

Allen College Communicator

50 Years of the Iowa Tuition Grant

As the baby boomer generation approached college age, lowa legislators realized that the state's public colleges and universities didn't have room for all of them. However, state leaders wanted everyone to have a chance at a great education.

In April 1969, then Gov. Robert Ray signed a bill creating the lowa Tuition Grant program, or ITG. The grant provides financial support to qualifying students who attend one of lowa's independent private colleges and universities, like Allen College.

The ITG is intended to make the cost of private college comparable to that of lowa's public colleges, essentially leveling out the playing field. Plus, it is a type of financial aid for students that doesn't need to be paid back.

In the 50 years since ITG's creation, over 500,000 students across the state have been awarded grants.

Dr. Jared Seliger, president of Allen College and an ITG recipient when he was an undergraduate student, said 161 Allen students were awarded the ITG for the fall 2019 semester. The average grant per student was \$2,900, and the total awarded to all Allen students was just shy of \$500,000.

To receive the grant a student must be an lowa resident, be enrolled as a full-time or part-time undergraduate at an eligible lowa private college or university, fill out a FAFSA form and submit it by the deadline, and have an eligible Expected Family Contribution on the FAFSA.

Good for Students, Good for Iowa

Emma Knoop began nursing school at Allen College in August 2018. She said applying for the ITG was easy and not only helped lower her tuition costs, but also provided other benefits.

"I wanted to pay for college on my own. ITG helps me do that. I'm also able to spend time focusing on my studies and volunteering and not having to worry about working a second job," Emma said.

In addition, the grant is the reason for some great experiences. Allen College leadership and students like Emma meet with lowa legislators each year to talk about ITG's important role in students' education.

"Our Legislature likes to hear stories from the students," Emma said. "The most important thing is just getting everyone on board and understanding how important the ITG is to a student's education."

Currently, the state appropriation for the ITG is \$47.7 million. To mark the ITG's 50th anniversary and to honor Gov. Ray's legacy, the lowa Association of Independent Colleges and Universities is asking the Legislature to increase the annual appropriation to \$50 million.

The association advocates for the ITG and encourages legislators to keep the grant program funded. After all, ITG not only helps students attend college, it prepares them to enter lowa's workforce and contribute to the lowa economy.

"This is a way to make sure talent does not leave our state. It's bigger than just the three public institutions," Dr. Seliger said.

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President's Communication



Dr. Jared Seliger, President

The dawn of a new year and a new decade always is an exciting time as it presents new opportunities to apply lessons from our experiences to improve both on a personal and professional level. Even with the optimism and enthusiasm we have entering 2020, we cannot lose sight of the factors that stand in our way of achieving our goals.

The entire higher education sector is facing some very daunting challenges as we enter this new decade. Shifting demographics with a declining number of students graduating from high school is resulting in enrollment challenges across the country. Student loan debt is at an all-time high, and higher education is under intense scrutiny to deliver high quality education that prepares

graduates for our Nation's workforce needs.

With these challenges ahead of us, Allen College has established a strategic direction to mitigate against these external pressures. After a very comprehensive planning process, Allen College enters 2020 with a new strategic plan. Our mission statement identifies that we will focus our attention on offering healthcare programs of excellence, service, inclusion and lifelong learning. To ensure we are fulfilling our mission, the core of the strategic plan is emphasizing the importance of the student experience at Allen College. Placing the students first in all aspects of our institutional performance will put us in the best position to continue our exceptional institutional outcomes and counter the challenges facing higher education.

Allen College has a remarkable team of faculty and staff who will ensure that we are fulfilling our mission and executing our strategic plan. I know that every single person who works here shares a passion to work with students and provide them with an educational experience that cannot be matched at any other college. With a clear direction for success and a dedicated team implementing the strategy, Allen College has a very prosperous and successful decade ahead of us.



New Allen College Mission Statement

Allen College offers educational healthcare programs of excellence to a diverse community while instilling the values of service, inclusion and lifelong learning.

Trustee Dr. Joel Haack fulfills term limit as Allen College Trustee



The entire Allen College community would like to thank Dr. Joel Haack for serving 11 years on the Allen College Board of Trustees. Dr. Haack is a professor of mathematics at the University of Northern Iowa, having served as dean of the College of Natural

Sciences (appointed in 2006) and the College of Humanities, Arts and Sciences.

Dr. Haack started as a Trustee at Allen College in 2009 by completing a term vacated by a previous Trustee. He then completed three consecutive three-year terms, the maximum allowed by the College's bylaws. During Dr. Haack's service on the Board, Allen College experienced significant growth and success. Some of the highlights of the Board of Trustee's decisions during Dr. Haack's tenure included: the construction of Winter Hall, the development of the two therapy programs, adding several new MSN tracks, developing the Doctor of Education program and the acquisition of McElroy Hall.

Dr. Haack has been a mainstay on the Allen College Chorus and has indicated his desire to continue participating with the Chorus. Dr. Haack's last official function as a Trustee was the December 2019 Commencement ceremony.

The entire Allen College community is indebted to Dr. Haack for his service to the institution.

Welcome New Trustees

Allen College welcomes new Trustees to the Allen College Board in 2020, Dr. Todd Holcomb and Dr. Jennifer Waldron.

Dr. Holcomb is president of Hawkeye Community College, Waterloo.

Dr. Waldron is the associate vice president of research and innovation and dean of the graduate college at the University of Northern lowa, Cedar Falls.

Allen College Recognizes Scholarship Donors

Donors and organizations that established scholarships/awards for Allen College students through UnityPoint Health – Allen Foundation were recognized at a dinner September 26. Allen College more than \$785,000 in donor scholarships and institutional scholarships and awards for the 2019-20 academic year.

Allen College Institution Funded Scholarships/Awards

- Allen College President's Scholarship
- Allen College Chorus Scholarship

Donor/Organization Funded Scholarships/Awards

- Allen Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship
- Allen Alumni Association Scholarship
- Allen College Winter/Hall Class Sch.

Class of 1958	Class of 1985
Class of 1959	Class of 1986
Class of 1960	Class of 1987
Class of 1961	Class of 1988
Class of 1962	Class of 1989
Class of 1963	Class of 1990
Class of 1964	Class of 1991
Class of 1965	Class of 1992
Class of 1966	Class of 1993
Class of 1967	Class of 1994
Class of 1968	Class of 1995
Class of 1969	Class of 1996
Class of 1970	Class of 1997
Class of 1971	Class of 1998
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Class of 1973	Class of 2000
Class of 1974	Class of 2002
Class of 1975	Class of 2003
Class of 1976	Class of 2004
Class of 1977	Class of 2005
Class of 1978	Class of 2006
Class of 1979	Class of 2007
Class of 1980	Class of 2008
Class of 1981	Class of 2009
Class of 1982	Class of 2010
Class of 1983	Class of 2011
Class of 1984	Class of 2012

- Allen College Afghan Scholarship
- *Robert & Pansy Alcorn Memorial Sch.
- Allen Lab Endowed Scholarship
- Allen Memorial Hospital School of Nursing Class of 1950 Nursing Scholarship
- Helen & Richard Anderson Endowed Sch.
- Betty J. Atkins Memorial Scholarship
- BSN Program Scholarship
- Robert Bailey, M.D. and Robert Morrison, M.D. Scholarship
- Keith M. & Dorothea W. Baskins Sch.
- Bernard Family Endowed Scholarship in Memory of Ann M. and Ernest H. Bernard
- Cathryn Schrubbe Bliss Memorial Sch.
- Patricia Boeck Memorial Scholarship
- Cynthia Bohm Memorial Scholarship



- *Bradford Family Scholarship
- Agnes Essman Brody Memorial Sch.
- Jackie Buckley Endowed Scholarship
- Dona Buhr Memorial Scholarship
- Erma Burk Memorial Scholarship
- Maxine Cagley Endowed Scholarship
- Kent & Carol Charley Scholarship
- Marjorie K. Cochran Scholarship
- James D. Collins, M.D. Memorial Endowed Scholarship
- Colwell Family Scholarship
- Community Foundation of Northeast Iowa Scholarships
 - Keith M. & Dorothea W. Baskins Scholarship
 - Enderlein Family Scholarship
 - David and Dianne Happel Family Scholarship
 - George W. & Hallene A. Paul Scholarship
 - Leo C. Puhl & Arlene J. Reed Puhl Nursing Scholarship
- Holgar & Wilma Dall Endowed Nursing Scholarship
- Adele Whitenack Davis Scholarship
- Frederick "Bud" Dell Endowed Memorial Scholarship
- Lloyd R. Dilley and Donald L. Dilley Memorial Endowed Scholarship
- Durham-Feltmeyer Family Scholarship
- Rose Earnest Scholarship
- Erpelding Scholarship
- *Fanton Family Scholarship in Honor of Kara (Fanton) Rentschler "Class of '92"
- Flanders Family Endowed Scholarship
- Ida and Laura Fleming Scholarship
- Fleming Sisters Scholarship
- Judy & Jim Fogdall Endowed Scholarship
- *Juanita Fortsch Memorial Scholarship
- *Goodwill Industries of Northeast Iowa, Inc. Endowed Scholarship
- · Carol D. Hadlund Scholarship

- Mary Hahn Rix Nursing Scholarship
- Alice M. Hart Memorial Endowed Sch.
- Jim & Shirley Harvey Scholarship
- Jane E. Hasek Endowed Scholarship
- Philip R. Hastings, M.D. Memorial Sch.
- JoAn Headington Endowed Scholarship
- Health, Helping & Healing Scholarship (given by Marietta & Wayne Sargeant)
- Heinz S. Jacobi Surgical Nursing Sch.
- Dr. James Jeffries and Roseann Jeffries Memorial Endowed Scholarship
- Edward W. Jesse Estate Endowed Sch.
- Dr. Raja & Susan Junaid Endowed Nursing Scholarship
- Matt and Hilda Kalainoff Endowed Memorial Scholarship
- Elsie Kehe Scholarship
- Bill and Jane Kerbev Scholarship
- *M. and N. Klepfer Family Endowed Scholarship
- Linda Klinger Memorial Endowed Sch.
- Marcie Knudson Memorial Scholarship
- Dr. Rolf F. Kruse Endowed Scholarship
- La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux
 Voiture Locale 82 -- Black Hawk County Scholarship
- · Oscar Lanich, M.D., Scholarship
- Quinter D. Lichty Endowed Scholarship
- Wayne Lichty Memorial Endowed Sch.
- Dotta J. Lorenz Memorial Scholarship
- Drew A. Luna Memorial Scholarship
- Kristine Martinson & Family Endowed Sch.
- Virginia Henniges McBride Scholarship
- Helen & Joseph Melichar Scholarship
- Minone Messersmith Sturdevant Memorial Scholarship
- Maxine and Robert Morrison, M.D. Sch.
- Maynard & MaryJean Murch MLS Endowed Scholarship
- Dr. Vishwanath Nagale Endowed Sch.
- Nauss Nursing Endowed Scholarship

Allen College Scholarship Donors (continued)

- Nauss Nursing Endowed Scholarship in Memory of Maria Rosenau Nauss
- Marlys Nelson Nursing Scholarship
- Gladys Neubauer Trust Scholarship
- Joan Nohre Scholarship
- Leana B. Nyland Memorial Endowed Sch.
- OB/Peds Scholarship
- E. James O'Connor Memorial Scholarship
- *Verna Park Trust Scholarship
- Linda C. Parrott Endowed Scholarship
- Debra Peyton Memorial Scholarship
- Vernon H. Plager, M.D. Memorial Sch.
- Joan Poe Memorial Scholarship
- Arthur & Ruth Pries Scholarship
- Larry and Virginia Pugh Endowed Scholarship for Leadership
- Tim & Renee Rasmussen Family Sch.
- · Vera Reineking Nursing Scholarship
- F. Harold Reuling, M.D. Memorial Sch.
- Donald F. Reynolds Memorial Sch.
- Rolinger Family Endowed Scholarship

- Milt & Joanie Roth Endowed Scholarship
- Sage Family Scholarship
- Patricia A. Sapp Memorial Sch.
- Rosinda Waschkat Schweer Memorial Scholarship
- Debra Kerns Seegers Memorial Sch.
- David Seible Memorial Scholarship
- *Seliger Family Endowed Scholarship
- Vivian Shane Scholarship
- Bob Sieglaff Scholarship
- Sigma Theta Tau International Pi Kappa Chapter 392 Scholarship
- *Gertrude E. Skelly Charitable Foundation Scholarship in Memory of Miss Gertrude E. Skelly
- Andrew Smith, MD Scholarship
- Ron & Betty Steege Endowed Sch.
- Shirley Strouse Memorial Scholarship
- Dale and Katherine Stupp Memorial Endowed Scholarship
- Ken and Mavis TeSlaa Endowed Nursing Education Scholarship

- Alberta Thomas Memorial Scholarship
- Helen Thompson and Ronald Thompson Family Scholarship
- E&M Thoms Scholarship
- Lynn M. Thornberry and Stanley C. Memorial Endowed Scholarship
- Sandra Thurm Memorial Scholarship
- Virginia Turner Memorial Scholarship
- Rose Unger Memorial Scholarship
- #University Book & Supply Endowed Scholarship
- Zora R. Walters Endowed Scholarship
- M. Sue Waschek Baldwin Endowed Scholarship in Medical Laboratory Science
- Charles A. Waterbury, M.D. Memorial Scholarship
- Lyle & Elsie Watters Endowed Sch.
- Jennifer Wente Scholarship
- Thomas H. Williams Scholarship
- Lewis L. Zager, M.D., Memorial Sch.

*1st Time Awards in 2019-2020

In Remembrance | Honoring Keith Baskins & Larry Pugh

Keith Baskins, long time donor and supporter of Allen College, passed away on December 18, 2019.

Keith's connection with Allen began in 1982 when both he and his wife Dorothea underwent heart surgeries that taught them the value of quality nursing care.

Although Dorothea died in 2007, the scholarship they established at Allen College helps assure that her appreciation for nurses lives on today. The Baskins endowed the Keith M. and Dorothea W. Baskins Scholarship in 1994 to help a deserving Allen College student with his or her college expenses.

Keith was born and raised on a farm north of Cedar Falls and graduated from Janesville High School. The Baskins were far from wealthy during their working years, according to Keith. He worked for 35 years at Rath Packing while Dorothea worked for 35 years at Northwestern Bell.

The Baskins were active in the Masonic Lodge, the Eastern Star Chapter, their church and other charities. Their hobbies included snowmobiling in the winter and camping in the summer. "We were just fortunate to have enough to be able to help others like we're doing now at Allen College. It's a real good feeling when you can help, and we're always going to need nurses — it takes a special person," Keith had said. "We kept in touch with the student recipients, and we always asked that they consider us as their friends—not as benefactors."

The Baskins' support of Allen goes well beyond their generous scholarship. Keith contributed to Allen's Promises to Keep Campaign and a classroom in the Winter Hall is named for Keith and Dorothea.

Larry Pugh, former President and CEO of Allen Hospital, passed away on December 24, 2019. Larry has long been remembered for his leadership at Allen Hospital during times of significant change including major additions to the hospital; the formation of Allen College on a new campus; developing United Medical Park and Guernsey Park retirement community; and joining the lowa Health System.

Larry's career began in physical therapy, and he later held administrative positions at several hospitals.

The Larry and Virginia Pugh Endowed Scholarship for Leadership was established by friends and associates of Allen to honor Larry and Virginia upon his retirement from Allen Hospital in 1998.

Larry's parents were lowa farmers with an eighth grade education and were highly supportive of Larry being the first Pugh ancestor to earn a college degree. The Pugh's appreciated the love and support given to them by family and friends throughout their lives and hoped their scholarship would enable students' lives to be enriched through body, mind and soul.

Memorials in honor of Keith or Larry can be made to the Allen Foundation at 1825 Logan Ave., Waterloo, IA 50703.

In Remembrance

Marjorie Cahalan

Class of 1956 January 11, 2020

Sandra Clark

Class of 1966 November 14, 2019

Vernetta Cline

Class of 1950 August 11, 2019

Juanita Fortsch

Allen Retiree Organization (L.I.F.E.) Member & Allen College Supporter November 14, 2019

Iva Griep

Class of 1964 December 25, 2019

Martha Lawson

Class of 1964 November 2, 2019

Alice Rhoades

Class of 1947 December 2019

Shirley Spain

Class of 1955 October 10, 2019

Academics/Service/Community Outreach

EdD or DNP? What's right for you?

The purpose of the Doctor of Education in Health Professions Education (EdD -HPE) program at Allen College is to support educators in health sciences (including nursing) settings. Most health sciences educators start out as practitioners who discover a love for educating at some point in their careers. Because of this nontraditional path to education, the transition to academia may be difficult. The EdD program provides a foundation for educational practices and topics to those who have transitioned from professional practice to academia and strive to develop their skills as a faculty member. The EdD program also provides support for those who may want to become an administrator or leader, for example, a program director, a dean, or executive-level leader.

Dr. Cristina Ortiz, Allen College's first EdD graduate, shares her experience in the EdD program.

> "Having a master's degree in nursing education I learned the foundational concepts about teaching and

learning, curriculum development and other opportunities for DNP graduates. evaluation, and assessment. The Doctor of Education was a great fit for me because I enjoyed these educational aspects. An EdD degree provided the opportunity to build upon my foundational nursing education knowledge and included research, finance, and leadership courses. The culmination of my EdD degree included conducting qualitative research, which has provided me the opportunity to present my research at conferences. Furthermore, I have been able to take on a leadership role as the MSN Program Director at Allen College and work with faculty and students to provide a positive teaching/learning environment."

Allen College offers an additional doctoral program for nurses. The Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) degree offers unique opportunities for nurses to excel in all areas of healthcare. In the clinical setting, DNP graduates are given the tools to transform the delivery of care and improve patient outcomes. Opportunities in the academic setting are available as faculty or in an administrative role. Lobbying for healthcare policies or working in healthcare administration are

Dr. Dana Clausen, DNP program director, shares her vision for Allen College's DNP

"In my current role as faculty and program director. I am able to share my passion of evidence-based practice and offer guidance to students working to develop and lead change, and in a leadership role overseeing curriculum and working closely with faculty and students to ensure program outcomes are met."

Looking to the future of healthcare, more doctorally prepared nurses and faculty members will be needed to meet the challenges of ensuring students are prepared to care for patients and for leadership roles in all healthcare settings. Whether it is through a DNP or EdD, leaders in healthcare will continue to make an impact on practice, scholarship and shaping the changing landscape of healthcare reform.

Considering an advanced degree? To explore your options, contact Admissions@allencollege.edu or call (319) 226-2099.



Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service "Pack the Dome"

On January 20, 36 volunteers representing Allen College joined approximately 1,600 volunteers from all over the Cedar Valley on Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service in the UNI-Dome to package food for the Northeast Iowa Food Bank to support their "BackPack program." The event was so popular that the volunteer limit was reached well in advance of the event.

The volunteers packed the equivalent of 48,000 backpacks with food.

This event was hosted by the Northeast Iowa Food Bank, UNI's Office of Community Engagement, Service and Leadership Council and Panther Pantry along with the Volunteer Center of the Cedar Valley, all on behalf of John Deere.

Dr. Gale Carlson, Allen College professor and R.J. McElrov Endowed Chair for Interdisciplinary Studies shared her thoughts about the experience.

"It was great to have so many from Allen College volunteer for this event. Everyone pitched in with enthusiasm and had fun while serving the



community. It was just a small amount of time, yet the volunteers helped to impact the Cedar Valley. This type of event and participation by our students, staff, and faculty shows our commitment to the College's mission of service."

Commencement

Summer Commencement

Allen College awarded 40 degrees at its commencement ceremony on August 16 at Nazareth Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls. Allen College conferred the following degrees:

School of Health Sciences

• 11 Bachelor of Health Sciences degrees

School of Nursing

- 26 Bachelor of Science in Nursing degrees
- 3 Master of Science in Nursing degrees

The commencement speaker for Allen College's summer commencement was Amanda Goodman. Amanda Goodman is an Emmy-award winning journalist who spent 18 years in the TV news business, with her last stop at KWWL in Waterloo. Amanda is very passionate about making a positive impact on her community and her commencement address encouraged all of the graduates to get involved in their community and be a voice for people who need to be advocated for.

Fall Commencement

Allen College awarded 94 degrees at its commencement ceremony on December 20 at Nazareth Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls. Allen College conferred the following degrees:

School of Health Sciences

11 Master of Science in Occupational Therapy



School of Nursing

- 50 Bachelor of Science in Nursing degrees
- 23 Master of Science in Nursing degrees

The speaker for fall commencement was Dr. Steve Bowen, assistant professor in the Allen College Occupational Therapy program and current President of the Iowa Occupational Therapy Association. Dr. Bowen addressed the graduates and shared they do not need to be status quo and should be prepared to reinvent themselves throughout their careers.

Graduation Awards

The following graduates were recognized during the 2019 summer and fall commencement ceremonies.

Jane E. Hasek Excellence in Nursing Award

The nursing faculty select the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) graduate who best incorporates the values and beliefs of the mission and philosophy of Allen College in his/her professional and personal life. This award has been named in recognition of the first Chancellor of Allen College, Dr. Jane Hasek, for her visionary leadership in the establishment of the College. The recipients were Kylie Gerstein and Emma Knoop.

Allen College Service Award

Selection of the Service Award is made by the faculty. The faculty nominate a student who has provided outstanding service to the College as an ambassador in the community and

demonstrated a strong commitment to the core values espoused in the College philosophy. The recipient was Carlie Eckenrod.

Advancing Healthcare Transformation Award

The Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) program faculty selected a graduate from their program who has demonstrated exemplary involvement in a quality improvement initiative to receive the Advancing Healthcare Transformation Award. The Advancing Healthcare Transformation Award is funded through an endowment established by Gail Nielsen to contribute to the education of MSN students. The recipient was Naomi Samuelson.

Faculty and Staff Accomplishments

Denise Hanson, executive director of business and finance, participated on a Higher Learning Commission accreditation site visit in October as a peer reviewer.

Dr. Cristina Ortiz, associate professor, presented her EdD research "The Mentoring Experiences of Male Faculty in Nursing Programs" at the Sigma Theta Tau Nursing Honor Society 45th Biennial Convention in Washington, D.C. in November. Dr. Ortiz also served as a delegate at the convention representing the Allen College Pi Kappa Chapter.

Dr. Katie Reiter, assistant professor, presented a poster at the 2019 lowa Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference in September. The poster was entitled "Academic Preparation of Entry-Level Occupational Therapy Students for Rural Practice."

Dr. Jeremy Whitaker, director of the Public Health program and assistant professor, gave a presentation entitled "Bringing Public Health into the Classroom" at the National Health Science Conference in St. Louis in November, and he served as a panelist for the discussion

entitled "Health Career Education Partnerships in the Cedar Valley" at the UNI Education Summit in November.

Dr. Kendra Williams-Perez, dean of the School of Nursing and professor, reviewed a textbook proposal for Jones and Bartlett Learning: The Confluence of Chaos in August. Dr. Williams-Perez was an abstract reviewer for the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) Baccalaureate Education Conference which took place in November.

Alumni News



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Allen College is on Facebook!

Check out the Allen College page for updates and events near you!

Alumni Updates

Have you moved, gotten a new phone number, or changed email addresses? Update your contact information by emailing beth.sullivan@unitypoint.org or calling (319) 226-2016. This is also a great way to let us know what your communication preferences are (i.e. wish to receive mail).

Alumni Spotlights

If you or someone you know would like to participate in our Monthly Alumni Spotlight series, please contact Beth Sullivan. Look for these spotlights on the Allen College Facebook page and on the Allen College website—alumni tab.

Mark your calendar... Alumni Events & Activities

Spring Plant Sale

Be on the lookout for more information regarding this year's Alumni Association Spring Plant Sale which will take place at Allen Hospital. The Plant Sale typically occurs the week before Mother's Day. Purchase your flowers, baskets, herbs and more from the Alumni Association and help support student scholarships, campus enhancements and lifelong learning.

Alumni Reunion | April 18

Mark your calendar for the annual Alumni Reunion and lunch on Saturday, April 18 at Allen College.

We will honor the Class of 1970 celebrating their 50th year reunion and will announce several other classes celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th and those beyond their 50th year anniversary.

There will be opportunities for hospital and college tours.

Nominations for inductees to the Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame are being accepted.

Contact Beth Sullivan with questions or to learn more.



Allen College Day of Giving Recap | \$15,500+ Raised

Thanks to many, the second annual Day of Giving on August 27, 2019 was a huge success!

We are proud to report that more than \$15,500 was raised for the Gerard Hall Renovation project in one day, exceeding our goal.

All four of the fundraising matches were met thanks to our donors:
1) 1995 Challenge, 2) 30 over \$30
Challenge, 3) Faculty Challenge and 4) the President's Power Hour.

Thank you everyone who donated and who believes in our mission. Through the Gerard Hall renovation, faculty and students will have a learning environment that facilitates student success and a productive work environment.



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Shape the future of Allen College by donating to Allen College. Your generous donations will help finance special projects to enhance the quality of our education and the realm of our services. Contact Allen College or Allen Foundation to find out how you can make a difference, or donate online at www.allencollege.edu and click on Donate.

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