

Idaho State University AnnualGIVING

A Family of Funds

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"I give back because Idaho State University provided me with so many opportunities, experiences, and memories that will last forever, both personally and professionally. I was fortunate enough to receive various scholarships throughout my time as a student, and I feel as if I owe the past donors a *thank you* by continuing the tradition of giving to support future Bengals."

- Logan Schmidt '19, '20

"As a first-generation American, I am appreciative of the opportunity I was offered by Idaho State in my college days back in 1961-65. My extended family was especially proud of the first woman in our family to receive a college degree. After graduation, my father introduced me to his friends not by my name but as, "my daughter, *the teacher*." I give because I hope that I can continue to help others join me in this most rewarding profession."

- Rita Haggardt '65

Idaho State University Annual Giving

The Idaho State University Annual Giving program is the primary way for alumni, parents, faculty, staff and friends to support ISU's priority: our students. When you donate, you help Idaho State University take advantage of mission-driven, real-time innovations and investments that keep the Idaho State experience transformational – both inside and outside of the classroom.

It is with excitement that we introduce **ISU's Family of Funds**. These funds empower you, Idaho State University advocates, to direct your dollars to the areas you are most passionate, or to where the need is greatest.

Annual Giving provides immediate support for the Idaho State University Annual Fund, Dean's Excellence Funds, Scholarship Fund, Student Enrichment Fund and Bengal Athletic Boosters. These funds benefit *all* Bengal students and, when you give, you are directly responsible for enhancing their lives and experiences at Idaho State University.

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IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY ANNUAL FUND

The Idaho State University Annual Fund provides institutional momentum for our University. It's the primary way to provide unrestricted and immediate operational support to Idaho State. This Fund's immediate-use dollars help our students continue their education without interruption and enhances Idaho State's ability to provide a robust and engaging learning environment.

DEAN'S EXCELLENCE FUNDS

Donating to the Dean's Excellence Funds allows individual colleges access to funds that provide a direct and immediate impact on their students and programs beyond public funding. These donations ensure support for the areas most needed within each college - like student scholarships, the recruitment and retention of key faculty, research, classroom technology and much more. Your donation to the Dean's Excellence Fund of your choosing provides resources with few restrictions and therefore has a greater impact.

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Critical thinking, synthesis, conflict resolution and leadership skills are essential complements to the technical skills acquired in the classroom. From the associate to doctorate level, the Idaho State community provides students the necessary tools to excel both in the classroom and beyond, without burdensome tuition costs.

STUDENT ENRICHMENT FUND

The Student Enrichment Fund assists all student based needs whether helping students who are unable to meet essential expenses due to unforeseen hardships or supporting student organizations and clubs in need of supplemental aid. This fund is meant to help reduce the financial burden Idaho State students face as they work towards their goals.

BENGAL ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

Bengal Athletic Boosters membership is critical to providing Idaho State's student-athletes with scholarships, unforgettable athletic experiences, and leadership opportunities that will prepare them to compete at the highest level for a lifetime.

ANNUAL GIVING SOCIETIES

Bengal Benefactors:

Bengal Benefactors are Idaho State University's most loyal supporters. No gift is too small to make an impact. Roar, Bengals, Roar!

1901 Society:

The 1901 Society recognizes alumni, parents and friends who give \$1,901 in funds annually. Join this distinct group to demonstrate your commitment to ISU.

President's Circle:

The President's Circle is an elite group of philanthropic leaders who give \$5,000 or more of support to the University annually.

*Gifts must be made annually to qualify for giving society membership.

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CORPORATE MATCHING DONATIONS

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IDAHO EDUCATION TAX CREDIT

Donations to Idaho State University qualify for a 50% Idaho tax credit, which is a reduction of the tax you owe or an increase in your refund. This credit is available regardless of whether or not you itemize deductions. If you do itemize, a donation to ISU allows income tax deductions on both your federal and state returns. Your tax benefit is dependent on your personal income level and filing status. Contact your tax advisor for further information.

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Your support matters. Whether you can give \$25 or \$25,000, your contribution is a vote of confidence in Idaho State University. Thank you!

> - Kevin Satterlee Idaho State University President