Gift Opportunities

Here are a few of the ways you can support Bowdoin:

- Make a gift to the Alumni Fund or other annual fund. For more information, contact Chrisi Lumiere, director of annual giving, at 207-721-5089 or clumiere@bowdoin.edu.
- Make a gift to the Parents Fund. If you are a Bowdoin parent or grandparent interested in gift opportunities, contact Kim Wieg, director of parent giving, at 207-798-4142 or kwieg@bowdoin.edu for more information.
- In addition to your annual gift, establish a new endowed fund with a leadership gift of $100,000 or more, or give any amount to one of the many existing endowed funds. For more information, contact Michael Archibald, associate vice president for development and alumni relations, at 207-725-3670 or marchiba@bowdoin.edu.
- Make a gift through your estate plan or retirement plan, or another of the many available types of charitable or planned gifts. For more information, contact Nancy Milam, director of gift planning, at 207-725-3686 or nmilam@bowdoin.edu.
- Establish a Hyde Scholarship for a Bowdoin student with a $40,000 minimum pledge to the Alumni Fund to be paid over four years. For more information, contact Chrisi Lumiere, director of annual giving, at 207-721-5089 or clumiere@bowdoin.edu.

For more information, contact Scott Meiklejohn, senior vice president for development and alumni relations, at smeiklej@bowdoin.edu or 207-725-3460.
New Endowment Funds

Class of 1969 Scholarship in Memory of Deceased Classmates
Several members of the Class of 1969, including Peter Discolt, Jim Garland, Bill Gibson, Kip Horsburgh, Gigi Ortmann, John Pierce, Fred Rea, Ted Reid, and Terry Webb, established the fund in honor of classmates who have passed away. The fund provides scholarship aid for Bowdoin students.

Manning Family Endowment Fund
Roger ’67 and Barbara Manning established the fund through a charitable gift annuity. Beginning in 1968 with their Peace Corps service in Burkina Faso, Roger and Barbara have remained committed to local communities and the nonprofits that support them. Their understanding of the importance and power of unrestricted gifts led them to designate the fund for the general purposes of the College.

Ossoff Family Scholarship Fund
In honor of his 50th Reunion and family legacy at Bowdoin, which includes his son Jacob ’99, cousin Will ’15, and niece Jen Blaxall Buice ’93, Bob Ossoff ’69 created the fund through charitable distributions from the family foundation established by his parents’ estate. The fund will provide scholarship aid for Bowdoin students.

The Loyola and Tage Sylvan ’52 Scholarship Fund
In planning their estate, Loyola and Tage Sylvan ’52 hoped to support students pursuing a college education. Their four grown children helped guide the Sylvans’ legacy by establishing the fund with their estate gift, which provides scholarship aid for Bowdoin students in their honor.

Students and Donors Celebrate Fellowships and Internships Together

“In late September, a group of over 120 guests—student recipients and the alumni and other donors who supported them, representing thirty-five different Bowdoin internships and fellowships—gathered on campus for the inaugural Celebration of Fellowships and Internships. The event featured a panel of four students, Kai’olu DeFries ’19, Uriel Lopez-Serrano ’20, Tohi Omola ’19, and Kitrea Takata-Glushkoff ’19, who spoke of the profound impact that their wide-ranging experiences as fellows and interns have had on their academic engagement, their professional goals, and their personal growth.”

KAI’OLU DEFRIES ’19
A chemistry major from Honolulu, Hawai‘i, worked with Professor Elizabeth Stemmler to study a process called photocatalytic degradation, which can be used to mitigate toxic pollutants from pharmaceuticals such as ibuprofen and ketoprofen that remain in the environment. Kai’olu’s work was supported by a Kufe Family Student Research Fellowship, a fund established by Don Kufe ’66 in 2005 that provides for student research in the natural sciences.

URIEL LOPEZ-SERRANO ’20
A performance arts and religion major from Los Angeles, California, studied the work of women playwrights in early modern Spain and colonial Mexico. Uriel’s research was supported by a Micoleau Summer Research Fellowship, a fund that Charlie ’63 and Judy Micoleau created in 2011 to enable students to pursue projects in creative disciplines such as writing, theater, dance, and film.

TOBI OMOLA ’19
A government and legal studies and music major from Brooklyn, New York, received a Robert S. Goodfriend Summer Internship to work at the Warner Music Group, a multinational entertainment company and record label in New York City. Bob Goodfriend ’57 established the internship fund to provide opportunity for Bowdoin students to explore possible careers in business.

KITREA TAKATA-GLUSHKOFF ’19
A Russian and earth and oceanographic science major from El Sobrante, California, studied the hydrodynamics surrounding coral reefs at the Richard B. Gump Research Station in French Polynesia. Kitrea received funding for her internship through the Bowdoin College Alumni Council Internship Fund in memory of Maurice B. Littlefield ’41.

“My internship was incredibly formative—I’m now planning to pursue graduate school and a future career in geoscience.”

— KITREA TAKATA-GLUSHKOFF ’19

“The experience, for me, reaffirmed my interest in the intersection between health and the environment and humans, which I hope to later apply in the field of medicine.”

— KAI’OLU DEFRIES ’19

Loyola and Tage Sylvan soon after graduation in 1952
Lynn and Bob Ossoff ’69
Class of 1968
Roger ’67 and Barbara Manning