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Jackson State
COMMUNITY COLLEGE



FOUNDATION



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LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR



Since our establishment in 1973, the Jackson State Community College Foundation has championed the mission to enhance the quality of life for Jackson State Community College students. This is done by raising and managing funds to support college growth and development. Our vision is to promote excellence in education at the college.

Our students' stories inspire us. This includes the story of one of our Health Science students. This student has faced a myriad of challenges, including job loss, lack of transportation, family loss, and a child's injury. Yet, their commitment and courage remain unshaken, which is the resilience of our student body. Another is that of a second-year nursing student who returned to JSCC after a twenty-year hiatus. Now on the verge of completing their degree, they are poised to serve, inspired by the compassionate care they witnessed during their mother's battle with breast cancer.

What makes the Jackson State Community College Foundation truly exceptional is the shared passion among its board members for our students' success. The foundation hopes to see every student graduate and succeed, whether they enter the workforce or continue their education. Jackson community is rapidly growing, and the need for skilled employees is increasing. This offers us the opportunity to expand our impact and contribute to the prosperity of our community.

As we look to 2024, the foundation is dedicated to our students and community. The foundation invests in our community by providing scholarships and resources for students. We are committed to building a better future for Jackson State Community College by expanding our board of directors with individuals passionate about student success. Creating opportunities for partnerships through workforce development and the community and focusing on increasing our fundraising efforts to help the foundation reach its goals.

Lindsey Tritt,
The JSCC Foundation Director

LETTER FROM THE CHAIR



Dear Friends and Supporters of the Foundation,

The role of a foundation board chair is crucial in guiding the organization towards its goals. I am extremely proud of the foundation board's dedication and commitment. Together, we work to move the foundation's mission forward and make a meaningful difference to the students we serve.

Looking ahead, the foundation board has ambitious plans for the future. As part of our efforts to enhance our partnerships within the Jackson community, We will focus on building and strengthening our relationships with stakeholders. Throughout the year, we will continue to cultivate relationships with individuals and organizations that share our commitment to student success.

Our work will continue to grow as our community and students' needs increase. Thank you in advance for your continued support of the foundation. Your generosity and passion make our work possible. Together, we will continue to make a positive impact at Jackson State Community College.

Warm regards,

Cary Vaughn
The JSCC Foundation Board Chair

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OUR HISTORY

In 1963, the Tennessee General Assembly responded to recommendations made in the Pierce-Albright Report by establishing a group of state community colleges. Jackson State was selected as the first such institution in West Tennessee.

Dr. F.E. Wright was appointed the first president of Jackson State on March 15, 1967 and served the institution with distinction until his death on May 15, 1976. Dr. Walter L. Nelms assumed the presidency in July of 1976 and led the college toward continued progress until his retirement in June of 1997. In July of 1997, Dr. Charlie D. Roberts, Jr. became Jackson State's third president and continued the journey to bring greater opportunities to the people of West Tennessee until his retirement in February of 2004.

In February of 2004, Dr. Bruce Blanding began his tenure to lead Jackson State to a greater fulfillment of its vision to serve as the community's college until his retirement in 2016. Dr. Allana Hamilton was appointed as the fifth president of the college in January 2017. She continued to build on the college's commitment to student success and strengthening community partnerships until her transfer to the role of Vice Chancellor for Academics at the Tennessee Board of Regents in October 2019. Dr. George Pimentel was appointed as the sixth president of the college in July 2020 until his appointment as Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Strategic Initiatives at the Tennessee Board of Regents in July 2023. In August 2023, the Tennessee Board of Regents unanimously confirmed Dr. Carol A. Rothstein as the seventh president.



OUR VISION

The JSCC Foundation's mission is to "forever improve the quality of life of Jackson State Community College students by raising and administering funds to support and enhance the growth and development of the college."

OUR MISSION

With a commitment to student success, educational accessibility, and community engagement, the Jackson State Community College Foundation's vision is excellence. The JSCC Foundation's vision is to create opportunities for success by ensuring all students have the same educational opportunities and resources regardless of their background. The Foundation is committed to creating a safe, welcoming, and inclusive college environment for all students.

OUR IMPACT



In the last 5 years, we've provided

\$18,000

in Student Relief

Including transportation assistance, utility assistance, food pantry assistance, and book donations.

\$100,000+

in Donations

The foundation has established new programs, purchased classroom equipment, and provided faculty development opportunities due to its efforts.

As a result of the generosity of our donors, students who might otherwise have dropped out of college have been able to continue their education. Jackson State graduates over 500 students per year who enter into the workforce or go on to further their education.

The future is looking mighty bright here at Jackson State for both the institution and the Foundation.

Cary Vaughn, JSCC Foundation Chair

OUR ACHIEVEMENTS

From 2022 to 2023 we've seen

**A donations increase
of \$48,000+**

5 New Board Members

**And \$54,000+ awarded
in Scholarships and Program Expenses**

In addition, we have continued to collaborate with RIFA to provide food for our students through the NEST program, signups for the Kroger Awards Program have increased significantly, and we have also seen a substantial increase in the amount of donations received through our internal giving campaign. We are proud of our achievements this year and look forward to continuing to accomplish great things in the future by building strong relationships with our partners and community members.





“ ANDREW POTTS

When I was a senior in high school at Jackson Christian School, I had no idea what I wanted to do. I was not a big fan of going to school every day and sitting through lecture after lecture. Time for graduating was growing close and I had to decide what I wanted to do. I found out about a program where I could work and get paid and go to school. It was Jackson state Community College, so My family and I attended one of the JSCC's open house and then toured the McWherter Building. I found my answer and applied to be a part of the Advanced maintenance Technician Co-op and was chosen by Toyota Motor Manufacturing Tennessee to work while I attended college two days a week. Ever since I joined the program, I have learned so much in the classroom and at work. Not knowing what you want to do after high school is completely okay. As a young boy my father taught me that it was a good thing to know how to work hard and to this day, I still believe him. Being part of the AMT co-op in the Engineering Systems technology Program is one the best decisions I have ever made. I have learned many lessons and skills that will help me in my life.

Thank you Jackson State!

TRISTAN HOLLOWELL

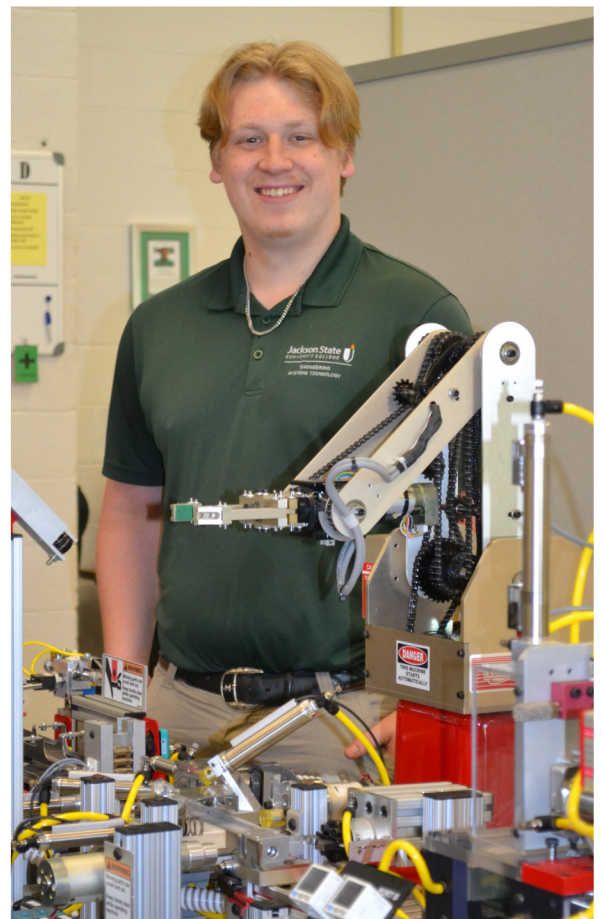
I am a Clarksburg High School graduate. All of my life I made pretty decent grades, I enjoyed school and I wanted to go to college. My father and my idol, Kevin Hollowell, was a single dad who raised me along with my 3 other brothers basically by himself. I was worried about leaving him and going off to college. My high school provided students many ways to explore careers and that is how I heard about a co-op program at Jackson State. This would allow me to stay home, work, go to college and help my dad raise my little brother and support our household.

All through my childhood, teenage years, and the beginning of my adult years, one constant has always remained: my father's support and advice. My dad was always the man with the golden fingers; he could fix anything; he could build anything. When I told him about this program (Engineering Systems Technologies) through Jackson State, his face lit up, and he made sure every day to tell me how proud of me he was.

I lost my father unexpectedly in October of 2023. With his sudden passing, I became the man of the house, and I was lost. I had to look out for my little brother and step forward to be a positive guiding influence, I had to help pursue his own passions.

Though I have found a path forward, the journey is paved by the continued work that I do every day, furthering my journey. Jackson State has helped me find myself, find who I want to be, and find what I want to do with the rest of my life. Jackson State has shown me a new family among my AMT co-ops. Without them, I do not know what would have become of me. Jackson State has given back a part of me I lost. It was always my father who looked out for me, cared for me, and comforted me, and when he passed, my class showed me the kind of love and support only my father ever provided. Without Jackson State, I would be lost in a sea of uncertainty, in a world that does not give second chances or handouts.

I love my Jackson State Family.



KAYLA EVANS

I'm so glad that I made a decision that others did not think would work out. I chose to go into a career field that is predominantly male. I am Kayla Evans and I AM a maintenance technician at Blue Scope North America and a student at Jackson State Community College.

I have always loved working with my hands, especially with electrical and construction. See, my Pawpaw ran his own electrical business and from the moment I could talk, I was tagging along with my mentor! By the age of 16, I worked fulltime with him and learned as much as I could about the business, and then I graduated from high school. I wanted to follow in my Pawpaw's footsteps, but

he wanted me to continue my education. How was I going to do this? I came to JSCC and started in Business. Honestly, I was not happy with that. I shared my desires and concerns with my advisor at JSCC and she told me how my Pawpaw and I could both be happy... Engineering Systems Technology Program. I had never heard of this. Could it be that I could get my hands dirty with experience, while broadening my knowledge and education? But, how would it be to be the only female in a room full of men? I wasn't worried about me, I was worried about the other students. Would a company give a female an opportunity in a male dominated world? Was the world ready for what I was about to do?

My advisor convinced me to give it a try. "That's what college is about, finding out what fits," she said. And she was right!

Jackson State and the ENST program supported me, the students welcomed me (I think they need me), and Blue Scope embraced my commitment to see this through. Since I started at Jackson State, I have been given opportunities to encourage other females, to show the world females can do it, and to make my Pawpaw very proud of me. My sense of humor is a little broader and my skin is a little thicker, but I feel respected and valued as a team member.

I love the decision I made, I love Blue Scope North America, I love Jackson State Community College.

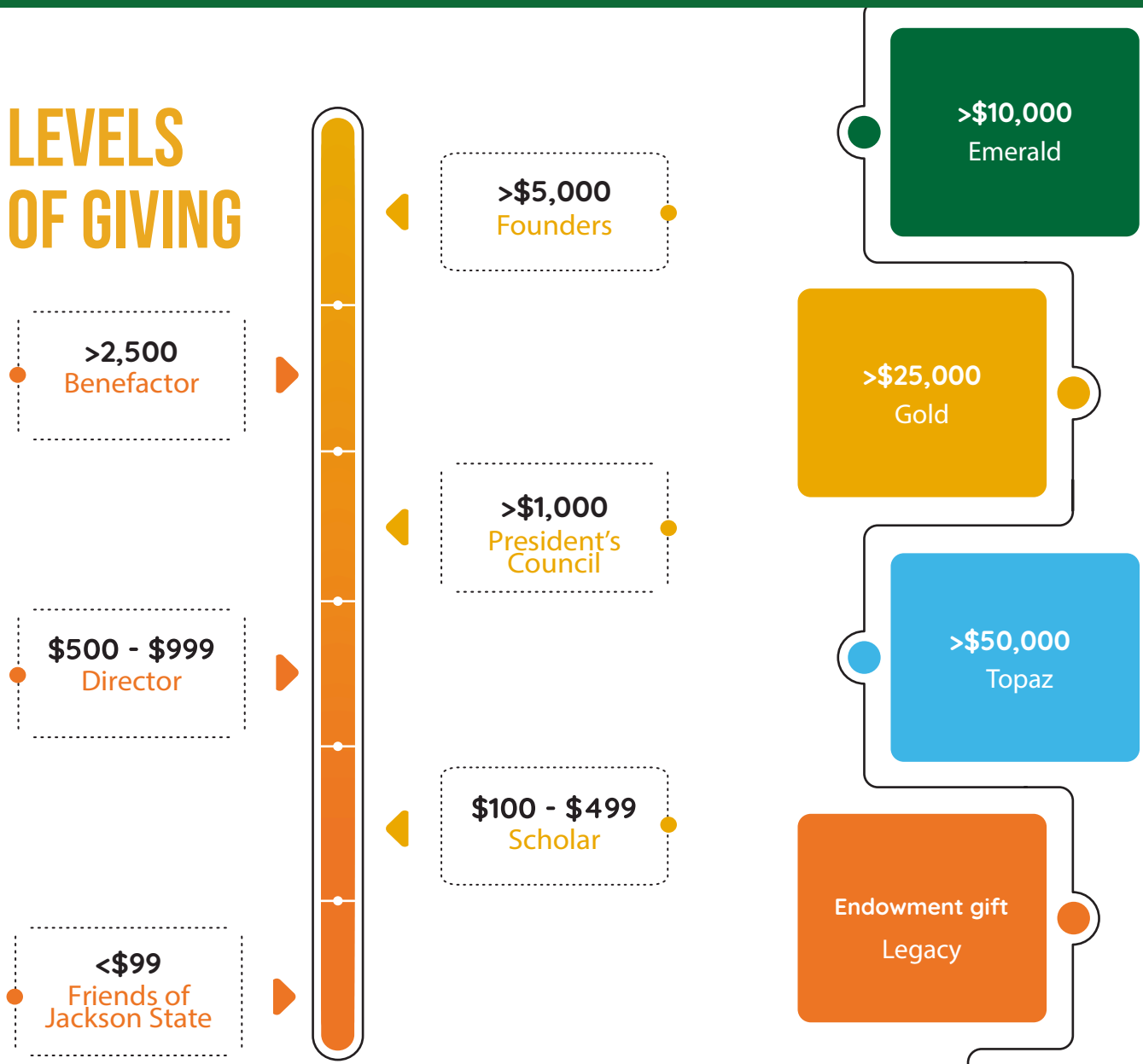
I am Kayla Evans, I am Jackson State!



DONOR APPRECIATION

Donors have the opportunity to become a member of the JSCC Foundation Family through our level of giving. Donors can choose to support specific areas of the College, such as scholarships, faculty development, and academic programs. They can also opt to support general college operations. The donations are tax-deductible and help the College to achieve its mission of providing quality educational opportunities to students. Each level is acknowledged by the foundation board of directors, staff, and the college president through acknowledgments, lunches, webpages, receptions, and other forms of recognition.

LEVELS OF GIVING



THE PRESIDENT'S SOCIETY

DONOR REPORT

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* Denotes anonymous donor

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS	ACTUAL ENDING 12/31/23	ACTUAL ENDING 12/31/22	VARIANCE
Cash In Bank	\$426,253.94	\$396,107.70	\$20,146.24
Money Market Funds	\$78,995.54	\$55,011.02	\$23,984.52
Long Term Investments			
Equity Mutual Funds	\$1,279,302.26	\$1,085,082.66	\$194,219.60
Bond Mutual Funds	\$1,172,598.49	\$1,088,688.74	\$83,909.75
Annuities	\$163,508.65	\$166,655.39	(\$3,146.74)
Total Long Term Investments	\$2,615,409.40	\$2,340,426.79	274,982.61
Total ASSETS	\$3,120,658.88	\$2,791,545.51	\$329,113.37

FUND BALANCES	ACTUAL ENDING 12/31/23	ACTUAL ENDING 12/31/22	VARIANCE
Unrestricted Operating	\$31,278.21	\$36,172.85	(\$4,894.64)
Non Endowed Scholarships - Restricted	\$607,411.93	\$545,915.51	\$61,496.42
Restricted Endowments	\$620,977.29	\$430,203.13	\$190,774.16
Other Restricted Funds	\$297,655.94	\$239,912.86	\$57,743.08
Scholarship Endowments	\$1,463,335.20	\$1,439,340.85	\$23,994.35
Quasi Endowment	\$100,000.31	\$100,000.31	\$0.00
Total Fund Balances	\$3,120,658.88	\$2,791,545.51	\$329,113.37

INCOME STATEMENT

REVENUES	JULY 1, 2023 - DEC 31, 2023	JULY 1, 2022 - DEC 31, 2022	VARIANCE
Donations			
Unrestricted Donations	\$207.83	-	\$207.83
Non Endowment - Scholarships	\$11,733.33	\$11,328.27	\$405.06
Endowment Scholarships	\$4,025.00	\$8,065.44	(\$4,040.44)
Other Restricted Gifts	\$69,196.77	\$12,252.99	\$56,943.78
Scholarship Endowments	\$4,005.44	-	\$4,005.44
Total Donations	\$89,168.37	\$31,646.70	\$57,521.67
Interest Income Net of Investment Expense			
Unrestricted Donations	\$2,402.30	\$130.61	\$2,271.69
Non Endowment - Scholarships	\$29,397.33	\$1,446.67	\$27,950.66
Endowment Scholarships	\$80,012.10	\$4,186.74	\$75,825.36
Other Restricted Gifts	\$4,777.12	\$158.33	\$4,618.79
Scholarship Endowments	\$4,398.50	\$238.86	\$4,159.64
Total Interest Income Net of Investment Expense	\$120,987.35	\$6,161.21	\$114,826.14
Total Revenues	\$210,155.72	\$25,485.49	\$184,670.23
EXPENSES			
Unrestricted Expenses	\$8,897.07	\$130.61	\$8,766.46
Restricted Non Endowed - Scholarships	\$24,279.78	\$1,446.67	\$22,833.11
Restricted Endowment - Scholarships	\$3,950.00	\$4,425.60	(\$475.60)
Other Restricted	\$17,059.67	\$158.33	\$16,901.34
Total Expenses	\$54,186.52	\$6,161.21	\$48,025.31
Beginning Fund Balance	\$2,964,689.68	\$2,816,935.41	\$147,754.27
Net Surplus/Deficit	\$155,969.20	\$25,389.90	\$130,579.30
Ending Fund Balance	\$3,120,658.88	\$2,791,545.51	\$329,113.37



A LOOK TO OUR FUTURE

We are excited about the future of the Jackson State Community College Foundation as we continue to support the college's programs and initiatives. Our goal is to bridge the gap between our community, the college, and the foundation. It is our goal to ensure that our students have a bright future.

SOME THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO...

President's Leadership Luncheon

Internal Giving Week

External Giving Week

Koger Rewards

Sponsorships

Grants

A MESSAGE TO OUR DONORS

Thank you for your generosity and kindness. Your contributions have had a profound impact on our students, providing them with hope, support, and opportunities for a better future.

As a donor, you become an integral part of the JSCC family by seeing firsthand the positive changes your contributions have made to our college.

Your support has allowed us to provide our students with the resources they need to succeed. We look forward to continuing our partnership and working together to make a positive difference in our student's lives.

Thank you again for your support.

Lindsey Tritt,
The JSCC Foundation Director

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