The WashU Annual Fund







What if you could create healthier lives, greater access, flourishing communities, and future-ready leaders — all through a single gift?

When you give to the Annual Fund, that "what if" isn't hypothetical; it's reality. And the impact of your generosity is comprehensive. Annual Fund dollars provide essential flexibility and can immediately meet the university's greatest needs:

When a promising student needs a small boost in financial aid to attend WashU, the Annual Fund ensures that cost is never a barrier.

When a dean recruits a world-class scholar, the Annual Fund strengthens the offer — funding research, teaching resources, and laboratory start-up costs that elevate WashU's academic excellence.

When a STEM lab needs updated equipment, the Annual Fund provides the latest industry-standard technology — preparing students for real-world careers.

WashU's tuition and fees currently cover just 55% of the full student experience, including academics, career mentoring, and health and well-being services. At the same time, our endowment consists of more than 4,000 individual funds, most of which are restricted to specific purposes and collectively generate income that accounts for only 11% of the university's annual operating budget. The Annual Fund helps bridge the remaining gap, sustaining WashU's mission of excellence in teaching, research, and patient care — year in and year out.

"No one should have to borrow money to obtain an undergraduate degree, and moving forward here at WashU, they won't."

Andrew D. Martin
Chancellor



With you, we are meeting today's needs with tomorrow in mind.

"Your support allows me to attend WashU and pursue my dream of becoming an entrepreneur who creates a venture that can employ graduates and traditionally underrepresented people."

Stephen Ma, BSBA '27



Your Annual Fund gift of any amount — from less than \$100 to more than \$100,000 — is an investment in WashU's mission to discover knowledge and develop leaders. Together, we can ensure a brighter, healthier future for people and our planet.

- · Make a gift to the Annual Fund today by scanning the QR code.
- Join the Eliot Society by contributing \$1,000 or more. Eliot Society members
 are leaders of the Annual Fund, providing a total of approximately \$22 million
 in support of WashU's mission each year. Membership comes with
 exclusive recognition and event invitations.
- Visit withyou.washu.edu to learn more about the With You campaign.

Eliot Society Giving Levels

When you increase your commitment, you expand your impact — and deepen your engagement with WashU.

Eliot Member: \$1,000 to \$2,499 Eliot Fellow: \$2,500 to \$4,999 Eliot Benefactor: \$5,000 to \$9,999 Eliot Patron: \$10.000 to \$24,999

Danforth Circle Dean's Level: \$25,000 to \$49,999 Danforth Circle Chancellor's Level: \$50,000+

Eliot Society by the Numbers

- Nearly 5,000 active members
- Nearly 80% of Annual Fund support
- Every gift \$1,000+ fuels immediate and flexible university priorities





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