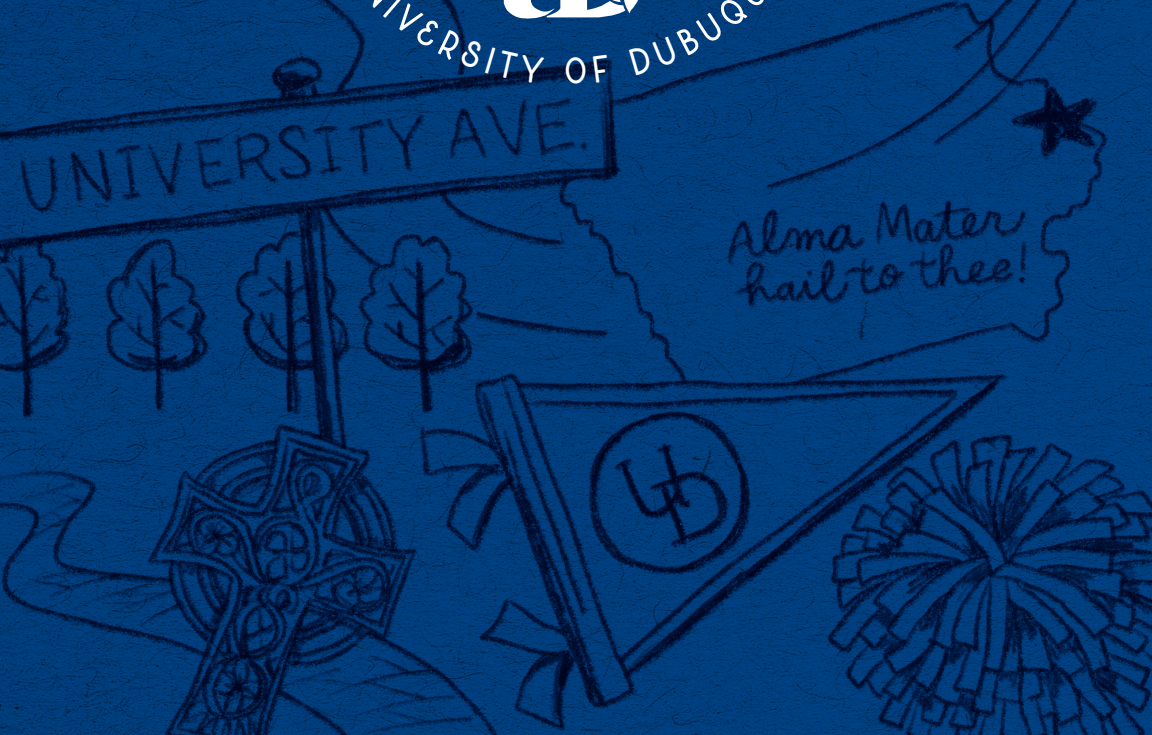




SPARTANFEST!

HOME COMING 2024 • OCTOBER 3-5

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

WELCOME HOME!



It is my pleasure to welcome you to Homecoming 2024! I am honored and excited to experience my very first UD Homecoming with all of you. There is no doubt that this is a special time of year, when our campus comes alive with the energy of old friends reconnecting and new memories being made.

As you enjoy the wonderful array of events this weekend, please take a moment to reflect on our past, celebrate our present, and look forward to our future together. Homecoming truly is a testament to the everlasting bond of our community, pride in our history, and the unwavering support of our *Mission*.

On a personal note, I want to thank the UD Community for the warm welcome that my family and I have received. UD has quickly become our new home, and we are excited for the opportunity to meet each of you, to hear your stories, and to share in the excitement of what makes the University of Dubuque so special.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Travis L. Frampton". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Travis L. Frampton, PhD
President of the University

WELCOME HOME, SPARTAN NATION!

It is our pleasure to welcome you back to your campus home - we have missed you! Homecoming is a uniquely special time to see lifelong friends and to make new ones during this exciting weekend.

Many of this weekend's events provide the important opportunity for all of us to reconnect and cherish this place we call home. Homecoming is a true celebration, and this year we are excited to recognize 50 years of UD Aviation, Class Reunions, Alumni Award Recipients, and of course our great Spartan Spirit. Throughout the weekend we invite you to take a few moments to talk with current students, ask them about their experiences and plans for the future, and share with them some words of wisdom. As we gather together this weekend, there is no doubt that we are forever Spartans!



Best wishes to you and your family as you enjoy Spartan Fest, Homecoming 2024. We're glad you're here!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Katie Kraus". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Katie Kraus (C'11), Director for Alumni Engagement

Mission Statement:

The University of Dubuque is a private university offering undergraduate, graduate, and theological seminary degrees and other educational opportunities with the intention of educating and forming the whole person. The University is comprised of individuals from the region, our nation, and the world. As a community, the University practices its Christian commitments by educating students, pursuing excellence in scholarship, challenging students to live lives of worth and purpose, and preparing students for service to the church and the world. Therefore, the University of Dubuque is committed to:

- A hospitable Christian environment which respects other faith traditions.
- Relationships which encourage intellectual, spiritual, and moral development.
- Excellence in academic inquiry and professional preparation.
- A diverse and equitable community where Christian love is practiced.
- Stewardship of all God's human and natural resources.
- Zeal for lifelong learning and service.



SPARTAN WELCOME CENTER

HOMECOMING REGISTRATION IS IN THE
PETER AND SUSAN SMITH WELCOME CENTER!



ATTENTION ALUMNI!

Stop by Homecoming Registration to receive your FREE UD T-shirt!

** One free T-shirt per alum registered; additional shirts can be purchased for \$12 each. Shirts are on a first-come, first-served basis, and sizes will not be guaranteed. Shirts are available for pickup at the Homecoming Registration locations.*

All Homecoming guests are asked to check-in at Homecoming Registration:

Friday, Oct. 4

- Peter and Susan Smith Welcome Center, 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 5

- A.Y. McDonald Lobby, Heritage Center, 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

- Spartan Welcome Tailgate Tent, Upper Finley Parking Lot
10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

All event information and T-shirts will be available at these locations.

Pick up your FREE UD bag and event materials at Homecoming Registration!



Take a photo with family and friends at the interactive photo booth, and post your photos on the "Look Who's Here Board"!

Trolley transportation is available for your convenience. Call 563.589.3158 for a ride or with Homecoming Registration questions!

#UDSPARTANFEST

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND HOMECOMING 2025! OCTOBER 2 - 4

get social with UD

LIKE | FOLLOW | SHARE

OFFICE OF ALUMNI ENGAGEMENT



@UDSpartanNation

SmugMug 

UDAlumni.SmugMug.com

To view, download, and print photos taken at Homecoming and all UD alumni events, visit udalumni.smugmug.com

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For computer use in Charles C. Myers Library

Login: `udguest` | Password: `welcome2UD!`

ATM Locations

Sparty's C-Store | Heritage Center

Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center | North Entrance, Main Level



WI-FI ACCESS: UD_Guest_Wifi SSID

Once connected you will be directed to a webpage or you will need to open a browser and browse the internet to be redirected to it.

1. Enter your name, a valid email address (it cannot be a @dbq.edu email address), check "I accept the terms of use," and click register.
2. Click log in.
3. Your device will now be connected to the UD_Guest_Wifi network.

Please take note of the expiration time for your device. After the time has expired, you will need to re-register your device on the UD_Guest_Wifi network.

HOMECOMING 2024 EVENTS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

5:00 p.m.

Heritage Society Dinner

Babka Aviation Learning Center, Airport Road, Dubuque, Iowa

The Heritage Society honors the generous individuals who have named the University of Dubuque in their will or estate plans.

- 🖥️ Virtually:** The Heritage Society program will be recorded, and the link will be sent to Heritage Society Members following Homecoming.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Homecoming Registration - Spartan Welcome Center Lobby, Peter and Susan Smith Welcome Center

Check-in and pick up your event materials and FREE UD T-shirt. Also, be sure to visit the photo station and check out the archives and student achievement display featuring 50 years of UD Aviation!

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Sergeant Jeffrey B. Dodge Veterans Center Open House and Presentation of Scholarships

Garden Level, Blades Hall

11:00 a.m. Scholarship presentations

This year's scholarship recipients are:

- SGT Jeffrey B. Dodge Scholarship: Ellec Armstead (C'25)
 - Staff SGT Ronald R. Sagers Memorial Scholarship: Dylan J. Croissant (C'25)
- Refer to page 14 for more information.

- 🖥️ Virtually:** Watch online - streamed through Facebook and YouTube.

10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

12:45 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

Babka Aviation Learning Center Tour and Reception via Trolley

Meet at Peter and Susan Smith Welcome Center Entrance to Board the Trolley

Celebrating 50 Years of UD Aviation! Tour the facility and fly down memory lane through the aviation archives display, including student achievement displays and alumni photos.

Note: Each tour is 1.5 hours long, including transportation to and from campus. Trolley transportation is on a first-come, first-served basis. Guests are also welcome to drive themselves. Address: Airport Road, Dubuque, Iowa

- 🖥️ Virtually:** Pre-recorded tour will be shared on Facebook.



11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Campus Trolley Tour

Meet at Peter and Susan Smith Welcome Center Entrance to Board the Trolley

Tour is approximately 25 minutes long. A short walking tour of historical buildings available upon request following the trolley tour. *Note: First-come, first-served. If the afternoon trolley is full, a second tour will be offered at 1:30 p.m.*

- 🖥️ Virtually:** Pre-recorded tour will be shared on Facebook.

11:00 a.m. - 11:20 a.m. **Chapel Service**
Blades Chapel, Blades Hall

11:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. **University BBQ Lunch**
Grace Plaza and Wallace Common
Enjoy the beauty of Grace Plaza and a BBQ lunch with students, faculty, staff, and fellow alumni. During lunch, enjoy a special performance by UD's Marching Band at noon.
Rain Location: Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center



Noon - 5:00 p.m. **Art Gallery**
Bisignano Art Gallery, Heritage Center
The 2024 Homecoming Art Show will feature "UD: Then and Now." Adrian Van Vliet established the Van Vliet School in 1852. The school underwent multiple name changes before it received the official designation of the University of Dubuque in 1920. UD has a strong and vibrant history, known for pushing the boundaries and exceeding the norms. Let us take a trip down memory lane with archived photos and artwork.
👉 **Virtually:** View all artwork featured in the gallery at www.bisignanoartgallery.com

2:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. **John and Alice Butler Pipe Organ and Fine and Performing Arts Showcase**
John and Alice Butler Hall, Heritage Center
👉 **Virtually:** Watch online - streamed through Facebook and YouTube.

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
President's Welcome Reception
Steffens Hall, Charles and Romona Myers Center
President Travis Frampton invites all Spartans to join us for this special event as we kick-off Homecoming 2024!



5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Alumni Reunion Celebration - Recognizing the Classes of 1964 and 1974
Barbara and Jack Smeltzer Dining Hall,
Peters Commons
The Classes of 1964 and 1974 invite their UD family - ALL SPARTANS - to join them as they celebrate their 60th and 50th Class Reunions! Reception style event, with food served by 7Hills Brewing Company.

👉 **Virtually:** View the reunion photo video on Facebook.



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Homecoming Registration

10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

A.Y. McDonald Lobby, Heritage Center
Spartan Welcome Tailgate Tent, Upper Finley Parking Lot

9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Alumni Reunion Volleyball Game

Stoltz Sports Center

All former volleyball players are welcome join for a fun alumni game. Following the game, be sure to stop by the Volleyball Tailgate Tent!

9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Alumni Breakfast

Breakfast Stations, CyberCafé, Heritage Center

Enjoy great food and fellowship with fellow Spartans as we celebrate with this year's award recipients.

10:00 a.m. - Noon

Gamma Phi Delta Tea Party

Alumni Chapel

10:30 a.m. - Noon

Alumni Wrestling Reunion - Open Mat

McCormick Gymnasium

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Alumni Awards Ceremony

Babka Theatre, Heritage Center

Join President Frampton as we honor Alumni Award recipients. This year's honorees are:

- Alumna of Distinction Award: Rev. Cathy (Foster) Young (MDiv'89)
- Professional Achievement Award: Capt. Christopher "Chris" Trone (C'79)
- Award of Merit: Heather (Lange) Banner (C'14)
- Service to Community Award: Claudette Carter-Thomas (C'78)
- Volunteer Recognition Award: Jeremy Jensen (C'15, MAC'18)
- Veterans Award for Distinguished Service: COL USA (RET) Daniel Kammiller (C'88)

Jon Davison (C'61) will be presented with the 2024 Alumni Distinguished Teaching and Service Award during the Awards Ceremony. Refer to page 17 for more information.

 **Virtually:** Watch the ceremony online - streamed through Facebook and YouTube.

11:30 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Spartan Fest Tailgate

Upper Finley Parking Lot

Ramp up your Spartan Spirit before the football game and visit with classmates, friends, and the UD community. Bring the whole family for a fun afternoon - enjoy food from local food trucks, music, inflatable games, temporary tattoo station, and other tailgate activities. *NOTE: Various items available for purchase from each vendor, cost varies, and some vendors only take cash. An ATM is available for your convenience inside the Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center.*

 **Virtually:** Tune in on Facebook for live updates from Spartan Fest! Share photos using #UDSPARTANFEST wearing your Homecoming T-shirt and showing off your Spartan Spirit for a chance to win great prizes!



Refer to Page 10 for more details on food trucks and to check out all the organizations hosting tailgate tents this year!!

1:00 p.m. | Women's Game
3:30 p.m. | Men's Game

Soccer Games vs. Central College Oyen Field

Cheer on the Spartans as the women's and men's soccer teams take on the Central College Dutch during the special Homecoming back-to-back games.

Virtually: Watch online at rollriversnetwork.com/dubuque/

2:00 p.m. Spartan Football vs. Luther College

Chalmers Field

Show your Spartan Spirit and wear your favorite Spartan Blue attire for an exciting football game as our Spartans take on the Luther College Norse.



Pre-Game Show

Enjoy a performance by the UD Marching Band and celebrate 50 years of UD Aviation with a special UD Helicopter Game Ball Delivery! COL USA (RET) Daniel Kammiller (C'88) will participate in the flag raising ceremony.

Halftime Show

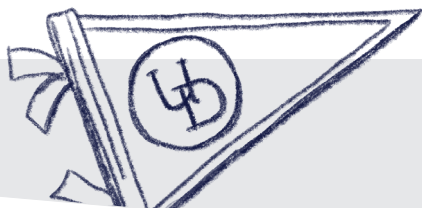
Congratulations to the 2024 Alumni Award Recipients

Virtually: Watch online at rollriversnetwork.com/dubuque/

5:00 p.m.

1960s Reunion

Timmerman's Supper Club - 7777 Timmerman Drive, East Dubuque, Illinois
All 1960s graduates are invited to join classmates for a special meal and Spartan fellowship at one of East Dubuque's most nostalgic restaurants. Seating is limited and advance registration is required.



5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Spartan Social – Celebrating C'14 and C'19

The Dog House Lounge

1646 Asbury Road, Dubuque, Iowa

All Spartans are welcome to join us as we cheer for a wonderful Homecoming 2024! Join us as we celebrate the reunion classes of 2014 and 2019! Enjoy delicious food and drinks while reconnecting with classmates and fellow Spartans.





TAILGATE

11:30 A.M. - 1:45 P.M.

Upper Finley Parking Lot and
Mercer-Birmingham Tent

**INFLATABLE GAMES AND YARD GAMES
TEMPORARY TATTOO STATION
PHOTO BOOTH**

(all activities are FREE to attend)

Organizations hosting tailgate tents this year include:

Army ROTC - Eagle Company
Baseball Team
Black Alumni
Class of 1974
Department of Aviation - Celebrating
50 Years
Department of Nursing

Men's Basketball Team
Men's Hockey Team
Office of Student Activities
Phi Beta Sigma
Volleyball Team
Women's Basketball Team
Wrestling Team

**ALL SPARTANS ARE WELCOME TO STOP BY THE
TAILGATE TENTS TO JOIN IN ON THE FUN!**

LOCAL FOOD TRUCK VENDORS

SERVING FROM 11:30 A.M. - 1:45 P.M.

(ATM located inside Chlapaty Recreation
and Wellness Center)



CHOMPS STREET EATS

SPARTY'S FAVORITES

Bourbon Pulled Pork Tacos and
Philly Cheesesteak Sandwich

HANGRY HOBO

SPARTY'S FAVORITES

Smash Burger and Gyro

HIBACHI TIME

SPARTY'S FAVORITES

Hibachi Chicken and Crab Rangoons

SUGAR RAY'S BBQ

SPARTY'S FAVORITES

Pork Sandwich and Rib Tips

PULIDO'S TACOS

SPARTY'S FAVORITES

Super Nachos and Quesadilla

BEER GARDEN IN MERCER-BIRMINGHAM TENT. BEER AND SELTZERS AVAILABLE FOR SALE. CASH ONLY.

ON-CAMPUS FACILITIES

BABKA BOOKSTORE

Peters Commons

Thursday	8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Spartan merchandise will also be available to purchase inside the Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center from 11:30 a.m. until the end of halftime.*

BARBARA AND JACK SMELTZER DINING HALL

Peters Commons

Breakfast (Thurs-Fri)	7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
Lunch (Thurs)	11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Dinner (Thurs)	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

CHARLES C. MYERS LIBRARY

Thursday	7:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Friday	7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Sunday	Noon – 10:00 p.m.

SYLVIA'S COMMON GROUND

Charles C. Myers Library

(closed on Sunday)

Thursday	7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday	7:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

**Coffee (Hot and Iced) and Energy Infusions will be available for purchase inside the Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center from 11:30 a.m. until the end of halftime.*

CYBERCAFÉ

Heritage Center

Thurs – Fri	11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Sat – Sun	1:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

MIKE AND BETTY'S ICE CREAM SHOPPE

Heritage Center

Thurs - Fri	Noon – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday	Noon – 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	Noon – 8:00 p.m.

SPARTY'S CONVENIENCE STORE

Heritage Center

Thurs - Fri	8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	Noon – 8:00 p.m.

CRWC HEALTH BAR

Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center

Thurs – Fri	7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
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CRWC CONCESSION STAND

Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center

Saturday	1:00 p.m. – End of 3rd Quarter
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Annual STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP Fund

EVERY GIFT MATTERS

No matter the size, your gift to the Annual Student Scholarship Fund makes a difference! When you and others give, you are providing additional resources and opportunities to those students who need it.

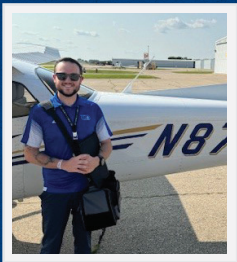
MAKE AN IMPACT



Invest in UD students today!
www.dbq.edu/invest



MESSAGE FROM A UD STUDENT HELLO AND HAPPY HOMECOMING 2024!



My name is Brandon Delaney, and I am a current student at the University of Dubuque.

I'm excited to share a little about myself and why I'm so grateful to be part of the University community. I was born and raised in Dubuque, Iowa, and from a young age I've always had a passion for flight. My parents knew early on that aviation would be my path. After graduating from high school, I embarked on a career in the United States Air Force, working with munitions. Now, I'm enrolled as an aviation flight major, with plans to fly for commercial airlines after graduation.

As a veteran, I am grateful for the University of Dubuque's Sgt. Jeffrey B. Dodge Veterans Center. It's a much-needed resource that supports veterans as they transition into student life. As an aviation student, I appreciate the wealth of knowledge and experience my professors bring, as well as the outstanding program UD has built over the last 50 years.

I'm especially grateful to alumni and friends like you for your support of the veterans center, the aviation program, and UD students. Your generosity truly makes a difference.

As you enjoy Homecoming weekend, I hope you'll consider giving back to this place we call home. Your gift matters and helps make amazing things happen for students like me.

Wherever you may be, THANK YOU for celebrating Homecoming 2024 with us!

Blue Skies and Tailwinds, Spartans.

Brandon Delaney (C'27)

SAVE THE DATE!

HOMECOMING 2025 OCTOBER 2-4



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS!

CLASS REUNIONS: 1965, 1975, 2015, and 2020

Interested in planning a reunion? Contact Katie Kraus, director for alumni engagement, at kkraus@dbq.edu.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Alumni are one of the greatest resources upon which an institution can depend. An Alumni Association offers the richest potential for advice, advocacy, student recruitment, and financial support.

OUR MISSION:

The mission of the University of Dubuque Alumni Association (UDAA) is to support the University by accomplishing the association's objectives and purposes. Those objectives and purposes are to:

- Promote and uphold a strong spirit of loyalty, support, and collaboration among the alumni, friends, and former students of the University towards the programs and goals of their Alma Mater.
- Foster, build, and sustain a strong spirit of cooperation between the University and its alumni, former students, and friends.
- Stimulate fellowship and a spirit of connectedness among the alumni of the University.
- Energetically encourage promoting students to attend the University by developing, establishing, and presenting scholarships, as well as other financial assistance, to deserving students.
- Support the University of Dubuque Annual Student Scholarship Fund.

VETERANS CENTER SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATION CEREMONY

**Sergeant Jeffrey B. Dodge Veterans Center
Open House and Presentation of Scholarships**
Friday, October 4, 2024
Open House from 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Scholarship Presentation at 11:00 a.m.



Welcome Rick Ernst (CSM, USA, Ret.)
Director of the Jeffrey B. Dodge Veterans Center

Sergeant Jeffrey B. Dodge Veterans Center Update Rick Ernst

Sergeant Jeffrey B. Dodge Scholarship Presentation Rick Ernst
Ellec Armstead (C'25)

**Staff Sergeant Ronald R. Sagers Memorial
Scholarship Presentation** Rick Ernst
Dylan J. Croisant (C'25)

Closing Remarks Rick Ernst

INVEST IN THE SERGEANT JEFFREY B. DODGE AND STAFF SERGEANT RONALD R. SAGERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

As endowed scholarships, these will be given in perpetuity to current UD students – a fitting way to ensure that Jeff and Ron’s legacies are forever part of UD history.

INVESTING IN STUDENT VETERANS

- GI Bill® benefits don’t cover the entire cost of education for some students. Annual Student Veteran Scholarships can help bridge that gap. Many choose to invest monthly in this effort.
- Endowed scholarship investments can also be made in the Sergeant Jeffrey B. Dodge Scholarship or Staff Sergeant Ronald R. Sagers Memorial Scholarship.
- Investments can also be made to the Veterans Emergency Relief Fund. This fund provides immediate financial relief for student veterans and their families in the case of financial burdens that may impact students continuing their education. This fund has been instrumental in assisting UD student veterans in financial crisis. Cases may include emergency automobile repairs, home furnace repair, medical bills, prescription payments, and assistance with rental costs.



HOW TO INVEST:

ONLINE: www.dbq.edu/invest

ON-CAMPUS: cash, check, credit card

OTHER: e.g. donor advised fund, stocks/securities transfer, matching gifts, pledge

If you are interested in learning about payment methods available for this project, or have any questions, please contact the Office of Advancement at 563.589.3158 or udadvancement@dbq.edu.

2024 HERITAGE SOCIETY GATHERING



UNIVERSITY of DUBUQUE

HERITAGE SOCIETY

Welcome and Introductions

Melissa Hemesath, *Vice President for Advancement*

Invocation

Rev. Cathy (Foster) Young (MDiv'89)

Dinner

Recognition of New Heritage Society Members

Office of Advancement

Program Spotlight

Department of Aviation

Closing Remarks and Benediction

Travis L. Frampton, PhD, *President of the University*

The Heritage Society honors alumni and friends who have indicated that the University of Dubuque will receive a future gift from their estate. We are grateful for the generous investments of past and present Heritage Society members.

There are many ways to benefit the University through membership. For more information, please contact Melissa Hemesath, vice president for advancement, at mhemesath@dbq.edu or 563.589.3620, or visit www.dbq.edu/GivingToUD.

NEW HERITAGE SOCIETY MEMBERS FOR 2024

Jerilyn and David Burry
Chris Chapin-Tilton

Jo (Clark) Deckert
Rob and Hope Longwell-Grice

Tom and Amanda Rauen
Jim Riepe

HERITAGE SOCIETY MEMBERS

Joann Ackman
John and Pam Adams
Richard Anderson
Chestina Archibald
John and Joyce Bachtell
Brett and Bonnie Bacon
John Baird*
Joyce Bausman
Sue-Ellen Durr Beauregard
Rose and Jeffrey Blank
Linda Bein-Carpenter
Edwin and Barbara Blinks
Roxy Boersma
Betty Bradley

Gwen and David Brandfass
James and Monika Breed
Kevin Brown
Wallace Brown*
Jeffrey and Dana Bullock
Roy and Deborah Buol
Kevin and Ann Burns
John and Alice Butler
Tim and Nancy Butler
Jim and Judy Capen
Zoe Casper
Patricia Castrodale
W. Brad and Diane Chalmers
Joseph and Linda Chlapaty

Maria Clingan
Elmer and Debra* Colyer
Mary Conklin
David Conner*
Dorothy Conner
John and Peggy Couchman
Beverly Jo Anderson Curtiss
Kim and Jerry David
Jon Davison
Doreen Duba
Richard and Penne Duncan
Pat Edelen Judge
Susan Farber and Bernie Saks
Carol Ferguson

Clare Ferguson
James and Paula Finn
R. Gerald and Joyce Fox
Richard and Patricia Franzen
Charles Freuden
Les Gardner
Kim Gates
Betty Geiger
Alice Gibson
Jesse Green
Tom Greenawalt
John and Mary Gronen
Max and Jacki Guinn
Edward and Linda Hanke
Edward and Sharon Hannon
Denise Harberts
Robert Harrison
Cliff Hart
Hank and Dory Hector, III
Bruce and Cindy Hedgepeth
Angela Heidenreich
Elizabeth Heins
Werner and Michelle Hellmer
Lawrence and Laura Herrig
Marjorie Herrig
Beverly Jones Heydinger
Rose Marie Hinde
David and Sandy Hockenberry
Marian Hoffman
Doug and Karen Horstmann
Joyce Houtz
Don Hunter
R. Kenneth Jackson
Jesse and Kandi James
Martha Jewell
Ann Joines
Claude Jones
David Justis and Nuala Galbari
Ernil Kahle
Norman and Gayle Kelley
Robert Koepcke
Lee Kotnour
Roger Kuhle
Stuart Larkin
Robert and Dorothy Larson, Jr.
Lois Lindaman
Jean Lorenz
Robert and Mary Lucas
Neil and Lisa MacNaughton
Richard Major
Jerry Maples

Gwendolyn Martin
Patricia Mason
Heidi McGinness
David McGuire
Kevin and Laura McTague
Shirley Meriwether
Gary and Susan Metelak
Gerald and Carol Ann Middents
Ernest Miller
Donna Miller
David and Kate Moore
Chip and Julie Murray, Jr.
Glynn Ann Murray
Alton Myers
Robert Nagel and Jane Wheeler
Nagel*
Donald and Elaine Neely
Donel and Cyndie Nelson
I. Richmond Nettey
Richard Neumeister
Fran Nides*
Robert and Susan Noth
James Odenkirk*
Gary and Linda Olsen
Merlin Osborn
Douglas and Lois Pearce
Ronald and Katherine Pearson
Charleen Peryon
George Peters, Jr.
Carrie Peterson
George and Pauline Pike
Henry Pillard
Gladys Porter
Jack and Suzanne Preiss
Louis Prues, II
Nan Rebholz
Roberta Reinhardt
Diane Repass
Kathleen Richard
James Riddick
Patricia Pav Riggs
Susan Butler Ritts
Phil and Judy Ruppel
Joel Samuels*
Jim and Amy Schauer
Alyce Schavone
Janette Scheele
Philip Carl Schiele*
William Schlobohm
Ruth Schoon
Eileen Schumann

Carol Schwaegler
Stan and Kimberly Schwartz
Joyce Johnston Sedlacek
Richard and Dannith Selway
Thomas and Carol Shirmang
Richard and Beverly Shouer
Timothy and Victoria Slemmons
Jack and Barbara Smeltzer
Peter and Michelle Smith
Leon Sonksen
Andrea Spirtos
Harold Stein
John Stewart and Becky Johnson-
Stewart
Carol Stockdale
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John and Aimee Stoltz
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Rick and Cathy Young
Gary and Jane Zeck
Dale and Ruth Zschoche

** Members who have passed away since Homecoming 2023*

2024 ALUMNI AWARDS CEREMONY

Welcome Katie Kraus (C'11)
Director for Alumni Engagement

Blessing Rev. James D. Gunn (MDiv'02, DMin'15)
Dean of Chapel and Edwin B. Lindsay Chaplain

Alumni Award Presentation Katie Kraus (C'11)

Alumna of Distinction Award Rev. Cathy (Foster) Young (MDiv'89)

Professional Achievement Award Capt. Christopher "Chris" Trone (C'79)

Award of Merit Heather (Lange) Banner (C'14)

Service to Community Award Claudette Carter-Thomas (C'78)

Volunteer Recognition Award Jeremy Jensen (C'15, MAC'18)

Veterans Award for Distinguished Service COL USA (RET) Daniel Kammiller (C'88)

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Rev. Cathy (Foster) Young (MDiv'89)

Rev. Cathy (Foster) Young graduated from the University of Dubuque Theological Seminary (UDTS) in December 1989 with a master of divinity. Prior to her call to ministry, she received her bachelor of arts degree from the University of Colorado. She dedicated 54 years of service to the community of Cedar Valley, Iowa, as a public school teacher, including 26 years as a minister.

Cathy's professional career began as a seminary intern at First Presbyterian Church in Waterloo, Iowa, where she later served as associate pastor. She was ordained there on March 11, 1990. In 1997, she was called to serve as the senior pastor at Cedar Heights Presbyterian Church in Cedar Falls, Iowa. During her years of ministry, Cathy played a significant role in guiding her congregations and offering spiritual leadership in the Cedar Valley area.

In addition to her pastoral work, Cathy has made a substantial impact in her community. She co-founded the Family & Children's Council of Black Hawk County and the Waterloo Schools Foundation. She also chaired the W.B. Small Trust for two decades, awarding scholarships to seminarians with Iowa connections, and she continues to serve on the board. Cathy is a founding board member of the Otto Schoitz Foundation and has co-chaired the Women in Politics Scholarship at the University of Northern Iowa. Currently, she chairs the Stewardship and Finance Committee of the Presbytery of North Central Iowa and serves on the Presbytery's Executive Committee.

Cathy's involvement with the University of Dubuque has extended beyond her seminary education. She serves on the University of Dubuque Board of Trustees, chairs the Advancement and External Affairs Committee, and serves on the UDTS Advisory Council.

Cathy's journey to seminary was deeply intertwined with her family life, as she completed her degree while managing the responsibilities of being a wife and mother. Cathy and her husband, Rick, have been married for 55 years and reside in Waterloo. They raised four children, Kelly, Travis, Mike, and Mark (deceased and adopted as a 3-year-old from South Korea). Cathy and Rick are blessed with seven grandchildren who bring them much joy and pride.

Cathy has received numerous accolades for her service, including the UDTS Manning Award in 2002, and was honored as the Cedar Valley Woman of the Year by the Business and Professional Women's Club of Cedar Falls.

Throughout her life, Cathy has dedicated herself to education and ministry, always emphasizing the importance of teaching—whether it was in the classroom as a public school teacher or from the pulpit as a pastor. Cathy's impact will leave a lasting legacy in her community and to the University of Dubuque. Together, Cathy and Rick have been generous investors and established an endowed scholarship, making a significant difference in the lives of current and future UD students.

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



Capt. Christopher "Chris" D. Trone (C'79)

Capt. Christopher "Chris" D. Trone graduated from the University of Dubuque in 1979 with a degree in aviation and flight management. Born and raised in Rushville, Illinois, Chris always dreamed of flying, beginning his flight lessons at age 16. During his time at UD, Chris was part of The Three Freshmen with John Herrig (C'79) and Matthew Novak (C'79), and he ran track and cross country under Coach Jon Davison (C'61). He also wrestled for three years, earning the Most Improved award. Chris achieved notable success in long-distance running, setting a UD track

record in the 1978 Drake Relays Marathon and medaling in the 1979 Drake Marathon. A proud member of the Thirteener Fraternity, Chris appreciated the strong mentorship and life lessons imparted by Coach Davison and his wife, Nita.

After graduation, Chris spent three years as a flight instructor at Monticello Aviation and almost five years at Britt Airways. Chris then began his 35-year career at American Airlines, where he started as a flight engineer on the Boeing 727 and flew the McDonnell Douglas MD-80 for nearly 29 years. He finished his career with American Airlines flying the Boeing 737-800 and 737MAX on international routes. Over his tenure, Chris was based out of Chicago, where he cherished the camaraderie of fellow airmen, flight attendants, and maintenance personnel, and is grateful for the opportunity to work with an exceptional team across American Airlines. A career highlight was his final flight as captain with his family aboard—a fitting conclusion to an extraordinary aviation journey.

His professional accomplishments include mentoring future aviators. Chris's first student mentee is now a retired United Airlines captain, whose son, Blake Fauconniere (C'06), is a UD flight operations graduate and is currently the head of the Walmart Flight Department.

Chris's commitment to his community is evident in his numerous volunteer roles. For over 30 years, he helped coach cross country and track at Rushville High School in Rushville, Illinois, and contributed to the creation of a successful local track facility. He also played a key role in restoring and running a 1916 movie theater in Rushville, now a community staple. As manager of his local airport, Chris continues to introduce others to the joy of flying. His involvement extends to serving on the local school board, on the hospital board, and in the church. He has also helped with numerous preservation projects, including the restoration of a 1925 Wurlitzer organ for a new community performing arts center.

Chris and his wife, Lynn, married on October 30, 1982, and will celebrate 42 years together this year. They reside in Rushville, Illinois, and have two children, Christopher and Glenna. Family is central to Chris's life, and he and Lynn fondly recall the joy of watching their children grow up and succeed in academics, sports, and the arts.

Chris remains passionate about flying and is grateful for a career that allowed him to fulfill his lifelong dream. Even in retirement, Chris is an active aviator, working as a contract pilot and staying engaged with UD's Department of Aviation. He often brings prospective students to campus and invests in student scholarships.



Heather (Lange) Banner (C'14)

Heather (Lange) Banner graduated from the University of Dubuque in 2014 with a bachelor's degree in marketing. During her time at UD, Heather participated in cheerleading and was a member of Lambda Tau Delta, Enactus, and First-Year Experience Mentors. She also held multiple campus work study positions. She went on to Texas A&M University, where she received her master of business administration in human resources law and compliance.

After graduation, Heather began working in finance, and soon after in the nonprofit sector. In 2019, she transitioned to Serco Inc., where she currently serves as the alternate project manager and is responsible for leading global initiatives for the Department of Labor Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS). Heather's work has had a profound impact, helping veterans and military spouses secure employment faster and often with higher pay upon their transition from the military.

Heather has dedicated her time serving the military community in a volunteer capacity. From 2021-2023, she served as president of Operation Deploy Your Dress at Fort Cavazos near Killeen, Texas, providing over 1,000 pieces of formalwear to the military community and bridal gowns to military spouses at no cost. In addition, Heather held leadership roles on multiple nonprofit boards, raising significant funds for scholarships and essential services for military families. In 2022-2023, she served as a grant writer for the Fort Cavazos Scholarship Fund, raising over \$81,000 in grants and providing scholarships to 55 military-affiliated high school seniors. She also raised over \$70,000 to support nonprofit organizations focused on food insecurity, domestic violence, and military support. She has helped over 1,000 transitioning service members and military spouses achieve employment success.

Heather's impact has been felt both within her local military community and on a global scale, supporting military families across the world. In recognition of her efforts, Heather has received numerous awards, including the Serco Inc. Excellence Award and Impact Award as well as Volunteer of the Year for Fort Cavazos. She was nominated as Military Spouse of the Year and has received recognition from multiple military installations for work done in the community.

Heather is also a proud military spouse. Christopher and Heather have been married for 10 years and together have two children, Noelle and Allyson. In 2022, when the war broke in Ukraine, Heather's sister was deployed with a 24-hour notice to Europe. In an instant, Heather and her young daughter drove across the country so Heather could care for her five nieces and nephews for the next six months. This ultimately is what drove Heather to dig deeper into supporting the unique challenges that occur in the military community.

Heather and her family currently reside in South Korea. As a family, they love to travel. So far this year they have visited three continents and seven countries and have plans to visit a few more before the year is over.

SERVICE TO COMMUNITY AWARD



Claudette Carter-Thomas (C'78)

Claudette Carter-Thomas graduated from the University of Dubuque in 1978 with a degree in social work. During her time at UD, she was an active member of the Black Presidium student organization.

Claudette's professional career began in the summer of 1976, working at Job Services of Iowa and then for the Department of Human Services. Shortly after graduation, in July 1978, she began working as a probation officer with the First Judicial District Department of Correctional Services.

During her 38-year career as a probation and parole officer, Claudette played a pivotal role in many programs, initiatives, and committees. She was trained and promoted to deliver the Youthful Offenders program and a Women Offenders program. She was instrumental in the Back on Track program, which focused on addressing the needs of African-American teenagers and young adults in collaboration with the Juvenile Court and community members. Claudette was a key advocate for diversity and equality on committees including the Iowa Corrections Association, the Minority Issues Committee, and the Equity Committee of the Dubuque Community School District.

In addition to her professional contributions, Claudette has been deeply involved in the Dubuque community. She helped establish the Dubuque Chapter of the NAACP and co-founded the Rock of Ages Missionary Baptist Church, where she served in multiple roles, including as a Sunday school teacher, youth leader, choir member, choir director, and secretary. She currently serves as the financial secretary and treasurer. In a volunteer capacity, she has served the YWCA Board and Hillcrest Family Services Board. She also played an active part in organizing programs for the Girl Scouts and helped bring Dr. C.T. Vivian to the community to conduct Urban Potential Workshops. Her dedication to community service was recognized by several awards, including the University of Dubuque Black Achievement/Hall of Fame Award, the Iowa Department of Corrections Multi-Cultural Issue Award, and the Dubuque Salvation Army Volunteer Award for Most Volunteer Hours.

Outside of her professional life, Claudette enjoys taking relaxing walks along the Mississippi River, participating in jazzercise, reading, traveling, and spending time with family and friends. A lover of the arts, she has performed in five plays, including *The Waiting Room*, *Working*, *To Kill a Mockingbird*, *Crowns*, and *A Piece of My Heart*. She was also an extra in the *Field of Dreams* movie.

Claudette married her college sweetheart, Jerome Thomas (C'76) (deceased). Claudette and Jerome have two children, Jarvis and Cavin. She is also a proud grandmother to Libby, who is currently attending the University of Dubuque. Claudette and her family reside in Dubuque, Iowa, where she continues to inspire and uplift her community.

VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION AWARD



Jeremy Jensen (C'15, MAC'18)

Jeremy Jensen attended the University of Dubuque as a non-traditional student through the Learning Institute for Fulfillment and Engagement (LIFE) program. He graduated from UD with a bachelor's degree in criminal justice in 2015 and a master's degree in communication in 2018. In addition, Jeremy is a 2016 graduate of the FBI National Academy.

Jeremy has served in law enforcement for over 33 years, spending the last 30 years serving the Dubuque community. In March 1994, he joined the Dubuque Police Department as a patrolman. During his tenure, he has worked in patrol, traffic, criminal investigations, tactical operations, community policing, training, and internal affairs. In December 2017, Jeremy was promoted to assistant chief and began serving as interim chief in 2021. In March 2022, he was appointed to police chief by a unanimous vote by the Dubuque City Council.

As police chief, Jeremy has been deeply involved in community initiatives, including emotional intelligence training for Dubuque police officers. In 2024, he co-led a three-day workshop at the University of Dubuque, focusing on self-awareness, self-management, empathy, and relationship management. Through the Six Seconds Emotional Intelligence Network program at UD, Jeremy earned certifications as EQ Practitioner, EQ Assessor and the EQ Coach. These trainings aimed to equip officers with the emotional intelligence skills necessary to manage high-tension situations and improve communication with the public.

Jeremy has collaborated closely with UD on campus safety, providing training to the campus community on brain health initiatives, emergency response, and federal compliance. Specifically, Jeremy leads table top exercises for emergency response strategies to various situations. Jeremy is the liaison for all brain health needs and coordinates with the Dubuque Police Department, UD Cares Team, and UD students. Additionally, at the beginning of each academic year, representatives from the Dubuque Police Department visit campus to talk with the Office of Residence Life regarding drugs and identification of street drugs, alcohol, and other narcotics. Jeremy also supports UD on compliance with different federal laws, such as the Jeanne Clery Act. Outside of law enforcement, Jeremy serves as a volunteer coach for the UD wrestling program and is a guest speaker for classes throughout the academic year.

Jeremy and his wife, Jennifer, have been married for 28 years. Together, they have two daughters, Jenna and JaNiese. Jeremy and his family reside in Dubuque, Iowa, where he continues to be an active leader in both the police department and the community.

VETERANS AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE



COL USA (RET) Daniel Kammiller (C'88)

COL USA (RET) Daniel Kammiller (C'88) graduated from the University of Dubuque's Tri-College program with a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1988.

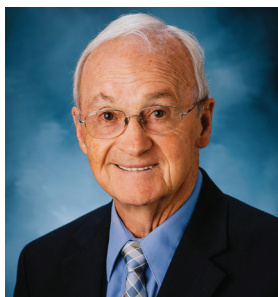
Dan's military journey began on February 14, 1972, when he enlisted in the Iowa Army National Guard as a combat engineer. He received his commission as an engineer officer from the Iowa Military Academy in 1977. In 1979, he transferred to the Infantry branch, where he spent most of his career. Dan held various leadership roles throughout his service, including platoon leader and company commander in the 1st Bn 133rd Infantry, as well as several key staff positions. At the battalion level, he served as S4 (supply officer) and S3 (operations officer). At the brigade level, he held positions as S1 (personnel officer), S3 (operations officer), and executive officer for the 105th Troop Command. He also served as the state mobilization officer. Dan retired as a colonel in June 2005, after over 33 years of dedicated service.

In August 2005, Dan began his role as a military instructor at the University of Dubuque, where he taught ROTC classes, managed scholarships and enrollment, and helped develop future military leaders. He retired from this position in January 2022 but returned to UD in July 2022 as the liaison for the ROTC program. As a leader in the ROTC community, Dan was recognized for his contributions as an army officer when he was inducted into the University of Northern Iowa ROTC Hall of Fame as the inaugural member in March 2022.

Throughout his career, Dan received numerous honors, including the Legion of Merit, two Meritorious Service Medals, five Army Commendation Medals, and the Order of St. Maurice. His commitment to both military service and education has had a lasting impact on his community and the ROTC program.

Dan has been married to his wife, Marilyn, for over 50 years. They have two daughters, Jessica and Jennifer, along with 13 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. They also maintain a close relationship with their Russian foreign exchange students, Denis and Masha. Their grandson, Nicholas Westphal (C'24), is a University of Dubuque graduate, and several of their granddaughters are exploring degrees at UD. Dan and Marilyn have a small farm near Rickardsville, Iowa, where they remain actively involved in the university community and enjoy spending time with their family. In addition, they are investors in student-veteran scholarships and the military memorial.

2024 ALUMNI DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AND SERVICE AWARD



Jon Davison (C'61)

Jon Davison graduated from the University of Dubuque in 1961 with a bachelor's degree in physical education teaching, K-12. As a student, Jon pledged to the Athenaeon Fraternity and was a four-sport athlete, participating in baseball, basketball, football, and track. Continuing his education, Jon earned a master of arts in teaching degree from Michigan State University in 1965.

In 1966, Jon began his coaching career at UD, where he would dedicate 40 years of service to UD and its student-athletes. One of Jon's biggest contributions to UD was as the head men's basketball coach for 27 years, winning three Iowa Conference Championships and four NCAA Division III Tournament appearances. He held other coaching roles at UD including men's golf coach for 15 years, head men's cross country coach for 10 years, assistant football coach for eight years, head track and field coach for six years, men's tennis coach for three years, and head baseball coach for one year. Additionally, Jon served the University as athletic director for over 20 years and was instrumental in implementing international travel for athletic teams. He was also an associate professor of physical education and served as the department chair. After retiring from coaching, Jon joined the UD Office of Advancement, serving as senior counsel from 2016-2022.

In addition to serving the University of Dubuque, Jon served the Dubuque community throughout his life. Soon after graduating, Jon taught science at Washington Middle School and Dubuque Senior High School. He also coached basketball at Clarke University from 1995-2008, where he secured his 500th collegiate coaching victory. Jon is an active member of Westminster Presbyterian Church, where he is a former elder and deacon. Jon enjoys staying connected with former athletes and can often be seen on the golf course or visiting retirement centers, having conversations, and bringing smiles to everyone he encounters.

The University of Dubuque is a special place for Jon. During his freshman year, Jon met his college sweetheart, the late Anita (Braughton) Davison (C'74). They were married in 1961. Anita was Jon's partner through all of life's adventures, supporting him on the sidelines, caring for student-athletes, and even serving as assistant coach. Jon and Anita have three children, Jane, Joan (C'86), and Jim (C'89), and two grandchildren, Garrett and Jordan. In 2009, UD dedicated the Jon Davison Court in Stoltz Sport Center. In 2018, his former athletes established the Davison Disciples Endowed Scholarship in his honor. Jon is a member of the UD Heritage Society and the UD Athletic Hall of Fame, both as an individual and as head coach for the 1980-1981, 1985-1986, and 1987-1988 men's basketball teams.

Jon resides in Dubuque, Iowa, and enjoys attending as many UD events and athletic games as possible.

PREVIOUS ALUMNI AWARD RECIPIENTS

ALUMNUS/ALUMNA OF DISTINCTION AWARD

Awarded since 1954 to a graduate who has distinguished himself/herself in service to the whole church and/or world; has characterized or exemplified the spiritual, academic, and moral growth as presented in the University's *Mission*; and has displayed loyalty and interested concern for the University of Dubuque and its future.

David Gelzer (C'41, MDiv'43)	Donovan Ward (C'25)	Rich Aborn (C'74)
Homer Konzett (C'42)	Gene Siekmann (C'35, MDiv'51, DHL'61)	Al Straatmeyer (C'54, MDiv'57)
Ethel (Norberg) Sassenrath (C'42)	Rod Riggs (C'55)	Bill Sawyier (C'45)
C.T. Peterson (C'21)	Hal Fisher (C'49)	Mark Brodersen (C'71)
Gilbert Forbes, posthumously	Arline Dieterich (C'41)	Silas Kessler (C'32, BDiv'34)
Edward Pike (C'25, DHL'63)	J. Bruce Meriwether (C'60, DHL'02)	Bill Svrluga (C'66)
William Petersen (C'26)	William Grings (C'40)	Bob Schwaegler (C'56)
George Sisler (C'19)	Walter Soboleff (C'37, MDiv'40)	Dewey Feuerhelm (C'56)
Oliver Ohmann (C'22)	Donald Swain (C'53)	Javaune Adams-Gaston (C'78)
Edgar Boell (C'29, DSCI'52)	Charles Chakerian (C'24)	Bobbi Alpers (C'73)
Joseph Mihelic (C'32)	Keith Ackman (C'50)	Betty Takes (C'79)
Charles Tyrrell (C'36, S'37)	Robert MacAskill (C'43)	Jim Martin (C'67)
Joseph Duke (C'20, DLAW'60)	Lois (Schneider) Selmar (C'52)	Dick Svrluga (C'71)
Ric Biek (C'53)	Duane Rumbaugh (C'50)	Woody (C'52, MDiv'55) and Barbara (C'57) Busse
William Troxell (C'38)	Dennis Dammerman (C'67, DHL'03)	John Couchman (C'69)
Ruben Austin (C'36)	Lee Beck (C'65)	Robert Nagel (C'51)
Gerald Smith (C'42)	Hsuan Owyang (C'50)	Suzanne (Luck) Preiss (C'72) and Jack Preiss (C'72)
Herb Gearhart (C'51)	Tony Danza (C'72, DHL'04)	Barbara (Kelly) Smeltzer (C'66) and Jack Smeltzer (HON'02)
Susan Bellinger (C'59)	Jim Schneck (C'64)	
Paul Laube (C'32, DHL'95)	Duane Meyer (C'50)	
Dexter French (C'38, DSCI'60)	Laura Palmer-Noone (C'80)	
Lee Chang (C'25, DLAW'46)		

ALUMNI/AE AWARD OF MERIT

Awarded since 1994 to a graduate within 15 years of graduation who has demonstrated a clear commitment to excellence in his/her career. To be considered for this award, the alumni/ae will have significant accomplishments in business or professional life as well as recognition, achievement, and leadership that reflect positively on the University's *Mission*.

Saleem Ghubril (MDiv'91)	Polly (Rademacher) Kadolph (C'91, MBA'05)	Matt Metelak (C'11)
James Riddick (C'91)	Aaron Williams (C'99)	Caroline (Zelent) Grunenwald (C'08)
Todd Helgeson (C'86)	B'Ann (Bohnsack) Dittmar (MBA'00)	Josh Terrell (C'10, MBA'11)
Mary Lou Baal (C'84, MBA'88)	Tom Rauen (C'05)	Dominique A. Anthony (C'07)
Paul Adams (C'83)	Dan Calvert (C'01)	Courtney Thompson (C'11)
Rick Schwerdtfeger Jr. (C'86)	Charity Edgar (C'07)	Louis Dettorre (C'10)
		Sade (Painter) Swedenhjelm (C'15)

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Awarded since 1994 to a graduate 15 years or more after graduation who has demonstrated a clear commitment to excellence in his/her career. To be considered for this award, the alumnus/alumna will have significant accomplishments in business or professional life as well as recognition, achievement, and leadership that reflect positively on the University's *Mission*.

Joseph Lawrence (C'32)

Tom Somerville (C'55)

Marv O'Hare (C'55)

Pat (Wild) Franzen (C'68)

Kirk Wolfinger (C'75)

Donald Thomas (C'48)

Colleen (Birdnow) Brown (C'79)

Ardy (Weinbender) Diercks (C'76)

Fritz Hayes (C'58)

Thomas Rosenquist (C'64)

Jim Davis (C'60)

Graham Turnbull (C'56)

Hank Hector III (C'61)

Bob Van Iten (C'59)

Mary (Usui) Toma (C'49)

Susan Senft (C'75)

Jane Hammond (C'50)

Dale Brubaker (C'43)

Kent Hatteberg (C'77)

Carol (Spencer) Kuhle (C'68)

Marian (Sessler) Hoffman (C'55)

Gary Olsen (C'70)

Bob Shafer (C'75, MBA'94)

Brett Bacon (C'69)

Butch Fuller (C'71)

Celina (Malloy) Peerman (C'92)

Rebecca (Bruns) Johnson (C'79)

I. Richmond Nettey (C'82)

Thad Foucher (C'78)

Juris Terauds (C'61)

Barbara (Glovik) Rechterman (C'85)

Torrance Richardson (C'92)

Charmain Jackman (C'95)

Thomas "Tom" Willoughby (C'72)

SERVICE TO COMMUNITY AWARD

Awarded since 1994 to an alumnus/alumna who has demonstrated a clear commitment to serving his/her community through notable volunteerism, an outstanding act of selflessness, or a pattern of service to humanitarian efforts or causes.

Paul Harmon (C'64)

Donald McAllister (C'50)

Wilton Sinning (C'36, BDiv'39)

Betty Takes (C'79)

Beverly (Anderson) Curtiss (C'76)

Barbara (Skaife) Busse (C'57)

Margery (Peckham Deale)

Dodge (C'41)

Craig Thompson (C'75)

Ruth (Hermann) Clark (C'45)

Diane Nelson (C'78)

Hank Pillard (C'57)

Bob Richard (C'72)

Dave Drake (C'51)

Hal Knutsen (C'65)

Bill Peck (C'60)

Doug Horstmann (C'75)

Peg (Snuttjer) Hudson (MAC'00)

Nancy Kringle (C'85, MBA'14)

Polly (Tobiason) Antons (C'48)

Rick Carney (C'69)

Al Spensley (C'55)

Lloyd Alamsha (C'56, MDiv '60)

Loretta Gratiias-Bremer (C'62)

Roy Buol (C'92)

Chris Peterson (C'04)

Carolyn Poplett (C'51)

Rick Wallace (C'81)

Lenny Weih (C'67)

Judy Hay (C'68)

Keith Kephart (C'66)

UD Health Care Workers

Heidi McGinness (MDiv'89)

Mikelange "Mike" Olbel (C'08)

VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION AWARD

Awarded since 1994 to an alumnus/alumna for outstanding contributions to the University of Dubuque in a volunteer capacity.

Eleanor (Behnke) Rafoth (C'37)	Charmion (Luense) Van Drie (C'49)	Andrew Ward Sr. (C'66)
Bruce Ferguson (C'53)	Ron Cavanagh (C'76)	Royce (C'68) and Kathy (C'68) Farmer
Bud Loats (C'50)	Beverly (Anderson) Curtiss (C'76)	Paul Clayton (C'68)
Bill Burnette (C'50)	Dan Frump (C'63)	Keith Parris (C'00)
Bob Besch (C'40)	Margie (Lane) Schmidt (C'55)	Alvin "Al" Straatmeyer (C'54, BDiv'57)
Bret Johannsen (C'50)	Barbara (Weber) Blinks (C'64)	Jan Lombardi (C'72) and David Proudfoot (C'73)
Jack Bachtell (C'53)	Tony Lehmann (MBA'87)	
Barbara (Kelly) Smeltzer (C'66)	Jane (Sumpter) Malone-George (C'51)	
Bill Fullarton (C'32)	Anderson Sainci (C'10, MAC'12)	
Gerhardt "Dutch" Van Drie (C'47)	Tim Polley (C'08, MDiv'11)	

VETERANS AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

Awarded since 2015 to an alumnus/alumna veteran who has made a positive impact on their local, national, international, or veteran community; on the University; or through their military service.

Colonel Mark Carlson (C'85)	Colonel Earl Bufton Jr. (C'63), <i>posthumously</i>
Lieutenant Senior Grade Nickas Yiannias (C'47)	Sergeant Major Richard E. Goebel (C'82)
Sergeant Jeffrey B. Dodge (C'68), <i>posthumously</i>	Colonel Harry "Bucky" Peterson (C'68)
First Lieutenant Michael Downey (C'66), <i>posthumously</i>	Colonel Robert Wicklund (C'53)
Lieutenant Commander Roger Meyers (C'55), <i>posthumously</i>	Captain Edward L. Hanke USAR (CE) (C'65)
Staff Sergeant Ronald R. Sagers (C'68), <i>posthumously</i>	Corporal Craig Downing (C'49)
Chaplain (LTC) Donald Neely (C'57, MDiv'62)	CPO Leon "Les" Sonksen (C'52)

WANT TO NOMINATE A FELLOW SPARTAN FOR AN ALUMNI/AE AWARD?

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CAMPUS MAP

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CAMPUS DIRECTORY

1. Jackline Baldwin Dunlap Technology Center
Department of Computer Studies and Mathematics
Department of Digital Art and Design
2. Alumni Chapel
3. Blades Hall
Campus Ministry
Sgt. Jeffrey B. Dodge Veterans Center
4. University Science Center
Department of Nursing
Mary Chlapaty Hall (Sciences)
Linda Chlapaty Hall (Physician Assistant Studies)
5. Heating Plant
6. Peters Commons
Babka Bookstore
Barbara and Jack Smeltzer Dining Hall
Department of Student Life
Dining Services
Office of First-Year Experience
Vocation, Career Services, and Community Engagement
7. McCormick Gymnasium
8. Alumni Common
9. Aitchison Residence Hall
10. Severance Hall
Army ROTC - Eagle Company
Department of Aviation
Department of Criminal Justice
Department of Economics
Department of English
Department of Philosophy, Politics, and History
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Department of Sociology
Office of Academic Advising
Office of Academic Affairs
Office of Graduate Studies
TRIO - Student Support Services
11. Marge Kremer Little Spartans Childcare Center
12. Stoltz Sports Center
13. Van Vliet Hall
Department of Communication
Department of Theology
Seminary Dean and Faculty Offices
Technology Help Desk
14. Smeltzer-Kelly Student Health Center
15. Charles C. Myers Library
Academic Success Center
Accessibility Services
Sylvia's Common Ground
16. Smith Hall
Department of Education
Department of Health, Wellness, and Sport
Office of Finance, Business, and Auxiliary Services
Office of Student Accounts
Office of Safety and Security
UD for Kids
17. McCormick Guest House
18. Heritage Center
A.Y. McDonald Lobby
Aitchison-Welch Rehearsal Room
American Trust Lounge
Babka Theatre
Campus Post Office and Print Room
Charles and Elizabeth Bisignano Art Gallery
CyberCafé
Department of Fine and Performing Arts
Dubuque Bank and Trust Suite
Farber Box Office
The Hefel Hangout
John and Alice Butler Hall
Knapp Stage
Linda Chlapaty Music Center
Mike and Betty's Ice Cream Shoppe
Palmer-Noone Lounge
Sparty's Convenience Store
Straatmeyer Rehearsal Room
Susan Magill Smith Suite
Office of International Student Services
and Study Abroad
Office of Student Activities
19. Laube Memorial Bell Tower
20. Wallace Common
21. Peter and Susan Smith Welcome Center
Office of Advancement and Alumni Engagement
Judge James L. Martin (C'67) Multicultural Student Center
22. Charles and Romona Myers Center
Department of Business and Accounting
LIFE - Learning Institute for Fulfillment and Engagement
Office of Admission
Office of Human Resources
Office of the President
Office of the Registrar
Office of Student Financial Planning
Office of University Relations
Wendt Character Initiative
23. Cassat and Donnell Residence Halls
24. Mercer-Birmingham Hall
Athletic Coaches' Offices
25. Debra Runkle Center
Football Locker Rooms
Maintenance/Housekeeping
27. Hans A. Chlapaty Athletic Complex
A.Y. McDonald Indoor Track
Chalmers Field
Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center
Dan W. Runkle Baseball Field
Douglas J. Miller Track
Frank Farber Tennis Courts
Softball Field
28. Veterans Memorial Training Center
29. Park Village Apartments
30. Townhouses
31. Chlapaty Residence Hall
32. Oyen Field
33. Conlon Colonnade
34. University Park Drive

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