Shepherd University

President’s Report and Honor Roll of Donors
2019-2020
From the President

Change and uncertainty made the 2019-2020 academic year a notable one. The great disrupter—COVID-19—tested us, but we proved that we could be resilient in the face of adversity and continue to embrace our pursuit of excellence.

The 2019-2020 academic year was a study of contrasts. The fall 2019 semester represented the traditional campus experience with an emphasis on classroom teaching that many of our alumni fondly remember from their days at Shepherd, while the spring semester 2020 ushered in a different learning, teaching, and working experience that was anything but traditional.

Although the COVID-19 pandemic sent everyone home at spring break in March 2020—to teach, study, and work remotely, Shepherd continued activities, public lectures, and presentations, albeit via Zoom and Facebook Live. Technology allowed us to quickly retool our academic delivery system so our students could successfully complete the semester.

This issue of the 2019-2020 President’s Report and Honor Roll of Donors features our faculty, students, and alumni who continued pursuing their activities and projects, with the pandemic perhaps slowing them down a bit but certainly not defeating them. They, like all of us, found innovative ways to accomplish their goals, and we’ve highlighted some of them in this publication. I could not be more proud of their achievements and successes.

The second purpose of this publication, and perhaps the most important, is to honor and recognize our donors and friends whose generosity has allowed Shepherd to support our students with much-needed financial assistance in the form of scholarships and to continue to fund the university’s programmatic needs.

Your generosity in support of Shepherd, even as there are many other needs in our local community and nation during the pandemic, is deeply appreciated.

Our continuing success is due to your financial and volunteer support—and commitment to a better tomorrow through education.

Dr. Mary J.C. Hendrix ’74
President

2019-2020 Facts and Figures

Tuition (per year):
- $7,784 In-State Resident
- $18,224 Out-of-State Resident

Headcount Enrollment:
- Undergraduate: 3,273
- Master’s and Doctoral: 355

Undergraduate Degrees Offered:
- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Bachelor of Music Education
- Bachelor of Music Performance
- Regents Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing
- Bachelor of Social Work

Most Popular Majors by Enrollment:
- Nursing: 323
- Business Administration: 260
- Secondary Education: 188
- Biology: 172
- Recreation and Sport Studies: 150

Graduate Degrees Offered:
- Master of Arts (M.A.), Appalachian Studies
- Master of Arts (M.A.), College Student Development and Administration
- Master of Arts (M.A.), Curriculum and Instruction
- Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.)
- Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)
- Master of Science (M.S.), Data Analytics
- Doctor of Nursing Practice (D.N.P.)
Milestones
BOG authorizes creation of diversity and equity office

The Shepherd University Board of Governors at its June 11, 2020, meeting passed a resolution directing Shepherd’s president to establish and maintain as a direct report an administrative Office for Diversity and Equity. The board, in consultation with the president, found that a commitment to tolerance, social justice, and diversity is essential to the educational mission of Shepherd University. Board chair Eric Lewis ’97 also announced the creation of a Board of Governors Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. This committee works closely with Shepherd’s Executive Leadership Team and other campus committees.

FASTEnER Lab creates protective gear to prevent COVID-19 spread

In March 2020, Shepherd’s Fine Arts, Science, Technology, Engineering, Educational Resource (FASTEnER) Lab used its equipment to provide additional protective gear to medical personnel and first responders on the front lines fighting COVID-19. Shepherd produced more than 3,000 face shields for first responders, faculty, staff, students, and community members; 20 protective gurney canopies for Jefferson County ambulances; 100 mobile dividers for music; a few custom hanging dividers; nearly 200 standard dividers; 105 mobile wall dividers; and 11 hanging dividers. The FASTEnER Lab team also advised dining services on installing 41 hanging dividers for campus food service areas, and the silicone molds developed by Kay Dartt, clinical faculty/3D fabrication manager, and Chase Molden, theater technical director, were used by the West Virginia National Guard to make more than 5,000 N95 masks. The effort, led by Dartt, benefited from the loan of on-campus 3D printers as well as printers from local schools. Partners included the West Virginia National Guard, Berkeley County Schools, Jefferson County Schools, Saint Joseph School, Jefferson Medical Center, and Shepherdstown Fire Department.

Social Work Program reaffirmed for eight years

The Social Work Program accreditation has been reaffirmed for eight years by the Council on Social Work Education, which is recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation as the sole accrediting agency for social work education in the United States. CSWE’s decision to reaffirm accreditation for eight years means that the program has met or surpassed all educational and accreditation policy, and no follow-up or progress reports need to be filed. CSWE looks at four major areas when making reaccreditation decisions—the program’s mission and goals; curriculum, with an emphasis on examining field education; efforts toward diversity; and assessment of student learning outcomes. As part of the reaffirmation process, CSWE sent a site visitor to Shepherd to meet with administrators, faculty, staff, and students.

Ram Pantry food bank opens on campus

Shepherd University cut the ribbon on its new food bank, the Ram Pantry, located in Boteler Hall on West Campus. The pantry has food available to on-campus, commuter, non-degree seeking, dual enrollment students with the 15 or fewer meal plan or no meal plan, and employees.

Popular Dinner with Strangers enters second year

Shepherd University continued its popular Dinner with Strangers, which matches students with members of the community for conversation over a meal. In 2019-2020, graphic design students were hosted by Ellen Smith, a retired graphic design professor; Regents Bachelor of Arts students were hosted by John and Geneva Yost; and sociology students were welcomed to the home of attorney Aaron Amore and his wife, Ann Paonessa. Dinner with Strangers gives students the opportunity to get to know community members who are willing to host a meal in their homes.

BOG authorizes tobacco-free campus beginning January 1, 2020

The Shepherd University Board of Governors approved a resolution at its November 14, 2019, meeting that authorized Shepherd to become a tobacco-free campus on January 1, 2020. The tobacco-free policy was endorsed by the Student Life Council, Classified Employees Council, Faculty Senate, and the Executive Leadership Team during the 2019 fall semester.

Accounting students rank nationally on CPA exam pass rate

Accounting students ranked nationally for certified public accountant exam pass rates for first-time takers in 2018. Shepherd students ranked 28th out of 242 institutions nationwide with 10 to 20 first-time test takers. Additionally, Shepherd had the second highest pass rate in the state of West Virginia for first-time testing events. Shepherd had the highest statewide pass rate in the state in 2017, 2015, and 2014.

Shepherd receives $130K grant to launch PBM Center of Excellence

The Shepherd University Foundation received a $130,000 grant from the Foundation for Photobiomodulation Research to help the School of Nursing develop the Shepherd University PBM Center of Excellence. This first donation is part of a larger grant totaling $470,000 over the next three years to support the program, which will include curriculum development and equipment purchases. In photobiomodulation therapy, a practitioner applies low-level lasers or light-emitting diodes to the surface of the body to improve tissue repair and reduce pain and inflammation. PBM is seen as a way to treat some pain-causing medical conditions instead of using opioids.

HLC approves distance education courses and programs

The Higher Learning Commission (HLC) has approved a request by Shepherd to offer distance education courses and programs. The approval will allow Shepherd to offer academic programs in which 50 percent or more of the required courses may be taken online. Dr. Jason Best, director of strategic research initiatives and HLC accreditation liaison officer, said expanding into distance learning will allow Shepherd to attract and retain not only traditional undergraduate students, but also groups such as adult learners, working adults, and graduate students.
Allen awarded fellowship to Holocaust Institute for Teacher Educators
Dr. Jason Allen, assistant professor of education, was awarded a fellowship to attend the Holocaust Institute for Teacher Educators (HITE) June 1-4, 2020, at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, D.C. HITE works with universities and college education faculty to prepare them to incorporate Holocaust content and pedagogy into methodology classes so education students are better prepared to teach about the Holocaust when they become teachers.

Howard-Bostic named AVP for diversity, equity and inclusivity
Dr. Chiquita Howard-Bostic, associate professor of sociology, was named associate vice president for diversity, equity, and inclusivity, a position created by Shepherd’s Board of Governors at its June 2020 meeting. Howard-Bostic reports to the president and serves on the Executive Leadership Team. She serves as a key leader on the Diversity and Equity Committee and participates in university strategic planning in the areas of diversity, inclusion, and social justice.

Groff named 2019 West Virginia Professor of the Year
Dr. Jeff Groff, professor of physics and chair of the Department of Environmental and Physical Sciences, was named the Faculty Merit Foundation of West Virginia 2019 Professor of the Year. Groff has been involved in helping develop infrastructure at the Shepherd University Agricultural Innovation Center at Tabler Farm. He received grant money to have solar energy production installed on the roof of Scarborough Library and at Tabler Farm. Groff also keeps and does research on honeybees, a pastime that has taken him to conferences and beekeeping organizations throughout the area.

Slocum-Schaffer awarded $31K grant to facilitate student transfers
Dr. Stephanie Slocum-Schaffer, associate professor of political science, is participating in a Peer-to-Peer Pedagogical Partnership that was awarded a $31,000 grant from the American Political Science Association. The partnership, which includes Shepherd, Hagerstown Community College, University of Maryland, American University, and Montgomery College, aims to facilitate the successful transition and educational achievement of students transferring from two-year to four-year institutions.

Gordon teaches in Taiwan at Shepherd’s partner institution in fall 2019
Dr. David Gordon, professor of history, spent fall semester 2019 at one of Shepherd’s partner institutions, Nanhua University in Chiai County, Taiwan. Gordon taught five classes during the fall—three face-to-face for Nanhua students and two online for Shepherd students.

Vance is co-founder of CPA society chapter
Dr. Cindy Vance, associate professor of accounting and chair of the Department of Accounting, was a co-founder of the Shenandoah Valley Chapter of the Virginia Society of Certified Public Accountants. The organization provides local opportunities for CPAs and accounting students.

Carlson publishes sight-reading paper in music journal
Research by Dr. Rachel Carlson, assistant professor of music, titled “Sight-Reading Insights from Professional Choral Singers: How They Learned and Implications for the Choral Classroom,” was featured in the August 2019 issue of the Choral Journal. Carlson’s study investigated top professional choral singers’ perceptions on how they learned to sight-read and how they use sight-reading in their work.

Cook’s composition selected as a semifinalist in 2019 American Prize
A composition by Dr. Mark Andrew Cook, professor of music, received a semifinalist award in the 2019 American Prize in Composition Band Division. He received the award for his composition “Dawn at Fox Gap,” which was inspired by Fox Gap on South Mountain in Maryland.

Shurburt wins Appalachian Studies Association’s teaching award
Dr. Sylvia Bailey Shurbutt, director of the Center for Appalachian Studies and Communities, was awarded the Stephen L. Fisher Award for Excellence in Teaching for postsecondary teachers by the Appalachian Studies Association.

Hancock selected to lead state nursing study
Dr. Mary Hancock, associate professor of nursing, was selected to lead a Future of Nursing West Virginia Bedside Nurse’s Study that will look at what factors contribute to a shortage of patient bedside nurses. She was chosen to lead the study based on her experience with qualitative research, nursing workforce development research, and service.

Huffer named co-director of Photobiomodulation Center of Excellence
Dr. Kelly Watson Huffer, associate professor of nursing, was named a co-director of the newly formed Photobiomodulation Center of Excellence at Shepherd. The creation of the center was made possible by a multiyear grant from the Foundation for Photobiomodulation Research.

Legreid honored by Phi Beta Delta international scholars group
Dr. Ann Marie Legreid, associate dean, College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, received the 2020 Yvonne Captain Faculty Award for Outstanding Contributions to International Education from Phi Beta Delta Honor Society for International Scholars in May 2020. Also honored by the society was Sharon Ann Carpenter, administrative secretary senior in the College of Arts, Humanities, Social and Behavioral Science, who received the Edward S. Blankenship Staff Award for outstanding work in support of a chapter.

Penland presents paper at international conference
Dr. Jennifer L. Penland, associate professor of education and director of the School of Education, attended the Fourth Canadian International Conference on Advances in Education, Teaching, and Technology at the University of Toronto July 27 and 28, 2019. Penland presented a paper titled “Exploring Fractal Imagery to Promote Culturally Responsive Dialogue and Healing: An Indigenous Focus.” Penland was awarded Best Presenter in her session, Studies of Teaching and Learning, and served as a session chair for Education and Teaching in Different Lands.

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Students
Mitchell interns at Invenergy’s Chicago headquarters

Francisco Mitchell, an economics major from Centreville, Virginia, spent summer 2019 gaining experience at Invenergy’s headquarters in Chicago, where he interned in the company’s asset management group, which assists in maximizing the profitability of Invenergy’s operating wind, solar, storage, and thermal assets. Mitchell was assigned to work on various large and small projects that included producing budget reports, a loss production analysis, and operations and maintenance cost analysis.

Environmental studies students travel to Yellowstone and Grand Teton

Seven environmental studies students were able to experience firsthand what they learned in the classroom during a 10-day trip during summer of 2019 to Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks. The trip was part of a special topics class, Ecology, Geology, and Cultural Significance of Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks, taught by Dr. Jeff Groff, chair, Department of Environmental and Physical Sciences. The students spent six weeks in the classroom preparing for the trip, which included one day in Idaho, six nights in Yellowstone, and three nights in Grand Teton camping, hiking, backpacking, exploring the parks, and seeing what they had talked about in class.

Hess and Tracey present at humanities conference

Two English majors took part in Hood College’s Discovering the Humanities Conference on September 14, 2019. Ashley Hess, Martinsburg, presented a paper titled “Ovid’s Metamorphoses as a Feminist Text,” which she wrote for a Greek mythology course, and Fiona Tracey, Shepherdstown, presented a paper titled “Rejection, Emulation, and Exploitation: Feminism in the Columns of Fanny Fern and Candace Bushnell,” which she wrote for an American literature to 1900 class.

White and Meredith win at European Innovation Academy

Madison White, an engineering sciences major from Hamilton, Virginia, and Johnnie Meredith, a computer information and science major from Charles Town, came away winners from the European Innovation Academy July 7-26, 2019, in Turin, Italy. The academy was a three-week extreme entrepreneurship accelerator with 400 participants from 75 different countries. White and Meredith each joined different teams to help develop startup businesses. White’s team won the Nixon Peabody IP Spark Award, a $15,000 group prize to patent or trademark the app or any other idea. Meredith’s group created InnoPhysio, an app for doctors to more securely and legally share patient data. His team was among the top 10 that gave final pitches to investors and won three hours of future mentoring from one of the keynote speakers, Dirk Lehmann.

Sigma Tau Delta honored as outstanding chapter

Shepherd’s chapter of Sigma Tau Delta was one of four to receive an Outstanding Chapter award from Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society. The Outstanding Chapter Award is designed to recognize local chapters that have exhibited outstanding motivation, creativity, and service in the preceding year. The Shepherd chapter won a $500 prize. In making the award, Sigma Tau Delta International Honor Society cited the Shepherd chapter for exciting literacy-related programming, significant contributions to the annual convention, and impressive accomplishments by individual members that would be helpful as models for other chapters.

Pang and Sam attend financial planning Diversity Summit

Honghui Pang, a business administration major from Frederick, Maryland, and president of the Financial Planning Club, and Dr. Janine Sam, assistant professor of business administration, attended the Certified Financial Planning Board Diversity Summit in Washington, D.C., November 13, 2019. Each year, the summit brings together thought leaders, financial planning students and academics, and other interested parties to address diversity and inclusion issues in the financial planning profession.

Nursing students present antivaping program to local middle schoolers

A group of nursing students taking the Population Health class spent fall semester 2019 spreading the word to middle school students that vaping is hazardous to their health. The nursing students were assigned to Harpers Ferry Middle School for the clinical portion of the class and worked with the school nurse to identify a good topic to research and present, which resulted in a PowerPoint presentation titled “Escape the Vape.”

Jalil named Truman Scholarship finalist

Political science and economics major Jordan Jalil, of Charles Town, was named a 2020 Truman Scholarship finalist. Jalil was one of 190 candidates from 136 colleges and universities selected as a finalist. The scholarship is given by the Truman Foundation, which was created in 1975 soon after President Harry S. Truman died. Instead of a brick and mortar monument on the mall, President Truman wanted to support the next generation of public service leaders.

Hamrick selected for West Virginia Press Association internship

Mikayla Hamrick, an English major and communication and new media minor from Inwood, was the recipient of a West Virginia Press Association Foundation 2020 summer internship at a West Virginia newspaper and a college scholarship. She was chosen for the monthlong paid internship at any publication in West Virginia (she selected The Journal in Martinsburg) and received a $1,000 scholarship.

Model UN wins prize for Outstanding Position Paper in March 2020

Although unable to compete in the Southern Regional Model United Nations Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina, in March 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Shepherd’s Model UN Angolan delegation still came away the winner of Outstanding Position Paper, submitted two weeks before the conference started and evaluated by the conference staff.
Five inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame
The Shepherd University Athletic Hall of Fame inducted five new members at the annual induction banquet on October 18, 2019, bringing the total number of inductees to 155. Football players Clay Grove ’96 and Kelvin Stevens ’98 joined Lynn Hrbeck Clark ’95 (volleyball), Danley Shank ’07 (men’s basketball), and Mia Zappacosta Byrd ’07 (softball).

Denton ’88 named CEO of Ware2Go
Stephen Denton ’88 was appointed chief executive officer in February 2020 of Ware2Go, an on-demand fulfillment platform owned by UPS that helps merchants enhance their delivery experience. He has previously served as general manager and vice president of marketing solutions at eBay, president and chief revenue officer at Collective, CEO and president of GSI Media Division, president of LinkShare and Rakuten USA, and has held leadership positions at FedEx, The Baltimore Sun, and PepsiCo.

Hickok ’81 becomes commissioned officer in U.S. Navy Reserve
Dr. Charles Hickok ’81 became a commissioned officer in the U.S. Navy Reserve 37 years after graduating from Shepherd. After becoming aware that the Navy Reserve needed anesthesiologists, he contacted his local Navy recruiter and was sworn in as a lieutenant commander.

Carpenter ’77 named CFO of Howard Bank and Howard Bancorp
Robert L. “Bob” Carpenter, Jr. ’77 has been named chief financial officer (CFO) and executive vice president of Howard Bank and of its parent company, Howard Bancorp. He served as interim CFO of the bank and the parent company since February 3, 2020. He has more than 30 years of financial services experience and reports directly to the chairman and CEO of Howard Bank.

Russell ’00 receives art educator award
William Scott Russell ’00, of Leesburg, Virginia, was named a recipient of the 2020 Southeastern Region Art Educator Award by the National Art Education Association (NAEA). This prestigious award, determined through a peer review of nominations, honors one outstanding NAEA member from each of the four regions for outstanding service and achievement of regional significance during previous years.

Boone ’76 named to printing industry hall of fame
Ken Boone ’76 was named to the Printing Impressions/RIT Printing Industry Hall of Fame. Boone grew up in the direct mail industry and has spent the past 50-plus years adapting to the changes of the industry with a competitive approach. He stepped down as president of the Centreville, Maryland-based Tidewater Direct in 2020.

Weber ’09 receives Presidential Award for Excellence
Raymond Weber ’09 earned the highest award bestowed by the U.S. government to teachers of mathematics and science, the Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching. He has been an educator for 10 years, teaching at Salem Avenue Elementary School in Hagerstown, Maryland.

Books by alumni
Alumni who published books during 2019-2020 include:

- Dr. Rob Bell ’00 released his seventh book on mental toughness titled Puke & Rally: It’s Not About The Setback, It’s About The Comeback.
- Robert Dugan III ’11 wrote and published a book titled A Stranger Among Us: A Novel of the West Virginia Opioid Crisis, a narrative told from the perspective of a young man living in West Virginia during the opioid crisis and the 2008 financial collapse.

OPPOSITE PAGE: 2019 Outstanding Alumni of the Year Jimmy ’68 and Peachy ’70 Staley are introduced to the crowd at Ram Stadium. Other alumni recognized during Homecoming 2019 included members of the second class of Finest Under 40 young alumni—Aaron Weikle ’02, Todd Cimino-Johnson ’05 and ’07 M.B.A., Aaron Combs ’06, Samantha Brown ’10 and ’14 M.B.A., and Maigen Briana Lawson ’13.
Honor Roll
Donors by Giving Level

Thank you for your generosity and dedication to Shepherd University. The following lists are a compilation of all donors who made gifts or commitments to the university during the 2019-2020 year. Great care was taken when preparing the Honor Roll of Donors. If there are corrections to be made, please contact the Shepherd University Foundation at 304-876-5195 or by email to bragg@shepherd.edu.

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tors and stewards several privately funded awards. Pictured are (l. to r.) Shepherd University Foundation Colbert '95, Monica Lingenfelter, and Pat Moler Egle '60, who serves on the Foundation’s board of directors and stewards several privately funded awards. Pictured are (l. to r.) Shepherd University Foundation President Chris Colbert '95, Shepherd President Mary J.C. Hendrix '74, senior Jennifer Willett, senior Carter Davis, senior Shenandoah Sokol, junior Korinne Myers, Pat Moler Egle '60, and Monica Lingenfelter, executive vice president of the Shepherd University Foundation.}

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Estates of Hazel M. Hendricks Allen '87 and Sara Taylor '67
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Kenny Martin
Brent '89 and Lisa Gregory '90
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*McMurran Society Member
*President’s Club
†Deceased during 2019-2020
LEFT: Bethany House, an outreach by Community Networks, Inc., was one of two community nonprofits to receive grant awards in 2019 from Women Investing in Shepherd (WISH), a women’s giving circle sponsored by the Shepherd University Foundation. Bethany House provides emergency shelter services 24 hours a day, seven days a week to homeless women and children in Berkeley, Jefferson, and Morgan counties. Bethany House Director of Services Bunny Shaw is seen here at the WISH Grant Awards Celebration in August 2019 greeting WISH Advisory Team member Mary “Peachy” Staley, while fellow team members Bev Hughes, Liz Oates, and Carolyn Fleenor look on with Monica Lingenfelter, executive vice president of the Shepherd University Foundation.
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In early March 2020, approximately 150 area high school students attended the first Student Leadership Academy hosted by Shepherd’s new Stubblefield Institute for Civil Political Communications where, coincidentally, they participated in a simulation of a virus pandemic. Founded in July 2019, the institute was made possible by a generous gift through the Shepherd University Foundation by Drs. Bonnie and Bill Stubblefield, who attended the leadership academy event. “This reconfirms the faith we have in the youth of today,” Bill Stubblefield said. “I think we certainly witnessed the leaders of the future. It was both stimulating and heartwarming watching these young people do as well as they did.”
Shepherd University will be home to a new Center for Financial Education and the Hoxton Endowed Lectureship for Financial Planning thanks to a generous donation by community members Rob and Mary Logan Hoxton. The center will promote financial education by creating curriculum and activities, raising money for scholarships, conducting research, and offering financial planning education to the community. Additionally, they funded the Hoxton Endowed Lectureship in Financial Planning to support faculty members in the financial planning program. The Hoxtons envision helping Shepherd graduates provide financial planning advice throughout the state and in the local community. “If we can improve financial literacy and the availability of high quality fiduciary financial advisory services by bringing students from other areas into Appalachia and teaching them to be great financial planners, then they can go back to their communities to provide those services in areas where it’s sorely needed,” said Rob.

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The Shepherd experience is often a multigenerational one! Families gathered at the Smallwood & Small Insurance Pavilion to enjoy Homecoming 2019 festivities hosted by the Shepherd University Athletic Club (SUAC). Pictured here are alumna Cathy Baker ’89 (l.) with Samantha Colbert and her twin daughters, Abby and Becca Colbert, who is a senior at Shepherd. Becca and Abby are the daughters of Chris Colbert ’95, president of the Shepherd University Foundation and member of the Shepherd University Athletic Club board of directors. Becca has made her own mark at Shepherd playing on the women’s soccer team for four years. She will graduate in December 2020 with a degree in elementary education and is the recipient of the Eta Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship in support of female education majors. “Growing up in Shepherdstown, I had always wanted to attend the university, mainly because of the connection I have through my father and many other family members here,” said Becca, who hopes to be hired as an educator in Berkeley County after graduation.

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Women Investing in Shepherd (WISH) was created in 2014 to inspire, educate, and develop the potential of women's philanthropy. The gifts from this women's giving circle fund high-impact scholarships, endowments, and programs that advance Shepherd's priorities and raise the university's profile through outstanding programs and academics. Members of the President's Club have been instrumental in providing the resources necessary to advance Shepherd's priorities and raise the university's profile through outstanding programs and academics. President's Club donors help ensure the future of Shepherd University through annual unrestricted gifts of $1,000 or more. The uncommon commitment shown by alumni, friends, faculty, staff, executive leadership, and board members demonstrates the true passion and pride that so many feel for Shepherd.
The following endowed award funds were established through the Shepherd University Foundation by those seeking to create a legacy for themselves or someone they wished to honor. These named endowments support student scholarships, academic programs, and faculty excellence.

$1,000,000+
James and Katherine Moler Scholarship: West Virginia residents, with preference for student athletes participating in the football program
William E. (Ned) Moler Scholarship: General academic students
Robert L. and Jean M. Rissler Scholarship: General academic students
Ruth Yates Family Scholarship: Student athletes participating in a recognized Shepherd athletic program (deferred funding)

$500,000-$999,999
Roland J. Brown and Elizabeth Thornburg Brown Scholarship: Mathematics, engineering, English, or science students from the Eastern Panhandle (deferred funding)
Encova Endowed Scholarship: Mathematics, education, and nursing students
Drs. Dorothy and Allison Hively Scholarship: Education students, general academic students (deferred funding)
Ann Wilson Hummer Endowment for Scarborough Library: Support for the library (deferred funding)
Sarah Knutti Library Fund: Scarborough Library program support
Stanley C. and Shirley A. Marinoff Endowment: Support for CATF and student internships
Leonard J. McCormack Endowment for Nursing: Scholarship and program support
Ruby Clyde McCormick Scholarship: General academic students
John T. Reynolds Endowed Chair in Chemistry: Chemistry faculty excellence support

$100,000-$499,999
Michael M. Atthey, Ed.D. Endowed Scholarship: Science education students and student athletes in men's and women's basketball and volleyball (deferred funding)
BB&T Bank Lacy I. Rice Sr. Endowed Scholarship: Eastern Panhandle students
Helen and Albert Alvarez Memorial Scholarship: West Virginia students
Ramon A. and Mary E. Alvarez Faculty Excellence Fund for the College of Business: Support for business department faculty
Dennis L. Barron Scholarship: General academic students from Jefferson County (deferred funding)
Dawn E. Beaumont University Excellence Fund: Support for visiting professors, alumni, and dignitaries
Howard N. Carper, Jr. Scholarship: General academic students
John R. Conard Science Fund: Scholarship and program support
Mark H. Curley Endowment: Political science students participating in the Canadian Parliament Internship Program (deferred funding)

Foundation Named Memorial and Honorary Endowments

Thomas T. and Margaret S. Dunn Scholarship: Martinsburg High School graduates
Carole Ergin Scholarship Fund: West Virginia social work students
Roxanne R. French Nursing Scholarship: Nursing students (deferred funding)
Eunice Hearns Officer and Edward Willis Hearns Endowment: Dorchester County, Maryland, and/or Berkeley County residents
W. R. Hearst Endowed Scholarship for Honors Programs: Honors Program students
C. Brown and Hazel M. Hendricks Scholarships: Home economics, psychology, arts, or music students
Hoxton Endowed Lectureship for Financial Planning: College of Business faculty excellence support
Ray and Madeline Johnston Endowed Chair in American History: Support for history department faculty
John Douglas, Jr. and Elizabeth Snyder Lowe Scholarship for Education: Education students from West Virginia
Thomas and Sherry Lurry Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Jo Ann Mentzer Scholarship: Elementary education students from Berkeley, Jefferson, or Morgan counties
Andrew D. Michael Endowed Chair for Theater: Faculty excellence support (deferred funding)
Thomas W. Miller Endowed Chair in Visual Arts: Visual arts faculty excellence support (deferred funding)
Thomas W. Miller Endowed Professorship in Visual Arts: Visual arts faculty excellence support (deferred funding)
Nancy E. Needy Scholarship: General education students
M. Elizabeth Oates Faculty Excellence Endowment for Business: Business faculty excellence support (deferred funding)
Carl K. Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Mathematics and Mathematics Education: Math and math education students
Carl K. Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Science and Science Education: Science and science education students
Carl K. Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Nursing: Nursing students
Carl K. Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Education: Education students
Carl K. Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Fine Arts: Fine arts students
Carl K. Rauch and Susan Besaw Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Business: Business or accounting students
Elise Brown and Joseph J. Renn Memorial Scholarship: Biological sciences students
Thomas Guy Reynolds Scholarship: Education students
D. Scott Roach and Linda Hotell Roach Athletic Scholarship: Student athletes participating in a recognized Shepherd athletic program (deferred funding)
Edward and Mary Ann Rogers Education Scholarship: Education students (deferred funding)
M. Saufley and Virginia Rudasill Saufley Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students
Scarborough Society Faculty Excellence Endowment Fund: Library dean faculty excellence support

Scarborough Society of Shepherd University Fund: Designated for the improvement of the library's information technology
Florence and Velma Shaw Memorial: Scholarship and residence hall life enhancement program support
Shepherd Ram Common Man Endowed Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Shepherd University General Enhancement: General university program support
Austin J. Slater, Jr.'76 and Carmen L. Slater Scholarship: College of Business students (deferred funding)
Edward L. Snyder Endowed Chair for Business and Social Sciences: Business program dean's faculty excellence support
M. Joann Vincent Scholarship: Elementary education students
Washington Chair of Ethics: Faculty excellence support
James and Frances Flagg Wilson Endowment: Athletic scholarship and program support

$50,000-$99,999
Bertha Rae Baker Memorial Scholarship: Minority education students
Jean Skinner Baldwin Memorial Scholarship: Elementary education students from Jefferson County
Walter A. Barr and J. Michael Jacobs Endowed Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Helen Cook and Charles E. Barrow Scholarship Fund: Education students
Keith and Susan Batten Scholarship: Nursing or social work students from Jefferson or Berkeley counties
Robert A. and Linda Grove Carpenter Scholarship: Engineering or other hard science students, with preference for Washington County, Maryland, Berkeley County, HCC transfers, business minors, and veterans and their spouses or dependents
Monte Cater Silver Anniversary Endowed Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Albert H. and Estelle Koonce Cobb Memorial Research: Science research support
Dr. Sara H. Cree Scholarship: Physical education students
Mary Jane Davis Scholarship: Education students
Nancy Miller Dockeney Memorial Scholarship: Music students
Gerald and Bonnie Dodson Scholarship: Education students (deferred funding)
Jack and Pat Egle Scholarship: West Virginia biology or chemistry students (deferred funding)
George Tyler Moore Center for the Study of the Civil War: Support of Civil War research
M. Douglas Harlan Endowment: Community college scholarship and program support
Capt. Charles N.G. and Jessie S. Hendrix Memorial: Pre-med or related field
Jessie and Mary J.C. Hendrix Scholarship: General academic students

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Ernest Houser, Jr. and Gladys V. Houser, R.N. Scholarship: West Virginia nursing students
Michael W. Hudson Scholarship: General education students (deferred funding)
Dr. Oliver Ikenberry Memorial Scholarship: Outstanding student awards
Stanley O. Ikenberry Presidential Discretionary Fund: Shepherd president’s support for excellence
Jefferson County Degree Completion Scholarship Fund: Minority residents of Jefferson County
Elmer F. Keebler Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Dr. Lee E. and Wanda T. Keebler Scholarship: English or English secondary education students
Marian and Upton Martin Scholarship: West Virginia residents
McMillan Family Scholarship for Theater: Theater students
Donald L. Myers Scholarship: Business, economics, or accounting students from Maryland
Jean F. Parsons Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students
Thomas A. Polutanovich Scholarship: Science students from Delaware
James and Sallye Price Memorial Scholarship: General academic students, education students
Travis M. Propst Faculty Excellence Fund for Economics: Economics faculty excellence support (deferred funding)
Travis M. Propst Scholarship: Economics students (deferred funding)
John Thomas Reynolds Scholarship: General academic students
Dr. Ruth Scarborough Scholarship: Social science students
Merle J. and Josephine Saville Shultz Scholarship: Elementary education and science students
Shepherd University Alumni Association Library Endowment: Library program support
Shepherd University Classified Employees Scholarship: Students who are children of classified employees
Shepherd University Faculty Senate Scholarship: Faculty family students
Suzanne Shipley Create the Future Endowment: Students and faculty studying abroad
Eleanor Ann Shirley Scholarship: Women’s basketball student athletes, with preference for mathematics or mathematics education students
T. Edward Stotler Memorial Scholarship: Business administration students
Watson Family Endowment for the Shepherd University Scarborough Library: Scarborough Library program support (deferred funding)
Earl W. Weller Memorial Scholarship: Berkeley County students
$20,000–$49,999
1955 Football Team Endowment: Football program support
Academic Programs: University academic programs support
Alumni Association Scholarship Endowment: General academic students
Paul Armstrong and Judy Harris Armstrong Education Scholarship: Education students
Athletic Scholarship: Student athletes
Myra H. Ault Scholarship: Early childhood education students
Bank of Charles Town Scholarship: General academic students
Helene Alvarez Bazzrea Memorial Scholarship: Elementary education students
BB&T Bank Scholarship (formerly F&M): General academic and business students
LEFT: A nursing major from Charles Town, sophomore Cameron Mattei is the recipient of the Carl K. Rauch Endowed Scholarship for Nursing, established by the late Shepherd University professor Carl Rauch, and the Amanda Smiales Memorial Scholarship, created by Smiales’ family. Both awards highlight how our donors’ philanthropic spirit impacts the future. “I am extremely honored and grateful to have received these two scholarships, allowing me to further my education in my pursuit of becoming a nurse,” said Cameron.

Dr. Carl Bell Biology Fund: Biology scholarship and program support
Dow Benedict and Rhonda Smith Endowment for Art and Theater: Program support for the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences
G. D. Bragaw Scholarship in Memory of Robert A. Lux: Political science or history students
James W. and Sharon Devol Brown Scholarship: Education students and student athletes, with preference for basketball
Ralph and Margaret Burkhart Memorial Scholarship: Science, business education or arts and humanities students
Erma Ora Byrd Memorial Scholarship: Funded by PrimeCare Medical, Inc. for nursing students
Charles Town Kiwanis Club Scholarship: General academic students
Lynne and Don Cosner Scholarship: Math education students (deferred funding)
Daniel and Orpha Cowgill Scholarship: Support for Shepherd University South Branch area students (deferred funding)
 Jonathan Paul Daily Endowed Scholarship: Applied mathematics students
Tony Del-Colle Endowed Memorial: Jefferson County returning students
Delta Sigma Pi, Epsilon Kappa Alumni Association Scholarship: Delta Sigma Pi students
District VI Nurses Scholarship: District VI Nursing students
Charles E. Doss Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Margaret M. Drennen Women’s Golf Scholarship: Female student athletes and women’s golf program support
Professor Sharon R. Drummer Endowed Scholarship for Nursing Scholarship: Nursing students
Catherine Dunlop Scholarship: Elementary education students
David L. Dunlop Honors Scholarship: Honors Program students
Charles David and Sarah Reynolds Ebert Memorial Scholarship: Berkeley County elementary education students
John L. and Anna Hill Egle Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
John L. and Pat Moler Egle Memorial Scholarship: Biology or chemistry students from West Virginia (deferred funding)
David C. Eldridge Scholarship: West Virginia science students
Mary C. Enright Scholarship: History students
David “Ed” Fincham Scholarship for Physical Education and Athletics: Physical education students
Alice Wright Frank Memorial Scholarship: Music students
Guy J. Frank Memorial Faculty Enrichment Fund for Music: Support for music department faculty
Raymond and Cell Frazier Music Scholarship: Music and music education students
Foundation Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Carrie Armstrong Gans Memorial Scholarship: Deserving West Virginia education students
Gateway Nursing Endowment: Merit awards nursing students
Robert “Bob” T. and Elsie (Turner) Grant Memorial Endowment: Education students from James Wood High School in Winchester, Virginia (deferred funding)
James S. Hafer Memorial Scholarship: Political science students
Roger Hamood Accounting Student Endowment: Accounting students
Frances and Lucille Hefflebower Scholarship: West Virginia elementary education students
Ida Elizabeth Hendricks Memorial Scholarship: Developmental studies students
Ed Herendeen Fund for Contemporary Theater: CATF program support
Keith L. Hess Scholarship: Basketball student athletes
Holcombe English Scholarship: English education students
Margaret Ikenberry Memorial Fund for Popodicon Garden: Beautification of Popodicon Garden
Jefferson Security Bank Scholarship: General academic students
Jerry and Carol Kerr Faculty Excellence Fund for Accounting: Accounting faculty excellence support
Jerry and Carol Kerr Scholarship: Accounting students
James and Virginia Kinkead and Hilda Beall Kinkead Scholarship: Education students
William E. and Jo Ann Jackson Knode Scholarship: General academic students
E. William John Memorial Scholarship: Business students
Richard A. Keplinger Scholarship: Delta Sigma Pi students
R. E. Knutti, M.D., Fund in memory of John G. Knutti: University library program support
L&M Family Scholarship in Memory of Laurence D. Bory: Music or music education students, with preference for voice students
Glen Lapp Excellence in Nursing Endowment: Outstanding West Virginia students
Almyra P. Lemen Scholarship: Student athletes
Louise Nelson Leonard Memorial Scholarship: Political science students
Andrew F. and Virginia Heckert Long Scholarship: General academic students
John D. and Elizabeth S. Lowe Scholarships: Students on golf team; historic preservation students
Lueck-Taylor Memorial Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Don and Mary Mauzy Scholarship: Accounting students from West Virginia
Newton B. McKee Scholarship: Berkeley/Jefferson County students
McMurran Scholars Endowment: Graduate students who are McMurran Scholars
Mentzer Award for Inspirational Teaching (MAIT): Full-time faculty mentored by Shepherd students
Evelyn Miller Scholarship: Multicultural Leadership students
Jeffrey Miller Memorial Scholarship: Art students
Susan L. Mills Music Scholarship in Memory of Camille and James Mills: Music students (deferred funding)
Multicultural Leadership Scholarship: Students committed to improving diversity and race relations
Annette Murphy Faculty Excellence Fund in English: English department faculty excellence support
George M. Netkin Graduate Fellowship: Fellowship award to the George Tyler Moore Center for the Study of the Civil War
Dr. James Pantele Music Education Scholarship: Music and music education students

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Above: Vivian Park Snyder managed Shepherd’s bookstore from 1956 until her retirement in 1990. In 2002, she created the Paxton Gregg and Vivian Park Snyder Scholarship, a general academic award established in memory of her late husband, Shepherd alumnus P. Gregg Snyder ’63. Vivian is pictured here with Foundation scholar, Julie Snyder, a freshman from Martinsburg, and her family at the President’s Reception for Donors and Scholars in November 2019. Julie was the 2019-2020 recipient of the Citizens National Bank Scholarship, another general academic award created through the Shepherd University Foundation.

Roger P. Parker Memorial Scholarship: Men’s and women’s tennis student athletes
John Glenn Phillips Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Peggy Collins Porterfield Memorial Nursing Scholarship: Nursing students
Dr. Bill Pringle Scholarship: Science students
Virginia Lowe Ramsburg Memorial Scholarship: West Virginia nursing students
Darrell Reeder Memorial Scholarship: Biology students
Ronald Reeder Memorial Scholarship: Deserving environmental sciences students
Joseph J. Renning III and Robin L. Reighn Endowed Scholarship: Biological and medical sciences students
Harry C. Rickard Scholarship: General academic students
Imogene Coleman Davenport Riely Memorial Scholarship: General academic students, first priority to Jefferson County residents
Leeds K. Riely Memorial Scholarship: Jefferson County students
Roach Oil Company Business Scholarship: Business management students
Thelma Faye Rollins Scholarship: Blind students
John David Russell Memorial Scholarship: Basketball student athletes
Adele and Charles Sands Scholarship: First-year or transfer student athletes, preference for business administration studies or related field

John F. Schmidt Scholarship: Chemistry students
Florence Shaw Endowment: Education students
Shepherd University Alumni Association Scholarship Endowment: General academic students
M. Louise Shimp Memorial Faculty Excellence Endowment Fund for Art: Faculty excellence support
Mary Jane Shipley Scholarship: Female student athletes participating on intercollegiate sports teams
Walker Horton Shipley Music Scholarship: Music students
Amanda Smailes Memorial Scholarship: Berkeley County nursing students completing junior year
Gerald F. Smith Memorial Scholarship: Frederick County, Virginia, business, science, or engineering students
Elizabeth J. Snyder Memorial Scholarship: History students (deferred funding)
Henry and Edna Snyder Scholarship: Jefferson County students
Dr. William M. Speg Memorial Scholarship: Secondary education students
Richard L. Stephan Endowment and Scholarship: Astronomy students and program support
Dr. Mark Stern and Dr. Barbara Stern Endowment: Honors Program students (deferred funding)
Sue Stewart and Hansel Bailey Appalachian Studies Scholarship: Interdisciplinary students pursuing a minor in Appalachian Studies
Shepherd University
Study of the Civil War program support

George Tyler Moore Center for the Robert Schell Ulrich Endowment: General academic students
John F. Torrence and Shepherdstown Lutheran Parish Scholarship: General academic students
Tiano Family Endowed Scholarship: General academic students
W. R. Thacher Memorial: General academic students

elementary or secondary education students

Robert Schell Ulrich Endowment: George Tyler Moore Center for the Study of the Civil War program support (deferred funding)
Van Evera Scholarship: General academic students
Washington County, Maryland, Homemakers Scholarship: Washington County, Maryland students
Washington County, Maryland, Student Scholarship: General academic students from Washington County, Maryland
Washington Gateway Program Endowed Scholarship: General academic students
Paul and Lisa Welch Endowment: Community-based program support

Elizabeth Wilson Scholarship: Eastern Panhandle students

George Wilson Endowment for Communications: Communications students
Harry Edward Witt, Jr. Memorial Scholarship: Eastern Panhandle business/math/science students
Karl L. Wolf General Athletic Scholarship: General academic student athletes (deferred funding)
Karl L. Wolf General Endowment: General scholarship, faculty excellence, and program support (deferred funding)
Karl L. Wolf Lambda Chi Alpha Scholarship: General academic students who are members of Lambda Chi Alpha
Karl L. Wolf New and Emerging Sports Scholarship: General academic student athletes participating in new or emerging sports (deferred funding)

James Wright Endowment: Academic programs support (deferred funding)

Alfred L. Young, Jr. Scholarship: Business students

$10,000-$19,999

Allegheny Power Scholarship: General academic students
Raymond Baby-J.O. Knott Scholarship: General academic students from Jefferson County and Washington County, Maryland
Basketball Scholarship: Basketball student athletes

Berkeley County Crime Solvers Scholarship: Criminal justice or fire science students
Jeffery L. Blouse Memorial Scholarship: Freshman students active in HIV prevention and awareness
James A. Butcher Education Scholarship: Education students
Joseph and William Byers Memorial Scholarship: Education or business students
Sara Beth Chroussis Memorial Fund: Art students
Roger and Emily Cissel Scholarship: Appalachia and West Virginia students
Citizens National Bank, Berkeley Springs Scholarship: General academic students
S. Dallas Cooley Scholarship: South Branch area nursing students
Shirley Cooper Memorial Scholarship: Tucker County students
Deborah Dhayer Scholarship: Female student athletes
Eastern Panhandle Federal Executives Association of West Virginia Public Service Scholarship: General academic students involved in public service

Mary Sue Eldridge Endowment: Shepherd University Nursery School program support
Elementary Education Scholarship: Elementary education students
Everhart-Dersam-Unseld Scholarship: Elementary education students

Friends of the Art Department Fund: Art students and program support for the Department of Contemporary Art and Theater
Barbara Puckett Greenstreet Scholarship: Education students
Lovely D. Gruber Scholarship: General academic students

Ken and Kitty Harbaugh Scholarship: Washington County, Maryland, elementary education students
Ray E. Harris Scholarship: Science students
Dayton and Donna Hinke Scholarship: West Virginia elementary or secondary education students
Dr. Cornelia Hoch-Ligeti Memorial: Music or life science students

Edmund Schley and Leila Jeanette Hoffmaster Scholarship: Jefferson County education students
Josephine Elizabeth McMurrin Kellogg Scholarship: Non-traditional students

Library Miscellaneous: Scarborough Library program support

Percy H. and Hubert D. Lowry Memorial Scholarship: West Virginia students

Martinsburg Civitan Club Scholarship: Special education or nursing students
Mr. and Mrs. C. David Miller Scholarship: Non-traditional West Virginia students
Albert C. and Jeanne V. Nerhood Memorial Scholarship: Jefferson County nursing students

Caroline Pritts Nethken Memorial Scholarship: Deserving elementary education students
David and Betsy Newlin Scholarship: General academic students
Roger Parker Memorial Scholarship: Men’s tennis student-athletes, preference for Virginia or West Virginia residents
Coach Dean Pease Memorial Scholarship: Baseball program support
Lt. Gilbert Perry Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Piedmont, West Virginia, High School Scholarship: Graduates and descendants of PHS graduates

James Carter Price III Memorial Scholarship: Education students
Jason G. Regester Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students, male preference
Dr. Michael Riccards Minority Student Scholarship: Minority general academic students

Shepherd New and Emerging Sports Scholarship: Future sports programs support

Roy Blake and Beatrice Lentz Shrouet Memorial Scholarship: Rising junior or senior West Virginia education students

LEFT: The 2019 President’s Reception for Donors and Scholars brought together Foundation scholar senior Melissa Gantt and Dr. Michael M. Athey, who established a named fund in support of science education students and student athletes, with preference given to those participating in men’s and women’s basketball and volleyball.

A secondary science education major from Martinsburg, Melissa was a recipient of the Michael M. Athey, Ed.D. Endowed Scholarship.

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Martha L. Smith Memorial Scholarship: Deserving West Virginia agriculture, horticulture related, or environmental science students
Leona Bent Stutzman Memorial Scholarship: University support
Elizabeth R. Tabler Scholarship: Elementary/secondary education students
Bertha M. Thomas Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Rev. Paul and Jean Thompson Scholarship: Pre-ministerial students
Dr. C. Vincent Townsend EMS Scholarship: EMS Eastern Panhandle firefighters
Tri-State Civilian Scholarship: West Virginia, Maryland, or Pennsylvania nursing, social work, or psychology students
Gregg Warfield Memorial: Graduates of Dunclark, Patapsco, or Sparrow Point high schools
Marstella Rosa Washington and Daniel Stubbs Scholarship: General academic students of the Stubbs-Washington-Branson family
John M. and Anna P. Widmyer Scholarship: General academic students
Charles Woodward Scholarship: Nursing, biology, or related medical field students
James and Gladys Wright Fund: Unrestricted university support
West Virginia Society of D.C. Scholarship: West Virginia general academic students

$5,000-$9,999
Mrs. John N. Andrews Scholarship: General academic students
I.O. Ash Memorial Scholarship: Secondary education students
Minerva Pritchard Bancroft Memorial: Theater students
Hazel Barnes Memorial Scholarship: Freshman general academic students from Falling Waters
C. Thomas Baxter Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Joanna de B. Blundell Memorial Scholarship: Arts students
Ruth F. Brant Memorial: Nursing students
Harry Hunter Burks, Jr. Memorial Scholarship: Elementary education students
Business Administration Scholarship: Business administration students
Howard N. and Goldie G. Carper Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Alma Lee Strider Christian Scholarship: General academic students
City National Bank Scholarship: General academic students
Leona Henshaw Thatcher Eubank Memorial Scholarship: Junior or seniors in speech communications or forensics, preference to West Virginia or Maryland students
George W. Dersam and Blanche Dersam Everhart Memorial Scholarship: Elementary education students
Catherine C. Fix English Department Fund: Theme writing awards
D. Allen Fowler Memorial Scholarship: Eastern West Virginia students
Dr. Guy Frank Professor Emeritus Scholarship: Music students
Pauline Gregory Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students
Florence M. Hamilton Memorial Scholarship: Elementary education students
Jack Headlee Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Hazel Hendricks Endowed Family Consumer Sciences Scholarship: Books/supplies for PVS students
Elise Hoch Memorial Scholarship: Music students
Huntington National Bank Scholarship: General academic students
Dr. Fred Kenamond Business Scholarship: Business students
Calvin and Dorothy Rutherford Kilber Memorial Scholarship: Berkeley County students
Capt. Joseph G. Kime III Memorial Scholarship: Jefferson County veterans or children of veterans
Frederick Klein Memorial Scholarship: Student athletes
Harry V. Klug Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Vera Malton Scholarship: English and communications students
Benjamin and Mary Lou Mertling Fund: General academic students
D. Lee Morgan Scholarship: Fire science students
Wilma A. Neff Endowed Scholarship: Jefferson County or Eastern Panhandle elementary education students with strong emphasis in Kris Hughes Angela Smith Memorial Scholarship: General academic students (deferred funding)
Nellie Gantt Owens Book Scholarship: English majors
Homer N. and Jane Beverly Staples Pankey Research Memorial Scholarship: Research support
President's Faculty Excellence Fund: General faculty excellence support
N. Lamont Pyles Scholarship: General academic students
Anna Thorn Rice Memorial Nursing Scholarship: Nursing students
Paul Saab Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Catherine Ochtreer and Kenneth Miller Saunders Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Shepherd University Foundation Tours Scholarship: General academic students
Paxton Gregg and Vivian Park Snyder Scholarship: Student support for purchase of textbooks
Agnes Tabler Scholarship: Elementary education students
Ollie Lightfoot Tolbert Memorial Scholarship: Multicultural studies
United National Bank Scholarship: General administrative students
Karen Wempe Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Zenith Young Memorial Scholarship: General academic students

$2,000-$4,999
Charles Town Lions Club Scholarship: Nursing students
Earl Coffman Scholarship: General academic students
Marguerite Colavecchio Memorial Scholarship: West Virginia business students
Richard “Larry” Collette Memorial Scholarship: Student athletes
Kay and Daniel De Palma Scholarship: Senior business administration students
John E. Diehl Memorial Scholarship: Chemistry students
Annita L. Capouellez-Fleet Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students
Charles H. and Clara L. Freeland Scholarship: Hampshire or Jefferson County elementary education students
Margaret R. Good Memorial Music Scholarship: Music students
Mark S. Grove Memorial Scholarship: Sophomore accounting students
Earl E. Henderson Scholarship: General academic students
Kris Hughes Angela Smith Memorial Scholarship: Business student athletes who play football
Hungarian Student Scholarship: Hungarian students
Mary C. Hunter Scholarship: West Virginia students
Martha Josephs Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Leo G. Kesecker Scholarship: Berkeley County education students
John Knipe Memorial Scholarship: Education students
Mary Elizabeth Lewis Memorial Scholarship: Music and computer science students
John Y. McDonald Memorial Scholarship: General academic scholarship students
Jennings Randolph Endowed Scholarship in Environmental Sciences: Environmental sciences students
Kenneth Riley Memorial Scholarship: Psychology major students
Zoë Haynes Seale Scholarship: General academic students
Servicemaster, Inc. Scholarship: General academic students
Nevin M. Shank Memorial Scholarship: Junior general education or business students from Washington, County, Maryland
Shenandoah Federal Savings Bank Scholarship: Business students
Shepherd University Class of 1962 Honor Fund: General academic students
Shepherd University Class of 1996 Honor Fund: General academic students
Shepherd University Class of 2006 Honor Fund: General academic students
Peter/Solomon Shriver Memorial Scholarship: Students who are descendants of Peter or Solomon Shriver
Gordon Slosser Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Virginia DeHaven Stuckey Memorial Scholarship: Education students
Sundy Scholarship: Football, business, basketball or nursing students
Mary Livers Thorn Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students
James and Pamela Watson Scholarship: West Virginia non-traditional female students
James R. Wilkins Educational Scholarship: Education or environmental education students from Frederick County, Virginia

$1,000-$1,999
James Bryant Memorial Scholarship: Science education students
Agnes Burns Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Chemistry Fund: Chemistry program support
Col. Herbert E. Clark Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
Community Oil Company Scholarship: General academic students
Scott Davis Memorial Scholarship: Art education students
JoAnne Swan Greenlee Award: Women’s Studies students
Charlie Kave Memorial Scholarship: Football student athletes
Carroll and Mary Ellen Wareham Kline Scholarship: Eastern Panhandle students
Ram Stadium Expansion: Athletic facility capital improvement fund
Janet Yvonne Riley Memorial Scholarship: General academic students
ABOVE: A psychology major from Shepherdstown, sophomore Kristina Kandalis is a recipient of the Shepherd University Classified Employees Scholarship. This general academic award has supported dependents of full-time or regular part-time classified staff members for nearly 30 years. Kristina is the daughter of Barbara Kandalis, who works as a program assistant in the Office of Academic Community Outreach. “My scholarship has given me the opportunity to have the college experience I’ve always wanted with no financial worries,” said Kristina, who also serves as a resident assistant to help offset the cost of her room and board. “I genuinely believe receiving this scholarship has made my Shepherd experience the most positive it could possibly be!”

Shepherd University South Branch Scholarship: South Branch area students
Charles H. Smith Memorial Award in Social Work: Social work students
William M. Stanley Memorial Scholarship: Student athletes
Bruce M. Van Wyk Scholarship: General academic students
Evelyne and Maurice Viener Scholarship: General academic students
Dr. W.H.S. White Memorial Scholarship: General academic students

Annually Funded Awards
The following annually funded awards were established through the Shepherd University Foundation. These named awards support student scholarships and internships, faculty excellence, and academic programs.

Over $100,000
Frada Fine Scholarship: Funded by the Fine Trust for Martinsburg High School graduating seniors

$10,000-$49,999
Doctor of Nursing Practice Program Awards: Support for nursing doctoral program development

Laura Reisz Dreitzler Scholarship: Female STEM students who are West Virginia residents
Last Dollar Fund: General academic students
Rob and Mary Logan Hoxton Scholarship, Rural Financial Planning Project: Finance students
Al Lueck Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Stanley Manne Last Dollar Fund: General education students
McMillian Family International Initiative and Intensive English Language Program: International student program support
Tom E. Moses Memorial Lecture on the U.S. Constitution: Annual lecture series focusing on constitutional issues and civil liberties
Prestigious National Scholarship Program: Support for development of national scholarship program
Paul Saab Memorial Lab: Support for teaching lab in the Robert C. Byrd Science Center
Shepherd University Women’s Basketball Alumnae and Supporters Fund: Women’s basketball student athletes
John and Lisa Wolff Scholarship, Rural Financial Planning Project: Finance students

$5,000-$9,999
Cox Family Trust Scholarship: Nursing students from Clarke County, Virginia
Esteves Veterans Fund: Student veterans recruitment
National Rural Health Association or Federal Office of Rural Health Policy Internship Award: Two internships for graduate or undergraduate students or a student/faculty team
Judy Rand and Friends Scholarship for Aspiring String Musicians: Faculty stipends for gratis private lessons to aspiring youth musicians
Storm-Kersey Memorial Scholarship: Students who are veterans of the U.S. Armed Services and have graduated from the Team River Runner training program

$2,000-$4,999
Boyle Family Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Rob Bradford Memorial Scholarship: Football student athletes, with preference to residents of West Virginia and Maryland
Canadian Parliament Internship Program: Honors or political science student internship in Ottawa
Laurie Cohen Scholarship: College of Business students with a preference for economics, finance, business administration
Dave Lewis Shepherd Football Offensive Line Scholarship: Football student athlete playing offense

Doctor of Nursing Practice Scholarships: Doctor of Nursing Practice students
Eugene and Christine Lugat Defensive Player Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Henry W. Miller, Jr. Scholarship: Environmental science students
Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship: General academic students who are members of Phi Theta Kappa
Phil Porterfield Women’s Volleyball Program Scholarship: Women’s volleyball student athletes
Mary Elizabeth Roberts Scholarship: Graduates of River View High School or Mount View High School, McDowell County, West Virginia
$500-$1,999
83 and 84 Championships Baseball Scholarship: Men’s baseball student athletes
Berkeley County Schools Superintendent of Schools Education Scholarship: Education students who graduated from Berkeley County Schools
Berkeley-Jefferson Extension Master Gardeners Scholarship: Students pursuing a certificate or degree in the sustainable agriculture program
Boyle Family Lacrosse Scholarship: Lacrosse student athletes
Distinguished Graduates Studies Award: Distinguished graduate student in scholarship; distinguished graduate student in professionalism
Eta Chapter Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Scholarship: Female junior or senior education students
Brian J. Filon Memorial Scholarship: Graduate students in the College Student Development Administration (CSDA) program
Dennis Frye Civil War Semester Scholarship: Civil War history students
Robert “Bob” T. Grant Memorial Scholarship: Education students from James Wood High School in Winchester, Virginia
Liz and Chris Giese Women’s Golf Program Scholarship: Women’s golf student athletes
Frank D. Koepping Athletic Scholarship: General academic student athletes
Tiffany E. Lawrence, D.E.L Scholarship: Incoming freshmen College of Business students from Jefferson County
Dale and Rozelle Leatherman Memorial Scholarship: College of Business students who are residents of Jefferson, Berkeley, Hardy, Hampshire, Morgan, Mineral, Grant, or Pendleton Counties
Samuel O. Legreid Student Research Presentation Award: Awards for business and social sciences students
William and Monica Lingenfelter Scholarship: Football student athletes
Njouve Scholarship: Sociology students
Oak Tree Homes Men’s Golf Scholarship: Men’s golf student-athletes
Pack Horse Ford Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, in Memory of Ruth Powers Thacher: Education and historic preservation students
Pulver Construction Men’s and Women’s Golf Scholarship: Men’s or women’s golf student athletes
Charles Victor Perry Memorial Scholarship: Nursing students; preference to West Virginia residents
Will Pindell Memorial Scholarship: Men’s tennis student athletes
Sue B. Reese Memorial Nursing Scholarship: SU and CTC nursing students
SU Offensive Line Football Scholarship: Football student athletes
Ella May Turner Scholarship: General academic students
Richard “Rick” Wachtel Memorial Scholarship: Freshman students from Martinsburg high school who demonstrate a commitment to community service
Noah Jayce Washington Scholarship: Nursing students
Neil M. Whittington II Memorial Scholarship: Tennis student athletes
World War I Remembrance Scholarship: West Virginia students

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