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Harper College President Dr. Robert Breuder with Sam Oliver, Steven Krempa and Bob Glorch.

Virginia and Steven Krempa's story is one of love, perseverance and making the most out of a community college education. It's also a story about giving back.

In October 2007, Steven named Harper College as a beneficiary in his estate plan and directed the bequest be used to establish the Virginia M. and Steven A. Krempa Endowed Fund to support business students and programs at Harper College for years to come.

"Virginia and I both wanted to give back to the community we so enjoyed," Steven said. "We thank community colleges for all of the wonderful experiences and

knowledge. We only had two years of college but we made a success out of our lives."

Born in 1916 in New Jersey, Steven said he didn't know what to do with his life after high school. He didn't consider himself "college material" — his family didn't have money to send him any way — so he took odd jobs to support himself. Taking classes at night, it took him four years to get his two-year degree in accounting from a New Jersey community college.

After serving with the U.S. Coast Guard in World War II, Steven worked for several

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Tribute Gifts



Family Establishes Patrick S. Botterman Memorial Fund

The Harper community mourns the death of one of its true friends. Patrick S. Botterman, a political strategist and Harper College trustee from 1998-2003 who was re-elected in 2007, died suddenly and unexpectedly last March of a heart attack. He was 44 years old.

In addition to his time as a trustee, Patrick Botterman also served as a Foundation Board member from 2004-2007. Patrick also was a well-known Wheeling Township Democratic Committeeman.

Outreach from members of the Harper College community to the Botterman family following news of Patrick's death was immediate, offering comfort and assistance. To acknowledge his service as a member of the Harper College Board of Trustees, the Harper College Educational Foundation and Board of Trustees recommended establishing an endowed scholarship in his name. "My family quickly embraced the opportunity to honor my brother in this way because we understood Patrick was devoted to Harper College," Kevin added.

"As much as Patrick supported the college and its mission, it was the people at Harper College he was devoted to most," he said. "When talking about his work at the college, Patrick would tell me about the people involved with the various issues and speak of them in a way that

made me feel as though I had met and worked with them directly. Patrick was proud to be affiliated with Harper College, and we are proud and grateful that the Patrick Botterman Scholarship for Student Leadership exists in his memory."

The Board of Trustees has elected to match the annual award funding from the endowment, thereby doubling the funds available to student recipients.

If you would like to make a contribution to the Patrick Botterman Scholarship for Student Leadership, you can do so online at www.harpercollege.edu and selecting the "Patrick Botterman Memorial Scholarship" or by sending your gift directly to the Harper College Educational Foundation (1200 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine, IL 60067).

Patrick was a tireless advocate for making higher education affordable and accessible to the people of the Northwest suburbs and played a major role in Harper's success and growth over the past ten years. He will be greatly missed and our prayers and thoughts go out to his family and many friends and colleagues throughout Illinois.

*Robert L. Breuder
President
Harper College*

The Board counted on Pat's keen understanding of the entire Harper community, taxpayers, students, faculty, staff and administration. When Pat spoke, we listened. We will sorely miss Pat's intelligence, his easy manner, his unbelievable sense of humor, and most of all, his unwavering commitment to the bright future of Harper College.

*Laurie Stone
Chair
Harper College
Board of Trustees*

Retiring Faculty Members Opt for “Tribute” Gifts

There will be no gold watches or personalized plaques for two recent retirees from Harper's **English as a Second Language (ESL) and Linguistics Department**.

Kathi Holper and **Peggy Kazkaz** chose to have their retirement gifts benefit a scholarship fund for students in their department, continuing a now-established tradition in which many faculty and staff member retirees from the department have encouraged their colleagues and friends to make donations in their honor to scholarships that support students in the ESL program.

Over the last several years, more than \$3,000 has been donated to department scholarships through such tribute gifts.

“Our students are studying a foreign language in an academically rigorous environment and preparing to enter American colleges and universities,” said Kathi and Peggy in a recent email. “The cost of tuition and books is an incredible burden for many of them. They struggle to work, care for families and study. Our wish is to lighten their burden and help, in a very small way, their assimilation into our culture.”

Their retirement gifts will benefit the John and Melanie Frieburg Scholarship. Melanie is a former member of the ESL and Linguistics Department and began the scholarship when she retired.

“I’m very grateful to Peggy and Kathi for thinking of the students, but it doesn’t surprise me,” said Keiko Kimura, dean of Academic Enrichment and Language Studies. “They both have demonstrated their commitment to the college and to students in many ways. Kathi and Peggy’s generosity serves as a source of inspiration for all.”

Resource for Excellence Grant Awardees Announced

The Harper College Educational Foundation encourages innovation and creativity among faculty, staff and recognized student groups soliciting financial support for projects that support the mission and purpose of Harper College.

In 1992, Harper College initiated a process for program support through the Foundation. The instructional and student services areas of the College submit projects that cannot be funded out of the regular operating budget. The proposed projects follow a round of reviews, which includes approval by divisional deans, vice president’s council and the College President. Those that are endorsed by the College are submitted to the Foundation Executive Committee.

Congratulations to the FY08-09 Resource for Excellence Grant awardees:

Program Description	Grant Amount
AED Bridge to HVACR A three-week class that will orient non-native literacy and GED students to Harper College and the Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration program; after this class, students will enroll in further courses in the program.	\$12,500
Building Entrepreneurial Success for Economic Development Supports start-up activities and development of special resources for the new Small Business Development Center, which helps individuals start small businesses.	\$26,000
Developmental Advocates Program A special section of PSY 107 (Human Psychology) geared toward students in academic distress; students will be assigned a peer mentor.	\$4,350
Computer Skills Jump Start A two-week, intensive program of study to equip participants with basic skills in computer keyboarding. Upon completion, students will receive software and will be able to purchase a low-cost refurbished computer for home use.	\$14,344
Textbook Loan Program Continue and expand the program for athletes to serve additional students at risk for academic failure due to an inability to pay for textbooks.	\$6,090
Adopt a High School – Palatine Expands educational opportunities to under-represented groups in the Palatine community and beyond. Partners with Palatine High School African-American graduating seniors.	\$4,850
TOTAL FY08-09 AWARDS	\$68,134

Grants and Awards

Corporate Scholarships Power Engineering Students

In the early 1980s, two local corporations partnered with the Harper College Educational Foundation around a shared vision of developing tomorrow's engineering students.

Since the inception of the Northrop Grumman Engineering Endowed Scholarship and the Square D 2+1 Endowed Engineering Scholarship, 27 students have been award recipients: classified as "2+1" scholarships because they support Harper students during their 2-year tenure at Harper and also during their first year at a transfer school.

These future engineers have continued their education at schools such as the University of Illinois, Northern Illinois University, Northwestern University and Iowa State University.

We are grateful to Northrop Grumman and Square D for their commitment to the Harper community and their continuing generosity to the Foundation's scholarship program.

This year's recipients are:

Northrop Grumman Engineering Endowed Scholarship

Ralph Kramarski, 2nd-year student

Peter Rapp, 1st-year student



Harper College President Dr. Robert Breuder with Ralph Kramarski, Peter Rapp, Sam Oliver and Roland Marquis from Northrop Grumman.

Square D Engineering Endowed Scholarship

Gerardo Mauleon, transfer student at University of Illinois - Chicago

Brian Craft, 1st-year student



Harper College President Dr. Robert Breuder with Brian Craft and Sam Oliver.

McGrath Award



Martha Bell delivering commencement address.

Community Leader Martha Bell Honored for Exemplary Service to Harper

"Martha's values rest on the belief that 'you do the best you can within your own community.' Her involvement with Harper College is certainly a testament to her commitment to enriching lives in the community to which she has given so much." With those words, Harper College President Dr. Robert Breuder presented the James J. McGrath Award to Martha Bell at the 2008 commencement ceremony on May 22.

The award was initiated by former Harper College president James J. McGrath as a tribute to special people who have unselfishly given time, effort and funds to uphold the excellence of the institution. McGrath was president from 1978 to 1988. The award is given annually.

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"Our honoree this evening has played a very special role in the growth of Harper College through her service on the Educational Foundation Board of Directors," Breuder said. "As the first female president of the Foundation Board, she was instrumental in helping grow the College's Art Collection to the largest public art collection in the Northwest suburbs."

During her tenure at the Foundation, Martha has chaired the Art Committee, the Gala committee, and spearheaded a major gifts campaign for the Performing

Arts and Wojcik Conference Centers. She has also been an adjunct faculty member, teaching Architectural Technology.

"Those who knew former college president Dr. McGrath say that he was a man who personified all that is best in the community college educational system," Martha said. "Receiving this award with its estimable history proved to be an inspiration."

Martha is the managing principal of Tilton, Kelly + Bell in Chicago, a service-oriented, woman-owned architecture and interior design firm.

Beyond her involvement with Harper, Martha is involved with the Rotary exchange student program, and has hosted more than a dozen students from all over the world in her home. She is also highly engaged with the Palatine community, chairing the Downtown Palatine Redevelopment Commission for 10 years.

In November 2007, Martha received the Community Service Award from the American Institute of Architects in Illinois.

Martha Bell: Service to Others Provides Meaning, Purpose

Tonight is for you the graduates and your families. Congratulations!

As Harper graduates you know firsthand that learning is a lifelong pursuit. Whatever your personal circumstances, at Harper College you have participated in a community of learners of all ages. You already know that tonight is only one milestone and that continued learning truly enriches a life.

I want to speak to you about another facet of an enriched life: a life that includes service to others. Each of us, in our finite number of days on this earth, has a choice in how to shape the experience. You may be the one who will change the world. Or you may make a difference in just one other person's life. Both results are worthy.

Your own life has already been uplifted by the dedication and generosity of others. Maybe it was through a scholarship that allowed you to continue at Harper just one more semester. Maybe it was a scout leader or a teacher who expanded your expectations of yourself. Maybe it was a counselor who was there to pick you up at the critical moment.

The fabric of our lives is woven of the warp and weft of the efforts and contributions of many. You are the weaver, but the yarn is our gift from others.

As I am honored tonight, I am keenly aware of this fact: were it not for the gifts that I received, and continue to receive, in the form of encouragement, opportunity and a helping hand when needed, I would not be standing here today. My simple choice was to return these gifts when and how I could.

This is the same choice I urge you to make, or to continue to make: offer your talents and, when you can, your treasure in service of worthy goals. Act on your passionately felt beliefs. Your contributions are powerful, especially when linked with others'. And no matter how powerful the effect is upon the community or world at large, the magic in these gifts is the powerful effect on you, the giver. Your life is no longer a solo venture, but a communal enterprise. Our individual efforts link us to others in myriad ways that sustain us and enrich us throughout our lives.

Like lifelong learning, service to others is an essential component of a life filled with meaning and purpose. This is a gift I wish for you today on your graduation day.

Thank you.



Krempa Endowed Fund

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major corporations, including Swift for 18 years and Kemper for 20 years, living throughout the United States.

His first marriage produced two children, Janet and Thomas, and he's proud of his four grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Steven met the love of his life, Virginia, when they were tourists in Mexico – they had both responded to the same newspaper ad promoting the trip. A month after returning home, Steven called Virginia and arranged to fly from his home in San Francisco to Virginia's Buffalo, N.Y. home for a date.

They were married shortly thereafter.

Virginia also had a connection to community colleges.

Born in 1918 in Lancaster, NY, Virginia was an excellent student who attended Buffalo University for two years, majoring in accounting and business administration. She paid her own tuition by working for a large auditing firm during the day.

"Because she was so poor, she couldn't further her education even though she was an A+ student," Steven said.

Both Virginia and Steven had long and successful careers as accountants. They shared a love for each other, golf and global travel. In August 2007, Steven lost his beloved Virginia after a prolonged illness.

Reich Award



Jeff Buterfield with Lori Reich, Jeff Przybylo and Catherine Brod

Speech Professor Innovates with Technology

"I do not know of another faculty member who does more to embrace technology in education than Jeff Przybylo," said Josh Sundebruch, Harper English professor, in nominating this year's winner of the Glenn A. Reich Memorial Faculty Award for Instructional Technology.

The award, named for Glenn Reich, former Director of User Services at Harper, is given to a full-time, adjunct or retired Harper faculty member who has actively used technology for the purposes of improving instruction.

"This is just the way I do things; I don't see it as innovative or doing anything special," said Jeff about his use of technology to help his students learn. "We have to bring (new) methods to them or they're going to leave us behind."

In addition to helping colleagues use technology, Jeff developed the first-ever blended Speech course at Harper, combining online classes with face-to-face meetings. His technology-based approach is helping students with scheduling issues and special needs who might not otherwise be able to take Speech as they advance toward their degrees.

Some of Jeff's other innovative ideas include:

- Digitally recording students' speech performances so they can take them home and review them on their computer instead of a VCR;
- Pioneering the use of computer grading software in his courses and using his laptop to provide "the most comprehensive feedback" of his career on student presentations;
- Introducing the use of online registration systems for collegiate speech and debate tournaments.

The Harper College Educational Foundation staff thanks Glenn's widow, Lori, and her family for making this award possible.

Congratulations to Jeff Przybylo!

Leaving a Legacy of Achieved Dreams



Harper Heritage Society Members

Martha Bell and Glen Reeser

Catherine M. Brod

Clayton and Geraldine Gardner

Robert and Betsy Glorch

Richard and Leslie Goldberg

Peggy Gower

Mrs. Shirley Gross-Moore

Dr. and Mrs. Robin Hoffer

Richard P. and Jean M. Hohol

Mrs. Kris Howard Jensen

Mary Ann and Donald Jirak

Virginia M. and Steven A. Krempa

Laura Jean Mader

Daniel and Suzanne McCarthy

Carol and Paul Pankros

Jeffrey and Lauren Przybylo

Robert Kent Scott

Judith and Jerald Thorson

“What you leave behind is important. Most people want to leave a mark that they were here – that they gave back and paid it forward,” said Bob Glorch, Vice President of Development for the Educational Foundation and chair of the Harper Heritage Society Committee.

Making a planned gift to the Harper College Educational Foundation through a will or estate plan enables individuals and families to give future students a leg up to personal and professional success through scholarship funds and investment in vital programs. Donors who include the Harper College Educational Foundation in their estate plans can elect to become members in the Harper Heritage Society, allowing the College to publically recognize their generosity. To date, 19 individuals or families have joined the Society.

College President Dr. Robert Breuder recently co-hosted a first-of-its-kind appreciation dinner with the Harper Heritage Society Committee to honor Society members. College Trustees Lori Stone, Rita Canning, Bill Kelley, and Carlos Borro also were on hand to thank these generous contributors along with several appreciative scholarship winners. Representatives from the following nine donor families attended the event.

“Each (scholarship recipient) had a unique story,” said Martha Bell, Society member. “The common thread was how they leveraged a small financial boost to overcome adversity and achieve their dreams.”

The Foundation is aware of 23 planned gifts to date that designate the Harper College Educational Foundation as a beneficiary. Together these gifts total more than \$4.7 million.

“A planned gift is easy to arrange, is an extremely efficient way to give back from a tax perspective and very seldom involves any out-of-pocket expenses at the moment,” Glorch indicated.

For more information about making a bequest to Harper College, please contact Katherine Sawyer in the Harper College Educational Foundation (847-925-6319 or ksawyer@harpercollege.edu).



Executive Director's Report

For the College and the Foundation, the spring and fall has been a very exciting time. As you'll read within this issue of the Community Catalyst, our celebration of Harper's 40th Anniversary continued in grand form.

During convocation in May, Harper honored our first four Distinguished Alumni. I know you'll enjoy reading their inspirational stories. If you are a Harper alum, we invited you to share your story and updated information through Harper's web site so that we can stay connected for years to come.

An area of great excitement for the Foundation and our friends is **Project Tomorrow: The Power of Community** – a major gifts campaign to secure private funding in support student scholarships, faculty enrichment and program development. As you know, each year more than 38,000 students and 23 surrounding communities depend on Harper College. The College continues to thrive and expand to meet these needs because of numerous innovative and responsive programs. Through input from the community and Harper constituents, our 'case for support' is comprised of sixteen (16) focus areas that will help our students address the current and future workforce needs right here in the Chicago-land suburbs.

With the support of Harper leadership, the Foundation has been in the silent phase of this campaign over the past 2 years, receiving more than \$5 million in pledged support for this initiative! In August, we will thank our lead donors to date and take our appeal to the community.

I hope you'll join us in spreading the word about Project Tomorrow: The Power of Community and offering your support! Your support of our students through the Foundation does indeed change lives!

My best to you,

Catherine M. Brod
Vice President of Community Relations,
Harper College
Executive Director,
Harper College Educational Foundation

An Artistic Success



Harper celebrated its 40th anniversary in grand style with a week dedicated to the cultural and performing arts in early April. Events included:

- Music Alumni concert — with performances by Harper alumnus and faculty;
- Harper Symphony Orchestra concert – in a tribute to all things Scottish;
- Harper National Art Exhibition – featuring recent works of artists who are a permanent part of Harper's art collection. Two of these artists, Frank Trakina and Robert Stackhouse, were on campus for a private reception supporting this exhibit;
- Harper Speech Team "Night Before Nationals" - the team went on to take 8th place in this National Tournament; and
- Tango Fantastico Concert - hosted by Harper's Continuing Education Community Music Center.

More than 1,500 people attended the events throughout the course of the week, raising Harper's visibility in the community and providing a wealth of opportunities for friends of the College to commemorate our 40th milestone. The Foundation also utilized these events to educate attendees

about current and future scholarships that can be established to support students in these various areas of study.

"We have some great art on campus and it was nice to see these events well attended," said Margaret Buchen, Curator of the Educational Foundation's art collection. She added that the public is welcome to view the collection at Harper whenever the campus is open.

The music side of the celebration also was very successful. "I was delighted with the success of the Alumni Concert, particularly because it showcased such enormous diversity on the part of Harper's music alumni," said Barbara Bowker, associate professor of Music. "The evening achieved the educational goal of exposing audiences to many different types of music, in addition to wonderfully fulfilling the primary goal of celebrating the superb things people have achieved with music degrees from Harper."

Warm thanks to all the artists and audience members who graced Harper's campus to take part in these festivities.

If you would like to know more about touring the art collection on campus or supporting scholarships dedicated to the performing and visual arts, please contact the Educational Foundation.

Distinguished Alumni Awards

Inaugural Distinguished Alumni Awarded During Commencement Ceremony

Former Harper students are an accomplished lot. After leaving our institution, many go on to become great contributors to our community and society. In conjunction with Harper College's 40th Anniversary celebration, the Educational Foundation celebrated the professional and community achievements of the college's alumni by establishing a Distinguished Alumni Award program. In this inaugural year, and in celebration of our 40th Anniversary, four nominees were selected to receive the award at commencement ceremonies this spring; one alumni to represent each decade of the College's existence.

Meet these amazing Harper alumni:



Dexter Garner, John Ripplinger, Dr. Robert Breuder, Dr. Jaime Quezada and John Loprieno

John F. Ripplinger ('70) is a Schaumburg resident and owner of the Ripplinger Financial Group of Companies, voted one of the "Best Places to Work in Illinois" in 2007. He is a major sponsor of the Schaumburg Youth Orchestra and is actively involved in a number of charities.

"In 1967, I needed at least a two-year degree for the engineering job that I was in and I had just heard about Harper. I started, of all places, in a portable trailer at Elk Grove Village High School and went there for several semesters before moving to the new campus in Palatine. It was there in June of 1970 I received my Associate in Applied Science degree," John said. "The foundation established at Harper enabled me to start seven different companies in Schaumburg, employ 45 people and really, at this point in my life, start giving back to the community as well as pursuing some of

my other life passions. So, what has Harper College done for me? Pretty much everything."

John Loprieno ('80), a former adjunct faculty member at Harper, is a full-time theatre arts faculty member at Moorpark College in California. In addition to teaching, he has extensive professional credentials as an actor, writer and director, and is known for his 13-year run on the daytime drama series "One Life to Live," on which he played the role of Cord Roberts. He has appeared in a variety of productions off Broadway, regionally and in Los Angeles.

John thanked his father and brother as well as former instructors John Muchmore, Marcia Litrenta and Mary Jo Willis, whom he said had a positive impact on his life after Harper. John taught at Harper two years ago and said it was a treat to be back and see the growth that's taken place during the last 30 years.

Dr. Jaime Quezada ('93) dropped out of high school with an uncertain future. The son of Mexican immigrants, Jaime lacked the confidence to pursue better opportunities for himself, but had the dream of becoming a doctor. After receiving his associate's degree at Harper, he transferred and earned a bachelor's degree. From there it was on to the University of Illinois where he attended medical school. Jaime is fulfilling his dream by practicing medicine in the Wisconsin area.

"Sixteen years ago had you told me that I would be a physician and Distinguished Alumni I would have thought you were nuts," Jaime said. "In all honesty I was petrified; at 28 I knew this was my last chance to make 'something' out of myself. By this time in my life I had become acutely aware of my own ignorance and met with an advisor. This meeting with my friend Phil Troyer changed my life." He said his wife, Abigail and sons Toby and Jake "taught me the true meaning of love and life."

Dexter Gardner ('99) is a licensed and ordained Youth Minister at the Second Baptist Church in Palatine where he encourages and inspires young people to achieve their best and pursue an education at Harper. While attending Harper, he was president of the Black Student Union and also was instrumental in forming the Harper Gospel Choir club.

"There are many in our lives who tell us the things that we are not capable of and are not meant to do. Like many of you who sit here today, I was one who was told that a college education was out of my reach. I was told that my test scores showed that I was incapable of going any further. I was told 'stop' before I started," Dexter told the commencement audience. "It was my parents that told me to stand when things got tough. It was my brothers who told me to stand when things got rough. It was my church family who stood with me in prayer. It is my wife and son who stand with me in this occasion. First and foremost it was and is God who I serve who stands above it all."

For more information or to nominate someone for a Distinguished Alumni Award, please visit the Harper Web site at hapercollege.edu.

2007–2008 Convocation Celebrates Harper Scholars

The Harper College Convocation, full of pomp and circumstance, is a significant event in the lives of many Harper students. As the music comes up and the scholars parade to their seats wearing cap and gown for the ceremony, one can't help but be moved by the pride that exudes from each one. These are students who have worked so hard, sacrificed much, yet mustered the courage to persevere in gathering the knowledge and credentials to reach a laudable milestone in their educational journey - and in their lives.

As family and friends cheer on their graduates, Convocation also provides the opportunity for the Foundation and our friends to celebrate the accomplishments of all Harper students who have received scholarships and awards during the 2007-2008 academic year. The Foundation extends its congratulations to these scholars and appreciation to the donors who make these scholarships and awards possible.

Hana Adas	Betty Windham Scholarship	Brian Duong	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship
Najeeb Ahmed	Eugenia S. Chapman Memorial/Endowment Scholarship Mathematics and Science Endowment	Amanda Eberwein	Lou Buchenot Scholarship
Akintunde (Matthew) Akinkunmi	GED Persistence Award	Ivan Escobar	Graphic Arts Scholarship
Rosalie Alvarez	GED Persistence Award	Abraham Estrada	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship
Maria Ancheta	Geraldine Cosby Endowed Service Scholarship	Denise Farwell	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship
Mohammed Ansari	Linda J. Lang Endowed Speech Team Scholarship	Linda Felix	Geraldine Cosby Endowed Service Scholarship
Heather Arredia	Walter E. and Elizabeth M. Schroeder Memorial Endowment	Mariano Fernandez	Glenn A. Reich Computer Science Scholarship Endowment
Talitha Baer	International Air Cargo Association of Chicago Scholarship	Nicholas Fiorito	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship
LaVon Baker-Kopins	GED Persistence Award GED Recognition Award	Pamela Fitzgibbons	Jacob & Iris Wolf Endowed Sign Language Interpreting Scholarship
Ihssan Basrawi	GED Persistence Award	Natalie Fousek	Mary Jo Willis Theatre Scholarship Endowment
Brianna Bedard	Carol A. Zack Memorial Fine Arts Scholarship	Kathy Framke	Women's Program Scholarship
Ana Bello	GED Persistence Award	Laura Freeman	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship
Kristi Bergman	James J. McGrath Humanities Scholarship	John Fricano	Gene & Hildegard Evans Memorial Scholarship
Tiffany Berkowitz	GED Recognition Award	Rudrik Gandhi	Square D Engineering Endowed Scholarship (2+1)
Steven Borchard	Harold Cunningham Mathematics Memorial Scholarship	Kristian Garay	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship
Carlos Borro	Student Leader Endowed Scholarship	Chris Garbarz	Otter Chemistry Endowment
Anca Braniste	Women's Program Scholarship	Alaine Garcia	Kathleen Graber Scholarship
Corrine Bruick	Women's Program Scholarship	Catherine Gastfield	Student Leader Endowed Scholarship
Catlin Buck	Otter Chemistry Endowment	Megan Gerkin	Sharlene Marchiori Memorial Nursing Scholarship
Marcin Butkiewicz	GED Recognition Award	Nicholas Giordano	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship
Karolina Brzezinska	John Louis Papandrea Liberal Arts Memorial Scholarship	Veronica Gomez	Illinois Community College System Foundation, Illinois Health Improvement Scholarship
Jessica Camargo	Walter E. and Elizabeth M. Schroeder Memorial Endowment	David Gopanchuk	Criminal Justice Scholarship
Michelle Campbell	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship	Sarah Green	Architectural Technology Endowed Scholarship
David Carlson	Education to Careers Scholarship	Michelle Gross	Women's Program Scholarship
Shams Charania	GED Persistence Award	Sara Guth	Community Music Center Scholarship
Murtza Chattha	Elizabeth Schmik Hull Fund GED Recognition Award	Javier Gutierrez	Marilyn Shiely Coste Memorial Endowed Scholarship
Maggie Chen	Community Music Center Scholarship	Elen Hall	Illinois Community College System Foundation, Illinois Health Improvement Scholarship
Candace Christman	Women's Program Scholarship	Nicole Hampton	James F. and Valerie D. Arnesen Biology Endowment
Larisa Coldebella	Bright Futures Scholarship	Ricky Harris	Diane Tomcheff Callin Endowed Memorial Scholarship
Brian Craft	Dr. Ernest B. and Mrs. D. Kris Howard Endowment For Community Service	Linda Heagney	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship
David Cross	Square D Engineering Endowed Scholarship (2+1)	Miguel Hernandez	Anne Rodgers Scott Endowment for Student Success
Denise Cross	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship	Alexandra Herzog	GED Persistence Award
Juan Cruz	Harper 512 IEA/NEA Association Scholarship	Teresa Hobart	Women's Program Scholarship
Joseph Cua	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship	Kody Hursey	Latinos Unidos Student Organization Scholarship
Helena Czerpak	Minority Access to Higher Education Grant Scholarship	Mirgeta Hyfantis	ADS Alumni Scholarship
Paul Danielson	Graphic Arts Scholarship	Natalie Jalovec	Women's Program Scholarship
Carolina Davis	Illinois Community College System Foundation, Illinois Health Improvement Scholarship	Evgeniya Jester	Joan R. Young Scholarship
Vera Davis	Timothy A. Kolze Memorial Endowment Scholarship	Melissa John	GED Recognition Award
Jose Delgado	Dr. J. Harley Chapman Music Performance Fund	Darryl Jones	Harold Cunningham Mathematics Memorial Scholarship
Alexander DeLonis	Harold Cunningham Mathematics Memorial Scholarship	Kanisha Jones	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship
Jonita DeVilliers	Displaced Homemakers Scholarship	Vimal Kachhia	Donald and Patricia Torisky Endowment Fund
Dennis Domzalski	Otter Chemistry Endowment	Adriana Kamenetsky	James E. Finke Memorial Scholarship
Heather Dorff	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship	Alexander Kantorovich	GED Recognition Award
	A&T Philia Foundation Scholarship	Maribel Kawalek	Graphic Arts Scholarship
	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship		Fine Arts Scholarship for Women
	GED Recognition Award		George and Christine Winandy Distinguished Scholarship for Math, Science and Technology
			Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship

Edmund Korn	Harper Cardiac Rehabilitation Scholarship	John Rivard	Nick Nocchi Scholarship Fund
Tatana Korol	Women's Program Scholarship	Gladys Riviera	GED Persistence Award
Monika Kowalewska	Margaret Scott Memorial Math Scholarship	Margaret Rodriguez	Elizabeth Schmik Hull Fund
Ralph Kramarski	Northrop Grumman Engineering Scholarship (2+1)		GED Distinguished Scholar
Kaylyn Krolicki	Margaret Scott Memorial Math Scholarship		GED Recognition Award
Maria Kuzmina	International Air Cargo Association of Chicago Scholarship	Andrea Rohrbacher	Motorola Award for Excellence
Maria Lebron	Women's Program Scholarship	Maciej Rokicki	Marilyn Casey Scholarship
Joseph Leipert	Edward Moran Memorial Computer Science Award	Alexis Rosen	AAUW Audrey Tjepkema Memorial Fund
Samuel Lilliebridge	GED Distinguished Scholar	Lenaya Rumbolt	Shirley Gross Moore Endowment For Minority Students
Jedd Lim	Community Music Center Scholarship	Kasia Samulski	Fine Arts Scholarship
Stephanie Lim	Joanne Heinly Nursing Scholarship	Maria Sanchez	Betty & Matt Cockrell Endowed Scholarship
Dorothy Litwitz	Geraldine Cosby Endowed Service Scholarship	Marisol Santiago	GED Persistence Award
Bertha Lopez	Harper Employee Transfer Scholarship	Marisol Santiago	GED Recognition Award
Vicki Love	Dr. J. Harley Chapman Music Performance Fund	David Savone	Wilford C. Papenthien Memorial Fund
	Student Leader Endowed Scholarship	Emilio Sayago	GED Persistence Award
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