
ROCKHURST TRADITIONS

Historical Highlights

1908

Bishop John J. Hogan approved purchase of land for a Jesuit college.

1909

Rev. Michael Dowling, S.J., bought 25 acres at 53rd and Troost for \$50,000.

1910

Charter for awarding degrees was granted to Rockhurst by the state of Missouri.

1914

Academic life began with opening of high school in Sedgwick Hall.

1917

First college classes began with Rev. Alphonse Schwitalla, S.J., as the only faculty member.

1921

First class was graduated. First honorary degree was awarded to Marshal Ferdinand Foch. First Master's degree to J. Zack Miller III.

1922

Dowling Hall, the first college building, was completed.

1927

Rockhurst Circle was organized. Wilfred C. Bourke Field was completed.

1931

Honorary Directors Association was formed.

1933

Evening Division of College was established.

1937

Conway Hall classroom building was completed.

1938

Mason-Halpin Fieldhouse was dedicated to former Hawk coaches.

1939

North Central Association granted accreditation to Rockhurst College.

1940

First resident students were housed in Dowling Hall.

1946

Division of Business Administration was organized.

1950

St. Francis Xavier Church was dedicated.

1953

Francis Cardinal Spellman was honored guest at first Rockhurst Day.

1954

Jesuit faculty residence was dedicated.

1955

Board of Regents was established.

1956

Visiting Scholar Lecture Series was initiated.

1957

Massman Hall and Xavier-Loyola Hall, student residence, were dedicated.

1959

Fourth floor was added to Conway Hall.

1962

Honors program was initiated. Corcoran Hall, student residence, was completed. Rockhurst High School moved to Greenlease Memorial Campus.

1964

Hawks won N.A.I.A. basketball championship.

1965

Cooperative Education Program was established.

1966

McGee Hall, student residence, was dedicated. Junior Year Abroad program was introduced.

1967

Greenlease Library was dedicated.

1968

Library Guild was founded.

1969

College became coeducational in all divisions. President's Roundtable was formed.

1973

Physical Education and Convocation Center was completed.

1975

Van Ackeren Gallery of Religious Art opened. Graduate business courses initiated.

1976

Master of Business Administration degree program initiated. Jesuit residence named Van Ackeren Hall in honor of Father Van Ackeren's 25th year as president.

1977

Lay members added to Board of Trustees; the Rev. Maurice E. Van Ackeren, S.J., appointed chancellor; the Rev. Robert F. Weiss, S.J., inaugurated as 10th president. Season of the Arts program was established.

1978

Executive Fellows Program began.

1979

Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree program was approved in conjunction with Research College of Nursing.

1980

Major renovation of Conway and Sedgwick halls was completed. Mabee Theater and campus entryway were dedicated.

1982

Corcoran Hall and Massman Hall Rock Room were renovated. First annual Rockhurst Week was held.

1983

School of Management was established. The Heritage Society was initiated. The Bachelor's program in Physical Therapy was established.

1984

Conference Center addition to Massman Hall was completed. Mabee Chapel was dedicated.

1985

75th anniversary of the Rockhurst College charter was celebrated. Harry B. Kies Award was established to honor exemplary members of the College community.

1986

First endowed academic chairs were established—the Joseph M. Freeman, S.J., Chair in Philosophy and the George and Gladys Miller Chair in Business Administration. Thomas F. Eagleton Visiting Professorship was established.

1987

Research College of Nursing received North Central Association accreditation. Jesuit community established a scholarship for minority and needy students.

1988

Rev. Thomas J. Savage, S.J., was inaugurated as 11th president. Research College of Nursing received National League for Nursing Accreditation. Global Studies offered.

1989

Master's program in Occupational Therapy established. Center for Arts and Letters was established.

1990

A Campus Master Plan was announced. The plan takes the College into the next century and was developed with input from students, faculty, staff and the neighborhood.

1991

Rockhurst College Continuing Education Center, Inc., was established. RCCEC acquired National Seminars, Inc. A new Jesuit residence was built and renovation of Van Ackeren Hall for academic use initiated.

1992

The \$35 million "Renewing Commitments" Campaign for Rockhurst was announced. Alumnus and former faculty member Aubrey P. Richardson led the way with a \$12 million gift.

1993

Rockhurst joined Saint Louis University in opening Ignatius Center, the south campus location, one block south of I-435 at 106th and Wornall Road. Master's program in Physical Therapy was established.

1994

Construction began on the Aubrey Richardson Science Center. Town House Village opened. "Sacred Encounters: Father DeSmet and the Indians of the Rocky Mountain West," a major exhibit, opened at Ignatius Center. A new core curriculum was implemented, organized around the seven classical modes of inquiry.

1995

Rockhurst approved a new five-year strategic plan. The Rev. Thomas J. Savage, S.J. announced a search process for his successor after leading the College to eight years of growth in students, in the size of the campus and in national recognition.

1996

Rockhurst completed the "Renewing Commitments" Campaign with the first Rockhurst Gala. The campaign raised \$41.4 million for new and renovated facilities, endowed scholarships, faculty chairs and other projects. The College also opened the \$7 million Richardson Science Center. The Rev. Peter B. Ely, S.J. was inaugurated as 12th president.

1997

Rockhurst opened the School of Professional Studies, offering baccalaureate degrees in organizational leadership, organizational communication and computer technology.

1998

Rev. Edward Kinerk, S.J., '64, became the 13th president of Rockhurst College. A campus-wide technology plan was approved by the Board of Trustees. A new Communication Sciences and Disorders bachelor's degree program was offered in partnership with Saint Louis University.

1999

Rockhurst changed its name from Rockhurst College to Rockhurst University. Construction began on quadrangle expansion, Greenlease Gallery of Art, and Student Activities Center. University completed purchase of properties needed for Loyola Park expansion.

2000

The University celebrated completion of a \$10 million construction project, which included: moving the main entrance from 53rd to 54th St.; creation of a pedestrian mall at 53rd St.; construction of a 90-foot bell tower; a new pergola and fountain; and the Greenlease Gallery of Art. A Catholic Studies Center was established to explore and study the rich traditions of the Catholic Church.

2001

A \$50 million capital campaign was launched, with most of the funds slated for construction and renovation of facilities. The School of

Management changed its name to the Helzberg School of Management, in recognition of donors Barnett and Shirley Helzberg. The University launched a master of education degree in an effort to address the national teacher shortage.

2002

Conway Hall was reopened following a \$6.5 million renovation. The renovation included technological improvement such as computer labs and "smart" classrooms with multimedia capabilities.

2003

The completion of the Excellence in the City \$50 million campaign was celebrated, with \$50.5 million raised. Rockhurst Day was renewed as a campus tradition. The Loyola Park Baseball stadium was inaugurated. A clinical doctorate (DPT) was established in Physical Therapy.



Presidents of Rockhurst University

1910-1915

Rev. Michael P. Dowling, S.J.

1915-1918

Rev. Aloysius A. Breen, S.J.

1918-1924

Rev. John A. Weiand, S.J.

1924-1928

Rev. Arthur D. Spillard, S.J.

1928-1933

Rev. William P. Manion, S.J.

1933-1940

Rev. Daniel H. Conway, S.J.

1940-1945

Rev. William H. McCabe, S.J.

1945-1951

Rev. Thomas M. Knapp, S.J.

1951-1977

Rev. Maurice E. Van Ackeren, S.J.

1977-1988

Rev. Robert F. Weiss, S.J.

1988-1996

Rev. Thomas J. Savage, S.J.

1996-1997

Rev. Peter B. Ely, S.J.

1997-1998

Janet Watson Sheeran, Ph.D. (Interim)

1998-

Rev. E. Edward Kinerk, S.J., '64

Endowment Fund

To improve its fiscal stability, Rockhurst has developed a permanent endowment fund invested to provide continuing income in support of various programs and activities of the University. The major portion affords financial assistance to students as directed by the donors.

Cultural Opportunities

◆ **The Robert R. Lakas, S.J., Memorial Fund** was established by the friends of the former professor of English whose desire to share his appreciation of the fine arts—literature, music, art and the theater—induced him to found the Thomas More Center at Rockhurst. Support from this fund provides opportunities for students and the community to enjoy special programs and performances annually.

◆ **The Helen G. Bonfils Endowment for the Fine and Performing Arts** was established at Rockhurst University in 1976. Inspired by the Victor Hugo apothegm inscribed on the south face of the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art — “It is by the real that man exists; it is by the ideal that he lives”—Rockhurst University has used the endowment to promote contact between its students and the fine and performing arts.

◆ **The Visiting Scholar Lecture Series** was established in 1955-56 in order to enrich the intellectual life of the University and to provide free public lectures for the Rockhurst and Kansas City communities. Guests of national and international repute discuss timely and timeless subjects. Permanent funds endowing the program have been established by Roy A. Roberts, former editor of *The Kansas City Star*; by the Honorable Henry Bundschu, judge and member of a pioneer family in Independence and Kansas City; by the Kansas City Association of Trusts and Foundations; by Jo Zach Miller, Jr., in honor of Charles M. Charroppin; by the family of the Rev. William L. Rossner, S.J., long-time professor of philosophy at Rockhurst; and a gift by Edwin G. Borsierine to honor both the Rev. Vincent F. Daues, S.J., founder and long-time director of the Series, and Alpha Sigma Nu, the Jesuit Honor Society.

The Visiting Scholars

1955-1956

André Mercier
Père Paul Henry, S.J.
Rev. Josef Nuttin

1956-1957

Rev. John Courtney
Murray, S.J.
Rev. John C. Ford, S.J.
Rev. Joseph Owens, C.Ss.R.
Rev. John L. Thomas, S.J.

1957-1958

Saul S. Weinberg
Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle
Col. Thomas G. Lanphier Jr.
Senator Stuart Symington
Edward Teller
Sister M. Madeleva, C.S.C.
Clarence K. Streit
Rev. Henri Renard, S.J.

1958-1959

Erik Ritter von Kuehnelt-
Leddihn
Rev. Bruce Vawter, C.M.
Rev. Gerald B. Phelan
Rev. Thurston N. Davis, S.J.

1959-1960

Robert Frost
Anton Charles Pegis
Samuel Eliot Morison
William F. Albright

1960-1961

Rev. Joseph M. Bochenski, O.P.
Francis J. Braceland
Harlow M. Shapley
Allan Nevins
Etiënne Gilson

1961-1962

Cleanth Brooks
Jerome Gregory Kerwin
Henry A. Kissinger
Dexter Perkins
Barbara Ward
R. Buckminster Fuller
André Girard
Hans Schwieger
Rev. C.J. McNaspy, S.J.

1962-1963

Rev. Clifford Howell, S.J.
Clinton Rossiter
Roger D. Reid
George Bagshawe Harrison

1963-1964

Peter J.W. DeBye
Douglas Hyde
Paul Engle
James D. Collins

1964-1965

Marguerite Higgins
Harold Clurman
Rev. Virgil C. Blum, S.J.
Hon. Charles Malik
Rev. Roland de Vaux, O.P.
Bernard Cardinal Alfrink

1965-1966

Samuel John Hazo
Ferenc Nagy
Ruth Mary Fox
Rev. Francis X. Murphy, C.Ss.R.
John Canaday

1966-1967

Rev. Hans Kung
Cornelius Ryan
Edward Albee
Alan Lomax

1967-1968

Maynard Mack
Edward Schillebeeckx, O.P.
Robert C. Weaver
Constantinos Doxiadis
Ian L. McHarg
James B. Reston
Walter W. Heller

1968-1969

Bernard J. Lonergan, S.J.
Haynes Johnson
Rollo May
Sir Tyrone Guthrie

1969-1970

John A. McLaughlin
Victor C. Ferkiss
Rev. Walter J. Ong, S.J.
James A. Lovell

1970-1971

Harry A. Schwartz
George Marek
Fernando Belaunde-Terry
Michael Harrington

1971-1972

Edwin O. Reischauer
James M. Gustafson
John Kenneth Galbraith

1972-1973

Gail and Thomas Parker
George Romney
Arthur Schlesinger Jr.
Nathan A. Scott Jr.

1973-1974

Rev. Robert North, S.J.
Nila Magidoff
Cornelio Fabro
Paul Ramsey

1974-1975

Bill Schustik
John Hope Franklin
Howard James
Hon. Floyd R. Gibson
Russell Millin
Willard Bunch
Hon. Harold Holliday Sr.
Ralph Martin
Robert Sigman
Austin Van Buskirk
John F. Mee

1975-1976

Elizabeth Janeway
Martin E. Marty
Anthony Burgess
Daniel Bell
Henry Steele Commager

1976-1977

Louis L'Amour
John T. Noonan Jr.
Claire Hollingworth
Herbert Baumel
Alfonzo Ortiz

1977-1978

Frank Manley
Rev. David Tracy
Clarence C. Walton
Captain Grace Murry
Hopper, U.S.N.
L'Abbé Germain Marc'hadour

- 1978-1979**
 Rev. Walter J. Burghardt, S.J.
 David S. Broder
 Jack Reynolds
 Thomas Hoving
- 1979-1980**
 John Macquarrie
 Wayne Clayson Booth
 Lerone Bennett Jr.
 Garry Wills
 Rev. William Sloane Coffin, Jr.
 Admiral Elmo R. Zumwalt, Jr.
- 1980-1981**
 Anthony Lewis
 Ralph McInerney
 Rev. Robert Drinan, S.J.
 Lester Carl Thurow
 Paul Craig Roberts
 Natalie Hinderas
 Yale Brozen
- 1981-1982**
 Rev. Joseph A. Fitzmyer, S.J.
 David D. Burns
 Fritjof Capra
 Robert E. White
- 1982-1983**
 Mortimer J. Adler
 Stanley Siegel
 Erik Ritter von Kuehnelt-
 Leddihn
 Malcolm Toon
 James MacGregor Burns
 Alfred Kahn
- 1983-1984**
 Rev. Jared Wicks, S.J.
 Rev. Ladislav Orsy, S.J.
 Jonathan D. Spence
 Jerry Lee Jordan
 Ernest L. Boyer
 Edmund S. Wehrle
- 1984-1985**
 Vernon J. Bourke
 Rev. David Gill, S.J.
 Jean-Michel Cousteau
 Robert Farris Thompson
 Stanton Samenow
 William Poole
- 1985-1986**
 Col. John Cottell
 Jeremy Rifkin
 Rev. Avery Dulles, S.J.
 Jaroslav Pelikan
 Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum
 Rev. William Byron, S.J.
 Jean Dietz Moss
 Rev. William Wallace, O.P.
 Owen Gingerich
 Malcolm Miller
 Leif Olsen
- 1986-1987**
 Amb. Philip Habib
 Rev. Piet Schoonenberg, S.J.
 Rev. Robert C. Baumiller, S.J.
 Bert Hornback
 Malcolm Miller
 Rev. W. Norris Clarke, S.J.
- 1987-1988**
 Loret Miller Ruppe
 Guido Fernandez
 James F. Scott
 Rev. James Hennessy, S.J.
 Rev. Leo Sweeney, S.O.
 John T. Noonan Jr.
- 1988-1989**
 Richard Neuhaus
 Rev. Martin McCarthy, S.J.
 Fred Barnes
 Thomas Flanagan
 Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh,
 C.S.C.
- 1989-1990**
 Rev. Peter Milward, S.J.
 Monika Hellwig
 Arthur L. Caplan
 Robert Jay Lifton
 John M. Merriman
 Harry Edwards
 Rev. Jon Sobrino, S.J.
- 1990-1991**
 Rev. Marvin R. O'Connell
 Julie Roy Jeffrey
 Robert Collier
 Rev. Robert Brungs, S.J.
 Charles E. Rice
 Rev. John Powell, S.J.
 Rev. George Hunt, S.J.
- 1991-1992**
 Sr. Mary Clark, R.S.C.J.
 Adele Dutton Terrell
 Marion Montgomery
 Rev. Richard P. McBrien
 Sidney Callahan
 Eoin McKiernan
- 1992-1993**
 Clarence Page
 Catharine Stimpson
 Theodore Hamerow
 James Shenton
 Mary Jo Nye
 Rev. Gerald McCool, S.J.
 Rev. Carl Starkloff, S.J.
- 1993-1994**
 Rev. Robert Barth, S.J.
 Rev. Stanley Jaki
 Bel Kaufman
 Al Eaton
 Joseph Pappin
 Jacob Neusner
- 1994-1995**
 Zev Kedem
 Rev. Richard Blake, S.J.
 Christina Hoff Sommers
 Rev. Brian Davies, OP
 Paula Rothenberg
 Cardinal Joseph Bernardin
 Rev. J. Bryan Hehir
- 1995-1996**
 Paul Lombardo
 H. James Bix
 Rev. John Kavanaugh, S.J.
 William Eckhardt
 Toinette Eugene
 Cardinal Roger Mahony
 Rev. Michael Himes
- 1996-1997**
 Michael Medved
 Professor Timothy McDermott
 Rev. Leonid Kishkovsky
 James Q. Wilson
- 1997-1998**
 Stanley Fish
 Rev. Raymond Brown
 Dallas Willard
 Gertrude Himmelfarb

1998-1999

Joseph E. Persico
Peter Awn
Leroy Hood, M.D.
David Lehman
Rt. Rev. Msgr. Robert
Sokolowski

1999-2000

Helen Thomas
Richard Bernstein
Jody Williams
Cyprian Davis, O.S.B.
Maxine Greene
Linda Zagzebski

2000-2001

The Rev. Kevin Burke, S.J.
Mary E. Shaw
Rigoberta Menchú Tum
Steven Benson
Jean B. Elshtain, Ph.D.
David J. O'Brien, Ph.D.
The Rev. Robert J. Schreiter
Daniel Callahan, Ph.D.

2001-2002

Edmund Pellegrino, M.D.
Mairead Corrigan Maguire
Kenneth Goodpaster, Ph.D.
The Rev. Terrence Dempsey, S.J.
The Rev. James V. Shall, S.J.
J. Matthew Ashley, Ph.D.

2002-2003

Garry Wills, Ph.D.
Oscar Arias
Daniel Dombrowski, Ph.D.
R. Scott Appleby, Ph.D.
John L. Esposito, Ph.D.
Bill Kurtis

2003-2004

Chris Hedges
Corey Flintoff
Adolfo Pérez Esquivel
Tom Fox
Jorge Gracia
Michael Cuneo

Endowed Scholarships

Generous friends have made gifts and bequests to establish the following permanent scholarship funds, providing stability of income for student tuition assistance.

- **The AFL-CIO Scholarship**, founded to honor the former president of the American Federation of Labor, William Green.
- **The Paul D. Arend Scholarship** was created through the estate of Paul Arend, who was associated with Rockhurst for more than 35 years as a student, teacher (economics) and Registrar. Mr. Arend believed strongly in a Catholic education. Although Mr. Arend never had children of his own, he devoted over 50 years to the Boy Scouts of America as scoutmaster.
- **The Athletic Hall of Fame Scholarship**, established by members of the Rockhurst University Athletic Hall of Fame to provide tuition assistance to students who act in a supportive role to an athletic team, and who contribute in some significant way to athletics at Rockhurst University. The scholarship recognizes that students can participate in the Rockhurst athletic program without competing on an athletic field.
- **The Ronald Virgil Bartels Scholarship** was established in 2000 by Monica Bartels, sister of 1963 Rockhurst alumnus, Ronald Bartels, for deserving Rockhurst University students.
- **The William F. Bartholome Scholarship**, established in 1972 by the friends of William F. Bartholome, a Rockhurst administrator for 25 years, to provide financial assistance to students, with special consideration given to those from large families.
- **The Edward and Margaret Bessenbacher Scholarship**, established by Jim Bessenbacher and his sister, Helen, from the estate of their father, Edward, for students who meet the requirements for admission to Rockhurst.
- **The Edward L. Biersmith III Scholarship**, founded by Edward L. Biersmith III, '63 and his mother, Helen Kramer Biersmith, for students majoring in philosophy. Recipients must have and maintain a 3.0 GPA or better in courses in theology and philosophy.
- **Black Alumni Club Scholarship**, established in 1998 by the Rockhurst Black Alumni Club and endowed in 1999 by the Rockhurst Alumni Association for deserving African-American students.
- **The Louis H. Borserine, Jr. Scholarship**, sponsored in memory of Louis Borserine, Jr., a Rockhurst alumnus and benefactor, by his wife, Kathleen, and by his brother, Edwin. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Frank and Nassoum Boutross Family Memorial Scholarship** was established by the estate of William Boutross in 1987 to honor Frank and Nassoum Boutross and their children: Abraham, Joseph, William, Harry, Adele, and Labebe. Open to all undergraduate students.

- **The Dr. Joseph F. Bredeck Memorial Scholarship**, founded by his family to honor a distinguished health commissioner of St. Louis, Missouri, 1933-1948. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The John W. Breidenthal Memorial Scholarship**, established by Mrs. John W. Breidenthal in memory of her husband, a Kansas banker and civic leader, to provide financial assistance to help students achieve a good college education. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Joseph G. and Linda Buehler Scholarship**, founded by the family in 2001 in appreciation of Rockhurst University. Preference is given to students with outstanding academic potential and financial need who are enrolled full time.
- **The James E. Burke Scholarship**, founded by the family of James E. Burke in 1982 to honor him. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Mary Therese Byrne Puchi and Dr. Joseph B. Byrne, Sr. Scholarship Fund**, established by family and friends of Mary Therese Byrne Puchi, including Dr. Joseph B. Byrne '37 (father), Katherine Byrne (mother), Edmundo Puchi (husband), and Eddie and Katherine Puchi (children). The scholarship is awarded to young women on the basis of academic accomplishment.
- **The George B. Byrnes Scholarship**, established by George B. Byrnes, former Rockhurst student, in appreciation of the support that was given him by the Jesuits and his classmates during the Depression years. The scholarship is awarded to students showing financial need who are interested in extra-curricular activities with preference to those with physical conditions that may impair their ability to work in support of their tuition requirements.
- **Tommy Joe Caenen Memorial Scholarship**, funded by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Caenen in memory of their son. Recipients shall be seniors in pre-medical or pre-legal studies.
- **The Herbert and Maxine Christensen Scholarship**, created by a bequest from Mr. Herbert Christensen in 2001. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Louetta M. Cowden Scholarships**, established in memory of Louetta M. Cowden by the trustees of the Louetta M. Cowden Foundation. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Critical Investments Fund**, established in 1995 to provide educational assistance for non-traditional women students (over the age of 24) who have experienced disadvantages in the pursuit of their education. Students enrolled in the School of Professional Studies are invited to apply for awards from this fund along with other undergraduates enrolled at Rockhurst University.
- **The Edith and Harry Darby Scholarship** was established by the Edith and Harry Darby Foundation to provide assistance to students who exemplify academic excellence and leadership qualities. Preference is given to students in their junior and senior years.
- **The Vincent P. Dasta Sr. Scholarship**, established by Vince Dasta, Jr., in honor of his father, to assist full time undergraduate students who demonstrate need of financial assistance.
- **The Graham Davis Memorial Scholarship**, created in memory of Graham Davis, an '89 MBA graduate and PT student at the time of his death. The scholarship is for non-traditional students (those over the age of 24) enrolled in the Physical Therapy Program. Students must submit a completed application to the Chair of the Physical Therapy Department by October 1 of each year.
- **The Ilus W. Davis Fund**, initiated through gifts of Ilus W. Davis, former mayor of Kansas City, Missouri, and member of Rockhurst's Board of Trustees and Regents. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Mary A. DeClerk Memorial Scholarship**, established by a bequest to assist deserving students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Al and Margaret Denzer Scholarship** was established by Al and Margaret Denzer's five children and other family members as a lasting memorial to their love of Rockhurst. Preference is given to assist students majoring in accounting and economics.
- **The Thomas F. Denzer, S.J., Endowed Scholarship** for students of Economics was established in 1998 by an initial gift from the Rockhurst University Library Guild to honor Fr. Denzer, who served the University from 1963 to 2002 as Professor of Economics, Director of Planned Giving, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Associate Chancellor, and Professor Emeritus.

- **The Francis McDonnell Dierks and Margaret Muser Dierks Scholarship**, funded by a bequest of Francis McDonnell Dierks, an alumnus, and by gifts of his wife, Margaret Muser Dierks, in support of deserving Rockhurst students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The James R. Dierks Scholarship**, created by a bequest from the estate of James R. Dierks, a 1937 alumnus, and gifts from his wife, Jeanne Dierks, in support of deserving Rockhurst students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Alfred J. and Helene M. Dill Scholarship**, established with the bequest of Mrs. Helen Dill in 2001. The fund provides a deserving full-time student enrolled at Rockhurst University with a full tuition scholarship. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The William C. Doyle Memorial Scholarship** honors the memory of Rev. William C. Doyle, S.J., who taught at Rockhurst for 45 years. The fund assists deserving mathematics and physics majors.
- **The Duncan Family Scholarship**, established to honor the Duncan family and provide tuition assistance to students who might not otherwise be able to complete their undergraduate degree at Rockhurst University. Awarded to students who are in their junior or senior year of undergraduate study, demonstrate need for financial assistance, majoring in liberal arts or sciences, have a cumulative grade point average of 2.9 or better. Recipients must be enrolled full time and if the student(s) is a junior, he or she must be living on campus. A preference is given to descendants of Linda I. Duncan in awarding the scholarship.
- **The J. Ernest Dunn, Sr., Memorial Fund**, founded by Mrs. Rose Dunn to honor her husband, a charter member of the Rockhurst Regents. Provides grants to worthy students, with special consideration given to Latino-American students.
- **The Donna Edell Scholarship**, established by her husband, Jack Shumway, for students working in the field of natural sciences, demonstrating academic merit and financial need.
- **The G. Berenice Elders Fund**, established by the bequest of G. Berenice Elders in memory of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. Will Elders, and other members of her extended family. The fund was created to support the education and studies of Jesuits enrolled at Rockhurst University and/or to assist the faculty of the Theology Department in improving their skills, studies, and qualifications in the field of theology.
- **E. Frank and Janice E. Ellis Endowed Scholarship**, established by E. Frank and Janice E. Ellis in 2003. The purpose of the scholarship is to provide tuition assistance to students who might not otherwise be able to attend Rockhurst University. The scholarship is to be awarded to a student who lives in the inner city of Kansas City, Missouri, and who demonstrates need for significant financial assistance, without regard for ethnic background, gender, or intended field of study. The student must demonstrate dedication to, and progress towards, leadership in service to others, which may be evidenced by a record of service to school, church, or community.
- **The Philip J. Erbacher Trust** was established by the estate of Philip J. Erbacher. Mr. Erbacher, a 1935 graduate and valedictorian of Rockhurst University, was a distinguished lawyer, university professor and author. Open to all students.
- **The Executive Fellows Nonprofit/Minority Scholarship**, sponsored by the alumni of the Executive Fellows Program and Rockhurst University, is available to men and women working in the greater Kansas City metropolitan area.
- **The Anthony Fasenmyer Scholarship**, founded by A.C. Fasenmyer III to honor the memory of his father. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The T. J. Fleming Scholarship**, established by his wife in memory of this longtime friend and Honorary Director of Rockhurst. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Arthur A. Forster Scholarship**, established by Arthur A. Forster, member of the first graduating class of Rockhurst. Partial scholarship based upon academic performance. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Rev. Joseph M. Freeman, S.J., Scholarship**, established by Col. Martin J. Flaherty in 2001 to honor the Rev. Joseph M. Freeman, S.J., a long-time professor at Rockhurst University. Preference is given to honorably discharged veterans of a U.S. military service branch or to adult students completing undergraduate degrees.
- **The Friedl-Kies Scholarship**, established by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bonfils for students who are interested in studying economics.
- **Genevieve Geiger Nursing Scholarship**, established in 1999 by a bequest of Ms. Geiger. This fund supports pre-nursing and nursing students at Rockhurst University and Research College of Nursing.

- **The May S. Geiger Scholarship Fund**, established by gifts and a bequest of a longtime friend of Rockhurst University to aid worthy students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **R. McRae “Mac” Geschwind Scholarship Fund**, established by Mr. R. McRae Geschwind, Rockhurst graduate of 1963, in 2000 for deserving full-time undergraduate students at Rockhurst University who demonstrate financial need. Recipients will be expected to demonstrate “Learning, Leadership and Service in the Jesuit Tradition.”
- **The Dr. Joseph P. Glas Scholarship**, established in 1994 by 1960 alumnus, Dr. Joseph P. Glas for declared Biology, Chemistry or Physics majors with demonstrated need.
- **Golden Hawks Scholarship**, created by Rockhurst alumni who graduated at least 50 years ago. The scholarship aids students who encounter financial difficulties while enrolled at Rockhurst. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Goppert Scholarship Fund**, established by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Goppert and the Goppert Foundation to provide assistance to students demonstrating significant financial need. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Eleanor V. Gray Scholarship**, established in 2002 by Miss Gray to assist full-time undergraduates at Rockhurst University who demonstrate need for financial assistance and wish to prepare for a career as a teacher.
- **The Ralph L. Gray Memorial Scholarship**, established by the wife of Ralph L. Gray in honor of his 41-year membership in, and presidency of, the Honorary Directors Association, his membership in Regents, and his work as a civic leader and former chairman of Armco Steel. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Michael J. Hardy Memorial Scholarship**, established by the friends and family of Mike Hardy, a Rockhurst University student and rugby team member, to honor his memory. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Hayes Minority Scholarship**, established in 1999 by John Hayes Jr., 1959 alumnus, and his wife Gene. This scholarship benefits minority students at Rockhurst University.
- **The William Randolph Hearst Scholarship**, established for deserving Rockhurst students by the William Randolph Hearst Foundation in 1984. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Thomas F. Heidlinger Scholarship**, established in 1998 by his brother, Louis J. Heidlinger to honor Thomas Heidlinger, who died at a young age. This scholarship supports English majors in financial need with a GPA of at least 3.2.
- **The Anthony J. Heydon Memorial Scholarship**, established by the wife and friends of Anthony J. Heydon, investment banker and Honorary Director, in his memory. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Mark B. and Patrick M. Higgins Memorial Fund** provides grants to worthy students with particular consideration given to members of Alpha Delta Gamma fraternity. Established by the family of Mark B. and Patrick M. Higgins.
- **The Hilke Scholarship**, in memory of the Rev. George C. Hilke, S.J., who served the University in many different capacities and who helped establish the Rockhurst Alumni Association. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Robert F. Hoefler Memorial Fund** honors Robert F. Hoefler, 1953 alumnus and Trustee, and provides financial assistance to students with special consideration given to those interested in finance or business administration.
- **Honorary Directors Association Scholarships**, provided through the perpetual memberships of more than 320 persons in their own names or as memorials to former directors. Established in 1931. Open to all undergraduate students.
 - **Honorary Directors Rod J. Cyr Fund**, created in 1998 by Roderick J. Cyr, a member of the Honorary Directors Association.
 - **Honorary Directors Jerome Dobel Fund**, established in 2003.
 - **Honorary Directors Daniel Haake Fund**, established in 2001 by Daniel Haake, a 1973 alumnus and member of the Honorary Directors Association.
 - **Honorary Directors Barnett Helzberg Fund**, established by Barnett and Shirley Helzberg in 1999.
 - **Honorary Directors Al and Mary Helen Kleinman Fund**, established in 2003.
 - **Honorary Directors John A. Magers Endowed Scholarship Fund**, created by John Magers, a 1940 alumnus and member of the Honorary Directors Association. Open to all undergraduate students.

- **Honorary Directors Jo Zach Miller Fund**, established in 1999. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Honorary Directors Ruth H. O'Neil Scholarship**, established in 1999. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Honorary Directors Leonora M. Seck Fund**, established in 2002.
- **The J. Frank Hudson Memorial Scholarship**, established by Mrs. J. Frank Hudson in honor of her husband, the first chairman of Rockhurst Regents and the chairman of the University's first major fund drive. The scholarship assists students interested in business careers.
- **The Josephine Hudson Scholarship**, funded by Josephine Hudson, charter member of the Library Guild. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Thomas Francis Imbs Scholarships**, established by the family of Thomas Francis Imbs in memory of the father of a member of the Rockhurst Jesuit community, Rev. Robert Imbs, S.J. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Jesuit Community Scholarship Fund** assists needy students with preference given to minority students.
- **The John M. and Mary A. Joyce Scholarship**, established by John M. Joyce Jr., '25, in memory of his parents, to assist future students obtaining a Catholic, Jesuit education at Rockhurst. Open to all Catholic students.
- **Lois H. Keller Endowed Scholarship**, established in 2003 by the estate of Lois H. Keller, one of two graduates from Rockhurst University in 1967 who were women. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Leo J. Kelley Scholarship**, for needy students, with a preference for student athletes.
- **The Mr. and Mrs. Simon C. Kelly Memorial Scholarship**, funded by a bequest of Agnes C. Kelly in recognition of her nephew, the Rev. Francis J. Carey, S.J., and honoring Mrs. Simon C. Kelly. Preference given to relatives of members of the Jesuit community at Rockhurst University; to relatives of members of the Jesuit community at Rockhurst High School; to relatives of members of the Missouri Province Jesuits; and, finally, to relatives of any Jesuit. Recipients must be full time students.
- **The Kieffer Scholarship**, founded by Miss Catherine Shore in memory of the Rev. Eugene C. Kieffer, S.J. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Harry B. Kies Memorial Scholarship**, established by the family of Harry B. Kies and by Rockhurst faculty and students. Harry B. Kies co-founded the Institute of Social Order and taught history at Rockhurst for 42 years. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Kirwan-Hartigan Memorial Scholarship**, established in memory of Francis and Clara Louise Kirwan, to assist worthy students.
- **The Knipscher Chemistry Scholarship**, founded to honor the memory of the Rev. John K. Knipscher, S.J., who founded the chemistry department at Rockhurst. Open to all Chemistry majors.
- **The Julian J. Knopke Scholarship** was established in 2000 by the Knopke family in honor of Julian J. Knopke, a gifted and generous businessman and loving father. The fund is dedicated to assisting students in financial need who want to change their lives through desire and hard work.
- **The Robert F. Kuhnlein Scholarship**, founded in memory of Robert F. Kuhnlein, an alumnus and member of the Rockhurst Regents. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Dr. Thomas A. Kyner Memorial Fund**, established in 1970 by bequest of Dr. Thomas A. Kyner, a member of Rockhurst Honorary Directors. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The William F. and James B. Laughlin Memorial Scholarship**, created in 1997 by Eugene Laughlin to honor his brothers, William and James. The award assists deserving full-time juniors or seniors in the Helzberg School of Management who demonstrate financial need and who meet the criteria for academic scholarships.
- **The Max Leupold Memorial Scholarship**, created by bequest of Max Leupold, a Kansas City banker, civic leader and Honorary Director. Max Leupold developed corporate support for Rockhurst and our students over the course of ten years as a Senior Ambassador. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Robert L. Lueking Memorial Scholarship**, established by Gus W. Lueking in memory of his son, Robert L. Lueking, a former Rockhurst student, and his wife, Edna Lueking. Open to students who demonstrate financial need, were born in and presently reside in Missouri, maintained a B average or above in high school, and continue to maintain a B average or above in collegiate studies. Preference is given to students pursuing study in business, accounting, or economics.

- **The Mary Margaret Mangold Scholarship**, created in 1996 to assist deserving graduates of Bishop Miege High School of Shawnee Mission, Kansas. Recipients must be enrolled full-time. While financial need is not a criterion for selection, preference is given to incoming freshmen who may later renew the scholarship and to students who plan and continue to pursue the study of accounting.
- **The Mason Family Scholarship** honors Patrick W. Mason, 1921 alumnus and Rockhurst athletic coach, and members of the Mason family who supported the University and its students over many years. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Henry J. Massman Sr. Scholarship** honors Henry J. Massman, Sr., whose dedication to promoting Jesuit education galvanized support for the building of Conway Hall and Mason-Halpin Fieldhouse. Mr. Massman served as president of the Honorary Directors Association for 24 years. The scholarship provides tuition assistance for needy students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Lucie Jane Desloge McAnany Scholarship**, a permanent trust, established by one of the first women attending evening courses in the 1930s, that assists deserving students in obtaining a Catholic college education. Open to all Catholic undergraduate students.
- **The Robert A. McCune Memorial Fund**, established by Thomas J. McCune in memory of his son, Robert A. McCune, a former Rockhurst faculty member, to provide financial assistance to junior and senior accounting students.
- **Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. McDonnell Scholarship** assists deserving students, particularly those interested in engineering, with preference given to the children of employees of Burns-McDonnell.
- **The Frank and Margaret McGee Scholarship**, established by Thomas F. McGee in honor of his parents. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Thomas McGee Scholarship**, founded by Louis B. McGee in honor of his father, Thomas McGee, for students majoring in business administration.
- **The Meeks Family Foundation Scholarship for African-American Students**, established by Judge and Mrs. Cordell Meeks, Jr., to provide tuition assistance to students who might not otherwise be able to pursue their undergraduate degree at Rockhurst University. Freshmen entering as fulltime students who are African-American, reside in the five county Greater Kansas City Metropolitan Area, demonstrate need for financial assistance, and meet requirements for academic scholarships without regard to their program of study are eligible.
- **The Chester C. and Addiebell Michael Scholarship**, provided by the estate of a 27-year member of the Honorary Directors. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The James E. and Jane G. Millard Memorial Scholarship**, established by their children in memory of their parents' love and support of Catholic, Jesuit education. Preference will be given to a descendant of the Millards, then to Catholic students.
- **The Bernadette and Richard Miller Scholarship**, a grant to be awarded annually to full-time students who have spent their prior summer doing voluntary social service for the less fortunate and needy. The fund was established by Richard W. Miller, a 1952 alum, past member of Rockhurst University's Board of Trustees, prominent Kansas City attorney, and co-founder of the Christmas in October project, his wife, Bernadette Miller, who is active in Rockhurst University's Library Guild and other volunteer committees.
- **The Robert W. and Mary Jane Miller Memorial Scholarship**, founded by their children: Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Hinse, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roulit. Robert W. Miller was a 30-year member of the Rockhurst Evening faculty and his wife, Mary Jane Miller, was a member and president of the Rockhurst Circle. The scholarship was established to provide tuition support for students who spend the previous summer in voluntary service to the less fortunate and needy. In this way, the children of Robert W. and Mary Jane Miller hope to encourage and assist people in following the example of their parents.
- **The William Moore Scholarship**, founded by Mrs. Genevieve Moore in memory of her husband. Open to all undergraduate students.

- **The Harry F. Murphy Memorial Scholarship**, established by the family and friends of Harry F. Murphy, 1925 alumnus, Honorary Director, lawyer and judge. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Murphy-Holman Scholarship** was established to honor Jim and Susan Murphy's families as well as to provide tuition assistance to students who might not otherwise be able to complete their undergraduate degree at Rockhurst University. James W. Murphy is a 1957 graduate of Rockhurst University. The scholarship is awarded to students in the Helzberg School of Management who are in their junior or senior year of undergraduate study, demonstrate need for financial assistance, are preparing for a career in business, have demonstrated progress towards attainment of their baccalaureate degree, are average academic students, and are enrolled full time. Preference is to be given to students who are first generation college students.
- **The Laurence R. O'Donnell Memorial Scholarship**, honoring Laurence R. O'Donnell, a charter member of the Rockhurst Regents and a dedicated friend of education and the Jesuits.
- **The Josephine A. Oldani Memorial Scholarship** was established in memory of the mother of a Jesuit member of the Rockhurst faculty to provide tuition assistance to undergraduate students who demonstrate financial need.
- **The James R. Owens, Jr. International Scholarship**, established in 2001 by Mr. Owens to encourage enrollment of international students from Ukraine.
- **The Sebastian Patti Scholarship**, founded by Mrs. Sebastian Patti in memory of her husband, for students preparing for careers in engineering.
- **The Permanent Memorial Fund**, a continuing source of support for the University that may be used in the area of most need. This permanent memorial provides lasting and appropriate honor for deceased persons through friends of Rockhurst.
- **The Edward T. Powers Scholarships**, founded by Miss Marie F. Powers in memory of her parents, Amanda and Edward Powers. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Regular Investors in Rockhurst Scholarship**, established by members of the Alumni Association from a portion of their regular annual support and restricted to the children of alumni.
- **The Mr. and Mrs. John A. Reid Scholarship Fund** was established by Mr. and Mrs. George Reid in honor of Mr. Reid's parents. A preference is given to computer science majors.
- **The Robert A. Ridgway Scholarship Fund**, founded in memory of Robert A. Ridgway by his wife. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Dr. Sam E. Roberts Fund**, established in memory of Dr. Sam E. Roberts by a bequest of his wife, Mary, a member of the Regents. Preference is given to juniors who demonstrate leadership ability.
- **The Rockhurst Circle Scholarship**, established as a permanent fund in 1972 from projects and gifts of the first (1927) women's organization of the University, comprised of the mothers, wives and friends of students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Rues Occupational Therapy Scholarship**, provides tuition support to occupational therapy students through the generosity of Drs. Larry and Jane Rues. Preference is given to occupational therapy students, who are also parents, with a minimum 3.0 GPA.
- **The Thomas J. Savage, S.J. Scholarship**, established in 1999 in honor of former Rockhurst University President Thomas J. Savage, S.J., to assist deserving students from the Kansas City area.
- **The Justin X. Schmitt, S.J. Memorial Scholarship** honors Fr. Justin X. Schmitt, a 26-year member of the faculty and professor and former chairman of the Department of Theology, by his friends and the Jesuit community. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Seiber Family Scholarship Fund** established in 2001 by alumnus, Mr. John Seiber, and his wife, Patricia. The purpose of the scholarship is to enable potential civic and business leaders, who would not otherwise be able to attend Rockhurst, to enroll for University studies in the Jesuit tradition.
- **The Agnes Shirk Scholarship**, created by the sons of Agnes Shirk, Paul and James, in recognition of her association with Rockhurst from 1924 to 1991 and her strong belief in Catholic education. Preference is given to students in need of financial assistance. Open to all undergraduate students with financial need.
- **The Sosland Foundation Scholarship** provides tuition assistance to needy students showing academic potential with special preference to Latinos.

- **The Southwestern Bell Foundation Scholarship** is awarded to students from geographical areas served by Southwestern Bell corporation including Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas, with preference to students majoring in computer science, mathematics or accounting.
- **The Sovereign Military Hospitaller Order of St. John of Jerusalem, of Rhodes and of Malta Scholarship Fund**, established by Mr. Thomas J. McCune, The Stanley Works, and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Ziller, Sr., in honor of the Sovereign Military Hospitaller Order of St. John of Jerusalem, of Rhodes and of Malta. Tuition assistance is provided to worthy students practicing the Catholic faith with preference to majors in philosophy and theology.
- **Strachan Scholarship Fund**, established by Robin Strachan in 1999 in honor of her mother, daughters, grandmothers, sisters, aunts, and nieces in recognition of their life accomplishments. Deserving non-traditional students will benefit from the scholarship. Preference is given to female students enrolled in the School of Graduate and Professional Studies.
- **The William J. Sullivan Memorial Scholarship**, established by the family and friends of William J. Sullivan, a 28-year Honorary Director and Kansas City businessman, to honor him. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Sutherland Memorial Scholarship**, honoring Alexander G. Sutherland. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Tau Kappa Epsilon (TKE) Scholarship**, established by the Tau Kappa Epsilon social fraternity for its members. Open to active member in good standing of the Tau Kappa Epsilon social fraternity.
- **The James I. Threatt Scholarship**, created in honor of James I. Threatt, a well-known civic leader in Kansas City. Preference is given to minority students from an urban background with a B+ or higher high school GPA who intend to pursue a full-time course of study in business. Recipients should be interested in giving special consideration to the study of, or career intent in, public administration or urban development.
- **The Ted Tobin Scholarship**, created through the estate of Ted Tobin, a former Senior Ambassador for Rockhurst, who died in 1993. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Bernard G. Tonquest and Thomas E. Tonquest Memorial Scholarship**, established by gifts and bequests in honor of Bernard G. Tonquest and Thomas E. Tonquest, students in the early years of Rockhurst. The scholarship provides assistance to deserving students. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Charles Truitt Scholarship**, established in 1994 by his family to honor Charles Truitt, a gifted business leader and family man. The fund is dedicated to helping young men and women who seek to change their own lives through desire and hard work. Open to full-time undergraduate or graduate students in the Helzberg School of Management who are Kansas or Missouri residents and work 20 or more hours per week.
- **The Fred P. Turner Memorial Scholarship** honors Fred P. Turner, who shared his banking and investment experience in a very practical way. Grants from this scholarship are made to students who express the intention of obtaining an undergraduate degree in business, management, economics, accounting or related subjects, and evidence some need for tuition assistance.
- **The Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph J. Valenta Scholarship**, established by the family of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph J. Valenta to recognize graduates of Saint Louis University High School showing academic ability and promise with financial need.
- **The Maurice Van Ackeren Scholarship**, initiated in 1966 by the Rockhurst Circle in recognition of the fifteenth anniversary of the Rev. Maurice E. Van Ackeren, S.J., as president of Rockhurst University. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Frank Vanost Scholarship**, founded in memory of Frank Vanost, a 1961 alumnus, by a friend and classmate, to provide assistance to fatherless students.
- **William Volker Scholarships**, provided by a grant from a fund established in 1932 by Mr. Volker, a successful Kansas City businessman and generous philanthropist. Limited to residents and high school graduates of Jackson, Clay, Platte, Cass and Ray counties in Missouri, and Johnson and Wyandotte counties in Kansas, who display outstanding leadership skills and scholarship ability and who are pursuing undergraduate education.

- **The Vowells Family Scholarship**, created in 1997 by Mr. Joseph Vowells in honor of Brother Henry Poiner Vowells, S.J., Henry Poiner Vowells, Mary Jo Vowells, Joseph Poiner Vowells, and John Joseph Vowells, S.J. The scholarship is to assist needy Catholic students who are enrolled as full-time undergraduates.
- **The Leo F. Weber Scholarship Fund** was established as a memorial by the family and friends of Leo F. Weber from the Bayvet Division of Miles Laboratories where Mr. Weber was director of finance and administration. Mr. Weber received his MBA degree from Rockhurst. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Margaret Whalen Scholarship**, founded by the bequest of Mrs. Margaret Whalen. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **Rev. James Wheeler, S.J., Endowed Scholarship Fund**, created in 1999 to honor Father Wheeler, a long-time Rockhurst University professor of chemistry. The scholarship is for deserving students who pursue the study of chemistry.
- **The John White Scholarship**, a fund for deserving young people from farming or rural communities.
- **The Wiesner Family Scholarship**, established by the family of Jack Wiesner in 1998, to provide financial support to students in need with a GPA of 2.0 or above.
- **The Helen F. Wiggins Scholarship**, established by her husband, Dr. John M. Wiggins, her son, Senator Harry Wiggins '53, friends and relatives to honor a lady who recognized the value of a Catholic, Jesuit education, and who served as an example of a Christian wife and parent that others might emulate. The grants from this scholarship provide assistance to students who otherwise would not be able to obtain a Rockhurst education. Open to all undergraduate students.
- **The Helen E. Williams Memorial Scholarship** was established by a bequest from Helen E. Williams that was directed by her son, Rev. William W. Williams, S.J., to provide tuition assistance to Rockhurst students in financial need, with preference given to students of Mexican ancestry.
- **The Victor H. Zahner Scholarship Fund** was established by a bequest of Victor H. Zahner in order to provide financial aid for students in need. Open to all undergraduate students.

Sponsored Scholarships

Each year certain institutions, companies and individuals provide funds for scholarships for qualified students. Among those which have been given on a regular basis are the following:

- **Alpha Sigma Nu Scholarship**. This scholarship benefits undergraduate students with financial need and academic excellence.
- **The Angels Assistance Program**. Thirty local area business men and women provide funding to partial scholarships to assist low income students who want to obtain a Rockhurst education, but lack the resources to do so. Students who receive scholarships through the Angels Assistance Program must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.9.
- **The Henry W. Bloch Scholars Program** provides financial assistance for tuition and fees for qualified students who enter Donnelly or MCC for their associate's degree and then desire to advance to Rockhurst for their bachelor's degree. Scholarships may be extended for a maximum of five semesters to students enrolled in a minimum of 12 hours per semester.
- **Deborah Butcher Scholarship**, established in 1998 by family and friends, this scholarship supports minority female students with a minimum 2.0 GPA in Rockhurst's Helzberg School of Management.
- **The Gabino and Juanita Castro Scholarship**, established in 1999.
- **The Clarice Colson Scholarship**, established in April 2000, will benefit students from Kansas City metro area inner-city schools who would otherwise be unable to attend Rockhurst University.
- **Thomas F. Eagleton Public Affairs Fellowship in Global Studies**, established in 1991, this fund enables top global studies students at Rockhurst to undertake internships in Washington, D.C.
- **The Farmers Insurance Group Scholarships**, funded by a gift given to the University in proportion to the number of graduates from Rockhurst University working for the company, and awarded to students on the basis of need.

- **The Gourley Family Scholarship** enables students demonstrating great financial need to receive an education at Rockhurst University. Students must demonstrate financial need, meet criteria for admission, enroll full time, be highly motivated, and accept work-study and a small loan as part of their overall financial aid package.
- **Heart of America Japan-America Society Scholarship**, provides financial support for full-time Japanese students studying in the United States, or American students studying in either Japan or the United States, who will promote understanding between the two nations. Applicants must have financial need and have completed one or more years of college.
- **Ireland Scholarship**, a four-year sponsored academic scholarship established in 1996 that assists students from Ireland with financial need.
- **Irven & NeVada Linscomb Foundation Scholarship**, established by the Linscomb Foundation to provide financial support to Rockhurst University students who graduated from North Kansas City High School or Liberty High School. Students must have no less than a 3.2 GPA and must demonstrate leadership skills and a solid work ethic. Priority will be given to graduates of North Kansas City High School.
- **Carolyn Jean Maher Scholarship**, established by the family and friends of Carolyn Jean Maher, who served the University for many years through her employment in the Athletic Department.
- **Catherin V. Merrill Scholarships**, established by the Catherin V. Merrill Foundation. The awards are for Catholic graduates from high schools in the Kansas City area. Students must demonstrate significant financial need. Preference is given to students who aspire to a role in church leadership, for example, as a youth minister. Students must be academically qualified to attend Rockhurst University and enrolled full time. Renewal of the scholarship will be expected for three years as long as the student has a 2.5 cumulative GPA at the end of each academic year, and there has been no significant improvement in their financial need.
- **Paul A. Mistretta Memorial Scholarship**, established an annual award by the Mistretta family to honor a former Rockhurst student who loved music, especially the trombone. The scholarship benefits students in Rockhurst's Music Department. Recipients must be nominated by the Chair of the Music Department, demonstrate financial need, and maintain good academic standing. Preference is given to students of Italian heritage.
- **The Physical Therapy Scholarship** was initiated by a gift from the first graduating class in physical therapy and continues to be primarily supported by graduates and their families. Assistance is awarded to the most financially needy year two and/or year three students in the Physical Therapy Education Program.
- **The Harry Portman Scholarship** was initiated by a gift from the Harry Portman Charitable Trust.
- **ROCW Scholarship** offers support to members of Rockhurst Organization of Collegiate Women (ROCW).
- **Sprint Foundation Scholarship**, funded through a grant from the Foundation, offers scholarships to students majoring in the company-selected areas of business.
- **The St. Louis Alumni Scholarship**, a non-renewable award funded through the proceeds of the St. Louis Alumni Golf Tourney.
- **Rosalie Tilles Fund** provides full tuition assistance to young men and women who desire, but are not financially able, to attend college. Rockhurst University nominates one candidate and an alternate nominee each spring. Nominees must be incoming freshmen and reside within the City or County of St. Louis, Missouri. Nominees must demonstrate capability of maintaining a cumulative 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale and a cumulative average of a 2.75 GPA each semester.
- **Timothy Assistance Scholarship**, dedicated to Rockhurst students who through desire and hard work intend to pursue the study of history at Rockhurst University. The scholarship is intended to encourage students to graduate with a Rockhurst liberal arts education, a major in History and a dedication to the Christian mission of Rockhurst. Established in 1999.
- **The Suzanne Feld Zalk Scholarship** provides tuition assistance to aid a worthy African-American student of high scholastic aptitude who otherwise would be unable to pursue studies at Rockhurst.
- **The Zeta Tau Alpha Foundation Scholarship**, a fund for ZTA members.

Faculty and Student Development

Several special endowment programs have been established by friends of the University to provide a variety of support funds and services to faculty and students.

- **Accounting Department DHS**, established by Deloitte, Haskins, and Sells in 1988 to support the needs of the Accounting Department.
- **The James F. Andrews Memorial Fund** provides continuing support of the Department of Communications through the generosity of the family and friends of James F. Andrews and through the company, Andrews and McMeel.
- **Elizabeth Bonfils Tuition Grants for Essays on Child Labor** encourage Rockhurst University's undergraduate students to think about public policy issues related to national and international laws addressing issues of child labor.
- **The Breen Endowment for Faculty Development**, with a focus on understanding international finance, is a fund that provides a week-long experience for Helzberg School of Management faculty with business and government leaders in foreign countries.
- **The Daniel L. Brenner Faculty Scholarship** was established in 1987 by Daniel L. Brenner, longtime Regent and friend of Rockhurst, to support and recognize outstanding faculty.
- **Daniel Brenner Student Leadership Award**, established by the Estate of Daniel Brenner in 2003.
- **The Center for Arts and Letters** was created in 1996 to support the Center for Arts and Letters.
- **The Francis Chair in the Helzberg School of Management** is used to recruit and retain top quality faculty in the Helzberg School of Management. Funding came from the Parker B. Francis III Foundation in the 1980s.
- **The Rev. Joseph M. Freeman, S.J., Chair in Philosophy**, established by Mrs. Robert C. Greenlease, honors her long-time friend and supports the study of philosophy, a hallmark of Jesuit education and the framework of liberal studies.
- **The Joseph M. Freeman, S.J., Philosophy Fund**, established by Mr. and Mrs. Byron G. Thompson to honor the Rev. Joseph M. Freeman, S.J., a member of the Rockhurst University faculty, whose years of teaching and friendship have influenced the lives of many people. The fund encourages the continued improvement of the Department of Philosophy by supporting faculty study, library holdings and expanded programs, but not for ordinary expenses of the department.
- **Greenlease Library Fund**, to support the Greenlease Library, affording additional holdings and equipment so that the library will continue as a center of learning for all disciplines. This permanent fund is maintained through gifts and through perpetual memberships in the Library Guild.
- **The Joseph A. Hoskins Memorial Fund for Faculty Development**, established in honor of this 1933 alumnus, charter member of the Regents, founder and chairman of the Gift and Bequest Council, 26-year Honorary Director, member of the President's Roundtable, and dedicated leader in the advancement of Jesuit education.
- **The Gregory C. Huger, S.J., Memorial Fund** honors a 25-year professor of history, a Jesuit dedicated to instilling social responsibility and appreciation of mankind in his students and friends.
- **The Humanities Fund** supports faculty salaries and benefits in the humanities as designated by the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.
- **The Jesuit Endowment for Rockhurst University** was created in 1999.
- **The Brian K. Jones Memorial HIV/AIDS Educational Fund** was created in 1996 at Brian K. Jones' request to provide continuing HIV and AIDS education at his alma mater, Rockhurst University, and in our surrounding community.
- **The Rev. Wilfred L. LaCroix, S.J., Philosophy Fund** is an endowed fund to benefit the continued improvement of faculty in the departments of philosophy and theology. The fund is named in honor of long time philosophy professor Father LaCroix through a gift arranged by his parents.
- **Elaine Bourke Lally Fund for Teaching Humanities**, an endowed fund for the support of teachers of humanities at Rockhurst University, has been established by Elaine Bourke Lally, a long-time friend of Rockhurst University. A monetary award will be given annually to one faculty member from the humanities area of Rockhurst to provide special opportunities to the faculty member.

- **The MBA Fellowship Fund** supports the needs of the Helzberg School of Management.
- **The McGee Chair**, a gift of the Joseph and Anne McGee family to support an instructional development program for faculty designed to enhance teaching and learning. Workshops and teaching consultant assistance are available for skill development in interactive learning, using technology for learning, assigning and assessing student oral and written work, using case method teaching, and enhancing student listening skills.
- **The George and Gladys Miller Chair in Business Administration**, established by a well-known Kansas City businessman and Rockhurst supporter, acknowledges the strong ties between the University and the business community while strengthening business management rooted in a liberal education.
- **The Patricia Morgan Memorial Fund**, to honor Patricia Morgan, one whose love of God and fellow men was exemplified in her life, for the purpose of supporting the teaching of philosophy and theology.
- **The Physical Therapy/Occupational Therapy Resource Center** funded by Georgeann Mulhern, longtime friend of the University, provides books, supplies, equipment and other resources to support the Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Resource Center.
- **The Paul Quigley Fund** was established in memory of Paul J. Quigley, Rockhurst graduate and Honorary Director.
- **The Rigby-Knickerbocker Faculty Development Fund**, for development of faculty in the psychology and English departments, established in 1990 by the estate of Dr. Marilyn Rigby, beloved professor of psychology from 1960 to 1989. The fund is also named for her husband, M.R. Knickerbocker, professor of English from 1950 to 1988. Dr. Rigby contributed substantially to the development of the University's psychology department. To many, students and faculty colleagues alike, she was also a wise and compassionate counselor. Both Dr. Rigby and Professor Knickerbocker were recipients of the Harry B. Kies Award for distinguished service. Over the years, gifts from faculty, family, and friends have increased this faculty development fund.
- **Rockhurst University Faculty Development Fund**, established to provide a continuing source of support to advance teaching skills and recognizing outstanding academic accomplishments of the University faculty.
- **The Rossner Fund for Jesuit Development**, named in honor of the Rev. William L. Rossner, S.J., professor of philosophy at the University from 1956 until his death in 1974. This fund regularly makes financial support available to members of the Jesuit community for research, special projects, and spiritual and educational endeavors.
- **The Rossner Fund for the Library**, established in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Rossner to provide financial support for the Greenleaf Library, primarily for the acquisition of philosophy and theology books.
- **Rossner Fund for the Promotion of Religion**, established by a bequest of Mrs. Blanche M. Rossner to provide a permanent trust fund to promote the intellectual, spiritual and religious development of the students, faculty and administration in the Roman Catholic faith.
- **The Rev. Paul O. Smith, S.J., Athletic Endowment Project** was established in 1987 by Rockhurst in honor of the Rev. Paul O. Smith, S.J., longtime athletic director, to provide financial stability to athletic programs and to enhance and maintain our athletic facilities.
- **The Student/Faculty Research Program in Physics** was established by Elizabeth Monahan in 1994 to support student and faculty research in physics.
- **The John J. and Laura J. Sullivan Chair in Ethics** was established by John J. Sullivan Jr. in honor of his parents. The purpose of the Chair is to promote ethics throughout the curriculum of Rockhurst University.
- **The Technology Endowment Fund** was established by the Golden Hawks, class of 1948.
- **The Van Ackeren Appreciation Fund**, established by the friends of the Rev. Maurice E. Van Ackeren, S.J., in recognition of his outstanding years of service as the ninth president of Rockhurst University. This permanent endowment provides a continuing source of funds to be used for faculty support and student assistance at Rockhurst.
- **The Weiss Fund** was established in 1987 by the estate of Therese Kreier to promote the Jesuit mission of Rockhurst University.
- **The Barbara M. Wynne Memorial Award Fund**, established by her family and friends who honor this 1980 summa cum laude graduate. The fund will provide continuing support of the Department of Biology where she earned her major degree, and honors outstanding students in Biology.

Alumni Association

The Rockhurst University Alumni Association, organized in 1917, is the official umbrella organization of graduates and former students of Rockhurst University. The Association promotes strong ties between the University and its nearly 16,000 living former students. The Alumni Association has earned national acclaim as a leader among Jesuit and peer colleges and universities in terms of the percentage of alumni who support the University annually.

The Alumni Association has, over the past few years, encouraged the establishment and support of several constituent clubs to more fully serve the needs of its various and varied alumni. The Black Alumni Club and Hispanic Alumni Club are designed as networking and support organizations. In addition, the clubs serve the University and its students by playing a leadership role in the recruitment and retention of Black and Hispanic students, providing role models for students, providing scholarships, and exposing students to the career opportunities available to them as Rockhurst University alumni. The Executive Fellows Alumni Association is designed to fulfill the specific continuing education, networking and career advancement needs for this group of corporate leaders. The Association also has organizations in various geographic locations that gather from time to time and serve a networking role in their particular area. Some locations include: St. Louis, Chicago, Washington, D.C., San Francisco, San Diego, Topeka, Tulsa, Wichita, Omaha and Phoenix, just to mention a few.

The Research Nursing Alumni Association is the official organization of graduates of Research College of Nursing. The Association works to promote strong ties between the University and its graduates. Alumni activities include college recruitment, college and program promotion, fund raising for scholarship programs, and community service projects.

The Alumni Association hosts numerous events and activities throughout the year. A sample of the events includes: reunions, Alumni College Weekend, Rockhurst Day, travel programs, golf tournaments, alumni achievement awards, social activities planned around cultural and athletic events and family activities. There are periodic events for Rockhurst alumni in most of the major metropolitan areas throughout the U.S.

Rockhurst alumni are leaders in their respective communities and professions. Rockhurst alumni are very committed to the traditions of a Jesuit education and demonstrate such through their volunteer and financial support to the University and their communities. Alumni volunteers can be found helping with admissions, career placement, cultural, spiritual and educational programming and fund-raising programs. They also help with alumni program planning, serve as advisors to the University, and promote the University and its programs in the community.

Outstanding Alumnus Award

1982	Vincent J. O'Flaherty, Jr. '21
1983	James Spellman '30
1984	William H. Dunn '46
1985	John Harry Wiggins '53
1986	Gil P. Bourk '48
1987	John J. Sullivan, Jr. '39
1988	John H. Bolin, Jr. '48
1989	Louis DeFeo, Jr. '57

Outstanding Achievement

1991	Joseph P. Glas '60
1992	Godfrey S. Kobets '39
1993	Salvatore J. Enna '65
1994	Joseph A. Flaherty, Jr. '52
1995	Thomas A. McDonnell '66
1996	Rev. George K. Fitzsimons '48
1997	Dr. Veron Rice '57
1998	Mr. Louis W. Smith '80
1999	Mr. Blake B. Mulvany '57
2000	Mark C. Lamping '80
2001	James Castellano '73
2002	Hector V. Barreto, Jr. '83
2003	Thomas M. Downs '64

Outstanding Service

1991	Joseph McGee, Jr. '41
1992	Robert E. Miller '49
	Richard W. Miller '52
1993	Gerard Meiners '59
1994	Robert Cunningham '49
1995	D. Eugene (Gene) Hart '50
1996	Raymond W. Sonnenberg '69
1997	John E. Hayes, Jr. '59
1998	Rev. Thomas F. Denzer, S.J. '48
1999	Mr. Maurice M. McNellis '49
2000	Michael Bahlinger '85
2001	Jerry Haake '70
2002	G. Lawrence Blankinship, Jr. '83
2003	Michael A. Kleinman '63

Honorary Alumnus

1991	Samuel J. Kennedy
1992	Ilus W. Davis
1993	Byron G. Thompson
1994	Rev. Maurice Van Ackeren, S.J.
1995	Robert J. Dineen
1996	Joseph S. Rydzal
1997	Adolph Heine
1998	Rev. Joseph M. Freeman, S.J.
1999	Rev. Jules M. Brady, S.J.
2000	Mary Sue Karl
2003	Reva R. Servoss, Ph.D.

Honorary Degrees

Year	Degree	Recipient
1921	LL.D.	Marshal Ferdinand Foch
1942	LL.D.	Bernard J. Muller-Thym
1942	Sc.D.	Charles F. Schnabel
1948	LL.D.	Robert Woods Johnson
1948	LL.D.	Henry J. Massman Sr.
1948	LL.D.	Rev. Bernard Joseph Hale
1952	LL.D.	Jack P. Whitaker
1953	Litt.D.	Francis Cardinal Spellman
1954	LL.D.	Carlos P. Romulo
1955	LL.D.	Lewis Strauss
1956	LL.D.	Senator John F. Kennedy
1957	LL.D.	Ricardo Arias
1958	LL.D.	Alfred M. Gruenther
1959	LL.D.	Stuart Symington
1959	LL.D.	John A. McCone
1959	LL.D.	Roy A. Roberts
1960	LL.D.	President Harry S Truman
1960	LL.D.	Charles H. Kellstadt
1961	LL.D.	Charles E. Bohlen
1961	Litt.D.	John C. H. Wu
1962	LL.D.	Frederick H. Boland
1964	L.H.D.	Bishop Charles H. Helmsing
1964	LL.D.	Senator Abraham Ribicoff
1965	L.H.D.	Joseph Cardinal Ritter
1965	LL.D.	Thomas Joseph Dodd
1966	LL.D.	Robert D. Murphy
1966	LL.D.	Herbert H. Wilson
1966	LL.D.	Edwin G. Borserine
1967	LL.D.	Arthur S. Fleming
1967	LL.D.	Edward V. Long
1967	Litt.D.	Jaroslav Pelikan
1967	HH.D.	Bishop Harold R. Perry
1967	LL.D.	Gov. Warren Hearnes
1968	L.H.D.	John R. Cauley
1968	L.H.D.	Rev. Walter J. Ong, S.J.
1969	D.F.A.	Thomas Hart Benton
1969	Mus.D.	Hans Schwieger
1970	Sc.D.	James A. Lovell
1970	LL.D.	Thomas F. Eagleton
1971	LL.D.	Richard Bolling
1971	L.H.D.	Walter Cronkite
1971	LL.D.	Thomas H. Eliot
1972	D.H.	H. Roe Bartle
1972	D.F.A.	Laurence Sickman
1972	D.H.L.	Msgr. Arthur M. Tighe
1973	D.H.L.	John Bannon, S.J.
1973	Sc.D.	A. Donald Goedeke
1973	LL.D.	Leonor K. Sullivan
1974	LL.D.	John C. Danforth
1974	D.P.S.	Charles Newton Kimball
1974	Sc.D.	Joseph Collins Shipman
1975	Mus.D.	Grace Melzia Bumbry
1975	Sc.D.	Richard Marlin Perkins
1975	D.H.	James Berton Rhoades
1976	LL.D.	Robert J. Henle, S.J.
1976	HH.D.	Margaret Truman Daniel
1977	D.H.	Joseph J. McGee Jr.
1979	Sc.D.	Arthur Burns
1979	L.H.D.	Rev. Frederick C. Copleston, S.J.
1980	D.H.	Rev. Cesar Jerez, S.J.
1980	Mus.D.	Mary Lou Williams
1981	Sc.D.	Thomas Michael Donahue
1981	D.B.A.	William P. Harsh
1981	LL.D.	Msgr. George Gilmary Higgins
1982	D.H.	Joseph H. Fichter, S.J.
1982	D.H.	Clarence H. Goppert
1982	D.H.	Vita M. Goppert
1982	LL.D.	Harry B. Kies
1983	D.H.	Virginia Pollock Greenlease
1983	D.H.	Bishop Rev. John J. Sullivan
1984	D.H.L.	Joseph A. O'Hare, S.J.
1984	D.L.	Bishop George K. Fitzsimons
1985	D.H.	Adele Coryell Hall
1985	D.B.A.	Donald J. Hall
1985	D.H.	Timothy S. Healy, S.J.
1986	LL.D.	Donald P. Moyers
1986	D.H.L.	George E. Ganss, S.J.
1987	D.H.L.	Vincent F. Daus, S.J.
1988	D.H.L.	Rev. John L. May
1988	LL.D.	Hon. William H. Webster
1988	D.H.L.	Rev. Theodore Hesburgh
1989	D.H.L.	Clarence H. Miller

1989	D.H.L.	Rev. Raymond E. Brown, S.S.	1993	D.H.L.	Rev. William B. Faherty, S.J.
1989	D.S.	Joseph A. Flaherty	1994	D.P.S.	Sr. Mary Rose McGeady, D.C.
1990	D.H.L.	William J. Byron, S.J.	1994	D.H.L.	Rev. Lawrence Biondi, S.J.
1990	D.H.	Donald C. Bakely	1994	D.H.L.	Michael Novak
1990	D.H.L.	Rev. Christopher F. Mooney, S. J.	1995	D.P.P.	Rev. Bryan Hehir, D.P.P.
1990	L.L.D.	Charles E. Rice	1995	LL.D.	Susan M. Stanton
1991	D.H.L.	Mortimer Adler	1995	D.H.	Virginia Stowers
1991	D.H.	Rev. Harold C. Bradley, S.J.	1995	D.B.A.	James E. Stowers, Jr.
1991	LL.D.	Elliot Richardson	1996	D.F.A.	Gwendolyn Brooks
1992	LL.D.	Alvin Brooks	1996	D.H.L.	Joseph T. McGuff
1992	D.H.L.	Georgie Anne Geyer	1997	D.A.	William McGlaughlin
1992	D.H.L.	Rev. Maurice McNamee, S.J.	1997	D.H.L.	William McSweeney, Jr.
1993	D.F.A.	Nikki Giovanni	1998	D.P.S.	Sen. Thomas Eagleton
			1999	D.H.	Monika K. Hellwig
			1999	D.P.S.	Ferdinand Mahfood

Athletic Hall of Fame

1981	James J. Gleeson '33	1991	Amos H. Hutchin '40
1981	Patrick W. Mason '21	1992	Thomas F. Callahan '43
1981	Paul O. Smith	1992	James F. Karl '57
1981	Raymond J. Sonnenberg, Sr. '34	1992	Donald J. Klein '58
1981	John S. Sullivan '30	1993	Joseph F. Keirnan '47
1981	Ralph Telken '64	1993	Dennis C. Lee '77
1982	Patrick J. Caldwell '66	1994	John A. Steck, Jr. '46
1982	Godfrey S. Kobets '39	1994	Richard A. Suit '74
1982	Raymond T. McKee '29	1995	Kathryn R. Anderson '89
1982	Terry M. Michler '69	1996	Francis "Buzz" Muckenthaler '47
1982	John M. Mitchell '46	1996	Michael G. Powers '80
1982	Victor H. Zahner '31	1997	Maureen Walsh Herrmann '82
1983	James F. Healey, Jr. '69	1997	Mark R. Teahan '82
1983	Owen F. Murphy '36	1998	Richard E. Donahue '53
1984	Paul J. Martel '48	1999	Craig A. Stahl '81
1985	John P. Scanlon, Sr. '42	1999	Anthony L. Tocco
1986	D. Eugene Hart '50	2000	Dennis Luber '83
1987	John W. Malinee '78	2001	Doug Wemhoff, '89
1986	John J. Reichmeier '53	2002	John Sanderson '49
1987	James J. Ryan, Jr. '49		John Stapler '50
1988	Robert Castaneda '60		Larry Fitzgerald '51
1989	1964 N.A.I.A. National Championship Basketball Team: Pat Caldwell, Chuck Dunlap, Tom Fisher, Joel Frisch, Rich Grawer, Dick Hennier, Al Payne, Dennis Rabbit, Jim Selzer, Ralph Telken, Walt Tylicki, Harry Witte Coaches: Joe Brehmer and Dolor Rehm Managers: Dennis Alieksaites, Pat Campbell, Chuck Plague		Thomas Holton '50
1990	James E. Kopp '72	2003	William "Honey" Spurck '36
1990	George W. Richter, Jr. '48		Robert Aylward '50
1990	Robert J. Williams '53	2004	Barney Byard '50
			Bishop George Fitzsimons '48
			Clarence Deitchman '49
			Thomas O'Brien '50
			Joseph Mallon '51
			Susan Konop Malisch '86
			Joseph M. Grantham '56
			Kristine Rehm Nusbaum '91
			Sid E. Bordman '54

Science Hall of Fame

1996	William G. Bartholome, M.D. '65	1997	James B. Kring, Ph.D.
1996	Joseph A. Flaherty, Ph.D. '52	1997	Henry N. Wellman, M.D.
1996	Joseph M. Jaklevic, Ph.D. '62	1998	Lawrence J. Marnett, Ph.D. '69
1996	Joseph P. Glas, Ph.D. '60	1999	Robert C. Jaklevic, Ph.D. '56
1996	A. Donald Goedeke '56	2001	Sam Enna '65
1996	James Emmett Monahan, Ph.D. '48		Dr. Paul Wheeler '63

St. Thomas More Academy of Scholars

1992	Rev. Walter Ong, S.J. '33	2000	Robert T. Crossley '67
1994	Daniel Ferritor, Ph.D. '62	2003	Dr. Edward A. Purcell, Jr. '62
2000	Mark Curran, Ph.D. '63		

Faculty and Staff Recognition

Daniel L. Brenner Scholarly Achievement Award

1988	William F. McInerney, Ph.D.	1997	Jules M. Brady, S.J., Ph.D.
1990	Frank J. Smist Jr., Ph.D.	1998	Timothy L. McDonald, Ph.D.
1991	Don E. Gibbs, Ph.D.	1999	Don E. Gibbs, Ph.D.
1992	Curtis L. Hancock, Ph.D.	2000	Sudhakar S. Raju, Ph.D.
1993	Richard G. Newman, Ph.D.	2001	Risa J. Stein, Ph.D.
1994	Patricia Cleary Miller, Ph.D.	2002	Thomas Ward, Ph.D.
1995	Steven W. Brown, Ph.D.	2003	Daniel F. Stramara, Ph.D.
1996	Jean M. Hiebert, Ph.D.	2004	Craig Prentiss, Ph.D.

Hall Family Foundation Chair

1987-89	Bryce J. Jones, Ph.D.	1998-99	Randolph R. Schwering, Ph.D.
1989-91	Rev. E. Eugene Arthur, S.J., D.B.A.	1999-00	Peter D. Nugent, Ph.D.
1991-92	Cheryl A. McConnell	2000-02	Brian D. Fitzpatrick, Ph.D.; Sudhakar S. Raju, Ph.D.
1992-95	Richard G. Newman, D.B.A.	2002-04	Charlotte K. Shelton, Ed.D.
1995-96	Richard Hunt, Ph.D.		
1996-98	Gail A. Hoover, Ed.D.		

Harry B. Kies Award

1985	Paul D. Arend	1992	Delores J. Curry
	Charles P. Cahill, S.J.	1993	Edward S. Kos
	Thomas F. Denzer, S.J.	1994	Marilyn N. Carroll
	M. Robert Knickerbocker	1995	Weslynn S. Martin
1987	Bryce J. Jones	1996	Anita Salem
	Reva R. Servoss	1997	Adolphine C. Shaw
1988	Thomas L. Lyon		Richard D. Shaw
	Marilyn K. Rigby	1998	Gerald L. Miller
	Joyce A. Smith	1999	John G. Koelzer
1989	Richard E. Wilson	2000	Mary Anne Beck
	Rev. Francis J. Murphy, S.J.	2001	Marian Nigro
1990	Janet Watson Sheeran	2002	Rev. James Wheeler, S.J.
	Sr. Rosemary Flanigan, C.S.J.	2003	Dr. James and Margaret Millard
1991	Anthony L. Tocco	2004	Charlie F. Morris
	Rev. Vincent Daues, S.J.		

Joseph and Anne McGee Chair in Communication

2001-03 Weslynn S. Martin

George and Gladys Miller Chair in Business Administration

1988-91	Anthony L. Tocco, Ph.D.	1996-97	Faye S. McIntyre, Ph.D.
1991-92	Marlene S. Donahue, Ph.D.	1997-98	Sudhakar Satyanarayan, Ph.D.
1992-93	James E. Puetz, Ph.D.	2000-02	Randolph E. Schwering, Ph.D.
1993-95	Gerald L. Miller, Ph.D.	2002-04	Cheryl McConnell, M.P.A./C.P.A.;
1995-96	Keith B. Myles, Ph.D.		David B. Vicknair, Ph.D.

Teaching Excellence Award

1990	Anita Salem	1997	Edward S. Kos, Ph.D.
1991	Marshall Andersen, Ph.D.	1998	Rev. W.L. LaCroix, S.J.
1992	Weslynn S. Martin	1999	Cheryl A. McConnell
1993	Will Valk	2000	William J. Ryan
1994	Gerald L. Miller, Ph.D.	2001	Paula M. Shorter, Ph.D.
1995	Donna J. Calvert, Ph.D.	2002	Robert Hegarty, Ph.D.
1996	Judith C. Richards, Ph.D.	2003	Joseph A. Cirincione, Ph.D.

Joseph M. Freeman, S.J. Chair in Philosophy

1986-98	Rev. Joseph M. Freeman, S.J.	1998-	Curtis L. Hancock, Ph.D.
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John J. and Laura J. Sullivan Chair in Ethics

1992-96	Rev. Wilfred L. LaCroix, S.J.	2000-02	Gerald L. Miller, Ph.D.
1996-99	Rev. E. Eugene Arthur, S.J.	2003-04	Randolph E. Schwering, Ph.D.

Breen International Fellowship

1995	Gerald L. Miller, Ph.D.	2000-02	Brian D. Fitzpatrick, Ph.D.
1996	Thomas L. Lyon, Ph.D.		Sudhakar S. Raju, Ph.D.
2000	Thomas L. Lyon, Ph.D.		

Community Recognition - The Chancellor's Award

1959	Harry B. Kies	1978	L'Abbé Germain Marc'hadour
	Vanston H. Ryan	1981	Illus W. Davis
	David Sarnoff	1986	Rev. William Byron, S.J.
	Robert Frost	1988	Rev. Robert F. Weiss, S.J.
1960	Samuel Eliot Morison	1996	Rev. Thomas J. Savage, S.J.
1961	Etiénne Gilson	1998	Rev. Thomas F. Denzer, S.J.
1966	Rev. Paul C. Reinert, S.J.	1999	M. Robert Knickerbocker, Ph.D.
1971	Joyce Hall		

**Excellence in Teaching Award from
Missouri Governor's Conference on Higher Education**

1992	Anita Salem	1998	Cheryl A. McConnell
1993	Richard D. Shaw	1999	Joseph A. Cirincione
1994	Weslynn Martin	2000	Anthony L. Tocco
1995	William F. Haefele	2001	Donna J. Calvert
1996	Robin E. Bowen	2002	Rev. Wilfred LaCroix, S.J.
1997	Curtis L. Hancock	2003	Sudhakar Raju

Pro Meritis Award

Aug. 27, 1959	James Hazlett	July 11, 1978	Roy K. Dietrich
	Dr. Elmer Ellis	Jan. 11, 1979	Dr. C. Kermit Phelps
	Sister Rose Carmel, S.C.L.	May 13, 1979	John Herman Tietze
Mar. 24, 1960	Edwin G. Borserine	May 14, 1980	Mary McGuirk
	Willard J. Breidenthal	May 16, 1982	Rev. Patrick Tobin
	Mrs. Ethel B. Francisco	Sept. 22, 1982	Dr. Elbert C. Cole
	Mrs. Clarence Kivett	May 15, 1983	Godfrey S. Kobets
	Arthur Mag	Oct. 3, 1985	Aubrey E. Richardson
	Albert A. Ridge	Mar. 12, 1987	Maurice E. McNellis
	Herbert H. Wilson	May 17, 1987	Stuart L. Simmons
Mar. 29, 1960	Dr. Floyd Shoemaker		Blake B. Mulvany
April 25, 1960	John R. Cauley	May 15, 1988	Sr. Mary Margaret
	Louis B. McGee		Sneddon, M.M.B.
	Vincent J. O'Flaherty Jr.	April 29, 1990	Charles W. Gusewelle
June 4, 1966	Charles L. Aylward		Betty Taliaferro
	Lathrop G. Backstrom	May 5, 1991	Sr. Barbara Moore, C.S.J.
	J. Frank Hudson		Cynthia Siebert
	Henry J. Massman Sr.	May 2, 1993	James T. Nunnally
	Robert J. Muntzel	May 1, 1994	Scott and Kathleen
	J. Ernest Dunn		Hummel
May 10, 1967	Nathan J. Stark	May 15, 1994	Lem T. Jones Jr.
1968	J.F. Hughes	May 7, 1995	Rabbi Michael R. Zedek
	J.E. Couture	May 5, 1996	Miyo Wagner
Oct. 4, 1968	Rev. Vincent F. Daves, S.J.	May 4, 1997	John J. Sullivan, Jr.
May 14, 1970	Lester Milgram	May 3, 1998	Michael V. Meyer
	Jerome A. Smith	May 2, 1999	Sr. Rosemary Flanigan,
	Homer C. Wadsworth		C.S.J.
	Rev. John W. Williams		Bryce J. Jones
May 17, 1973	Thomas Hart Benton	April 30, 2000	Rev. James Wheeler, S.J.
	Frederick James		William Bartholome
	Wiktor Labunski	May 13, 2001	Larry Moore
	Patricia McClrath		