Hudson Valley Community College, Foundation Receive More Than $3.5 Million in Support in 2008-09

New grants and gifts to support Hudson Valley Community College and its charitable foundation totaled more than $2.1 million during the 2008-09 academic year.

Philanthropic support to Hudson Valley Community College and its charitable foundation totaled $1,395,008 during the 2008-09 academic year, growing 34 percent from the year before. Cash and in-kind donations came from corporations, faculty, staff, alumni and charitable foundations, and benefited a variety of the college’s academic programs, including high-cost programs in the allied health and technologies. Donations also funded nearly $151,000 in Hudson Valley Community College Foundation scholarships. The awards, ranging from $75 to full-tuition books and fees, were given to more than 130 students studying everything from Electrical Construction and Maintenance to Early Childhood.

Unrestricted gifts from individuals, including alumni, faculty and staff totaled $73,020, which comprised 45 percent of the college’s Annual Fund. The Annual Fund—with $161,408 raised—assists the college in meeting unmet needs and seizing unexpected opportunities.

Corporate gifts totaled $802,532, which was nearly 58 percent of all charitable support to the college; that mirrors giving to community colleges and public institutions nationwide.

Federal Agencies

US Department of Labor awarded Hudson Valley Community College’s Center for Energy Efficiency and Building Science (CEEBS) $1,970,590 to establish a fast-track program for developing a green job workforce. Funds will be used to develop and deploy a pilot system that will provide on-line instructor training, course presentation, simultaneous delivery of specific course models and video conferencing.

Hudson Valley received its first National Endowment for the Humanities award. This grant will provide funds to host the traveling exhibit “Lincoln: The Constitution and the Civil War.” Hudson Valley was the recipient of one of 25 awards throughout the country and was the only SUNY campus to receive this grant. The exhibit and a slate of related speakers and programming will be hosted by the Marvin Library. Funds will be used to host public programs led by Lincoln scholars and community experts and to purchase additional library resources related to the exhibit themes. The Lincoln exhibit will extend the college’s learning environment beyond the classroom. Faculty in several of the college’s departments described their intentions to integrate the exhibit and its programs in course curricula.

State Agencies

The State Education Department awarded $100,000 to support the expansion of merit-based scholarships and the administration of the overall scholarship program. These scholarships offer assistance to students of high academic achievement who are in need of financial assistance.

Corporate Gifts

Albany Medical Center made the largest corporate gift, donating $175,000 to benefit the college’s nursing program. In May of 2008, James Barba, President and CEO of Albany Medical Center announced Albany Med’s contribution of $175,000 per year for at least ten years to expand the college’s nursing program.

Ellis Hospital, Chrysler Training Center and Joe Arena Software made other significant corporate gifts. Ellis Hospital donated equipment, valued at $150,000 to support the college’s Medical Imaging Department; Chrysler Training Center provided training equipment, valued at $134,870, to support the college’s Automotive Service Educational program, and Joe Arena Software donated estimating computer software, valued at $90,000, which will benefit the college’s Civil Engineering and Construction Technology programs.

The Foundation also received support from other charitable foundations, including $125,000 from The Charitable Venture Foundation of Clifton Park, NY, to benefit the college’s Nursing program.

The Capital Cares Foundation’s gift of $20,000 to support two new funds. The Allied Health Endowment Fund was created to provide annual monies in support of programs and projects that enhance and expand the allied health programs at the college. The Allied Health Scholarship Fund provides financial...
support to students within the allied health programs.

The McCarthy Charities, Standish Family Foundation, Stewart’s Holiday Match and WGY Christmas Wish collectively donated $11,330 to support tuition assistance for the college’s Summer Youth Programs. These programs serve local school-aged children (ages 6 through high school) through a wide range of educational, athletic and cultural enrichment experiences that build important academic and life skills. Tuition assistance is provided to children who are from families challenged by socioeconomic conditions.

The Equinox Fund awarded $10,000 to the Nursing program to purchase simulation manikins. These state-of-the-art manikins simulate real-life functions and will replace the current non-interactive manikins. The new manikins will be equipped to simulate ECG, heart sounds, breath sounds, bowel sounds, blood pressure and pulses. This simulation will help nursing students respond to real life situations, which will help bridge the gap between education and practice.

National Grid awarded the college $8,694 to purchase equipment for its Overhead Electric Line Worker certificate program. This course trains linemen to work at national grid and other companies. Funds were used to purchase climbing gear, such as vests, belts, spikes for boots and other safety equipment.

The Cohoes Savings Foundation donated $5,000 to support the Second Chance Scholarship Program. This program provides scholarship assistance for individuals who demonstrate financial need and a strong desire to succeed academically. Many students who receive Second Chance Scholarships have overcome extreme personal and financial hardships to attend college. Since 1989, the Hudson Valley Community College Foundation—with the support of the Second Chance Scholarship Foundation—has awarded more than 440 Second Chance Scholarships totaling more than $1,000,000 of grant funds.

M&T Charitable Foundation contributed $3,000 to support the College in the High School, which allows high school students to take college level courses and earn college credits during their regular school day. This gift will fund scholarships for students who take College in the High School courses. The primary goal of offering scholarships is to attract children from families who have not traditionally attended college to have an opportunity to experience college-level coursework and be challenged academically.
Statements of Financials

Hudson Valley Community College Foundation Income Statement

Direct Public and Fundraising Support $1,697,942
Net Investment Activity (358,259)
Total Revenues 1,560,080
Total Expenses* 1,694,407
Net Loss (134,327)
Decrease in Net Assets $(134,327)

*Includes $886,258 for student scholarship assistance and support of college initiatives.

Hudson Valley Community College Foundation Statements of Financial Position
August 31, 2009 and 2008

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New Funds Established

Allied Health Endowment Fund was created to develop an endowed fund to provide annual monies in support of program and projects that enhance and expand the allied health programs at the college. The fund was created through the generous support of Capital Cares Foundation.

Allied Health Scholarship Fund provides financial support to students within the allied health professions and was created through the generous support of Capital Cares Foundation.

Automotive Expansion Fund was created to provide resources for the construction of a state-of-the-art automotive model dealership and training facility to expand the number of graduates from our automotive programs.

Biology, Chemistry and Physics Fund provides financial support to supply equipment, including a cell counting device for these disciplines.

Business Department Student Award Fund was created to honor graduating seniors with a monetary award for their academic excellence.

Elizabeth M. DeFeo Memorial Scholarship was established in honor of Elizabeth DeFeo, a lifelong resident of Schenectady, NY. The new fund was established by Dan and Tracy Aunkst of Clifton Park in honor of their Aunt Elizabeth’s love of learning and belief in education. This new scholarship will provide financial support to a Hudson Valley Community College Student. The student selected must demonstrate a strong determination to succeed academically and preference is given to students with a GPA between 2.0 and 2.75.

Ellis Hospital Respiratory Care Scholarship Fund was established to attract second-year students pursuing a degree in the Respiratory Therapy program at Hudson Valley Community College to join Ellis Hospital upon completion of their course work.

Energy, Building, Engineering Technologies and Science Endowment Fund was created to ensure that the college has the resources it needs to sustain its high-cost, high-demand Energy, Building and Engineering Technology programs.

Equinox Grant Fund was established to provide the college’s nursing program with funding for purchasing simulation manikins.

First Advantage Dental Scholarship Fund was created to support second-year students pursuing a degree in dental hygiene at Hudson Valley Community College.

Michael E. Karpiak Memorial Scholarship Fund was created to support second-year students enrolled in the Civil Engineering Technology, Construction Technology or Mechanical Engineering Technology programs.

Walter D. Karpiak Memorial Scholarship Fund was created to support second-year students enrolled in college’s Liberal Arts program.

Lovejoy Chaplet Corp. Manufacturing Technical Systems Scholarship Fund was established to provide support to incoming freshmen pursuing a degree in the college’s Manufacturing Technical Systems program. The scholarship is renewable for up to four semesters and offers a full-tuition award.

Manufacturing Technical Systems Fund supports the college’s Manufacturing Technology program which prepares students for careers in the manufacturing industry.

National Grid Grant Fund was created to support the college’s overhead electric line worker certificate program.

Nursing Endowment Fund was established to provide annual monies in support of program and projects that enhance and expand the Nursing program at the college.

Nursing Expansion Fund supports the expansion of the college’s nursing program to graduate 50 percent more registered nurses.

Respiratory Care Fund was established by the estate of Jayne Regan Harris and supports the college’s Respiratory Care program.

Rose & Kiernan- Traveler’s Scholarship Fund was established to support students in the college’s School of Business, who are enrolled and seeking an associate’s degree in Business Administration with an option in Insurance. Two $1,000 scholarships will be awarded annually for the next five years.

Hudson Valley Community College Foundation Funds, 2008-09

Unrestricted
Annual Fund
General Endowment
General Fund

**Restricted**

- ASCE Student Club Endowment
- ASHREE Scholarship
- Albany Electrical Industry Contractors Scholarship
- Albany Kennel Club Paramedic Scholarship
- Albany Medical Center Scholarship
- Albany Rods & Kustoms, Inc. Scholarship
- Allied Health Endowment
- Allied Health Scholarship
- Alumni Legacy Scholarship
- Amerada Hess Scholarship
- John O. Amstuz Scholarship
- Athens Generating Company Presidential and Technology Scholarship
- Athletics Equipment Endowment Fund
- John H. and Hazel Hayes Atwater Memorial Scholarship
- Lois and John H. Atwater, Jr. Memorial Scholarship
- Automobilist of the Upper Hudson Valley Scholarship in Memory of John A. English
- Automotive Expansion Fund
- Baldrey Scholarship Fund
- Biology Nature Trail Fund
- Biology, Chemistry Physics Fund
- Black Student Alliance Scholarship
- Sgt. Michael Blair Scholarship
- Senator Joseph L. Bruno Public Service Scholarship
- Building Systems Technology Fund
- Dr. Joseph J. Bulmer Educational Opportunity Center Scholarship
- Dr. Joseph J. Bulmer Research Paper Scholarship
- John Buono Award for Civic Engagement
- Business Administration Scholarship
- Business Administration Faculty Scholarship
- Business Department Student Award Fund
- Capital District Chevrolet Club Scholarship
- Hudson Valley Community College Capstone Project Fund
- Center for Careers & Employment Development Fund
- Center for Service Learning and Civic Engagement Fund
- Courtney Carelli and Ryan Gardner Memorial Scholarship
- Peter T. Chimbos ’64 Memorial Scholarship
- John J. Choulochas Annual Award for Excellence in Automotive Service
- Citizens Academy Grant Fund
- Class of ’57 Scholarship
- Class of ’93 Scholarship
- College Day Care Fund
- College in the High School Program
- Collegiate Academic Support Program Fund
- James P. Conley ’57 Family Scholarship
- Construction Technology Endowment Fund
- Dorothy Cushman Scholarship
- Kevin H. Davidson Memorial Scholarship
- Dr. Anthony M. De Bonis Memorial Scholarship
- Elizabeth M. DeFeo Memorial Scholarship
- Dental Hygiene Endowment Fund
- Dewar Foundation Scholarship
- Richard Dinn Memorial Scholarship
- Diversity Honors Scholarship
- Disability Resource Center Endowment Fund
- Jason Irving Doeg ’02 Memorial Scholarship
- Professor Ronald Dow Scholarship
- Christopher M. Drabik Memorial Scholarship
- Eastern New York Coalition of Automotive Retailers, Inc. Scholarship
- Educational Opportunity Center Endowment Fund
- Educational Opportunity Program Emergency Fund
- Dr. John W. Ehrecke Humanity Award
- Ellis Hospital Respiratory Care Scholarship Fund
- Emergency Assistance Fund for Students with Disabilities
- Energy, Building, Engineering Technologies and Science Endowment Fund
- Engineering and Industrial Technology Endowment Fund
- English Four L Award
- English, Modern Language and ESL Department Support Fund
- Equinox Grant Fund
- Evergreen Bank Scholarship
- Facility Maintenance Improvement Fund
- Faculty Staff Emergency Fund for Employees
- Faculty Staff Endowment Scholarship for Dependents of Hudson Valley Community College Employees
- Faculty Staff Endowment Scholarship for Hudson Valley Community College Employees
- Faculty Student Association Matriculated Student Scholarship
- Faculty Student Association Non-matriculated Student Scholarship
- Jack Falvo Memorial Scholarship
- Patricia Field Scholarship
- Fine Arts Award
- Fine Arts Endowment Fund
- First Advantage Dental Scholarship Fund
- John R. Fletcher Memorial Scholarship
- Fulder Scholarship
- Muriel Gageway Memorial Fund
- Ryan W. Gardner Memorial Scholarship
- General Electric Award
- General Electric Polypropylene Oxide Scholarship
- General Endowment Fund
- Donald F. Gilbert, Jr. Scholarship
- Paul F. Goliber Memorial Scholarship
- Otto V. Guenther Scholarship
- Jack Hallgren Memorial Chemistry Award
- Janet Hamel Leadership Scholarship
- Willie Hammett Student Services Scholarship
- Frank Hanrahan Memorial Scholarship
- Joel B. Hargett ’97 Memorial Scholarship
- Donald D. Heckelman Memorial Scholarship
- Robin M. Henkel Memorial Scholarship
- Lester C. Higbee Scholarship
- History, Philosophy, Social Sciences Department Fund
- Hudson Valley Community College Alumni Emergency Assistance for Students Fund
- Hudson Valley Chapter Association Legal Administration Scholarship
- Cathy Hunter-Roberts Scholarship
- Gretchen Hussey Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Hudson Valley Community College Scholarship
- The Stephen L. Hyatt Science Award
- The Stephen L. Hyatt Fine Arts Endowment
- Individual Studies and Liberal Arts Department Fund
- Warren Joscelyn Mathematics Award
- Michael E. Karpiak Scholarship Fund
- Walter D. Karpiak Scholarship Fund
- Francis A. Kelly Chapter No. 38 DAV Scholarship
- Sean Anthony Kelleher Memorial Scholarship
- Kevin Everett King Scholarship
- Kintz Plastics Inc. MFT Scholarship Fund
- Eastman Kodak Business Scholarship
- Eastman Kodak Engineering Scholarship
- Matthew Kupic Memorial Fund
- Marilyn LaBrie - Dental Hygiene Faculty Memorial Scholarship
- Kenneth P. LaCorte Scholarship
- Samuel J. and Pauline M. LaGatta Scholarship
- Hollie Sharp Lainhart Memorial Scholarship
- Lang Fund for Animal Law Studies
- John & Marguerite La Pan Memorial Scholarship
- Library Fund
- Lockheed Martin Scholarship
- Lovejoy Chaplet Corp. Manufacturing Technical Systems Scholarship Fund
- Paul & Gloria Mahoney Scholarship
- Jane S. Mangold Memorial Scholarship
- Manufacturing Technical Systems Fund
- R.D. Marshall Scholarship
- Marshall and Sterling Scholarship
- Mathematics and Science Award
- Marvin Scholarship
- Roy J. McDonald ’67 G.I. Scholarship
- Mr. & Mrs. Edward F. McDonough, Sr. Scholarship
- Mark McKeon ’97 Memorial Scholarship
- McKinley Faculty Memorial Scholarship
- Medical Imaging Emergency Book & Uniform Fund
- MetLife Community Colleges and Pathways to Student Success Fund
- Stephen Metzgar Human Services Fund
- Dr. Frank J. Morgan, Jr. Scholarship
- Jeannette M. and James K. Morse Sr. Memorial Scholarship
- Mortuary Science Fund
- William G. Muller Continuing Education Scholarship
- Louis D. Nagi Scholarship
- John Nagi Scholarship
- Rev. Dr. Dennis Nagi Scholarship
- National Grid Grant Fund
- Naturalized Student Award
- New York State Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc. Scholarship in
  Business/Accounting/CIS
- Early Childhood Education
- Human Services
- Liberal Arts
- Northeastern Subcontractors Association Scholarship
- Northeastern Subcontractors Association Scholarship in memory of Fred Dykeman
- Edith Norton Scholarship
- Nursing Endowment Fund
- Nursing Expansion Fund
- Ralph O'Brien Scholarship
- PA Alumni Association Scholarship
- Parents’ Fund Scholarship
- Pascullo Scholarship
- Pell Scholarship
- William E. Peck ’82 Memorial Scholarship
- Harold M. Perkins Automotive Technology Scholarship
- Dr. Lawrence Emil Porcelli Memorial Scholarship
- Marine Sgt. William D. Powers Scholarship
- Presidential Honors Scholarship
- President's Innovation Fund
- Psychology Scholarship
- Puma/Schmidt Memorial Scholarship
- Aimee Lynn Pyskadlo Memorial Scholarship
- Rensselaer High School Student Tuition Fund
- Respiratory Care Fund
- Ryan W. Gardner Memorial Scholarship Sponsored by the Rensselaer County Association of Town Superintendents of Highways Scholarship
- Ray Richardson Scholarship in honor of Dr. Frank J. Morgan, Jr.
- Elizabeth K. Ripple Memorial Scholarship
- Rose & Kiernan- Traveler’s Scholarship Fund
- Doris & Hy Rosenblum Humanitarian Award
- Frank J. Ryan ’69 Memorial Scholarship
- Second Chance Foundation Scholarship
- Second Chance Scholarship Endowment Fund
- Simmons Machine Tool Corporation Scholarship
- Southworth Machinery Scholarship
- Leonard Spiegel Memorial Scholarship
- Eugenia Staerker Individual Studies Scholarship
- Maureen Stapleton Theatre Fund
- Raymond J. Stastny Memorial Scholarship
- Michael Such Criminal Justice Scholarship
- Steven Sultan Scholarship
- Karen Swanick Scrivani ’94 Memorial Nursing Scholarship
- Tau Beta Phi Scholarship
- Teamsters Union Scholarship
- Technology Expansion Fund
- Michael D. Tisenchek Memorial Scholarship
- Michael J. Torello Memorial Scholarship
- Charles Touhey Teacher Preparation Fund
- Urban, Kahn and Werlin Scholarship
- Viking Club
- Patty Walsh ’92 Memorial Scholarship
- Sharao Vasudeo Watwe Memorial Scholarship
- Abbott L. Wiley Scholarship sponsored by Wiley Brothers, Inc.
- Workforce Development
- Women's Enterprise (WE@HVCC) Fund
- Theordore Whyland Memorial Scholarship
- Youth Program Fund
- Youth Program Endowment Fund
- Zak, Inc. MFT Scholarship
- Gordon ’62 and Linda Zuckerman Endowment Fund
Initiatives Supported by the Foundation in 2008-09

- $295,238 disbursed to 419 students for scholarships
- $129,628 disbursed for non-scholarship restricted fund initiatives, including:
  - $69,145 for the MetLife Community Colleges and Pathways to Student Success Fund;
  - $10,000 to purchase simulation manikins;
  - $8,694 for the National Grid Line Worker Program;
  - $8,004 to support humane education efforts;
  - $5,885 for training and equipment for the DaimlerChrysler capstone project;
  - $4,863 for the purchase of equipment in the nursing skills lab;
  - $4,657 to support the college's athletic programs;
  - $4,000 to support the college's fine arts teaching gallery;
  - $3,310 for the Capstone Project;
  - $2,238 to support the Mortuary Science program;
  - $1,021 to support the college's Library; and
  - $400 to assist students facing emergency situations.
- $103,366 disbursed for Support of College Initiatives, including:
  - $50,000 for the TEC-SMART (Training and Education Center for Semiconductor Manufacturing and Alternative and Renewable Technologies) Initiative;
  - $13,867 for pedestal maps and other campus beautification projects;
  - $13,050 for Presidential Honors Scholarship;
  - $9,500 to support the Biology, Chemistry and Physics programs;
  - $5,000 for Recycling Bins;
  - $4,000 to assist students facing emergency situations;
  - $3,000 to support the Business Department Student Award Fund; and
  - $2,500 to purchase Caldecott Medal winners for the Early Childhood Education Program.
- $568,817 in non-monetary gifts to the college, including:
  - A 3-D ultra sound machine valued at $150,000 from Ellis Hospital;
  - Automotive training equipment valued at $134,870 from Chrysler Training Center;
  - Computer estimating software valued at $90,096 from Joe Arena Software;
  - Automotive training equipment, tools and vehicles valued at $68,016 from General Motors and GM/Raytheon;
  - Equipment used in the MFT program valued at $53,500 from Hass Allendale;
  - Two ultra sound machines valued at $16,000 from the Vascular Group;
  - Equipment valued at $10,000 from Simmons Machine Tool Group;
  - A baby grand piano valued at $8,500 from Mr. Douglas Baldrey;
  - Printers valued at $8,393 from Hewlett Packard;
  - Equipment valued at $7,743 from Dorsey Metrology International;
  - Various testing tools used in the Engineering programs valued at $5,027 from Atlantic Testing;
  - A radical 7-screen monitor used in the Respiratory Care program valued at $5,000 from Masimo; and
  - A HINE robot valued at $5,000 from SUNY Albany.

Fiscal Year 2008-09 dollars raised:

Investment Growth
$2,838,721 net of fees for investment growth

Investment portfolio as of August 31, 2008: $3,128,002*
Investment portfolio as of August 31, 2009: $2,838,721

Investment loss: ($289,281)

*Investment portfolio as of August 31, 2008 was incorrectly stated in the 2008 Report to the Community.
Hudson Valley Community College Foundation Awards Scholarships

This fiscal year, the Foundation disbursed more than $295,000 in scholarships to 419 Hudson Valley students from around the Capital Region.

A total of $46,000 in scholarships was awarded to 42 students at a spring reception and $164,000 in scholarships was awarded to 105 students at last fall’s reception.

In addition, the Foundation supported 182 area high school students through the college's College in the High School program, twenty-three students receiving Second Chance scholarships, twelve students enrolled in the Teacher Preparation program, and eight students enrolled in the Summer Youth program.

Foundation scholarships are awarded based on a variety of criteria, including need, academic performance, civic involvement and academic program; the awards ranged from $40 for College in the High School courses to full tuition, books and fees.
This listing reports all gifts made to the Hudson Valley Community College Foundation from Sept. 1, 2008 through Aug. 31, 2009. The Foundation expresses its heartfelt thanks to the donors, who generously committed their resources to support the college's mission.

**Annual Fund**

**Matching Gift Companies**

**Event Sponsors**

- 2009 U.W. Marx, Inc. Golf Classic
- Distinguished Service Awards Luncheon

**Scholarships**

**Special Funds**

**Heritage Society**

**In-kind Donors**

The Foundation wishes to recognize and extend its sincere appreciation to our donors who have made gifts to the college and wish to remain anonymous. Extensive effort has been made to list the most accurate information and donor names within the report. However, if a name has been misspelled or listed incorrectly please accept our apology and notify us at (518) 629-8012, or foundation@hvcc.edu so that we can correct our records.
Donor List

Donors to the Annual Fund

The Annual Fund is an unrestricted fund that assists the college in meeting unmet needs and seizing unexpected opportunities.

President's Circle
($1,000 and up)

Guenther Council
($500 to $999)

Dean's List
($250 to $499)

Associates
($100 to $249)

Donors
(up to $99)

President's Circle ($1,000 and up)
Robert Allen '63
Richard Amador
Architecture +
Douglas Baldrey
Bergmann Associates
Sarah M. Boggess
Mark Breslin '58
L. Craig Bryce '75
Callanan Industries Incorporation
Capital Communications Federal Credit Union
Clark Patterson Lee Associates
Clough Harbour and Associates LLP
Michael Daniels
EMTech
William Fagan '73
Featherstonhaugh, Wiley, & Clyne, LLP
Walter Gardiner '55
Michael Green
William Harbour '60
Antoine Harrison
Kevin Johnson '74
Suzanne Kalkbrenner
James LaGatta '67
LeChase Construction Services, LLC
Andrew Matonak
Roy McDonald '67
Microtech Information Systems, Inc.
Anne Morgan
William Muller
John and Ann Marie Murray
NBT Bank
Northeast Center for Special Care
Northeast Ventilator Rentals
Northern Industrial Services, Inc.
Pioneer Bank
Mary Kate Robinson '74
James Ryan '68
Patrick Ryan '95
Peter Semenza '84
John Shartrand
Siemens Building Technologies
SimplexGrinnell
The United Group of Companies
Times Union
Tri-City ValleyCats, Inc.
Turner Construction Company
UW Marx, Inc.
Stewart Wagner '58
James Walsh '61
Robert '80 and Donna '80 Welch
Gordon Zuckerman '62
Brian Zweig

Guenther Council ($500 to $999)
Albany Police Athletic League, Inc.
Adirondack Cabling, Inc.
Commission on Economic Opportunity
Erdman Anthony
Key Bank of New York
Liberty Mutual Insurance
M.M. Hayes Company
David Mahar '81
Marshall & Sterling, Inc.
H. Kevin McNeelege
Reuben Merchant
MVP Health Care
Edward Nash
New York State United Teachers
Non-Instructional Employees Union
Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company
Rensselaer County Economic Development and Planning
Richard Porter '97
St. Anne Institute
The Franklin Plaza
The Peckham Family Foundation
William J. Fagan & Sons, Inc.

Dean's List ($250 to $499)
Anixter
Benetech
Karola Berg
Bob Talham, Inc.
Robert Bosselman '74
Mary Jean Bryce '05
Caris Network Solutions, LLC.
Chartwell's Inc.
Cognitive Marketing
Committee to Re-Elect County Executive Jimino
Council of Family and Child Caring Agencies
John Daniel Corcoran '89
DeGraaf-Bryce Funeral Home, Inc.
Deli & Brew
Delsingno Blacktop Paving, Inc.
Joel Fatato '71
Thomas Garrett
James Hamilton '87
Harold R Clune Incorporation
Christine Helwig
Gregory Jones
Frederick Kakumba
Liliane Khouri
L. Browe Asphalt Services Inc
Amy Monk '00
Murray & Zuckerman, Inc.
Richard Neimeyer '71
John Nigro
Leo Patnode '65
Kathleen Quirk
Frank Raymond
S.M. Gallivan, LLC
St. Peter's Hospital Foundation
Debra Story '77
T & J Electrical Corp.
Tech Valley Communications
Time Warner Cable
Lisa Van Wie
William Vandenbosch '67
Warren W. Fane, Inc.
P. Phillip White
Wiley Bros., Inc.

Associates ($100 to $249)
Atlantic Energy Solutions, Inc.
Todd Bailey '96
James Benjamin '79
Abraham Bolgatz
Louise M. Bradford
Arlene Briard
Elaine Brooks Rinaldo
Antonio Califano '71
Clement Campana '81
Karen Campbell '83
Kathleen Campbell
Roderick Ciferri '61
Kathleen Cogan
Laurel Colasurdo
Kenneth Colloton '74
Paul Conroy '64
Brian Cook '79  
Mary Cosgrove-Militano  
Catherine Dermott '73  
Wayne Distin '61  
Martin Duffy  
Joann Dunne '92  
Beth Ernest '83  
First Niagara Bank  
Mark Galuski '81  
Margaret Geelah  
Peter Gemelaro  
Patricia George '75  
Laurence Gilbert '83  
Paul Gilbert '76  
Frank Gilmore  
Mary Fran Gleason  
Laura Gonyea '91  
Christopher Hagen  
William Halter '89  
Kathleen Haynes '06  
HealthNow New York, Inc.  
Donna Heinzen '93  
John Heiser  
Susan Hess '75  
Dennis Holt '63  
George Hondro '98  
Clara Hunt '80  
William Juno '85  
William Keane '84  
Dawn Kolakoski  
Andrew Kopach '74  
Anthony Koossman  
Jay Larson  
Carol Lemieux '74  
Kristina Lewis '75  
Jessica Litwin  
James Malkiewicz '79  
Erin Manning '99  
Joseph Mara '72  
Hugh Mariaca '97  
William McLeod '74  
Nancy Morris '68  
Mary Musso  
Michael Naumiec '70  
Robert Norton '67  
Michael O'Brien  
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