

## Endowed Scholarships at the University of the Incarnate Word

Through our many endowed scholarships, UIW can offer students of high academic or artistic ability a wide variety of scholarship opportunities. Scholarships are an important part of the overall financial aid package many need to afford their education. Many of the endowed scholarships bear the name of a family, faculty member or student as a way to remember their contribution to the overall academic experience at UIW. Below are summaries of endowed scholarships at UIW.

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### Bexar County Pharmacy Association Scholarship

Established in 2006 for the purpose of providing students financial support. Only applicable to those pursuing degrees in pharmacy at The University of the Incarnate Word. It is a need based scholarship for those who demonstrate both scholastic potential and financial need and are admitted to the School of Pharmacy. First preference will be given to students who are residents of Bexar County, TX. Students selected to receive these awards shall have been endorsed or nominated by the Dean of Pharmacy.

**Bill & Ann Stokes Endowment** Established through the Ann Bradshaw Stokes Foundation, to help fund activities in the Department of Theatre Arts.

### Brigida Lopez Canales Scholarship in Nursing & Education

Established in 2005 (2006?) by alumna Dr. Elvira Canales Burns, M.D., BSN 1976 a lasting tribute to the memory of her mother, Brigida Lopez. Dr. Burns established this scholarship to encourage University of the Incarnate Word students pursuing careers in nursing or education and shall be provided to deserving students, citizens of the United States, who are scholastically eligible for financial assistance. Those that receive the scholarship must be full time students, demonstrate both scholastic potential and financial need and must have been endorsed or nominated by the appropriate Academic Dean.

### Cameron Redus Endowment Scholarship

The Cameron Redus Endowment Scholarship is awarded to a Communication Arts student who has an overall GPA of 3.0 or above, has had a recommendation letter written in their support and has written an essay on how they would benefit from the scholarship. The award is in memory of Robert Cameron Redus, a Communication Arts student. Cameron had an impact on the community.

### Caroline Segovia Rodriguez Endowed Scholarship in Nursing

Scholarships are to be awarded to nursing majors seeking undergraduate, graduate, and Ph. D degrees in nursing.

### Club Sembradores de Amistad de San Antonio Scholarship

Established at the University of the Incarnate Word, the scholarship is awarded to Mexico American students who are pursuing a baccalaureate or graduate degree.

### Col. & Mrs. Charles E. Cheever Sr. Scholarship

Established in 1992 through a gift from Mrs. Elizabeth Cheever in memory of her husband Colonel Charles E. Cheever, Sr., the Colonel and Mrs. Charles E. Cheever Sr. Scholarship is to academically qualified undergraduate students in any field of study. The Cheever family has a long history of service to the community. On the occasion of the Colonel's birthday, requested that the name of the scholarship be changed to include Mrs. Cheever.

Constance Pollock Murnane English Award Endowment

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awarded to academically deserving students recommended by the English faculty at the end

#### Dr. Annemarie Walsh Scholarship

Established in honor of Dr. Annemarie Walsh, Director of Fashion Management, upon her retirement from UIW in 2007. Designated to students pursuing a degree in fashion management.

#### Dr. Burton Grossman Scholarship

Scholarship given to a junior or senior Hispanic student majoring in Finance, preferably a female student.

#### Dr. Louis J. Agnese, Jr. Endowed Scholarship for International Students

Initiated on Incarnate Word Day, March 25, 2001, this scholarship honors Dr. Louis J. Agnese, Jr. on the fifteenth anniversary of his inauguration as President of University of the Incarnate Word for his many accomplishments, especially in the globalization of the campus and the curriculum. Scholarship awards are intended to assist students of exceptional merit from abroad to study at Incarnate Word or to provide American students from the university with the financial means to study in another country.

#### Dr. Theresa Kent Excellence in Optics Award

Dr. Theresa Kent was a founding faculty of the Rosenberg School of Optometry best remembered for her knowledge of optics and her commitment to enhance student learning in a supportive environment. The scholarship was established in 2015.

The purpose of this award is to recognize a single optometry student for their overall performance in first year optics. Special consideration may be given to a student who showed interest in helping fellow students achieve success in the subject. There must be a minimum GPA of 3.0 and be in good institutional standing. Once a student is nominated by the faculty, the Scholarship and Awards Committee will confirm eligibility and announce the winner before the end of the fall of second year.

#### Earl & Esther Felio Scholarship

Established by Arthur Felio in 2001 to provide financial assistance to students pursuing degrees. Recipients must be full or part-time undergraduate students admitted to University of the Incarnate Word and must show evidence for scholastic potential and financial need.

Edwina McConnell R.N. Scholarship in honor of Edwina McConnell an excellent nurse herself, this scholarship helps those striving in the nursing program at the University of the Incarnate Word with financial aid.

#### Eaine Laury Scholarship

Extended Run Players Endowment

Endowment established to award scholarships to deserving theatre majoring students.

Frances MacIver Endowed Scholarship

## Ila Faye & William T. Miller Endowed Nursing Scholarship

parents. Each year, the Ila Faye and William T. Miller Scholarship will be awarded to a nursing student who is enrolled fulltime in the entry level undergraduate program or at least ½ time in the RNBSN or MSN programs. The student must demonstrate financial need and maintain a

#### John Smith McGoochan Scholarship

Established at the University of the Incarnate Word, the John Smith McGoochan Scholarship is awarded to hard working students pursuing a Bachelor of Business Administration.

#### Jordan Family Scholarship

Established in 1990 by alumni Marjorie Ann Jordan in honor of her family. The Jordan Family Scholarship is available to UIW students in any academic discipline. Students must be only full or part-time students who evidence both scholastic potential and financial need and are matriculated in their degree program. Students selected must have been endorsed or nominated by the appropriate Academic Dean.

#### Joseph U. Rowley Nursing Scholarship

Provides scholarship assistance to nursing majors for tuition, fees, and books.

#### Josephine Langley Nursing Scholarship

Established in 1978 by alumna Josephine Langley, this scholarship is designated for nursing students at the University of the Incarnate Word.

#### Josephine Sobrino Memorial Scholarship

Established in 1984 through a contribution from the Celia Berwin Memorial Foundation. The Scholarship honors the late Josephine Sobrino, an Incarnate Word alumna. It is given annually to a graduating high school senior.

#### Joyce A. Platt Kaisch Endowed Scholarship

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#### Kathleen Martin Watson Scholarship Fund

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KPMG Peat Marwick Scholarship (Accounting)

Established in 1984, through a gift from Peat Marwick, this scholarship is awarded annually to students majoring in accounting at Incarnate Word.

L. E. Bruni Endowment



M. Jeanne Fairweather, M.D. Scholarship Endowment

Was established in 1994 by distinguished alumna M. Jeanne Fairweather, M.D., class of 1949, who was the first Incarnate Word College graduate to become a medical doctor. Dr. Fairweather established this scholarship to encourage University of the Incarnate Word pre medicine or pre

award may be given to an undergraduate student studying the field of International Business in the HEB School of Business.

#### Mary Agnes Lystor Fisk Scholarship in Nutrition

Established in 1993 by Lt. Col. Mary Louise Fisk, of the class of 1945 to honor her mother, Mary Agnes Lystor. The scholarship is for juniors, seniors, or graduate students majoring in nutrition at Incarnate Word College.

#### Mary E. Taylor Endowed Scholarship

Established in 2008 by Stephen E. Taylor in honor of his mother Mary E. Taylor. After raising her seven sons and teaching for twenty years, she dedicated her life to the community, helping others find God, and to her family. The scholarship is available to all UIW students, regardless of major. Students applying must have a demonstrated record of public/community service, financial need and scholastic excellence.

#### Mary Helen Devine Pinner Endowed Scholarship in Fashion Management

Established in August of 2015, in honor of Mary Helen Devine Pinner to provide scholarships for students seeking a degree in the Fashion Management Program at the University of the Incarnate Word.

#### Mary L. Black Nursing Scholarship

Established 2008, the Mary L. Black Nursing Scholarship was established through a bequest of the late Mary L. Black. The scholarship is available to undergraduate or graduate students with a declared major in nursing, or degree programs such as BSN, MSN, and MSN/MBA.

#### McAmis Endowed Scholarship

Established in 1992 by Constance J. Jones to honor the memory of a former member of the Natural Sciences faculty, Dr. Ava Josephine McAmis. The Dr. Ava Josephine McAmis Scholarship was established for the purpose of providing financial assistance to an upperclassman pursuing a degree at the University of the Incarnate Word.

#### McCracken Family Scholarship

Established in 1992 by the McCracken family. This scholarship is for traditional students in the UIW ADCaP program taking evening classes. The scholarship is awarded to reward determination. He also wished to honor his parents, his siblings and their families, and the many evening students who encouraged and helped him on his ten-year academic journey under the tutelage of the late Dr. McCracken.

### Miriam J. Jones Endowed Scholarship

Established in 1962 in honor of the late Miriam J. Jones, who served as President of Incarnate Word College for 37 years and then as Chairperson of the Board of Trustees. The Miriam J. Jones Endowed Scholarship is available to academically qualified students in any field of study.

### Mother M. Columkille Colbert Scholarship

Established in 1962 in honor of the jubilee celebration of the late Mother M. Columkille Colbert, who served as President of Incarnate Word College for 37 years and then as Chairperson of the Board of Trustees. The Mother M. Columkille Colbert, CCVI Scholarship is available to academically qualified students in any field of study.

### Mother M. Laserian Memorial, CCVI Scholarship

Established in, 1957 in memory of Mother M. Laserian, a former superior of the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word and Incarnate Word faculty member.

### Mother St. Pierre Cinquin CCVI Scholarship

Established on March 25, 1992 in recognition of Incarnate Word Day and given through the generosity of the U.S. Province of the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word. This scholarship is designed for students majoring in the Justice and Peace Graduate Program. The scholarship is available to academically qualified students in any field of study.

### Moynahan Sisters Endowment

Established by Mr. & Mrs. Ted Stephens to assist students financially in reaching their education goals. The Moynahan Sisters Endowment Scholarship is to be awarded to students pursuing a degree in Education.

### Nancy Ann Wilson Endowed Scholarship in Osteopathic Medicine

Through her careful planning, Nancy Ann Wilson left the University of the Incarnate Word a generous gift in her Will to establish a scholarship for students who are admitted to the UIW School of Osteopathic Medicine and demonstrate financial need.

Established in 1962 in honor of the late Nancy Ann Wilson, who served as President of Incarnate Word College for 37 years and then as Chairperson of the Board of Trustees. The Nancy Ann Wilson Endowed Scholarship is available to academically qualified students in any field of study.

### Nursing Golden Anniversary Scholarship

Established in 1962 in honor of the late Nancy Ann Wilson, who served as President of Incarnate Word College for 37 years and then as Chairperson of the Board of Trustees. The Nursing Golden Anniversary Scholarship is available to academically qualified students in any field of study.

#### Odella Brown McCarley Nursing Scholarship Endowment

Established in 1998, the Scholarship is to provide financial assistance to deserving students pursuing degrees in Nursing. Persons receiving this scholarship shall be full-time part students who evidence both scholastic potential and financial need.

#### Paul and Gloria M. Daher Scholarship

Established to assist full-time students who are pursuing an undergraduate degree.

#### Paulene and Thomas J. Ragusa Scholarship

Established in February 2001 with a bequest from the late Dr. Thomas J. Ragusa, a former member of the Incarnate Word College social sciences faculty from 1938 to 1942. The scholarship also honors his late wife, Paulene. Their daughters Ann and Paula were born in San Antonio and Paula was one of the first students in the Nursery School program. Today she is actress Paula Prentiss, wife of the actor-director Richard Benjamin. The scholarship is for students majoring in one of the social sciences.

#### Pauline Williams Scholarship

Established through the estate of Pauline Williams, Incarnate Word benefactor.

#### P.C. and Josephine Del Barto Scholarship

Established in 1983, the Del Barto Scholarship helps aid students in pursuing degrees at the University of the Incarnate Word.

#### W.C. & Josephine Slattery Scholarship

Established in 1972 by Sister Margaret Patrice Slattery, former Incarnate Word president. From 1985 to 2016 the scholarship honored Dr. Louis J. Agnese, Jr. Now the scholarship honors current University of the Incarnate Word President, Dr. Thomas M. Evans.

#### Red & Charline McCombs Pharmacy Endowment

Established in 1972 by Sister Margaret Patrice Slattery, former Incarnate Word president. From 1985 to 2016 the scholarship honored Dr. Louis J. Agnese, Jr. Now the scholarship honors current University of the Incarnate Word President, Dr. Thomas M. Evans. The scholarship is awarded to students who are Bexar county residents, P1 or P2 (receiving financial aid). The scholarship is renewable, selected student shall have been endorsed or nominated by the FSOP Dean.

#### Religious Studies Scholarship

Established in 1980 through a gift from the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word. As its name indicates, the scholarship is designated for students majoring in religious studies or enrolled in the Pastoral Institute.

#### Rev. June Dowdy Memorial Scholarship

Established in March 1992 by SSG (P) Caroline M. Ric

in pastoral ministry. The scholarship is designated to students of African American heritage

#### Richard Spencer Lewis Memorial Scholarship

Established in 1992, the major funding for the Richard Spencer Lewis Memorial Scholarship was provided by the A.J. Lewis family as a memorial for their son, Richard Spencer Lewis, who died as a result of an automobile accident. This scholarship is designated for qualified nursing students at the University of the Incarnate Word.

#### Rita McCarthy Schmidt Scholarship Fund

Established by Jerome P. Schmidt in 1987, in memory of his wife. The scholarship is to provide financial assistance to students enrolled full or part time in the Bachelor of Science Degree Program in Nursing or the Bachelor of Arts Program in Theatre Arts. Recipients should evidence both scholastic potential and financial need.

#### Robert Joffrey Memorial Workshop Scholarship

In Memory of Mr. Robert Joffrey, the Joffrey Workshops were established to help young dancers pursue their dreams in dance. The establishment of the scholarship will help reach Mr.

Ruth L. Desotell Endowed Memorial Nursing Scholarship  
Gift given to Incarnate Word students pursuing a degree in nursing.

San Antonio Educational Partnership Scholarship  
Established in 1989 through a portion of the proceeds derived from the annual Run for Brainpower. This scholarship is awarded annually to degree seeking students who meet UIW

Sr. Clement Eagan, CCV Scholarship

Established in, 1988 upon the death of Sister Clement Eagan, former Academic Dean at Incarnate Word. Sr. Clement is noted for authoring a comprehensive history of Incarnate Word College.

Sr. Joseph Marie Armer, CCV Scholarship (Social Gerontology)

Established in 1985 to commemorate the Golden Jubilee of Sister Joseph Marie as a Sister of Charity of the Incarnate Word. Well known for both her scholarship and excellence in teaching science, Sister is especially noted for her influence on the lives of her students, and now in retirement, for her joyful and prayerful example of graceful aging.

Sr. Kathleen Coughlin, CCVI Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship endowment was established in 2018 by an anonymous donor to honor Sr.

elementary classroom to advanced biological science courses. She was on the faculty from 1941-1982.

#### Sr. Mary Daniel Healy, CCVI Scholarship (Science)

Initiated in 1980 through a gift from alumna, Kathy Kunz Gruber, and her brother Harold Kunz. It has been augmented principally through contributions from alumnae/alumni who were students of Sr. Mary Daniel.

#### Sr. Mary Helene Probst Scholarship

Established in 1992, by Mary Helen Devine Pinner of the Incarnate Word High School class of 1942 and The College class of 1946 to honor Sister Mary Helene Probst, CCVI on her golden jubilee as a Sister of Charity of the Incarnate Word, particularly in fields of speech and drama, and for divine guidance. The scholarship is for speech or drama majors at Incarnate Word College.

#### Sr. Michael Edward CCV Endowment

The Sr. Michael Edward Endowment Scholarship was initiated by Louise Houssiere Herrington, an IWC graduate who wanted to honor Sr. Michael Edward in a special way. Sister was a devoted professor and an inspiration to her students. It is most fitting to honor her by the establishment of a scholarship in her name. It was most fitting that Sister Michael Edward was honored by the establishment of a scholarship in her name.

#### Sr. Teresa Reicher CCV Scholarship

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time with an overall grade point average of 3.0 or above and fulfill additional application requirements.

Thomas K. Plofchan Scholarship

In memory of Thomas K. Plofchan, former UW Vice President of Institutional Advancement who