



2018 Kansas Independent College Foundation Annual Report

President's Message

KICF has been serving the Kansas' independent, accredited, non-profit colleges and universities since 1952. The Foundation was created in that year to encourage and facilitate financial support from corporations, small businesses and individuals for the missions of our member colleges.

The 2017-18 school year again added to this remarkable legacy of generous support as KICF received and distributed to our colleges over \$57,000—in the form of unrestricted support for all 19 colleges' programs—and in the form of support targeted to specific programs and institutions that match donors' special interests.

I join with the more than 24,000 students and 4,400 faculty and staff of these colleges in thanking you for your support.

Your support also helps the state of Kansas. According to the economic research company EMSI, Kansas' non-profit colleges and generate more than \$980 million in income for the state each year, in large part because of the skills and character traits with which our students graduate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "ML", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Matt Lindsey
KICF President

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Description & Purpose

The Kansas Independent College Foundation seeks to develop, promote, and direct unified approaches to selected corporations, foundations, and individuals for financial support of Kansas' independent colleges and universities.

Located in Topeka, KICFR is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization that develops and enhances the competitive standing of its 19-member independent, non-profit, regionally accredited, degree-granting colleges and universities and strives to assure opportunity and choice in higher education for all students.



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Distribution of Funds

<u>College or University</u>	<u>Distribution</u>
Baker University	\$4,637
Benedictine College	\$4,612
Bethany College	\$2,673
Bethel College	\$2,433
Central Christian College of Kansas	\$2,756
Cleveland University-Kansas City	\$2,340
Donnelly College	\$2,101
Friends University	\$3,888
Hesston College	\$2,296
Kansas Wesleyan University	\$2,677
Manhattan Christian College	\$2,077
McPherson College	\$2,677
MidAmerica Nazarene University	\$3,741
Newman University	\$4,535
Ottawa University	\$2,816
Southwestern College	\$2,734
Sterling College	\$2,545
Tabor College	\$2,639
University of Saint Mary	<u>\$3,238</u>
Total Distributions	\$57,415

Maud Wyatt Memorial Scholarship

The Kansas Independent College Foundation, on behalf of its 19-member institutions, is proud to announce the 2018 Maud Wyatt Memorial Scholarship Recipients. This scholarship, established in 1995, was revamped this year. The generosity of Maud Wyatt whose bequest has supported the work of KICF and its institutions since 1961 enabled us to establish a scholarship recognizing students who exhibit that same commitment to the value of a private college education in Kansas. For the first time, the Foundation awarded 19 individual scholarships, for a student at each Foundation member institution.

2018 Maud Wyatt Memorial Scholarship Recipients

Baker University: Allie Howland / Lawrence, KS	Kansas Wesleyan University: Autumn Zimmerman / Salina, KS
Benedictine College: Katelyn Engelbert / Norton, KS	Manhattan Christian College: Ben Warren / Manhattan, KS
Bethany College: Kayla Borell / Lindsborg, KS	McPherson College: Micaela Curtis / Great Bend, KS
Bethel College: Candy Dao / Salina, KS	MidAmerica Nazarene University: Katelyn Andersen / Omaha, NE
Central Christian College of Kansas: Dylan Sabatos / Burlington, KS	Newman University: Ashleigh Taylor / Wichita, KS
Cleveland University-Kansas City: James Blanch / Gladstone, MO	Ottawa University: Paige Simpson / Salina, KS
Donnelly College: Alaina Robinson / Kansas City, KS	Southwestern College: Aidan Wells Filbert / Wichita, KS
Friends University: Mason Biehler / McPherson, KS	Sterling College: Mikaela Wells / Haven, KS
Hesston College: Ivonne Ledesma / Wichita, KS	Tabor College: Naima Mexsen Murra / Torreon, Mexico
	University of Saint Mary: Nicole Stimetz / Kansas City, KS