Make Your Gift to the Parents’ Student Development Fund

Contribute to the Commonwealth Honors College Parents’ Student Development Fund conveniently and securely online at www.umass.edu/give.

Click on “Commonwealth Honors College,” and choose the “Honors Parents’ Student Development Fund” in the next drop-down menu.

You may also call the Development Office at 866-450-UMASS.

Thank you for your generosity!

Other Ways to Enhance the Commonwealth Honors College Experience

Please contact the Commonwealth Honors College Development Office at 413-577-0149 or alumni@honors.umass.edu to discuss the following giving opportunities:

Commonwealth Honors College Residential Complex: slated to open in 2013, this new complex will create a “home base” for Commonwealth Honors College students, strengthening the sense of community and connection among highly motivated students

Scholarship Funds: provide direct financial support to students

Lecture Funds: bring renowned scholars to campus

Undergraduate Research Conference: underwrite the cost of producing a statewide conference for students of all Massachusetts’ public colleges and universities

Gifts to the Parents’ Student Development Fund support two popular enhancements to students’ academic experiences in Commonwealth Honors College and expand professional development offerings for these emerging leaders. Gifts in any amount are appreciated because they add up quickly. Make your gift today and together we can make a difference!
Pizza and Prof Nights
Faculty from all areas of campus share their research with honors students while enjoying slices of the town’s best pizza. This casual setting is an ideal way for students to learn about fields that may be of interest to them and to meet faculty with whom they may wish to pursue research.

Topics include:
• Updating Status and Downplaying Solitude
• HIV/AIDS in the United States: What the College Student Should Know
• Politics of Global Warming in the United States
• Future of the Music Industry Debate
• Contending Interpretations of Economic Crisis: Neoclassical, Keynesian, and Marxian
• Emerging Trends in Food Science

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Weekly Wednesday Workshops
These nuts-and-bolts workshops offer students guidance on making the most of UMass Amherst, developing important skills, and preparing for the future.

Students will benefit from offerings on:
• Studying Abroad
• Internships
• Civic Engagement
• Podium Skills
• Research Opportunities