie A. Parker  Andrew R. Zimmerman
Shannon L. Clemens  Emily C. Hess  Shannon R. Philips  Andrew R. Zimmerman
Alyssa M. Cotellese  Justine A. Hilbert  Sarina M. Ponce-Garcia
Emily J. Cuthbert  Dylan L. Houseal  Shelby L. Pridgeton

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Academic Awards

2016 All-University Scholarships and Awards
(Based on Academic Achievement through Spring Semester, 2016)

African-American / Latino Alumni Scholarship
ELIZABETH ALEMAN
ROSEMARY ASCENCIO
LANELLE E. QUZACK
Awarded annually to African-American and Latino students who are full-time undergraduates that have completed a minimum of 35 credit hours, have a 2.5 QPA and who have given significant community service.

American Association of University Women (AAUW), Lancaster Branch, Scholarship
CARLYN R. MARSHALL
Awarded to a Lancaster-area woman who is a nontraditional student and has completed at least 90 credits at the University.

Eugene and Dora Andrulonis Scholarship
SHYANNE M. LIPSKY
Awarded to orphaned students who have financial need, and who are residents of the community of Shenandoah, Pa., or its vicinity. Award applied to tuition, room and board.

Thomas R. Baker Memorial Scholarship
MORGAN R. SPEAKMAN
Awarded annually to an outstanding junior of excellent ability and achievement.

Ann B. Barshinger Scholarship
JENNIFER M. BAKER
Awarded to a freshman student from York County with involvement in community/civic activities. Selection will be based on the high school academic and co-curricular record as recommended by the admissions office. The scholarship is renewable for up to three additional years depending upon the recipient remaining in good academic standing with a CGPA of 3.0 and with continuing involvement in community/civic activities.

The Beideman Scholarship
JACLYN T. BELEW
HANNAH L. CAMPBELL
JO M. CARUSO
ELIZABETH C. SIEBOLD
Awarded to two to four students in the Honors College selected on academic merit, significant community involvement and/or financial need.

Black Student Union / Dr. Melvin Allen and Jennifer Coleman Award
SHAKIYYAH B. FRANKLIN
An award presented to African-American and Latino students for scholarship and demonstrated service to the University. Selection is by the membership of the Black Student Union in conjunction with appropriate University offices.

Board of Governors Scholarship
JULIA M. BOYLE
KIMBERLY N. FOSTER
NINA R. GALVEZ
JOHN L. HABERKERN
MATTHEW J. HESSER
GABRIELLE L. HOLMES
JOSHUA B. JERRIHO-PALMER
SUSAN E. LLOYD
HANNAH E. NEWMAN
JORDAN H. PENN
LUCAS M. STAUB
NICHOLAS J. WHITLEY
JOEL I. ZAMORA
Awarded to academically talented students demonstrating extracurricular service, talents and other characteristics that will contribute to a diverse campus community.

Board of Governors Scholarship for Science, Mathematics and Technology
CONNOR J. BILLINGS
KEVIN FACCIENDA
POUSHALI GHOSH
LAUREN E. LEDDER
VICTORIA M. MIDDLETON
NICHOLAS J. RUSSELL
MOLLY C. STEWART
MATTHEW R. WORTH
Awarded to academically talented students demonstrating extracurricular service, talents and other characteristics that will contribute to a diverse campus community.
Michael K. and Neysa M. Callahan Scholarship

**TABITHA S. HEDGE**
Awarded to an entering or transfer student who is a child or spouse of a Benchmark Construction Company, Inc. employee. Scholarship selection will be based on academic average and community involvement. The scholarship is renewable for a maximum of three additional academic years provided the student maintains a GPA of 3.0 or greater. If a student associated with Benchmark does not qualify, then preference is given to a student from Hempfield High School. In such a case, the scholarship might not be renewable.

Dr. Rosario Caminero Scholarship

**NIKOLE M. ROTTKAMP**
Awarded to a student minoring in the Latino/a Studies program. The student will have a GPA of at least 2.5 and have completed at least 15 credits at Millersville University.

Campus Club Scholarship

**ALEXANDREA KOEHLER**
**NIKOLE M. ROTTKAMP**
Awarded to members of the junior class who have maintained a QPA of 2.0 or higher and who are dependent wholly or in large part upon their own efforts for financing an education.

Campus Club - Helen Corbett Memorial Scholarship

**AMBER L. COPENHEAVER**
Awarded to members of the junior class who have maintained a QPA of 2.0 or higher and who are dependent wholly or in large part upon their own efforts for financing an education.

Laurene E. Cassady-Auker Scholarship

**ALEX J. CAIN**
**Tiffany J. Peruso**
Awarded to students demonstrating scholarly ability and financial need.

Christina A. Ciallella Memorial Scholarship

**SARAH M. MOYER**
Awarded to a female student of any major who has completed at least 60 credits at Millersville and demonstrates financial need.

Class of 1916 / R. Bruce Walter Scholarship

**TAIWAN L. BARTON**
Awarded as an academic scholarship as determined by the University president or his/her designee.

Class of 1935 Scholarship

**ROXANNA C. KELLER**
**RANDI G. WARNER**
Awarded to juniors of scholarly ability and financial need.

Class of 1947 Scholarship / Scholarship for Research Students in University Honors College

**COREY J. MCCARTHY**
Awarded to a student enrolled in the Honors College who is engaged in independent research related to his or her course of study and demonstrates a need for financial assistance.

Class of 1948 Scholarship

**AMBER L. COPENHEAVER**
Awarded to an upperclass student who demonstrates scholastic ability and financial need.

Class of 1951 Scholarship

**MARK R. DELLANDRE**
Awarded as an academic scholarship based upon merit, financial need or both.

Class of 2012 “Sophomore Slump” Scholarship

**DREW M. MARTIN**
**COURTNEY S. WILKINSON**
Awarded annually to a male and female student who are members of the sophomore class with a minimum 2.5 GPA, with financial need, and who have performed community service.

Beatrice U. Datesman Scholarship

**KIRSTYN J. GIGEOUS**
Awarded to juniors and/or seniors who have maintained a minimum 3.0 QPA and have demonstrated financial need.

Aimee Y. Decker 1916 Scholarship

**KAITLEN M. BISTLINE**
Awarded to deserving Millersville University students in good academic standing with financial need.

William A. Dinges Veteran’s Scholarship

**JILLIAN D. WEITKAMP**
Awarded to a veteran from Pennsylvania who is a full-time upper class student demonstrating financial need, with an academic average of 3.0 or higher. First preference will be given to a veteran who has served in a combat zone.
Dr. Dominick ’53 and Mrs. Helen DiNunzio Scholarship
AARON J. FREEDMAN
Awarded to an incoming freshman from Bristol Borough High School in Bucks County, PA. The scholarship will be applied to the student's university tuition account for the second semester of their freshman year provided they maintain an overall grade point average of 3.0 their first semester.

John Charles Falck Scholarship for Academic Excellence
STEFANIE M. MANGIR
Awarded for academic excellence and good character to an undergraduate student.

Dr. Valborg Fletty Memorial Scholarship
AMY K. KACHELIES
Awarded to a rising senior who demonstrates scholarly ability and financial need.

Robert N. and Darlene I. Ford Scholarship
KELLY DI CAMILLO
VICTORIA J. FISHER
CAITLYN R. FLINT
DUSTIN G. HORNBERGER
Awarded to a graduating senior from Penn Manor High School.

Greek Council Scholarship
TYLER J. MILLER
Awarded to an entering freshman with high academic standards and participation in extracurricular activities during high school.

Albert, Christina and Eric Hoffman Scholarship for Humanities and Social Sciences
CODY T. YOUSE
Awarded to a student in the Honors College with a major in the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

Albert, Christina and Gregory Hoffman Scholarship for Science and Mathematics
JASON E. IVOBHEEHE
Awarded to a student in the Honors College with a major in the College of Science and Technology.

Alan S. and Adeline Holliday Scholarship
RACHEL H. MANN
Awarded to a student who demonstrates scholastic ability and financial need.

Honors College Scholarship
JACOB A. COOPERSMITH
LAUREN A. DAVIS
ABBEY M. FORD
RILEY J. GRIMES
MICHAEL B. LOCKWOOD
BRIDGET K. MURRAY
REBECCA K. PAGLIA
NICHOLAS J. RUSSELL
TRENT D. SOTO
DAVID G. THOMPSON
BENJAMIN M. WESLEY
Awarded to incoming freshmen who have joined the Honors College.

Iliffe/McCaskey Scholarship
STACY M. KELLEY
Awarded for a two-semester period to first year, independent undergraduate, full- or half-time student who is entering higher education or returning to school. The recipient must have properly matriculated, with preference to a woman pursuing a degree. Chosen recipient will have limited access to conventional routes for obtaining student aid. This scholarship is intended to launch a nontraditional student's studies.

Esther Kilheffer Scholarship
GABRIELLE J. GIERINGER
Awarded to worthy students.

Andrew and Clara Kissh Academic Scholarship
ERIN A. JONES
Awarded to an incoming freshman based upon the student's notable high school academic performance.

Esther S. Knaub Scholarship
JERMAL M. JORDAN
Awarded to a worthy York County student.

David B., Ph.D., and Kathryn Millar Kraybill Scholarship
KEN R. BRUBAKER
Awarded to an entering freshman from the Lampeter-Strasburg School District based on financial need.
Lancaster Partnership Award
JOSE A. ALVAREZ
KARIDJA BAMBA
JAVIER BROWN III
TREY D. DELEON
ROHAMA Y. GETACHEW
WESLEY J. JACCINOR
ABISAI B. MEJIA
BRITTANY M. NASRAWI
Awarded to McCaskey High School seniors who participated in the Lancaster Partnership mentoring program, a partnership between local businesses, Millersville University, students and their families.

Violet F. Markey Academic Scholarship
SETH L. MARTIN
Academic scholarships awarded as determined by the University president or designee.

The Martin Scholar
TAYLOR OCHMANOWICZ
Awarded to a student demonstrating financial need who maintains a 3.0 academic average.

Francine G. McNairy and Gladys B. McNairy Scholarship for Civic and Community Engagement
MATTHEW M. CHESSON
MAIRYM J. CRUZ-BERNARD
Awarded to no more than two inner-city, underrepresented, educationally and economically disadvantaged students, with first preference to a student from the Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Reading or Lancaster area, who participate in the University’s unpaid internship program focusing on civic engagement and/or community engagement or civic engagement workshops under the auspices of the Civic and Community Engagement Research Project (CCERP). The students must have demonstrated financial need and a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.5.

Millersville University Alumni Association Scholarship
REBECCA L. GRUBE
Awarded to the student with the highest QPA who has earned more than 57 but fewer than 72 credits upon completion of the spring semester.

Millersville University Business Associates Scholarship
SHERRY L. BORNE
Awarded to female non-traditional student(s) from Lancaster County who are enrolled in the Continuing Education program. Students must be enrolled for a minimum of six credits with a GPA of 2.5 or better.

Millersville University Women’s Giving Circle Dorothy L. Connolly Scholarship
KARINA R. BONDS
MORGAN R. SPEAKMAN
Awarded as tuition to a rising senior, female student in good academic standing with a CGPA of 2.5. The scholarship is to be awarded based on a combination of academic progress, financial need and personal statement. At the discretion of the selecting body, more than one recipient may be selected.

Jay B. Niesley ’73 Memorial Student Leadership Award
GLORIA S. CHUNG
Awarded for outstanding leadership to a student with at least 45 completed credits and a cumulative GPA of 2.5. Selection will be based on the student’s contributions to Millersville University and involvement in leadership roles including, but not limited to, student affairs and government.

Nontraditional Student Scholarship
KATHLEEN J. MARTIN
Awarded to independent, undergraduate, full- or part-time students who are returning to school, have completed 15 credit hours at Millersville and have demonstrated financial need.

Hugh O’Brien Youth Foundation Scholarship
HANNAH L. CAMPBELL
LEAH R. MILLER
HOPE E. SLEZAK
Awarded to an incoming freshman who participated in the Hugh O’Brien Youth program and who ranks in the top 10 percent of their high school graduating class or earned 1170 SAT combined test scores.

PSECU Scholarship
EMMA V. BUNNICK
ALEXA J. CAIN
JONATHAN C. CHIN
ERIC DOUGHERTY
RENEE N. DRAWBAUGH
LINDSEY K. HEMMANN
TASJA S. HUDDINS
JASON E. IYOBHBEHE
ALEXANDREA KOEHLER
SHYANNE M. LIPSKY
HUNTER D. MENGEL
KELLI D. MILLER
ANNE E. MITZEL
GABRIELLE A. REED
CHRISTOPHER A. RICE
CAMERON C. TRUMP
RACHEL A. WAGNER
RACHEL L. WARREN
COURTNEY N. WEAVER
Awarded to students in good academic standing who have financial need and who are members of the Pennsylvania State Employees Credit Union (PSECU).

Audrey Pomponi Memorial Scholarship
MATTHEW D. HUNT
Awarded to a sophomore with a CQPA of at least 2.5 who demonstrates financial need.
Margie L. Ranck Award
DERICK M. DE CAMP
Awarded at the end of the junior year for outstanding intellectual attainment, good character and an interest in Bible study.

Helen C. Riso / Commuting Students Association Scholarship
NGOC M. NGUYEN
Awarded to a commuting student who demonstrates financial need, satisfactory academic performance and noteworthy service to the Commuting Students Association.

Bernice R. Rydell Scholarship for Excellence
JOSE F. URENA
Awarded to an underrepresented student, graduating in the top 10% of his/her high school class and also has a record of community involvement. The scholarship is renewable provided the student maintains a minimum GPA of 3.0 and continuous involvement with student government/leadership or external community activities.

Clarence Schock Foundation Fellowship
HALIE A. PARKER
Awarded to a junior who is the current recipient of a Clarence Schock Foundation scholarship. The student must demonstrate strong academic achievement, public service, commitment to environmental preservation and to enhancing the quality of life in the communities where he/she lives and studies, and has an understanding of Mr. Schock's respect for education and personal philanthropy.

Clarence Schock Foundation Scholarship
JENNIFER L. BARSHINGER
CASSIDIE BLOSE
JACQUELINE BUCK
LEAH L. BURNS
NICHOLAS J. DE SANTI
JES ENYA R. EBERLY
BRANDI J. FAIR
SARA GUCHMAN
M A C Y N. K O O N T Z
STEPHANIE L. LEEDOM
KAY M. LIEBL
STEPHANIE E. LITTLE
JARROD S. LLOYD
JENNIFER L. BARSHINGER
CASSIDIE BLOSE
JACQUELINE BUCK
LEAH L. BURNS
NICHOLAS J. DE SANTI
JESENYA R. EBERLY
BRANDI J. FAIR
SARA GUCHMAN
M A C Y N. K O O N T Z
STEPHANIE L. LEEDOM
KAY M. LIEBL
STEPHANIE E. LITTLE
JARROD S. LLOYD
SUSAN E. LLOYD
SARAH J. LUCAS
ALYSSA N. MANCUSO
COLE A. MELLINGER
BRIDGET K. MURRAY
ANTONY M. RADIC
MORGAN R. REGAN
NICHOLAS J. RUSSELL
ABIGAIL M. SAUERBAUGH
LADDIE J. SPRINGER
TANYC D. WENRICH
MACEY K. WETZEL
BENJAMIN N. WHITTON

A four-year scholarship awarded annually to freshmen on the basis of high school records, competitive examination, personality and financial need. High school graduates from counties served by SICO Oil Company are eligible.

Edward L. '64 and Kathy H. Schoenberg '69 Scholarship
BRADLEY S. AUKER
TRUNG MANH DO
KELLEY R. HERSHEY
LEO W. LONDON
Awarded to an incoming freshman with a minimum GPA of 2.75 who attended a high school in Lancaster County, including, but not limited to, the School District of Lancaster. The scholarship is renewable for up to three additional years, provided the student is making progress towards graduation and continues to maintain a minimum 2.75 GPA.

Search for Excellence Scholarship
WILLIAM H. FERN
MICHAEL A. MARADIAGA
Awarded to entering freshmen whose class rank places them in the top 10% of their high school graduating class or who possess a math/verbal minimum combined SAT test score of 1100.

Amos L. Shofp Scholarship for Lancaster County Students
JENNY R. BENDER
Awarded to a freshman who is a graduate of a secondary/high school in Lancaster County, Pa. Based on merit performance and financial need. May be renewed for three additional years providing student maintains good academic standing.

Sigma Tau Gamma H. Craig Lewis Award
LEONARD A. PAPARO
Awarded to the active Sigma Tau Gamma brother with the highest cumulative GPA for the spring and fall semester of each calendar year. The active brother must take a minimum of 12 credit hours each semester and be in good standing with the fraternity.

Elizabeth Smithgall Scholarship
AMANDA M. VEGARA
Awarded to students who are ranked in the top 10% of their class, demonstrate financial need, and have a native language other than English.

Blanche Henninger Snyder 1918 Scholarship
ALEXIS A. GUIONET
Awarded to a student in any curriculum.

Nicholas W. Stephens Memorial Scholarship
JOSE A. ALVAREZ
Awarded to an incoming freshman from the School District of Lancaster.
Mark E. Stine Scholastic Attainment Award
Jodie E. Richardson
Eddie H. Wilkerson
To recognize the achievement of seniors and juniors who have pursued higher education primarily on a part-time basis under special responsibilities and/or challenges.

Dr. Kay Vandergrift '62 and Dr. Jane Hannigan Scholarship for Women
Genevieve N. Domaracki
Awarded as a scholarship to a non-traditional (23 years of age or older, part-time or full-time) female student. The scholarship is renewable for eight semesters provided the student maintains a minimum 3.0 grade point average.

Wentzel-Wright Memorial Scholarship
Shane M. Waters
Awarded on the basis of worthiness and character.
College of Education and Human Services

Elizabeth H. Aston and Barbara A. Donan Scholarship  
ASHLEY E. READINGER  
Awarded to an incoming, full-time freshman student from Lancaster County in the teacher preparation program. Recipient chosen on the basis of excellence in scholarship (demonstrated by GPA and classes undertaken in high school as well as nationally recognized test scores) and demonstrated financial need.

J. Elvin Brenner 1909 Education Scholarship  
ALLISON N. WAMBACH  
Awarded to a rising sophomore majoring in education, with first preference to secondary education. The recipient will have a CGPA ranging from 2.5 to 3.25 and will be a middle-income student, qualifying for financial need. The scholarship may be renewed for two additional years provided the recipient maintains a 2.5 CGPA.

Class of 1927 Scholarship  
COURTNEY K. INGOLD  
Awarded to a sophomore majoring in education who has passed 45 credits or more. The recipient is the student demonstrating the greatest aptitude and ability to teach and who participates in University activities, especially intercollegiate sports.

Class of 1937 Scholarship  
SARA M. HOWELL  
Awarded to a first-semester senior who intends to teach. The student must have a 2.5 GPA.

Class of 1940 Scholarship  
VICTORIA J. CARROLL  
Awarded to an education major who demonstrates financial need.

Class of 1942 Scholarship  
ALEXIS A. GUIUNET  
Awarded annually to an outstanding education student who has achieved academic excellence and has financial need.

Class of 1943 Scholarship  
CHRISTINE G. PERSUN  
Awarded to a senior in the College of Education and Human Services on the basis of exceptional potential as a classroom teacher and who has earned a total of 96 credit hours with a GPA of 3.0 or better.

Class of 1944 Scholarship  
JONAH N. FARBER  
Awarded to a student in the College of Education and Human Services who has completed at least 60 credits of course work and has financial need.

Class of 1952 Scholarship  
SARAH M. MOYER  
Awarded to a student majoring in education entering his/her junior year (as determined by credits earned), with a CGPA of 3.0 or greater.

Class of 1954 Scholarship  
MELISSA N. SHEFFER  
Awarded to rising junior or senior who is majoring within a discipline in the College of Education and Human Services. The scholarship is to be merit based, upon prior volunteerism/enthusiasm for, and successful course work in, the field of Education.

Class of 1958 Education Scholarship  
ZOE A. WHYE  
Awarded as a scholarship for a matriculating student in education.

James Ebbert ’41 Scholarship  
BARBARA Y. BAQUERO  
DEVON A. SINGH  
Awarded to incoming freshman students demonstrating financial need with a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 and in the teacher preparation program.

Margaret V. Farster and James R. Farster Scholarship  
DANIEL E. HOLGUIN  
Awarded to an incoming freshman student who is majoring in mathematics secondary education who has financial need. The scholarship is renewable for three years based upon successful academics and continuance in the major.

E. Kathryn Millar Kraybill 1915 Scholarship  
CHARITY M. BECHTEL  
Awarded to a student with financial need majoring in education.
John Mentzer Award in Special Education

Haley K. Springer
Awarded to a junior who is enrolled in the certification program in special education and has demonstrated potential for becoming an outstanding teacher.

Joseph P. and Marianne S. ’70, ’74M Nolt Family Scholarship

Sara M. Howell
Awarded as tuition for thesis credit courses and as a grant to support applied research associated with that same thesis. Research grant projects are to be of an applied and scholarly nature, with an intended outcome of original, practical contribution to the field of education. The recipient will be a rising junior with a minimum CGPA of 3.0 pursuing a degree in early-childhood or middle-level education. Financial need may be considered but is not a required criterion.

Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer Memorial Scholarship

Alicia M. Miller
Awarded to undergraduate or graduate education majors who have a 2.5 QPA, demonstrate financial need, and are Lancaster County residents.

Hazel Rork Schmuck Alumni Scholarship

Elizabeth C. Siebold
Awarded to the outstanding junior or senior in early childhood education.

William H. and Alma R. Duncan Scholarship in Education

Jennifer A. Blessing
Awarded to an early childhood or middle-level education major on the basis of financial need, excellence in scholarship, leadership qualities and service to others.

Dr. Mary Alice Smith Scholarship

Evangelia T. Koutsokostas
Awarded to an incoming student enrolled in the early childhood, middle level or special education curriculum at Millersville University.

Dr. Samuel P. Wallace ’41 Scholarship

Ngoc M. Nguyen
Awarded to a rising junior or senior education major with financial need and a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or greater.

Janet Wood Memorial Award

Bradley S. Auker
Korynn M. Wagner
Awarded to a student enrolled as an education major and/or seeking teacher certification who possesses a QPA of at least 3.5.

V. J. Marcelis Memorial Scholarship in Education

Olivia J. Flickinger
Awarded to a rising senior in good academic standing who intends to teach early childhood or middle-level education. Preference will be given to a student with financial need.
Irene Renshaw Scholarship for Education

NICOLE M. Migliore
HANNAH E. NEWMAN
JOSHUA J. ROBERTS
CAROLINE E. WASSEr

Awarded to a freshman majoring in early childhood education (grades PK - 4) with a minimum GPA of 2.75, demonstrated financial need and involvement in community/volunteer service and/or student leadership.

Gertrude Bettle Stoll and Esther Stoll Barlow Lowry Memorial Scholarship

SUMMER L. ATKINS

Awarded to a junior majoring in early childhood education. The major criterion for selection shall be an empathetic concern for the personal, emotional and educational needs of young children. Additionally, the recipient shall possess at least a 3.0 QPA and shall demonstrate financial need.

Helen Spahr Walker '43 Education Scholarship

JACLYN E. READ

Awarded to an early childhood or middle level education major, in good academic standing who has passed the Praxis I and received the required clearances (Act 34, Act 151 and FBI record check). The scholarship may be renewed up to three years providing the student remains within the major in good academic standing.

Kathleen C. Winder Scholarship for Elementary Education

MEGAN E. CHAPMAN

Awarded to a freshman majoring in early childhood or middle level education and based on financial need. The recipient must demonstrate high academic performance in high school and strong community service during the final two years of high school.

PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Kyle Rodgers Scholarship

TYLER J. GRADY

Awarded to a student majoring in Psychology with demonstrated financial need from the greater Lancaster region. The recipient will have a minimum GPA of 3.0.

THE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

Marion G. Foster Award

KATHRYN L. NEEs DAVis

Awarded to a junior majoring in social work who has demonstrated professional commitment and academic excellence under extraordinary circumstances.
Richard and Elaine Blouse Scholarship  
ALEXIS R. CHIN  
KAITLIN M. HOAK  
Awarded to a student majoring in business administration who has a minimum 3.5 high school academic average and a record of community service. Financial need may be taken into consideration.

Dr. Dominick J. and Frances McAndrew Fanani Memorial Scholarship  
MICHAEL R. GARRETT  
Awarded to an incoming freshman in humanities who has achieved a minimum cumulative high school academic performance of 3.30 and a strong record of high moral character demonstrated by community service and volunteer experience.

Hazel I. Jackson Scholarship  
BRIANNA D. COOLEY  
Awarded annually to an African-American student majoring in secondary education language arts or a humanities program.

Dr. Secunderabad N. Leela Scholarship in Social Sciences  
CHRISTINA N. NICHOLAS  
Awarded to a junior majoring in the social sciences. The recipient must have a GPA of at least 2.5 and financial need. First preference is to an underrepresented student.

Patricia E. Pillar Scholarship  
ALEXIS R. CHIN  
Awarded to a sophomore majoring in business administration with a minimum GPA of 2.5 and demonstrated involvement in campus extra-curricular activities and/or community service.

E. L. Henry Quarantelli Award for Excellence in Emergency Management  
RYAN J. PISELLI  
Awarded to an environmental hazards and emergency management minor with a 3.2 minor GPA and a 3.0 overall GPA who demonstrates interest and involvement in the field.

Gray H. and Ellen C. Sellers Merit Scholarship in Business Administration  
DALTON G. LEHIGH  
Awarded to a junior majoring in business administration who successfully completed 90 or more credit hours prior to the semester in which the award is credited. The award is based upon performance in previous coursework and extracurricular activity related to business administration.

Harry Symons Business Administration Scholarship  
KELLY A. REIFF  
Awarded to a student majoring in business administration who has a 3.2 high school academic average and a record of community service.

Dr. Secunderabad N. Leela Scholarship in Social Sciences  
CHRISTINA N. NICHOLAS  
Awarded to a junior majoring in the social sciences. The recipient must have a GPA of at least 2.5 and financial need. First preference is to an underrepresented student.

United States Steel Scholarship  
JONATHAN J. WASLO  
Awarded to the junior business administration major who has maintained the highest cumulative QPA in courses taken within the department.

ART AND DESIGN DEPARTMENT

Anne Tunis Summy Print Award  
ABIGAIL R. HENRY  
Awarded to a student in printmaking classes who has produced the best print.

COMMUNICATION AND THEATRE DEPARTMENT

Elva W. Biemesderfer Scholarship  
MICHAEL A. GARLAND  
Awarded to a student in the communication and theatre curriculum with a concentration in theatre.

Edward J. Laucks Memorial Sertoma Award  
ELI J. BRILL  
ERIC M. MUeller  
MARGARET G. MUMMA  
MARGARET A. THORWART  
Awarded to students who have achieved excellence in communication.

Charles E. and Betty F. Muench Scholarship in Communication and Theatre Arts  
TAIWAN L. BARTON  
Awarded annually to a senior communication and theatre arts major who demonstrates financial need, has a QPA of at least 3.0 and exemplifies excellence in the discipline of communication.
Mary R. Slokum-Sproul Prize
JUSTIN D. ZELLMAN
Awarded for excellence in public speaking.

WLPA – Hall Communications Scholarship
DEREK L. KHAM
Awarded to a junior student of color and/or a female majoring in communication with an option in broadcasting with financial need.

ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Economics Department Scholarship
JACK W. HIGHFILL
Awarded to an economics major with a CGPA of 2.5 or 3.0 in courses for the major. The award was established by alumni and faculty of the department.

Fulton Bank Award in Economics
MATTHEW M. LIBONATI
Awarded to the student who has written the best essay on an aspect of banking.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Elizabeth G. Botdorf Scholarship for English Studies
SEAN H. DOMENIC
COREY J. MCCARTHY
Awarded to two full-time freshman and/or transfer students majoring in English. The students must volunteer at least five hours per semester to the English department.

Class of 1917 Sanders P. McComsey Scholarship
MELISSA A. AMBERGER
Awarded to a junior who excels in the general field of English.

Frank R. Heavner Memorial Award
MELANIE A. STAUFFER
Awarded to the English major with the highest average in at least nine hours of linguistics courses.

Russell C. Hughes English Scholarship
BEVAN R. FIELDS
VANESSA A. SCHNEIDER
ASHLEY L. SHERMAN
OLIVIA R. SIEG
Awarded to incoming freshman students majoring in English and in good academic standing. Students must have a minimum academic average of 3.0 and have a history of participation in high school publications.

Dorothy J. Patterson English Scholarship
ELIZABETH H. WAHBA
Awarded to a rising junior majoring in the English teacher preparation program and working toward a Bachelors of Science in English Education with a minimum GPA of 3.0 in both the major and overall. The scholarship is renewable for two additional semesters provided the student continues to meet the eligibility requirements.

William S. Trout Award for English Education
SAMANTHA E. BRENNER
Awarded to a senior English education major who has a strong commitment to creative writing through publication of original work. In addition, recipients must show a commitment to community service.

FOREIGN LANGUAGES DEPARTMENT

D. Luke and Elva W. Biemesderfer Scholarship for Merit in Foreign Language
EMILY R. WIBLE
Awarded to an entering full-time freshman majoring in foreign language. The recipient shall be chosen on the basis of excellence in scholarship and leadership potential. Financial need may be taken into consideration but shall not be the major criteria.

Beatrice M. Killough Scholarship for Spanish Studies
EMILY P. BLAND
Awarded to an entering freshman enrolled in Spanish or Spanish-education curriculum.

Michael Kovach Scholarship
IRENA RILEY
Awarded to a student majoring in one of the foreign languages, with first preference to a student majoring in Russian. If a student who meets the above criteria cannot be found, the award will be made to a student with a minimum GPA of 2.5 who has successfully completed at least three foreign language courses at the 200-level and above and/or plans to study abroad.
Jean-Paul Levy Scholarship  
**BRITTANY A. TOMES**  
Awarded to a student pursuing a master's degree in French at the Summer Institute. Second preference is to a master's level student majoring in French who has a minimum 3.0 GPA with demonstrated financial need. Third preference is to an undergraduate student majoring in French who has a minimum 3.0 GPA with demonstrated financial need. If a student who meets the above criteria cannot be found, the award will be made to an undergraduate student minoring in French with a minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrated financial need.

Jacqueline Long French Scholarship  
**EMILY L. YUDA**  
Awarded to an upperclass student who has demonstrated interest in the study of the French language, culture, history or art and has a minimum 3.0 GPA with demonstrated financial need.

Fred E. Oppenheimer Scholarship  
**JONATHAN M. BUCKMASTER**  
Awarded to a freshman foreign languages major based on academic excellence, dedication to foreign language study and financial need.

Lina Ruiz y Ruiz Memorial Scholarship  
**JEREMY L. RHoadS**  
Awarded to a junior student majoring in Spanish who has completed work in the field of Spanish studies.

Xenophile-Theodore H. Rupp Foreign Language Scholarship  
**BRITTANY A. TOMES**  
Awarded to a senior for excellence in the field of foreign languages.

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

Phillip B. Ressler - Comcast Memorial Scholarship  
**KIANN A. M. WRIGHT**  
Awarded annually to a sophomore from Lancaster County with a core curriculum in political science who demonstrates financial need and service to the community.

James W. and Sally C. Saxton Scholarship in Pre-Law  
**JOCELIN N. MYLIN**  
Awarded to a student interested in attending law school.

HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Guy Kurtz Bard Award  
**CODY T. YOUSE**  
Awarded to a senior for outstanding ability in political science and history. The award is made to a history major in even-numbered years and to a political science major in odd-numbered years.

Dr. Abram Foster Scholarship for Excellence in History  
**HEIDE R. KINDON**  
Awarded to a student who is a rising junior or senior majoring in history with a minimum GPA of 3.5 and demonstrated financial need.

Richard C. Keller Award in American History  
**JEFFERY E. TEBAY**  
Awarded to a senior history major who has shown strong interest and capability in American history.

Charlotte A. Lafferty History Scholarship  
**HUNTER D. MENgEL**  
Awarded to a student who is a rising junior or senior majoring in history with a minimum high school average of 3.0 and active in school or community service. Demonstrated financial need may also be taken into consideration.

C. Maxwell and Edna H. Myers History Scholarship  
**BRADLEY S. AUKER**  
Awarded to a junior or senior history major for academic accomplishments and service to the department and University.

Dr. Robert D. and Roma J. Sayre Excellence in American History Scholarship  
**TRAVIS L. KURTZ**  
Awarded to an academically talented rising senior with financial need who is majoring in history, has taken at least three American history courses at the 200 level or above at Millersville University, and has excelled in those classes.

Joseph E. Walker American History Scholarship  
**HUNTER D. MENgEL**  
Awarded to a junior who indicates an intention to teach American history on an elementary, secondary or college level.

Robert F., Louise G. and Joan M. Williams Scholarship  
**HANNAH L. CAMPBELL**  
Awarded to an education student concentrating in history who best exemplifies a love of learning, courage, determination, honesty and a sense of humor.
MANAGEMENT AND MARKETING DEPARTMENT

Robert Elder Business Administration Scholarship
JONATHAN J. WASLO
Awarded to a rising junior who is a business administration major demonstrating a strong commitment to the discipline and with first preference to a student with an interest in management. Student must be in good academic standing and have demonstrated financial need.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Judge and Mrs. Anthony R. Appel Scholarship
LESLEY M. FOURNIER
OLIVIA D. OBER
Awarded to at least two music majors at Millersville University with preference to students with demonstrated financial need. The recipients must audition with the music department. The scholarship is renewable provided the students continue to major in music and remain in good academic standing. The students may receive the scholarship for a total of eight semesters.

Leo Ascher Music Award
CONNOR J. BUCKLEY
Awarded to the undergraduate music major who has best developed a musical composition based on one of Leo Ascher's original themes.

Kendig C. and Nancy Bare Scholarship
MARK A. PETERS
Awarded to a student in good standing who has demonstrated musical ability.

Esther Herr Bear Award
DYLAN J. NATIELLO
Awarded to worthy and deserving students who excel in music.

Grace Doan Bitler and Charles F. Bitler, Jr. Memorial Scholarship
ELIZABETH S. FISH
Awarded to a student who has both musical potential and financial need.

Dean Dutcher Memorial Music Scholarship
ANYI CAI
Awarded to incoming freshman students who maintain enrollment as full-time music majors. Based on musical talent in art performance medium.

B. Jeanne Elder Voice Scholarship
ELIZABETH S. FISH
Awarded to a full-time undergraduate student who has chosen to major in voice on the basis of excellence in scholarship and vocal performance skills and/or talent.

Robert N. and Darlene I. Ford Scholarship for Strings
LAUREN A. HILL
Awarded to a student majoring in music with an emphasis in string instruments. First preference is to a graduate of Penn Manor School District.

Peter H. Freedman Scholarship
JOSHUA K. KEARNEY
Awarded to a student majoring in music.

Sally Gibson Music Scholarship
BRENNA C. HOFFMAN
Awarded to a student majoring in music who has demonstrated financial need.

John and Audrey Hallgren Scholarship
LAUREN A. HILL
Awarded to a student majoring in music.

James Hamilton and Lucretia Boyd Hartzell Piano Award
LILLIAN R. NOBLE
Awarded to a junior or senior piano student who possesses extraordinary talent, has shown considerable progress and has contributed to the musical enrichment of the University community.

Kathlyn Houlahan Kodaly Music Scholarship
LINDSAY P. EDWARDS
Awarded as tuition to a full-time entering freshman who has chosen to major in music education. Recipient will be selected by the Music Department and chosen on the basis of performance excellence in musical skills and/or talent as demonstrated in their audition. Financial need may be taken into consideration but will not be the major criterion.

Michael Jamanis and Frances Veri Scholarship
HOPE A. FRANKENFIELD
Awarded to a student majoring in music with financial need.
Music Department Scholarship
AMBER M. BALCH
DYLAN J. NATIELLO
LILLIAN R. NOBLE
JOHN F. SCHOENEWALD
Awarded to a freshman music major on the basis of academic and/or musical qualifications without regard to financial need.

Pennsylvania Bandmasters' Association Award
NATHAN C. MORGAN
Awarded to an incoming freshman music major who excels in band instrument performance.

Presser Undergraduate Scholar Award
OLIVIA D. OBER
Awarded by the Presser Foundation to a rising senior music major on the basis of merit and achievement.

Jane Rohrer Scholarship
DAMON HARGETT-ROBINSON
Awarded to a student majoring in music with emphasis in piano or voice. First preference will be to a student of an underrepresented population.

Ellen Currier Sellers Scholarship for Organ Performance
LILLIAN R. NOBLE
Awarded to an incoming freshman or current student who is a keyboard major with preference given to music majors/minors studying organ.

Harold W. and Miriam W. Shaar String Award
ELIJAH J. GREEN
Awarded to a sophomore or junior music education student who has demonstrated progress in the playing of a string instrument, shown an interest in the teaching of strings and contributed to the musical enrichment of the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Tryon Scholarship
NATHAN C. MORGAN
Awarded as tuition credit to a student majoring in music.

Louis Vyner Award for Performance
LILLIAN R. NOBLE
A prize and public performance awarded to a music major for excellence in performance, as determined by audition. Competition participants must have earned junior status and a cumulative QPA of 3.0 in music courses.

The Alan K. Wyand and Robert L. Shoener Scholarship
EMMA T. BYLER
Awarded to a student majoring in music focused on voice with first preference to those with demonstrated financial need.

SOCILOGY/ANTHROPOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Drs. George F. and Helen A. '64 Stine Sociology Award
ABIGAIL Y. LONGEN
Awarded to an outstanding sociology major who is a rising junior with a CGPA in the major of at least 3.0 and an overall CGPA of 2.5.
Henry Franklin Bitner Science Prize

*EXCELLENCE IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES – AMY L. TOMLINSON*

Awarded annually to senior students selected by the instructors of these sciences together with the dean of the College of Science and Technology.

Dr. Benjamin J. DelTito, Jr. ’77 and Anna DeBlois DelTito Scholarship

*LAUREN A. DALBEY*

Awarded to a student with at least 30 credits completed, a CGPA of 3.0 or greater and financial need. First preference will be for a dual science/music major; second preference is for a science major with a music minor; third preference is for a music major with a science minor. If no students meet the preferred characteristics, the scholarship will be awarded to a biology major.

Daniel G. Engle Scholarship

*ANDREW R. ZIMMERMAN*

Awarded at the end of the junior year to a major in the College of Science and Technology who has demonstrated superior scholarship and exceptional University/community service.

Mervin W. Hess Scholarship

*KRISTIN T. SELLERS*

Awarded to students interested in a health profession career or a teaching career in math or science, who have a minimum high school average of 3.0 or higher and demonstrated financial need.

James E. Koken Science Scholarship

*KARAM BASSAM IDREES*

Awarded annually to a student enrolled in one of the science curriculums or in science education who will have completed at least 35 credits at Millersville University by the end of the semester the award is given.

Liddell Field Study Scholarship

*AMANDA L. HARDIN  KELSEY N. ULRICH*

Awarded for academic field experiences for students at Wallops Island (or other similar field studies).

Philip C. and Karen Ashkar Murley ’63 Scholarship

*TIM J. BEATTY*

Awarded as tuition to an entering, full-time freshman from Pennsylvania who has chosen to major in either mathematics or physics. Recipient is chosen on the basis of excellence in scholarship (demonstrated by GPA and classes undertaken as well as nationally recognized test scores) and leadership potential (demonstrated by participation in school and community activities). Financial need may be taken into consideration but shall not be a major criterion. The scholarship may be renewed for the sophomore year with an earned total of 30 credits, a GPA of 3.3 or higher and continued participation in university and/or community activities.

The Dr. James C. Parks Scholarship in Botanical Research

*LISA A. SHAFFER*

Awarded to an incoming freshman with an interest in botany. The recipient of this scholarship is expected to develop a botanical research project in collaboration with a faculty member that will lead to the presentation of research results in the Dr. James C. Parks Memorial Lecture in the recipient’s senior year.

George F. Stauffer Scholarship

*IVANNY J. JACOME OTTATI*

An award for academic excellence presented to a junior majoring in the physical sciences.

APPLIED ENGINEERING, SAFETY AND TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Dr. Joseph J. Abromaitis Family AEST Department Scholar-Athlete Scholarship

*CODY A. STONEBACK*

Awarded to a full-time student who participates in a varsity sport program and expects to continue that participation in the year the scholarship is awarded. The recipient must maintain a 3.0 GPA and be a rising sophomore, junior or senior.

American Society of Safety Engineers / Raymond C. Mullin Award

*RAMIZ CHAUDHARY*

Awarded each semester to an exemplary junior or senior majoring in the occupational safety and hygiene management curriculum.
Robert V. and Virginia K. Brown Scholarship in Industrial Technology
REBECCA L. HOWELL
Awarded to a rising sophomore majoring in technology education or industrial technology.

C-P Flexible Packaging - Gary Nicholas Memorial Scholarship
SAVANNAH H. HALL
Awarded to a full-time rising senior in the occupational safety and environmental health program at Millersville University who matriculated from York County. Recipient must have a QPA of 3.2 or greater in the program, with consideration given to an acceptable overall QPA. Should no student from York County be eligible, the search may be opened to Southeast/Central Pennsylvania, and then all of Pennsylvania.

William McGrorty ’82 Excellence in Printing Technology Award
GABRIELA MATA LOPEZ
Awarded to a senior industry and technology major who possesses a QPA of at least 3.0, consistently produces high quality work, displays innovative ideas and demonstrates outstanding commitment to the printing profession.

Dr. Dale H. Messerschmidt Technology Education Scholarship
DREW C. MEC Kes
Awarded to the full-time sophomore with the highest GPA at the end of the first semester of his/her sophomore year in the technology education program.

Dalton E. Smart Humanitarian Scholarship
SHANE M. WATERS
Awarded annually to a student making a significant contribution to the education of classmates through positive interactions, thought-provoking questioning and insight into the impact of technologies on humans. The recipient must be a junior or senior with a minimum 2.5 overall QPA.

The Steinman Foundation / Intelligencer Printing Upperclassman Scholarship
MADISON M. TRILLING
Awarded to a full-time junior or senior industrial technology/graphic communication or technology education major with a demonstrated performance in graphic communication and a 3.0 GPA in the major. Administered by the Susquehanna Litho Foundation.

Susquehanna Engineering and Manufacturing Society – Gravell Scholarship
STEVEN J. KNAUSS
TIMOTHY S. PLACK
Awarded to a freshman enrolled in an industry and technology program, in either the associate or bachelor's degree program, with a strong commitment to the major.

BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Biology Scholarship
DELANEY M. COSTANTE
MATTHEW A. MOYER
SUMMER K. SANTORO
LAUREN E. SHOLEY
ANNE L. SIMCOX
GRACE R. SMOOT
Awarded to incoming biology majors in the freshman year who are full-time students pursuing a B.S., B.A. or B.S.Ed. in biology. Selection shall be based on merit demonstrated by high school class rank or GPA performance with emphasis on academic performance in mathematics and science courses, and standardized test scores (SAT or ACT).

Alex Henderson Scholarship in Biology
ANTHONY J. KESSLER
ZOE ZENTNER
Awarded to a current Millersville student who is in good academic standing, completed at least 12 credits in biology before applying, and completes at least 60 credits total by the end of the semester in which the award is made and is engaged in a project addressing an issue in biology from an interdisciplinary perspective.

N.E. Shoemaker Biology Teaching Scholarship
BROOKE E. CRUMBLING
ELIZABETH SIEBOLD
Awarded to the sophomore secondary education biology major who has achieved the highest QPA.

Gail and Kenneth Twiford Biology Award
MELODY ALEMAN
Awarded to a full-time student majoring in biology who has a 2.75 or greater GPA and financial need. If awarded to a freshman, the recipient must be in the top 15% of his/her high school class. The award is renewable provided the recipient continues to be a biology major, sustains a GPA of 2.75 or greater and continues to have financial need.
CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT

Joseph A. and Linda R. Caputo Award in Chemistry
ZACHARY D. GOTTSHALL
Awarded to an incoming chemistry major based on merit as demonstrated by class rank performance, SAT score and other criteria.

Richard Sasin Scholarship in Chemistry
KAYLA M. BIXLER
Awarded annually to a student enrolled in the chemistry curriculum and who is in good academic standing. Selection is based upon financial need and/or participation in intercollegiate sports.

Cecil M. Upton Organic Chemistry Award
IVANNY J. JACOME OTTATI
Awarded to the outstanding student in the organic chemistry course sequence.

Gerald S. Weiss Chemistry Scholarship
GILLIAN N. GOOD
Awarded to a chemistry major who has demonstrated need and superior academic achievement in Inorganic Chemistry I, CHEM 251, a required course for majors in the ACS-certified program leading to the B.S. in chemistry.

Sandra A. Yeager, Ph.D., Chemistry Scholarship
COURTNEY L. KEARNS
Awarded to a chemistry major with at least 30 credits completed, a CGPA between 2.75 and 3.25 and with demonstrated financial need.

COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Beth Ann Barry Memorial Scholarship in Computer Science
RYAN L. PETERSON
Awarded to rising juniors with a GPA of 3.0 or greater within a range of 45 to 70 earned credit hours, volunteer involvement with the campus and/or local community, involved with computer science organizations or activities, and demonstrated the greatest potential to succeed in a career related to computer science.

Lee E. and Laura H. Boyer Award
JESSICA L. BUTTS
Awarded to a senior who excels in mathematics.

Richard G. Kokat / Andrei Georgescu Memorial Scholarship
CHRISTOPHER A. RICE
Awarded to an incoming freshman computer science major, based upon both merit and financial need.

EARTH SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

Clark-Yalda Scholarship in Atmospheric Science
CHRISTOPHER M. BARLOW
Awarded to an incoming freshman majoring in meteorology who is in the top 25% of her or his high school class and shows evidence of strong science and mathematics skills demonstrated by a combination of class work and standardized tests. First preference is to a student from outside of Pennsylvania who is also of an underrepresented group; otherwise a qualifying out-of-state student; otherwise an underrepresented student from Pennsylvania; and finally, a qualifying student from Pennsylvania. (Gender is not to be considered an underrepresented category unless a particular gender falls below 30% of total enrollment in meteorology.)

The William Malcolm Jordan Earth Sciences Scholarship
BENJAMIN J. WOODS
Awarded to an incoming freshman student planning to major in geology or in earth sciences with a geology emphasis. Preference is to be given to graduates of Penn Manor High School, secondly to students entering from other school districts in Pennsylvania, and lastly from any school district.
Dr. William B. McIlwaine Scholarship in Earth Sciences
JILLIAN D. WEITKAMP
Awarded to a student majoring in earth sciences who has completed 60 credits at Millersville with a QPA of 3.2 or higher and who demonstrates financial need.

Paul H. Nichols Earth Sciences Scholarship
ALEXANDER D. KALTENBAUGH
Awarded to a junior earth sciences major who is chosen on the basis of outstanding motivation and academic excellence.

GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

Robert and Darlene Ford Merit Scholarship in Geography
DAVID J. HABIG
Awarded to a student selected on the basis of merit.

Predmore - Cornogg Scholarship
DYLAN L. HOUSEAL
Awarded to a rising junior or senior majoring in geography who demonstrates a strong commitment to the discipline of geography, with first preference to a student with an interest in land planning. The recipient must be in good academic standing with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and demonstrate financial need.

MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Lee E. and Laura H. Boyer Award
JAMIE E. THORPE
Awarded to a senior who excels in computer science.

Harry E. Canter Statistics Scholarship
SHANE D. BOOKHULTZ
Awarded to the junior or senior mathematics or computer sciences major who has shown the most outstanding performance in statistics.

Class of 1866 Award
REBECCA L. GHRUBE
AMBER K. WINTERS
Awarded to seniors for excellence in mathematics.

Class of 1928 Isaac F. Seiverling Scholarship
AARON J. KEGLOVITS
Awarded to a junior for proficiency in mathematics.

Edna Butler Cohen ’27 Mathematics Scholarship
ADELINE P. GUTHRIE
Awarded to an entering female freshman mathematics major who has demonstrated superior academic excellence.

Joseph and Anita Meier Mathematics Scholarship
JOSHUA R. LARSON
Awarded as tuition to an entering freshman majoring in mathematics. The student must be in the top 10 percent of her/his graduating class or have an SAT math score of at least 600, and have a high school cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 on a scale of 4 or comparable if a different scale is used. Financial need may be a consideration but does not have to be the determining factor. The scholarship may be renewed.

Edna H. Myers Mathematics Scholarship
SHANE D. BOOKHULTZ
AARON J. KEGLOVITS
ROXANNA C. KELLER
SUSAN E. LLOYD
KRISTA A. MAMET
MADISON L. MARTIN
QUINN A. MINNICH
NOELLE G. SHELLENBERGER
KATELYN M. SPANDRA
KHALILE D. STACKHOUSE
JAMIE V. WITTICK
Awarded to incoming freshmen majoring in mathematics.

Isaac F. Seiverling / Charles A. Rutter Scholarship in Mathematics
JAMIE E. THORPE
Awarded to an entering freshman whose major is mathematics or mathematics education. Selection is based primarily on previous academic performance and secondarily on the basis of financial need.
Lt. Col. Jo Ann Cashman Scholarship  
**JANENE B. IRELAND**  
Awarded to a student enrolled in a nursing curriculum and in good academic standing. Preference may be given, but is not limited to, students who are in financial need.

The Forty et Eight (Voiture 42) Scholarship for Nursing Education  
**HEATHER L. ACRIE**  
Awarded to one or more students enrolled in the University’s nursing program. The student should be in pursuit of the bachelor of science in nursing, the master of science in nursing or the nurse practitioner certification. The student should also demonstrate intent to be active in the practice of nursing upon completion of the program. Awarded on basis of academic potential and financial need.

Margaret K. Shenk Nursing Scholarship  
**KIM T. THACH**  
Awarded to nursing students from Lancaster County who successfully complete two semesters of the nursing degree program. Financial need shall be considered.

Liselotte R. Wehrheim Scholarship in Nursing  
**WENDY M. HARBAUGH**  
Awarded to a nontraditional nursing student who, having completed a registered nursing program elsewhere, enrolls at Millersville University with the intent to receive a bachelor of science degree and practice nursing upon graduation. Eligible applicants are to have unusual or special circumstances affecting the completion of their education, such as simultaneously supporting or caring for his/her parents, children or a spouse.

PhD and Kathy Brabson ’70, Ph.D., Physics Scholarship  
**ABIGAIL S. KILLINGSWORTH**  
Awarded to an incoming, full-time freshman physics major, based on merit as demonstrated by: high school class rank or GPA performance with emphasis on academic performance in mathematics and science courses; and standardized test scores (SAT or ACT). Financial need shall be a significant criterion. First preference is to a qualifying student from Lancaster Catholic High School or Solanco High School in alternating sequence. If there are no qualified students from these two schools the selection will be made from Lancaster County, then Pennsylvania.

The Faraday Physics Scholarship  
**JAXSON E. BURNS**  
**KEVIN J. GORING**  
Awarded to two first-time, full-time freshmen pursuing a B.S., B.A. or B.S.Ed. in physics, based on merit as demonstrated by: high school class rank or GPA performance with emphasis on academic performance in mathematics and science courses; and standardized test scores (SAT or ACT). Financial need may be taken into consideration but shall not be the major criterion.

Harry A. ’65 and Carolyn J. Lohss Physics Scholarship  
**ELIZABETH DULAC**  
Awarded to a full-time student pursuing a B.A., B.S. or B.S.Ed. in physics. If the recipient is a freshman, that individual must be in the top 20% of her/his high school class or have a GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale and show evidence of strong science and mathematics skills demonstrated by class work and standardized tests. If awarded to other than a freshman, the recipient must have a CGPA of 3.0 or greater on a 4.0 scale. Financial need may be considered in selecting the recipient, but it is not to be the primary factor.
OTHER ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Dr. James E. Harf ’61 Study Abroad Scholarship
JARED T. STAUFFER
Awarded to offset program expenses for a student studying abroad in a program sponsored by, or coordinated through the Millersville University Office of Global Education and Partnerships. This award will be given to a student who is studying abroad for the very first time. The recipient must be in good academic standing. First preference will be for a student with financial need.

Jackson Family International Education Scholarship
ROSEMARY ASCENCIO
Awarded to offset program expenses for a student pursuing a global education opportunity abroad, including, but not limited to, study abroad, internship abroad or student teaching abroad in a program sponsored by, or coordinated through the Millersville University Office of Global Education and Partnerships. This award will be given to a student who is from an underrepresented population and who has financial need. The recipient must be in good academic standing. Second preference will be for a student who is not from an underrepresented population, but who has financial need.

Landis Family International Scholarship
MAKSIM Y. MELNICHENKO
Awarded to a first-year, first-time international student coming to Millersville University using a student visa (or current U.S. requirements at the time), who demonstrates successful completion of secondary education in their home country and/or provides documentation of successful completion of mandated national exams. The recipient will be proficient in the English language as determined by standardized tests (SAT/ACT/TOEFL as examples). The scholarship is non-renewable and will be offered to a student who demonstrates financial need.

Dr. Eric and Mrs. Jeanne Nakjavani Award for International Study
BRADLEY S. AUKER
Awarded to up to five students for expenses related to study abroad and/or international internships. Students will be selected based upon the following criteria: academic merit, the impact of the education abroad on their professional and personal development, and a commitment to promote international education upon their return to Millersville University. First preference will be given to students with financial need. Second preference or if no student meets the above criteria, the award will be offered to up to five students who are pursuing an academic program with an international or comparative focus, including, but not limited to, Government, International Studies and Foreign Languages.
Student Activities Awards

FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

Judy and Doc Roc Anttonen Women's Intercollegiate Volleyball Scholarship
KELSI B. CERIANI
Awarded to a full-time rising sophomore or junior who is a member of the women's intercollegiate volleyball team when selected and who expects to participate on the team in the year the scholarship is awarded. Recipients must have and maintain a GPA of 2.75 or greater and be progressing toward graduation. This scholarship may be received more than once at the discretion of the sport coach and the athletic director; it is not automatically renewable.

Bishop Family Basketball Scholarship
ALAYAH D. HALL
TOMMY PATTERSON
Awarded to players on the men's and women's basketball teams who have a 2.0 or greater cumulative GPA and are progressing toward graduation.

Gene A. Carpenter Football Scholarship
ALPHA KHAN
JEFFREY M. PAIGE
PATRICK J. SANTOS
Awarded to entering or enrolled student athletes who have established themselves as outstanding intercollegiate football players and have maintained satisfactory academic standing.

The Bennett J. Cooper Baseball Scholarship
CORDELL J. SHANNON
Awarded to financially assist student athletes participating in intercollegiate baseball.

George Doherty Memorial Scholarship for Wrestling
DAVID P. WUESTNER
Awarded to athletes who established themselves as outstanding wrestlers. Entering freshman selection based on potential for outstanding achievement in intercollegiate wrestling; upperclassman selection based on previous achievements of wrestling team.

Glenn M. Flegal '54 Wrestling Scholarship
ALEX S. BAIDER
Awarded to an incoming freshman with a proven wrestling record and who will participate in the wrestling program. If no freshman is available, then the student must be in good academic standing with a GPA of 2.0 or better and be a Millersville University wrestler.

Frerichs Family Women's Basketball Scholarship
ALINJEL A. VAN BRakLE
Awarded to students who participate on the Millersville University Women's basketball team.

Willard O. and Dr. Catherine Gibson Havemeier Scholarship for Football
MORGAN J. FAUGHNAN
Awarded to one or more first-year students who matriculate at Millersville University with a QPA of 3.0 or higher, and who have demonstrated leadership qualities during high school.

Eugene Groff-Arthur Hulme Football Scholarship
COLLIN M. SHANK
Awarded to a student participating in intercollegiate football.

Dr. Robert L. Jones '61 Soccer Award
RYAN J. PHELPS
Awarded to a male or female soccer player who exemplifies the best tradition of the scholar-athlete, is in good academic standing with a CGPA of 2.75 or greater, and who demonstrates leadership, teamwork and service to the University or broader community.

Henry J. Keneagy Scholarship
MACY N. KOONTZ
Awarded to an entering freshman who has registered as a full-time student and has declared an intention to participate in intercollegiate athletics, with the exception of football, and has potential for outstanding achievement.

MAK Men's Athletic Scholarship
KEVIN M. LANG
AHMED I. QAISI
Awarded to students participating in intercollegiate athletics. Recipients must be in the top third of their high school class if selected as first-year students, otherwise the recipient(s) must have and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA.

Men's Basketball Memorial Scholarship
SCOTT B. SLADE
Awarded to athletes who have potential for outstanding achievement in men's intercollegiate basketball. Recipients must meet all requirements for admission or be full-time students in satisfactory academic standing.
Millersville University Alumni Association
Athletic Scholarship
MARCUS J. FRANGAKIS
JARROD S. LLOYD
AMANDA B. MYERS
Awarded to one male and one female athlete who participate in NCAA-recognized sports at Millersville University. Students must attend full-time and maintain an overall GPA of 3.0.

Lois T. Morgan ’54 Student-Athlete Scholarship
TAYLOR M. PARKER
ROBYN L. SPATICHIA
Awarded as tuition to one or more student athletes. There is no sport preference, however if funds are divided, they shall benefit recipients from both men’s and women’s sports. First time recipients must have a GPA of 3.0 or greater; incoming freshmen must have equivalent high school grades. Recipients must demonstrate above average talent in their sports. The scholarship may be renewed at the discretion of the athletic director and respective coaches, providing recipients attain PSAC Scholar Athlete status (currently a 3.25 GPA) and demonstrate continued, active and above average contribution to their sports.

B. Todd Myers Memorial Golf Scholarship
DANIELLE FREED
Awarded to students who participate on the Millersville University men’s and women’s golf teams.

Sandy Peters Field Hockey Award
ARIANNA T. GRAYS
This award is to be disbursed as tuition credit to one or more talented field hockey players. Candidates must have GPAs of at least 2.75/4 and be active on the team in the academic year the scholarship is awarded. If a candidate is an entering freshman, that individual’s high school GPA must be at least 2.75/4 and she must commit to play field hockey at Millersville University upon arrival. The scholarship can be renewed provided the student(s) annually meet the criteria.

Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Scholar-Athlete Award
REID F. ANDERSON
KAYLA M. BIXLER
JAYNIE P. BLACK
CHRISTIAN H. BOYER
TANNER L. BRENNIZE
JAXSON E. BURNS
RAEANN M. BUSKEY
KRISTEN L. BUTZNER
JAMES N. CAIN
ARIANNA S. CAMEL
CARLY C. CASTLE
JESSICA I. CRILLEY
KAYLE A. CUTILP
JAMIE L. DAMIRGAN
AMELIA L. DAVIS
TAYLOR N. DAVIS
SETH E. DECKER
KATIE L. DELUCA
RENEE N. DRAWBAUGH
SEAN M. DUGAN
ELIZABETH A. EBERT
ERIN M. FAGAN
LISA M. FILIPPELLI
EMILY M. FUSCO
SABRINA R. FUSCO
JEREMY GARLING
SAMANTHA K. GILLIS
ARIANNA T. GRAYS
HEATHER L. GROVE
REBECCA L. GRUBE
SAVANNAH H. HALL
STACIE M. HALLINAN
AMANDA B. HAMMOND
TEAGAN B. HANLON
ERIN N. HARMAN
ANDREA L. HARPOOLD
KELLEY R. HERSHEY
KIRSTEN N. HERTZOG
COURTNEY K. INGOLD
RHIANNA L. KALESCY
RENEE P. LANDIS
MACI E. LANGONE
AMANDA C. LONG
NOELLE G. LORSON

Presented at the end of each academic year to student-athletes with a minimum cumulative QPA of 3.25. Students named are for the 2015-2016 academic year.

John A. Pucillo Memorial Scholarship
DAVID J. SUMMERFIELD
Awarded to a student who has participated in intercollegiate athletics at Millersville for at least two years and who has attained a GPA of at least 2.0 or higher upon completion of 60 credits.
Samuel J. Seaber, Jr. Baseball Award
KYLE J. PETERSON
Awarded to up to two active members of the Men's Baseball team who are incoming freshman. The student's high school CGPA must have been 2.75 or greater. The award may be renewed if the student(s) remains active on the team and sustains the required CGPA.

Samuel J. Seaber, Jr. Softball Award
HEATHER L. LUTZ
MEGAN A. MCCURDY
Awarded to up to two active members of the Women's Softball team who have CGPAs of 2.75 or greater. The award may be renewed if the student(s) remains active on the team and sustains the required CGPA.

Robert L. Slabinski Scholarship
KENDRA L. BAMBERGER
Awarded to a student(s) participating in intercollegiate women's basketball, and with a minimum academic average of 2.5, and having 60 or more academic credit hours.

Franklin R. Thomas ’39 Football Scholarship
JOHN J. WEST
Awarded to a student who is an entering freshman, who will participate in intercollegiate football, has an entering high school GPA of at least 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.

James E. Treasure Memorial Football Scholarship
PHILIP R. OVERTON
Awarded to an incoming freshman of good academic high school preparation and who will participate in intercollegiate football. The student will receive the scholarship each year he is in good academic standing and eligible to participate in football.

Marjorie A. Trout Women in Athletics Scholarship
KAYLIE A. CUTLIP
Awarded to female student athletes who are rising juniors or seniors with a CGPA of 2.8 or above.

Walter B. Waetjen ’42, Ed.D., Football Scholarship
HARRISON L. KINSE
Awarded to students who play football. Incoming freshman recipients must have graduated in the top half of their class and have strong potential to contribute to the football team. Preference is to be given to students with financial need. Non-freshman recipients must be in good academic standing with a CGPA of 2.25 or above, progressing toward graduation, and be active members of the football team the academic year the award is received. First preference is for students playing the lineman position.

Barbara J. Waltman ’73 Lacrosse Award
JAMIE L. DAMIRGIAN
Awarded as tuition credit to one or more talented lacrosse players. Candidates must have GPAs of at least 2.75/4 and be active on the team in the academic year the scholarship is awarded. If a candidate is an entering freshman, that individual's high school GPA must be at least 2.75/4 and she must commit to play lacrosse at Millersville University upon arrival. The scholarship can be renewed provided the student annually meets the criteria.

Joseph B. and Judith S. Wilt Men's Basketball Scholarship
RICHARD A. MOSLEY
Awarded as tuition to a member of the men's basketball team. If a returning player or transfer student, the individual must have a GPA of 2.5 or greater. If offered to an incoming freshman, the individual must have similar academic qualifications. This award may be renewed for a total of 10 semesters provided the recipient remains a member of the team and continues to meet the academic qualification.
FOR SERVICE AND ACHIEVEMENT IN THE PERFORMING ARTS

John David Neider Memorial Scholarship
RIKKI M. ETTER
Awarded to a member of the junior class who has made a significant contribution to the success of the performing arts at Millersville University in the areas of music or drama and who has attained a QPA of at least 2.0.

FOR SERVICE AND ACHIEVEMENT IN CAMPUS COMMUNICATIONS

Earle M. Hite Award
ALLISON M. REMIS
Awarded to a member of a student publication of Millersville University who has shown enthusiasm and dedication in the production of The Snapper or Touchstone and meets the following criteria: has worked for the publication for at least four semesters; is versatile and willing to help with any task; and has made notable contributions to the betterment of the publication and the University.

Keith Ranck / Ralph and Judy Anttonen / WIXQ Award
FRISCILLA L. MULROONEY
Awarded to a student who is a member of the WIXQ Executive or Station Council and who has worked at WIXQ for at least two semesters. The recipient will be selected by a committee, including the WIXQ staff advisor, a member of the Student Affairs staff, two graduating senior students from WIXQ and a WIXQ alumnus.

James Hale Steinman Scholarship
CAROLINE J. CAMPBELL
Awarded to juniors or sophomores for recent outstanding work in University communications.

John Frederick Steinman Scholarship
MARY E. RAucci
Awarded to juniors or sophomores for recent outstanding work in University communications.

Dr. Clyde S. and Pauline F. Stine Scholarship
SARA M. WIBERG
Awarded annually to a resident assistant who is a member of the junior class and who has demonstrated outstanding service to resident life.
DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

This award, established in 1971, is given to any alumni member who is a graduate of Millersville University and who has been distinguished in such a way as to bring honor to the individual, to the University and/or the MU Alumni Association.

Lt. Col. Paul M. MacNamara ’84, USA, Retired

Lt. Col. Paul MacNamara has been described as a compassionate warrior who selflessly serves his country, his community and Millersville University. His focus is on serving others, whether offering healing hope to struggling teens; mentoring the brotherhood and service mission of his college fraternity, Sigma Tau Gamma; or displaying unparalleled courage as a U.S. Army Special Forces Commander in Asia, Africa, Europe and South America.

MacNamara graduated from Millersville University in 1984. He grew up in North Carolina, where his father served in the U.S. Army at Ft. Bragg. His father was a Major in the Special Forces who died in the Vietnam War, when his son was just 4 years old. In 1984, MacNamara earned his Army commission from Millersville University’s ROTC program, where he held the highest positions of Cadet Commander and Ranger Commander. He served as an infantry officer with the 101st Airborne Division and completed Special Services training to become a Green Beret. In a military career that spanned more than 20 years, MacNamara commanded two In-Extremes Forces, supporting Theatre Commanders-in-Chief with Special Operations rapid response forces in Asia, Europe and Africa. He served as operations officer of the Advanced Skills Training Battalion for Special Forces, then as Chief of Training for all Army Special Operations Forces, including Green Berets, Rangers and the Task Force 160 Aviation Regiment. MacNamara then served as Commander of the Golden Knights U.S. Army Parachute Team.

Settling in Mechanicsburg, he discovered that the Millersville chapter of his beloved fraternity, Sigma Tau Gamma, was struggling financially and in its mission of service. He and his alumni brothers worked to restore the standing of the fraternity, establishing an alumni chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma. As executive vice president of the board, he mentors the chapter as an advisor. He personally established the Sigma Tau Gamma H. Craig Lewis Memorial Award as an endowment meant to foster the brotherhood in improving their GPAs and serving their community.

Active in the Gold Star Teen Adventure, he supports the team-building outdoor adventure program for children of fallen Special Operations service members. As an entrepreneur, MacNamara is a partner and CEO of the start-up investment firm Strategic Investment Partners LLC.
HONORARY ALUMNI AWARD

This award, established in 1993, is presented to a living individual (non-MU alumnus) who has performed continuous exemplary service to the University or made significant contributions of time, talent or wealth to the University.

Dennis Denenberg, D.Ed.

Dr. Dennis Denenberg, professor emeritus, is known to many as an expert on heroes. He has earned the title of hero by influencing hundreds and possibly thousands of Millersville education students over his 15-year tenure as a professor in the School of Education (now known as the College of Education and Human Services). Many of these students have benefited from the groundbreaking “Hooray for Heroes” program that he initiated while at Millersville.

“Everyone needs a hero, someone to look up to. There are heroes all around us, in our communities and throughout history,” says Dr. Denenberg, who is a graduate of the College of William and Mary.

Dr. Denenberg cheers on the world’s heroes through his “Hooray for Heroes” program that he took on a national tour after retiring. His purpose was to educate and inform students and their families about the impact of heroes in their lives, reaching out to more than 75,000 parents and teachers in the past 23 years. His book “50 American Heroes Every Kid Should Meet” was featured on USA TODAY and CNN Live.

For Dr. Denenberg, there is one hero whom he knew well in his life: beloved sister Diana Denenberg Durand (MU, Class of 1967), who battled breast cancer. Sadly, she did not survive. But her brother has taken up the gauntlet by funding the Diana Denenberg Durand Spirit Garden and Statue in the courtyard at Stayer Hall in honor of his sister.

“Diana is the bravest hero I have ever known,” says Dr. Denenberg, who set up and endowed “Diana’s Dreamers: Determined to Defeat Breast Cancer,” which funds a national online collegiate organization to promote awareness among college-aged women and men.

In his sister’s memory, Dr. Denenberg initiated Millersville’s annual October Breast-A-Ville event, which raises breast cancer awareness on campus and will serve as a model for other colleges through Diana’s Dreamers. His book “50 American Heroes Every Kid Should Meet” has been a huge seller, with proceeds going to the Diana’s Dreamers endowment. He also used the net proceeds from his “Hooray for Heroes” speaking engagements to fund the faculty/student lounge in the Stayer Education Building, which honors his parents, Hilda and David Denenberg.

His wonderful Lancaster home features antiques, collectibles, art and a stunning garden, which he graciously shares with administrators, faculty, staff and alumni.
OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD

The purpose of this annual award, established in 2010, is to recognize one alumni volunteer who has distinguished himself/herself by devoting significant time and effort and outstanding service to the Millersville University Alumni Association or the University on behalf of the Millersville University Alumni Association (MUAA).

Robert “Bob” E. Lehr ’57

If you have ever stopped by Jefferson Hall, you have seen the work of Robert Lehr ’57. This 81-year-old alumnus hand-carved the 6½-foot Marauder that now stands in the athletic recruiting room.

The massive Millersville Marauder was carved from a 1,200-pound block of Vermont kiln-dried basswood that was generously donated by Dr. Dominick DiNunzio ’53. Lehr worked on his Marauder statue for nearly a year, whittling it down to just 550 pounds. It was modeled after one of his favorite literary characters, Long John Silver, from Robert Louis Stevenson's adventurous tale, "Treasure Island."

Lehr was born in Millersville in 1935 and raised in an 18th-century log cabin. The first in his family to go to college, he went to Millersville, along with his high school sweetheart, Mary. He played baseball and basketball, graduating in 1957 with a degree in elementary education. Mary graduated a year later in 1958 with degrees in English and Latin.

Lehr discovered that the name “Marauders” came about in the 1940s, when Millersville had an undefeated football team. Lancaster New Era sports editor George Kirchner started calling the team the Marauders and it stuck. Lehr served in the U.S. Army during the occupation of Germany.

After he returned, he began a long career as an educator at Lancaster Township, Pequea Valley and the School District of Lancaster, where he was principal at John Price Elementary School. At Pequea Valley, he was the principal at Paradise Elementary, Leacock Elementary and five one-room schools. He also coached junior high basketball.

Through the years, Bob served on the engagement committee of the Millersville University Alumni Association, while Mary is active on the events committee. The Lehrs attend the annual Homecoming festivities and help greet alums at the alumni tent. He even created a treasure hunt event, with clues hidden all over campus. The Lehrs faithfully attend MU After Work get-togethers, and Bob often donates unique door prizes: hand-carved miniature Marauder pins.
YOUNG ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Millersville University's Young Alumni Achievement Award was created in 2012 as a way to recognize baccalaureate graduates who have been identified as outstanding in their professions. These alumni can be held as examples of exemplary achievement for current students. All baccalaureate graduates of Millersville University who have been alumni for five to 20 years at the time of nomination and who have recorded notable accomplishments in their chosen professions are eligible for this award.

THOMAS G. BERNHARDT ’96, PH.D.

Less than 20 years since graduating from Millersville University with a B.S. degree in chemistry with biochemistry option, Dr. Thomas Bernhardt has made his mark as one of the world's leading microbiologists, focusing his expertise on the urgent threat of antibiotic resistance.

Dr. Bernhardt's four years at Millersville hinted at what he would achieve later in life. As an undergraduate student, he was honored with the Freshman Chemistry Award, Organic Chemistry Award, Richard Sasin Endowed Scholarship in Chemistry, and Southeastern Pennsylvania Section of the American Chemical Society Award. He received his doctorate in biochemistry and biophysics at Texas A&M University, where he was mentored by Dr. Ryland Young in researching how simple bacterial viruses destroy bacterial cells when they replicate. For his work at A&M, Dr. Bernhardt received the prestigious Nat Sternberg Thesis Prize, administered by Cold Spring Harbor Laboratories for the most outstanding Ph.D. thesis in bacterial molecular biology. At Case Western Reserve University, he was awarded the Krampitz Award for excellence in Postdoctoral Research, for his work in the molecular mechanisms underlying bacterial cell division.

A rising star at Harvard Medical School's internationally acclaimed Department of Microbiology and Immunobiology, Dr. Bernhardt was promoted to full professor with tenure in just nine years. His research laboratory's groundbreaking work on bacterial cell wall assembly is funded by grants from the National Institutes of Health. The process of cell wall assembly is the target of many of our most effective antibiotics, including penicillin and related drugs. However, resistance to these drugs is on the rise. "Antibiotic resistance is a major threat to our healthcare system, jeopardizing medical advancements such as chemotherapy, organ transplants and joint replacement surgery," says Dr. Bernhardt. He is the recipient of many fellowships and awards at the Harvard Medical School, including the Mentoring Award from the Harvard Biological and Biomedical Sciences Graduate Program.

To help combat antibiotic resistance, Dr. Bernhardt collaborates with researchers in Harvard's Department of Microbiology and Immunobiology, as well as the Department of Chemistry and Chemical Biology, to understand the fundamental mechanisms by which bacteria build their cell wall. The insights gained from these studies promise to facilitate the development of antibiotics that can save lives throughout the world.
JOHN G. “GREG” PIZZOLI ’05

Greg Pizzoli graduated from Millersville University in 2005 with a B.A. in English and a minor in studio art. Pizzoli used his talents as a writer and an artist to become a popular children's author and illustrator.

His whimsical picture books capture a world of imagination, where a cute lime green croc with not very sharp teeth becomes alarmed after he accidentally swallows a watermelon seed in the aptly titled “The Watermelon Seed.” The delightfully rendered tale was published by Disney Hyperion Books and won the 2014 Theodor Seuss Geisel Award (aka Dr. Seuss).

In just three years, Pizzoli has created and/or illustrated more than a dozen children's picture books. They include “Tricky Vic,” the true story of the con man who sold the Eiffel Tower; “Number One Sam,” the daring race car dog who must be #1; “Templeton Gets His Wish,” about a ginger cat who dreams of a life on his own; “Good Night, Owl” for his art school mentor; “Just Itzy,” the not terribly frightening spider of nursery rhyme fame; and “Dragon was Terrible,” the badly behaved dragon no one could tame.

Pizzoli grew up in York and after graduating from Millersville, he served in AmeriCORPS for two years, working with children, which influenced his interest in writing and illustrating books for kids. He went on to earn his Master of Fine Arts in book arts and printmaking at the University of the Arts in Philadelphia. Pizzoli is now a senior lector at University of the Arts.

“In my books I look at themes that are common to children, like anxiety about things in life, the powerlessness of being a kid and, of course, exciting adventure,” says Pizzoli, adding that his upcoming book is a true story about an intrepid explorer in the Amazon.

This versatile alumnus is an author, illustrator and screen printmaker. He has a gift for color, creating bold vibrant images that charm kids and grown-ups alike. His work has been featured in The New York Times, Communication Arts and 3X3 Magazine. He has also garnered two Portfolio Honor Awards from the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators.

KRYSTIN ALBRIGHT WATERS ’05, Ed. D.

In less than a dozen years since graduating from Millersville University in 2005, Kristin Waters has unwaveringly strived to reach her goals.

With a Bachelor of Arts in psychology from Millersville, she went on to earn her Master of Arts in education, educational leadership and policy studies at Virginia Tech in 2007, then her Master of Business Administration at Capitol College in 2011. Earlier this year, she received her Doctor of Education in educational leadership from Frostburg State University in Maryland.

Dr. Waters has been associate director of operations for undergraduate admissions for the University of Maryland in Baltimore County for three years and previously served at UMBC’s office of the registrar. To say she is accomplished is an understatement.

“Kristin is a true leader in her community and within the institutions she serves,” says John Held ’02, who nominated Waters and was the recipient of the 2015 Young Alumni Achievement Award. “It has been a joy to watch her learn and grow in her career. She embodies all that makes Millersville University and its alumni the best in the world.”

Among Kristin Waters’ achievements are serving on the MUAA Board of Directors for seven years and as secretary for two years. She is a member of the formation group for the regional Association for Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, serving as vice president and secretary. She has presented three times at the Middle States Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, publishing articles on higher education in the national journal, C&U (College & University); been selected as featured speaker for Baker Leadership and served on the Professional Staff Senate at UMBC.

Her energy is impressive, especially when she uses it for charity. An avid marathon runner, Kristin has raised more than $2,000 for the charity First Descents. To date, she has already completed 48 marathons, but she’s not done yet. “My goal is to complete 100 marathons before my 40th birthday,” she says. We’ll be cheering her on.
Those We Honor

The awards presented at this ceremony honor many individuals who are part of Millersville University's history. The following former and present faculty, administrators, students and friends, or in some cases their family members, are among those who have been recognized with awards and scholarships established in their honor. The individuals' years of service to the University are shown in parentheses.

Joseph J. Abromaitis is professor of industry and technology emeritus. (1969-2002)

African-American/Latino Scholarship was initiated and continues to be significantly funded by African-American and Latino alumni.

Dora L. Andrulonis (deceased) was a friend of the University.

Ralph and Judy Anttonen Dr. Anttonen retired as professor, chair, academic and student development, and director of the Exploratory Program in 2012. Judy Anttonen is a 1973 graduate with a B.S. degree and received a master's degree in 1976. Affectionately and collectively known as “Doc and Mama Roc,” Doc was the advisor for the University radio station WIXQ. He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2010.

Judge and Mrs. Anthony Appel (both deceased) were strong supporters of the arts. The scholarship was established by their son, Andrew Appel, a friend of the University.

Leo Ascher (deceased) was a Viennese composer. The award was established by Franz Ascher-Nash, his daughter. The Leo Ascher Center for Operetta Music in Ganser Library was also established in his honor.

Elizabeth H. Aston (deceased) was a member of the 1928 graduating class. The award was established in her memory by her grandson, Patrick Donan, a member of the 1985 graduating class.

Thomas R. Baker (deceased) was a member of the graduating class of 1860 and on the science faculty of the Millersville State Normal School. (1867-87)

Guy Kurtz Bard (deceased) was a prominent Lancaster attorney who served as president of the Millersville State Normal School Board of Trustees. (1936-39)

Kendig C. and Nancy Bare (both deceased) were philanthropists and civic activists.

Beth Ann Barry (deceased) was a member of the 1984 graduating class and a computer science major. The endowment was established by her husband, C. Clair McCormick, a former member of the Millersville University Foundation Board of Directors.

Ann B. Barshinger is a friend of the University.

Esther Herr Bear (deceased) was a member of the 1916 graduating class.

Paul S. and Caroline Beideman Mr. Beideman is a member of the 1971 graduating class. Mrs. Beideman is a friend of the University.

D. Luke and Elva W. Biemesderfer (both deceased) Dr. Biemesderfer, Class of 1917, was president emeritus, and served as president of the University (1943-65). He received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 1971. Mrs. Biemesderfer, also Class of 1917, was a former president of the Campus Club.

Larry W. and Mariann Bishop Mr. Bishop was director of human resources at Millersville University. (1985-2000). Mrs. Bishop (deceased) was associate researcher in University Advancement (1986-2006). They along with their daughter, Karen Hilton, a member of the 2000 graduating class, are avid followers of Millersville University's football and basketball programs.

Grace Doan Bitler and Charles F. Bitler, Jr. (both deceased) were friends of the University.

Cora Catharine Bitner (deceased) taught at the Millersville State Normal School. The award was established by Harry Bitner, a member of the Class of 1900, in memory of his mother.

Henry Franklin Bitner (deceased) was a teacher of science. (1886-1909)

BSU/Allen-Coleman Award was named for Melvin Allen ’69, associate professor of philosophy and executive director of the Civic and Community Engagement Research Project emeritus, and for Jennifer Coleman, a student who lost her life in an automobile accident in 1983.

Richard and Elaine Blouse are both members of the 1967 graduating class.

Elizabeth G. Botdorf (deceased) was a member of the 1922 graduating class.

Dr. Lee E. and Laura H. Boyer (both deceased) Dr. Boyer was professor of mathematics emeritus. (1934-57)

Chip and Kathy Brabson Mr. Brabson is a member of the 1970 graduating class and served as president of the Millersville University Alumni Association from 2005-07. Mr. Brabson is a friend of the University.

Jean Bradel is associate professor of music emerita. (1978-2008) Mr. and Mrs. R. Clinton Hughes (both deceased) and their daughter, Kathryn Seaber, lauded Jean's vocal career by establishing this endowment.

J. Elvin Brenner (deceased) was a member of the 1909 graduating class. The scholarship was established by his grandson, Lyman R. Brenner, a member of the 1971 graduating class.

Richard F. Brenner (deceased) was a member of the 1941 graduating class. The scholarship was established by his son, Lyman R. Brenner, a member of the 1971 graduating class.

Robert V. and Virginia K. Brown (both deceased) Dr. Robert V. Brown was assistant vice president for academic affairs emeritus. (1962-80)
Michael K. and Neysa M. Frantantoni Callahan both are members of the 1981 graduating class.

Dr. Craig Camasta is a member of the 1986 graduating class.

Rosario Caminero (deceased) was professor of foreign languages emerita. (1990-2006)

Harry E. Canter (deceased) was a member of the 1957 graduating class and associate professor of mathematics. (1964-81)

Joseph A. and Linda R. Caputo Dr. Joseph Caputo is president emeritus and served as president of the University (1981-2003). Dr. Caputo received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2003 and an honorary degree from the University in 2007. Dr. Linda Caputo received the Honorary Alumni Award from the Millersville University Alumni Association in 1993 and an honorary degree from the University in 2003.

Gene A. Carpenter (deceased) was professor of wellness and sports sciences emeritus and was head football coach and director of men's athletics (1979-2001). He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2002.

Don R. and Judith C. Carter Mrs. Carter is a member of the 1960 graduating class and a former director the Millersville University Foundation. Mr. Carter is a friend of the University.

Lt. Col. Jo Ann Cashman (deceased) established this scholarship to fund tuition for students in the nursing program.

Laurene E. Cassady-Auker (deceased) was a member of the 1924 graduating class. She taught for 40 years in the Altoona, Pa., school system.

Dr. Samuel E. Casselberry is a professor of anthropology emeritus. (1970-2004)

Steven R. Centola (deceased) was professor of English emeritus. (1985-2008)

Ernest and Mary Chamberlin are the parents of David B. Chamberlin, professor of English emeritus. The award was established in their honor by Mr. Chamberlin and his wife, Betsy, a member of the 1970 graduating class.

Christina A. Ciallella (deceased) was a junior at Millersville University in 1997 when she died from a heart condition. She was a mathematics major.

Richard D. Clark and Sepi Yalda both are professors of meteorology. Dr. Clark is the chairperson of the Department of Earth Sciences. Dr. Yalda is the director of the Center for Disaster Research and Education, coordinator of the Master of Science in Emergency Management program, and former director of the Millersville University Foundation.

Edna Butler Cohen (deceased) was a member of the 1927 graduating class.

Dorothy L. Connolly (deceased) was a friend of the University. The scholarship was established by her children, Mrs. Susan Eckert and Mr. Peter Connolly, friends of the University.

Bennett J. and Joanne E. Wargo Cooper are both members of the 1967 graduating class. Mr. Cooper received an honorary degree from the University in 2012.

Helen B. Corbett (deceased) was a friend of the Campus Club and the University.

Richard G. Cornogg is a friend of the University and was inspired by the philanthropy of his grandfather.

Martha B. Gross Culbertson and Bradley J. Culbertson Mrs. Culbertson (deceased) was a nurse and Mr. Culbertson is a member of the 1951 graduating class. He served in the military, taught junior high school and at the college level and was an admissions officer at York College.

Gladys Cooper Cunningham (deceased) was a member of the 1930 graduating class.

Beatrice U. Datesman (deceased) was assistant professor of educational media emerita. (1950-72)

Aimee Y. Decker (deceased) was a member of the 1916 graduating class.

Benjamin J. and Anna DeBlois DelTito Dr. DelTito is a member of the 1977 graduating class and is a director on the Millersville University Foundation. Mrs. DelTito is a friend of the University.

Dr. Cynthia Dilgard (deceased) was professor of English emerita. (1979-2004)

William A. Dinges, J.D. is a member of the 1965 graduating class.

Dr. Dominick and Mrs. Helen DiNunzio Dr. DiNunzio is a member of the 1953 graduating class and served on the Millersville University Alumni Association board in a number of capacities. Mrs. DiNunzio is a descendent of Rev. Lewis Hobbs and a friend of the University. Dr. DiNunzio received the Distinguished Alumni Award in 2003.

Laura B. Doering (deceased) was a member of the 1935 graduating class and librarian emerita. (1953-76)

George K. Doherty (deceased) was a member of the 1953 graduating class and was a wrestler at Millersville.

Barbara A. Donan is a member of the 1953 graduating class. The award was established in her honor by her son, Patrick Donan, a member of the 1985 graduating class.

William H. and Alma P. Duncan Dr. William H. Duncan (deceased), president emeritus, served as president of the University (1968-81). A member of the graduating class of 1940, he taught social studies at the Lab School Junior High (1946-50), and he was director of admissions and associate professor of education (1950-64) and dean of student affairs (1964-68). Mrs. Alma Duncan is a retired elementary school teacher who taught at the Millersville Lab School and Eshleman Elementary School in Millersville. Dr. and Mrs. Duncan received President's Medallions in 1995. Dr. Duncan received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 1980.

Dr. Dean Dutcher (deceased) was dean of the School of Humanities and Social Science, now known as the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences. (1927-52). The scholarship was established by his late wife, Claribel Elder Dutcher. His late son, Richard D., and daughter-in-law, Ruth, established the Dean Dutcher Memorial Music Endowment to assist the scholarship's funding.

James Ebbert (deceased) was a graduate of the class of 1941.

Robert and B. Jeanne Elder (both deceased) Mr. Elder was a former director of purchasing and accounts payable at Millersville University.
Daniel G. Engle (deceased) was a professor of physics. (1955-76)

Paul W. Eshelman (deceased) was associate professor of industrial arts (1947-72) and professor emeritus.

Grace W. Evans (deceased) was a clerk stenographer in the Office of Graduate Studies and Extended Programs. (1956-93)

Dominick J. and Frances M. Fanani (both deceased) Dr. Fanani was professor of art emeritus. (1961-82)

Margaret V. Farster and James R. Farster (both deceased) Margaret Farster was a friend of the University. James R. Farster was a member of the 1964 graduating class. The scholarship was established by the estate of Mr. James E. Farster, husband of Margaret and father of James. He was a friend of the University.

Elwood J. Finley (deceased) was a friend of the University.

Glenn M. Flegal is a member of the 1954 graduating class and was a wrestler at Millersville. He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 1995.

Dr. Valborg Fletty (deceased) was dean of women (1956-62) and professor of history and social studies emerita. (1963-70)

Dr. Robert N. Ford (deceased) and Darlene I. Ford Dr. Ford was professor of geography emeritus (1957-85). Mrs. Ford is a friend of the University. She received an Honorary Alumni Award in 2005.

Dr. Abram J. Foster (deceased) was professor of history emeritus. (1952-79)

Marion G. Foster (deceased) was professor of social work emerita. (1967-85)

Alice R. Fox (deceased) was a friend of the University. The award was established by Mrs. Leah Fudem in memory of her friend.

Renee L. Fraker is a member of the 2009 graduating class and was a member of the field hockey team.

Peter H. Freedman (deceased) The award was established by Dr. Edward S. Freedman a friend of the University.

Frerichs Family Dr. Richard Frerichs, a member of the 1964 graduating class, is professor of educational foundations emeritus (1968-2004), and served as president of the Millersville University Alumni Association from 2007-09. Other family members are daughters Kimberlee, a friend of the University, and Melissa ’05, and his wife Marsha (deceased). Dr. Frerichs received the Distinguished Alumni Award in 2006, the Outstanding Volunteer Service Award in 2010 and a President’s Medallion in 2012.

Leah Fudem (deceased) earned a bachelor’s and master’s degree from Millersville. She was active in student publications and was assistant professor of English emerita. (1970-79)

Roy S. and Mary Garden Gamber (both deceased) Roy was a member of the 1933 graduating class, and Mary was a member of the 1934 graduating class.

Andrei Georgescu (deceased) was a member of the 1984 graduating class, remembered by his mother, Liliana Zancu, professor of English emeritus. (1980-2001)

Arthur and Claribel Walker Gerhart (both deceased) Arthur Gerhart was department chair and professor of natural science emeritus. (1928-55)

Sally Gibson (deceased) was a friend of the University.

Dr. Joseph and Susan Fulton Glass Dr. Glass is a member of the 1953 graduating class and is professor of geography emeritus. (1961-90) Mrs. Glass is a member of the 1984 graduating class.

Jan L. Graybill and Alisa McCambridge-Graybill are members of the 1980 graduating class. Mr. Graybill serves as a director and president of the Millersville University Foundation. They made possible the Omicron Delta Epsilon Economics Research Award.

Stephen R. and Mary Ann Gring Dr. Gring is a member of the 1972 graduating class. Mrs. Gring is a member of the 1974 graduating class.

Eugene G. “Gene” Groff (deceased) was associate professor of education emeritus and coached swimming and football. (1958-82)

James W. Groff, D.O. is a graduate of the class of 1972.

Nancy Zakrewski Groff (deceased) was a member of the 1982 graduating class. The award was established in her memory by her husband, Jeffrey Groff, a member of the 1981 graduating class.

John and Audrey Hallgren are friends of the University.

Dr. Jane Hannigan is a friend of the University.

Dr. James E. Harf is a member of the 1961 graduating class.

John K. Harley (deceased) was a member of the 1880 graduating class.

James Hamilton and Lucretia Boyd Hartzel (both deceased) Lucretia Boyd Hartzel was a music teacher at Millersville State Normal School (1928-33). James Hamilton Hartzell was her husband.

Willard O. and Catherine Gibson Havemeier (both deceased) were friends and volunteers of Millersville University.

Jeffrey Hawthorne (deceased) extended a helping hand to those in need. The award was established by his sister, Harriet, and her husband, Michael Kometa, both members of the 1964 graduating class.

Frank R. Heavner (deceased) was assistant professor of English. (1966-82)

Don L. and Irene M. Helsel (both deceased) were friends of the University. The annual scholarship was established in their memory by their daughter, Jerri Anne Johnson Hackett, a member of the 1976 graduating class and former president of the Millersville University Alumni Association.

Alex Henderson Jr. (deceased) was professor of biology emeritus. (1955-91)

Truman A. Bender Herr was a friend of the University. A gift was made from the estate of his wife, Ruth B. Herr, a member of the 1950 graduating class.

Mervin W. Hess is a member of the 1970 graduating class.

Richard J. Hess Sr. (deceased) was professor of psychology emeritus and a member of the 1949 graduating class. (1964-78) He received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 2004.

Justin Flannery Hilton (deceased) was a member of the 2007 graduating class and a member of the Millersville University baseball team.
Floyd “Shorty” Hitchcock (deceased) was a wrestling coach at Millersville University until the time of his death. (1984-2002)

Earle M. Hite Jr. (deceased) was assistant professor of English and journalism, director of public relations and director of student publications. (1956-70). The award is sponsored by his children Sherma J. Hite Woolstenhulme ’06, Mark C. Hite, Nancy E. Hite Giles, James D. Hite and Michael E. Hite ’67.

Albert C. Hoffman served as assistant professor of biology (1970-76), professor of biology (1977-82), dean of the School of Science and Mathematics emeritus, now known as the College of Science and Technology. (1983-99) Dr. Hoffman received a President’s Medalion from the University in 1999.

Alan S. and Adeline Holliday (both deceased) Mr. Holliday was a former president of the Millersville University Foundation. Mrs. Holliday is a benefactor and friend of the University.

Kathlyn Houlanah is a friend of the University. The scholarship was established in her honor by her son, Dr. Micheal Houlanahan, chair of the Millersville University Department of Music.

Russell Clinton and Dorothy Hughes (both deceased) were friends of the University.

Arthur R. Hulme is associate professor of wellness and sport sciences emeritus and coached football. (1955-84)

Peter L. and Barbara B. Hunsberger Mr. Hunsberger is a friend of the University. Mrs. Hunsberger is a member of the 1965 graduating class and associate professor of librarianship emerita. (1973-2001)

Ralph J. Hyson (deceased) was a junior at Millersville in 1967 when he died of spinal meningitis.

Vanessa Iliffe and Patrick McCaskey Ms. Iliffe is a friend of the University. Dr. McCaskey was associate professor of business administration and director of the Small Business Institute at Millersville University. (1988-2013)

Anne C. Jackson is a member of the 1978 graduating class and is a director and vice president of the Millersville University Foundation.

Hazel I. Jackson (deceased) was an assistant professor of English emerita. (1970-94)

Jackson Memorial Scholarship remembers Norman M. and Belva A. Jackson and Lewis M. Jackson, parents and brother of Lelia M. Stauffer ’29 (deceased). The scholarship was established by Mrs. Stauffer and her husband, Dr. George F. Stauffer ’29 (deceased), professor of earth sciences emeritus.

Michael Jamanis and Frances Veri are friends of the University.

William Malcolm Jordan is professor of earth sciences (geology) emeritus. (1966-2000)

Robert L. Jones, D.Ed. was a member of the 1961 graduating class. He was a player-coach, a leading scorer in both goals and assists and a founding captain of the men’s soccer team.

Henry J. Kauffman (deceased) was a member of the 1932 graduating class and professor of industrial arts emeritus. (1942-73) He received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 1974.

Dr. Catherine Keever (deceased) was a professor of biology emerita. (1955-74)

Richard C. Keller (deceased) was a member of the 1945 graduating class and department chair and professor of history emeritus. (1952-85) He received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 1989.

Henry J. Keneagy (deceased) was a member of the 1951 graduating class and former director of admissions at Millersville University.

Esther M. Kilheffer (deceased) was associate professor of geography emerita. (1956-73)

Beatrice M. Killough (deceased) was associate professor of foreign languages. (1959-82)

Andrew and Clara Kissh (both deceased) were friends of the University. The award was established in their memory by their daughter, Andrea Kissh, a member of the 1976 graduating class.

Esther S. Knaub (deceased) was a member of the 1951 graduating class.

Richard G. Kokat (deceased) was a member of the 1964 graduating class with a bachelor's degree in industrial arts; a member of the 1980 graduating class with a master's degree in education; and a member of the 1982 graduating class with a bachelor's degree in computer science.

James E. Koken (deceased) was professor of chemistry emeritus. The scholarship was established by M. Diane Koken, Class of 1972, and John Herr III to honor Ms. Koken's father. (1947-76)

Helen Koontz (deceased) was a member of the 1898 graduating class and a member of the alumni association.

Dr. Michael G. Kovach (deceased) was assistant vice president for academic affairs and dean of graduate studies. (1959-85)

David B., Ph.D., and Kathryn Millar Kraybill (both deceased) Dr. Kraybill was a friend of the University and Mrs. Kraybill was a member of the 1915 graduating class.

Charlotte A. Lafferty (deceased) was a friend of the University. The scholarship was established by her daughter, Elizabeth L. Garner, a member of the 1991 graduating class and her son-in-law, Joseph W. Garner, a member of the 1990 graduating class and a former president and director of the Millersville University Foundation.

Dr. Darryl L. Landis is a member of the 1985 graduating class and a current director of the Millersville University Foundation.

Edward J. Laucks (deceased) was president of the Springettsbury Township Sertoma Club, York County. The scholarship was given by the club in his memory.

Dr. Secunderabad N. Leela (deceased) was associate professor of economics emeritus. (1969-96)

Esther E. Lenhardt (deceased) was a member of the 1910 graduating class. She taught speech and English (1920-51) and was alumni secretary. (1951-63)

Richard S. Levandusky (deceased) was a member of the 1958 graduating class. The award was established by his wife, Nancy, and his daughter, Johanne Shutter, a member of the 1980 graduating class and a former member of the University staff.

Jean-Paul Levy (deceased) was a professor at the University of Toulouse in France but spent many summers, over a 20-year span, teaching in the French Summer School at Millersville University.
The Honorable H. Craig Lewis (deceased) was a member of the 1966 graduating class and a member of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity. Senator Lewis served in the Pennsylvania State Senate (1974-94) representing the sixth district (Bucks County and parts of Philadelphia).

Eric G. and Rochelle M. Liddell Mr. Liddell is a member of the 1971 graduating class and a former director of the Millersville University Foundation. Mrs. Liddell is a member of the 1972 graduating class.

Harry and Carolyn J. Lohss Mr. Lohss is a member of the 1963 graduating class. Mrs. Lohss is a friend of the University.

Jacqueline Long (deceased) was associate professor of foreign languages emerita. (1966-99)

John W. W. “Jack” Loose (deceased) was a member of the 1947 graduating class.

Esther Stoll Barlow Lowry (deceased) was associate professor of education and psychology emerita (1958-67) and a member of the 1923 graduating class.

V.J. Marcelis (deceased) was a member of the 1997 graduating class who majored in elementary education. The award was established by his family and friends.

Violet F. Markey (deceased) was a member of the 1938 graduating class and an active officer in the York County Alumni Branch. She was a retired elementary school teacher of the York County School District.

John C. and Ann Sheridan Martin Mr. Martin is a member of the 1973 graduating class and a former director of the Millersville University Foundation. Ms. Sheridan Martin is a member of the 1974 graduating class.

Sanders P. McComsey (deceased) was a member of the 1917 graduating class. He served as professor of education, department chair and dean of instruction. (1927-55)

William B. McIlwaine is professor of earth science emeritus (1958-92) and a member of the Council of Trustees and director of the Millersville University Foundation. He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2007.

F. Wendle McLaughlin (deceased) was a friend of the University.

Francine G. and Gladys B. McNairy Dr. Francine McNairy is president emerita (2003-13) and received an honorary degree from the university in 2013. Her mother, Gladys (deceased), was a friend of the University.

Dr. Alice M. Meckley is professor of elementary and early childhood education emerita. (1980-2010)

Joseph A. and Anita R. Meier (both deceased) Dr. Joseph Meier was professor of mathematics emeritus. (1963-91)

John Mentzer (deceased) was a Lancaster County native and student at Millersville Normal School.

Dr. Dale H. Messerschmidt is a member of the 1960 graduating class.

Helen R. Metzler (deceased) was associate professor of education emerita. (1969-77)

Robert Shields Metzler (deceased) was associate professor of education emeritus. (1958-72)

Lois T. Morgan is a member of the 1954 graduating class.

Charles E. and Betty F. Muench Charles Muench (deceased) was assistant professor of English and speech emeritus. (1963-86)

Raymond C. Mullin (deceased) was director of safety education and professor of educational foundations emeritus. (1956-85)

Philip C. and Karen Ashkar Murley Mr. Murley (deceased) was a friend of the University. Mrs. Murley is a member of the 1963 graduating class.

B. Todd Myers (deceased) was a member of the 1989 graduating class and a member of the Millersville University golf team.

C. Maxwell and Edna H. Myers (both deceased) Dr. Maxwell Myers served as dean of men (1941-47), director of the Psychological Clinic (1948), professor of history and social studies (1949-66), and was department head (1956-66).

Dr. Eric and Mrs. Jeanne Nakjavani are friends of the University.

John David Neider (deceased) was a senior elementary education major at Millersville when he lost his life in an automobile accident in 1974.

Gary Nicholas (deceased) was a 40-year employee of C-P Flexible Packaging.

Paul H. Nichols (deceased) was former department chair and professor of earth sciences emeritus. (1967-95) He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2000.

Jay B. Niesley (deceased) was a member of the Class of 1973. While at Millersville, he was president of the Student Senate for two years and was the first student representative on the Council of Trustees. He was also active with the alumni council.

Joseph P. and Marianne S. Nolt Mr. Nolt is a friend of the University. Mrs. Nolt is a member of the Class of 1970 and received a master's degree in 1974.

John D. and Renee Genbauffe O'Leary Dr. John “Jack” O'Leary (deceased) was a friend of the University. Dr. Renee O'Leary is a member of the 1950 graduating class and a former director of the Millersville University Foundation. She received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 2001.

Fred E. Oppenheimer is professor of foreign languages emeritus. (1971-98)

Kate Y. Parker is a member of the 1976 graduating class, a former director of the Millersville University Foundation and was a member of the “Soar to Greatness” capital campaign. While at MU she served on Student Senate and was a member of the Black Student Union.

James C. Parks (deceased) was professor of biology emeritus. (1968-2002)

Dorothy J. Patterson (deceased) was a friend of the University. The scholarship was established by her husband, Robert E. Patterson, who was a former president and current lifetime director of the Millersville University Foundation.
Sandra L. “Sandy” Peters is assistant professor of Wellness & Sport Sciences emerita. (1968-84) At MU she was the assistant director of Women’s Athletics, coached field hockey and track and field, and was the assistant coach for women’s basketball and lacrosse.

Patricia E. Pillar (deceased) was the mother of James Pillar, a member of the 1990 graduating class. He established the award in her memory for the motivation she provided for her children and grandchildren’s academic success.

Audrey Pomponi (deceased) The award was established in her memory by her son, Steven, a member of the 1989 graduating class, and daughter-in-law, Lynn, a member of the 1991 graduating class.

James F. Predmore and Bernice M. Predmore (both deceased) are parents of an alumna and grandparents of an alumnus.

Aurora Wickey Pucillo (deceased) taught health and physical education at Millersville University and served as a coach for women’s athletics and directed the annual May Fete, which funded this endowment. (1930-38)

John A. Pucillo (deceased) was a coach, athletic director and administrator at Millersville. (1925-57)

E.L. Quarantelli is a friend of the University.

Sydney Radinovsky (deceased) was professor of biology emeritus. (1964-2000)

Keith Ranck (deceased) was a member of the 1991 graduating class and an active member of WIXQ.

Margie L. Ranck (deceased) was a member of the graduating class of 1908 and lifetime member of the Millersville University Alumni Association.

Willis Ratzlaff is professor of biology emeritus. (1963-88) He and his family established the Ratzlaff Scholarship.

Gary and Jacqueline Reighard Dr. Gary Reighard (deceased) served as associate professor of counseling and psychology (1967-69) and was vice president of student affairs emeritus (1969-97). Mrs. Reighard volunteered 28 years of service to the Millersville University community. Dr. and Mrs. Reighard both received the Honorary Alumni Award; she in 1995 and he in 1996. They were presented President’s Medallions in 1996.

Irene Renshaw (deceased) was the grandmother of Andrew Burke, a member of the 1999 graduating class, and his wife, Lisa, a member of the 1996 graduating class.

Phillip B. Ressler (deceased) was general manager of Suburban Cable (now Comcast) in Lancaster. The scholarship was initiated by his friends, relatives and co-workers at Suburban Cable.

Lucinda L. Ridley is professor of special education emerita. (1989-2011)

Helen C. Riso (deceased) was dean of women (1963-88), served as dean for off-campus life (1973-88) and coordinated the Summer Conference Program (1972-88). This award was established by the Millersville University Commuting Students Association.

Patricia K. and Dr. Charles W. Robertson, Jr. Mrs. Robertson is a member of the 1966 graduating class. Dr. Robertson is a friend of the University. Dr. and Mrs. Robertson received honorary degrees in 2010.

Kyle Rodgers (deceased) was the son of Rick Rodgers, a friend of the University. The scholarship was established by Kyle’s stepmother, Jessica Rodgers.

Jane B. Rohrer is a friend of the University. Nicholas E. Stephens (deceased) was a freshman at Millersville University in 1997 when he died. He was a social studies education major with a concentration in sociology/anthropology.

Lina A. Ruiz y Ruiz is professor of foreign languages emerita. (1967-83)

Theodore H. Rupp (deceased) was a former wrestling coach, and was professor of foreign languages emeritus. (1946-82)

Bernice R. Rydell is vice president for finance and administration emerita. (1993-2007)

Florence Wilson Ryder (deceased) was a member of the 1936 graduating class.

Richard Sasin (deceased) was professor of chemistry emeritus. (1966-88)

James W. and Sally C. Saxton Mr. Saxton is a friend of the University. Mrs. Saxton is a member of the 1978 graduating class.

Robert D. (deceased) and Roma J. Sayre Dr. Sayre was an adjunct and assistant professor of history (1988-2008) and campus chaplain (1981-97). Mrs. Sayre retired from the University in 2006 with 18 years of service.

Hazel Rork Schmuck (deceased) was a member of the 1925 graduating class.

Clarence Schock (deceased) was a member of the 1883 graduating class, former owner of the SICO Company, a conservationist and philanthropist. In 1941 the company was organized as a nonprofit organization providing funds for public education. Many people today enjoy the Clarence Schock Memorial Park at Governor Dick State Park in Lebanon County.

Edward L. and Kathy H. Schoenberger Mr. Schoenberger is a member of the 1964 graduating class and Mrs. Schoenberger is a member of the 1969 graduating class.

Samuel J., Jr. and Kathryn G. Seaber Mr. Seaber (deceased) was a friend of the University with an interest in athletics. Mrs. Seaber is a friend of the University and daughter of the late Russell C. and Dorothy Hughes.

Isaac F. Seiverling (deceased) was a member of the 1898 graduating class and professor of mathematics. (1921-34)

Gray H. and Ellen C. Sellers Gray Sellers is the retired vice president of finance and administration. The award was established by family and friends in honor of the Sellers’ service to the community and their church.

Harold W. and Miriam W. Shaar Mr. Shaar (deceased) was assistant professor of music, director of the Women’s Chorus, and director of the Madrigal Singers. (1963-71)

Margaret K. Shenk (deceased) was a friend of the University.

James J. Sheridan is professor of psychology emeritus. (1969-2001)
N.E. Shoemaker (deceased) was a member of the 1927 graduating class and former chief of the Pennsylvania Department of Education, Division of Private Academic Schools. He received the Distinguished Alumni Award in 1998.

Robert L. Shoener is a friend of the University.

Amos L. Shopf (deceased) was a member of the housekeeping staff at Millersville University and retired in 1992.

Robert L. Slabinski is a member of the 1978 graduating class and served as general manager and chief executive officer of Student Services, Incorporated. (1971-2009)

Dalton E. Smart Jr. is professor of industry and technology emeritus. (1969-2001)

Mary Alice Smith, D.Ed. (deceased) was a member of the 1942 graduating class.

William Smith was professor of philosophy. (1983-2010)

Elizabeth Smithgall (deceased) was a member of the 1923 graduating class.

Blanche Henninger Snyder (deceased) was a member of the 1918 graduating class. She taught reading and was a speech therapist for more than 40 years in the Reading School District.

Jeff Sollars is a member of 1991 graduating class and was a member of the Millersville University baseball team.

Daisy K. Spangler (deceased) was a member of the 1933 graduating class.

Charles D. Spotts (deceased) was associate professor of philosophy. (1963-72)

Mary R. Slokum Sproul (deceased) was a member of the 1886 graduating class.

George T. Stauffer (deceased) was professor of earth and space science emeritus. (1957-72) He received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 1975.

John Frederick Steinman and James Hale Steinman (both deceased) were members of the Lancaster family who founded Lancaster Newspapers.

Richard and Heidi Stewart are friends of the University.

Clyde S. and Pauline F. Stine (both deceased) Dr. Clyde S. Stine was professor of education and dean of men and founder of Student Services, Inc. (1946-68). Pauline Stine was a member of the 1929 graduating class.

George and Helen Stine Dr. George Stine is professor of sociology emeritus. (1966-2003) He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2012. Dr. Helen Stine is a member of the 1964 graduating class and is retired from the School District of Lancaster.

Mark Stine (deceased) was professor of education and psychology. (1923-30)

Gertrude Bettle Stoll (deceased) was a friend of the University.

Mike Stone is a member of the 1977 graduating class and was a member of the wrestling team.

Anne Tunis Summy (deceased) A Lancaster County resident and former Millersville student, Mrs. Summy was a prominent artist.

Ronald E. Sykes is professor of art emeritus and former department chair. Dr. Sykes developed the B.A., B.S.Ed. and M.Ed. in art degrees and designed the art building. (1956-98)

Harry Symons (deceased) was a math instructor (1904-08 and 1912-22); bursar and business manager (1912-52); and assisted the tennis, baseball and basketball teams (1912-52). The scholarship was established by his granddaughter Mrs. Elizabeth Cleaver, a friend of the University.

Franklin R. Thomas (deceased) was a member of the 1939 graduating class and was a member of the Millersville University football team. The scholarship was established by his widow, Mrs. Doratha D. Thomas, a member of the 1939 graduating class.

Nadine Thomas (deceased) was a reporter for Lancaster Newspapers.

Gail Thomson is a friend of the University. The scholarship was established in her honor by her husband, Edward A. Thomson, Ph.D., retired associate vice president for student affairs. (1976-2000)

Richard C. and Clauida Pennock Todd (both deceased) Mr. Todd was a member of the 1938 graduating class and received the Distinguished Alumni Award in 1986. Mrs. Todd was a friend of the University.

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Louis Vyner (deceased) was the founder and conductor of the Lancaster Symphony Orchestra.

Dr. Walter B. and Betty W. Waetjen Dr. Waetjen (deceased) was a member of the 1942 graduating class. Mrs. Waetjen is a friend of the University.

Helen Spahr Walker (deceased) was a member of the 1943 graduating class and was a teacher. The award was established by her husband, Mr. John R. Walker, Class of 1946.

Joseph E. Walker (deceased) was professor of history emeritus. (1956-76)

Steven A. Walker (deceased) was a member of the 1975 graduating class who died in a 1976 automobile accident.

Dr. Samuel P. Wallace (deceased) was a member of the 1941 graduating class and a professor of mathematics. (1957-62)

Dr. R. Bruce Walter (deceased) was a member of the 1916 graduating class.

Barbara J. Waltman served as the lacrosse coach at Millersville University. (1978-2011) She is a member of the 1973 graduating class. The award was established by lacrosse alumni.

Theodore G. Weeks is past president of the Lancaster-York Chapter, American Production and Inventory Control Society (APICS).

Liselotte R. Wehrheim is a member of the 1974 graduating class.

Irwin Weinhold (deceased) was a strong supporter of the arts.

Gerald S. Weiss is professor of chemistry emeritus. (1967-97)

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James P. Wickersham (deceased) As superintendent of Lancaster schools, he offered the first teachers’ institute in Millersville in 1854, leading to the founding of Millersville University as a normal school in 1855. He became the second chief administrative officer of Millersville (1855-66) before serving as state superintendent of common schools (1866-81). He was minister to Denmark, 1881-82.

Joan M. Williams (deceased) was a member of the 1978 graduating class and a dedicated teacher at Wheatland Junior High School, Lancaster, when she died in 1996. She was the daughter of Robert F. ’38 and Louise ’39 Williams.

John G. Williams is a member of the 1964 graduating class and is a director of the Millersville University Foundation.

Robert F. and Louise G. Williams (both deceased) Mr. Williams was a member of the 1938 graduating class and Mrs. Williams was a member of the 1939 graduating class. They established the Williams Scholarship in memory of their daughter, Joan Williams, a member of the 1978 graduating class.

Joseph B. and Judith S. Wilt Mr. Wilt is a member of the 1969 graduating class and Mrs. Wilt is a friend of the University.

Roy Lutz Winters (deceased) was a member of the 1913 graduating class.

Stefanie Wojcik (deceased) was a member of the Class of 1992. She lost her life in an automobile accident a few months following her graduation. She served as Greek Council treasurer and was president of her sorority.

Janet Wood (deceased) was a member of the 1926 graduating class.

Edna Rochow Workman (deceased) was a member of the 1916 graduating class and a painter who specialized in oils.

Alan K. Wyand is a friend of the University.

Dr. Sandra A. Yeager is professor of chemistry emeritus. (1974-2000) The award was established in her honor by Ms. Nadene K. Hausmann, a member of the 1978 graduating class.

Dr. David S. and Marie N. Zubatsky Dr. Zubatsky is director of library services administrator emeritus. (1985-2007) Marie Zubatsky is a friend of the University.
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2. Steady trees and campus wide, We recall with thoughts of pride.
3. Honor, fame and glory bright, We inherit it thru thy might.

Sons and daughters staunch and bold, Follow 'neath the Black and Gold.
Rippling lake and ivied walls, Mem'ries of thy classic halls.
Scholarship thy first great aim, Proudly still uphold thy name.

Here we fight for truth and right, Shield and buckler ever bright.
Forth we march to bring thee fame, Spirits light and hearts aflame.
Alma Mater, we adore, Thy great spirit evermore.

Rich in truth we'll ever be, Millersville, we sing to thee.
Hopeful, faith-ful, earn-est, true, Still thy standards to pursue.
Gratitude and reverence may, Millersville, be thine for aye.