

List of Allied Health Sciences Donors and Scholarships

The Berbecker Foundation | The Berbecker Foundation provides support through the Berbecker Health Sciences Scholarship. The scholarship is awarded based on academic merit. Mr. Brower Moffitt of West Palm Beach, Florida is the representative for this scholarship.

Dr. James Bowen | Dr. Bowen graduated from the college in 1978 with a bachelor's degree in Physical Therapy. Dr. Bowen supports students through The James & Sonya Bowen Scholarship. Dr. Bowen is an anesthesiologist at Nash Anesthesia Associates, PA in Rocky Mount.

Dr. Geneva Britt and Mr. Charles Britt | Dr. Britt graduated with an undergraduate degree in 1987 and a graduate degree in 1988 from the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders. Dr. and Mr. Britt support students through The Harold & Lois White Memorial Scholarship which they established in honor of Dr. Britt's parents. They reside in Raleigh.

Dr. Christopher Bremer and Mrs. Barbara Bremer | Dr. and Mrs. Bremer established the Barbara W. Bremer Distinguished Professorship in Language Learning and Literacy Disorders in 2007. The professorship allows the University to recognize a senior faculty member for his/her skills as an educator, researcher, and clinician. The Bremers reside in Greenville.

Mr. Dennis Ray Carter and Mrs. Eileen Rodri Carter | Mrs. Carter graduated from the college in 1981 with a bachelor's degree in Physical Therapy followed by a master's degree from ECU in 1991. Mr. and Mrs. Carter support students through The Comprehensive Rehab Scholarship. They reside in Wilson.

Ciox Health supports students through The Ciox Health Scholarship in Health Information Management. Ciox Health is a healthcare data management solutions organization based in Alpharetta, GA.

Dr. Sheldon C. Downes | Dr. Downes supports students through The Meta Downes Scholarship, which is named in memory of his wife, a faculty member in the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders. Dr. Downes also supports The Dr. Sheldon C. Downes Scholarship, which was established in honor of his commitment to the Department of Addictions and Rehabilitation Studies. Dr. Downes retired from the department and resides in Burlington.

Mr. Frank Floyd, Jr. | Mr. Floyd established The Tanya J. McDowell & Riley Floyd Scholarship in Speech Pathology in 2008. The scholarship is named in honor of his daughter and her speech pathologist. Mr. Floyd resides in Cary.

Dr. Margie Lee Gallagher | Dr. Gallagher supports students through The Elsie Faith Seal Scholarship. Dr. Gallagher is retired and resides in Belvidere, Tennessee.

Mrs. Lou Hamilton | Mrs. Hamilton supports students through The George Hamilton Scholarship in Physical Therapy, an award named for Mrs. Hamilton's late husband and founding

chair of the Department of Physical Therapy. Mrs. Hamilton resides in Greenville and is a retired dietitian.

Mr. Phil Hodges and Mrs. Lisa Hodges | Mr. Hodges graduated from ECU in 1979 and 1984. Mrs. Hodges graduated from the college in 1983 with a bachelor's degree in Physical Therapy and is now a physical therapist. They reside in Williamston and established through a planned gift The Phil and Lisa Hodges Physical Therapy Scholarship Endowment. Mrs. Hodges is a former member of the ECU Medical & Health Sciences Foundation Board of Directors.

Mr. Douglas Wade Huggins and Ms. Alice M. Arnold | Mr. Huggins graduated from ECU in 1983 and 1993. Mr. Huggins and Ms. Arnold support students through The Dale A. Huggins Scholarship in Physical Therapy. This scholarship was created in 1998 and is in memory of Mr. Huggins' brother, who was a PT graduate and former adjunct instructor. They reside in Port Saint Lucie, Florida.

Mr. Stanley John Humienny, Jr. and Mrs. Brenda Sessoms Humienny | Mr. and Mrs. Humienny graduated from the college in 1979 with a bachelor's degree in Medical Technology, now known as Clinical Laboratory Science. Mr. and Mrs. Humienny support students through The Stas & Brenda Humienny Scholarship. They are retired and reside in New Bern.

Dr. Thomas Stephen Joseph and Mrs. Karen Joseph | Dr. Joseph graduated from the college in 1978 with a bachelor's degree followed with a master's degree in Speech-Language Pathology two years later. Dr. Joseph is a retired audiologist. Dr. and Mrs. Joseph support students through The Dr. Thomas S. Joseph & Karen E. Joseph Scholarship. They reside in Rocky Gap, Virginia

Dr. Michael Herman Kennedy and Mrs. Merry Aycock Kennedy | Dr. Kennedy is a former professor in the Department of Health Services and Information Management. Dr. and Mrs. Kennedy support students through The SGM Herman J. Kennedy Memorial Scholarship. The scholarship is awarded to students who are also members of the Armed Forces. The Kennedys reside in Bullard, Texas.

Kinetic Physical Therapy & Wellness, Inc. | Kinetic Physical Therapy & Wellness was founded in 2010 by Dr. David Edwards, '94 and Dr. Shondell Jones, '02. In 2015, they established the Kinetic Physical Therapy & Wellness, Inc Scholarship. This scholarship gives first preference to students who are members of the American Physical Therapy Association and who have a desire to serve the residents of eastern North Carolina.

Mrs. Ann Laliotes | Mrs. Laliotes graduated from ECU in 1969 and 1973. Ann and her late husband, John Laliotes, created funds supporting the Departments of Physical Therapy and Physician Assistant Studies through a planned gift. Mrs. Laliotes is retired and resides in Grimesland.

Mr. Duane Kirk Little and Mrs. Dasha Efird Little | Mr. and Mrs. Little graduated from ECU in 1982 and 1981, respectively. They support students through The Apogee Solutions Scholarship.

Mrs. Little is the President and Chief Executive Officer for Apogee Solutions, Inc. in Chesapeake, VA. She also serves on the ECU Medical & Health Sciences Foundation Board of Directors.

Mr. Michael May and Mrs. Phyllis W. May | Mr. and Mrs. May support students through the CSDI Scholarship and programs supported by the Scottish Rite of NC.

Mr. Michael D. McCulley and Mrs. Carolyn McCulley | Mr. and Mrs. McCulley support students through The Catherine Virginia McCulley Memorial Scholarship in Physical Therapy, named in memory of their daughter. They reside in New Bern.

Mrs. Nancy Monroe | Mrs. Monroe is the wife of the late Dr. Edwin Monroe, founding dean of the college. Mrs. Monroe resides in Greenville and supports the Speech & Hearing Clinic and the Navigate Counseling Clinic.

Mr. Randolph Pope Nicholson and Mrs. Christie Crider Nicholson | Mrs. Nicholson graduated from ECU in 1996 with a bachelor's degree in Nutrition and Dietetics followed by a master's degree in Nutrition three years later. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson support students through The Nutrition Plus Scholarship. This scholarship is named for the company which Mrs. Nicholson founded. They reside in Williamston, North Carolina.

Mrs. Susan Wheeler Parker | Mrs. Parker supports students through The Lina Edwards Wheeler Memorial Fellowship in Speech-Language Pathology. This fund was created in memory of her mother. Mrs. Parker is retired and resides in Cary.

Mr. Brian Pecheles and Mrs. Suzanne Pecheles | Mr. and Mrs. Pecheles support students through The Pecheles Automotive Scholarship, which is awarded to any student within the college who is from Pitt, Craven, Martin, or Beaufort counties. The Pecheles' currently reside in Greenville and Mrs. Pecheles formally served on the ECU Medical & Health Sciences Board of Directors.

The Service League of Greenville supports students through The Service League of Greenville Scholarship. This scholarship is awarded based on academic merit to a student from eastern North Carolina who demonstrates a commitment to community service.

Mr. Kieran Shanahan | Mr. Shanahan graduated from ECU in 1979 and is the former chair of the ECU Board of Trustees. Mr. Shanahan established the Rear Admiral Christina M. Alvarado Scholarship in 2014 in honor of his wife. The scholarship supports students in the Health Services Management Program. Mr. Shanahan resides in Raleigh.

Mr. Robert "Bob" W. Smith and Dr. Martha "Betty" L. Smith | Dr. Smith is a three-time graduate of ECU and retired faculty member. Mr. Smith is a two-time ECU graduate and retired engineer. They support graduating students entering clinical practice through The Martha L. Smith, PhD & Robert W. Smith, MBA Graduate Clinical Practice Award in Communication Sciences and Disorders.

Dr. Susan Teagan Smith | Dr. Smith supports students through The W. James & Susan T. Smith Scholarship. Dr. Smith was one of the original faculty members in the Department of Clinical Lab Sciences. The scholarship carries the name of her and her late husband. She resides in Cary and is retired.

Dr. Stephen W. Thomas and Mrs. Melodie T. Thomas | Dr. Thomas served as dean of the college from 2001 until his retirement in 2014. Dr. and Mrs. Thomas support the Stephen Thomas Leadership Legacy – Student Leadership Fund which provides funding for leadership activities and opportunities for professional development to students within the college. They currently reside in Wake Forest.

Mr. David Ward, Jr and Mrs. Elizabeth Ward | Mr. and Mrs. Ward support students through The College of Allied Health Sciences Patriot Scholarship. Mr. Ward is a retired attorney and serves on the ECU Medical & Health Sciences Foundation Board of Directors. They reside in New Bern.

Mr. James White | Mr. White support students through The James & Carol White Speech Pathology Scholarship for Graduate Students and currently resides in Parkville, Maryland. The scholarship was established in 2011 and carries the name of Mr. White and his late wife, Carol.

Mr. Kevin Youngs and Mrs. Jennifer Youngs | Mr. Youngs graduated from the college in 1998 with a bachelor's degree in Physical Therapy. Mrs. Youngs graduated from ECU in 2000 and 2003. Mr. and Mrs. Youngs support students through The Blaise Michael Youngs Scholarship. The scholarship is named in memory of their son and was established in 2009. Mr. Youngs currently serves as a member of the ECU Medical & Health Sciences Foundation Board of Directors. They reside in Greenville.

ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

The W. Richard Bamberg Memorial Scholarship in Clinical Laboratory Science | Dr. Bamberg was a former faculty member in the Department of Clinical Laboratory Science. He passed away in 2011, and this scholarship was created in his memory.

The Debbie Bengala Scholarship | Mrs. Bengala is a retired faculty member from the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders. This scholarship was established in celebration of her retirement in 2015. Mrs. Bengala resides in Southport.

The Louise O. Burevitch Scholarships | Mrs. Burevitch attended ECU for one year and was a well-known philanthropist from Wilmington. She established scholarships in the departments of Occupational Therapy, Physician Assistant Studies, Health Services and Information Management, Addictions and Rehabilitation Studies, and a general scholarship, which is awarded to any students within the college. Mrs. Burevitch passed away in 2014.

The Freedom Scholarship in Occupational Therapy | This scholarship supports students in the Department of Occupational Therapy who have a connection to the US Armed Forces or other

public service organizations. Nathan Black, a 2003 graduate of the program, was instrumental in establishing the fund. Mr. Black passed away in 2011. The college remains in touch with his parents, Dr. James Smith and Mrs. Diane Smith, who support the scholarship in Nathan's memory. They reside in Statesville.

The Jennifer Elizabeth "Beth" Lambeth Memorial Scholarship in Rehabilitation Studies | This scholarship was established in 2009 by Dr. H.D. Lambeth, Jr. in memory of his daughter. The scholarship supports full-time graduate students in Rehabilitation Studies. Dr. Lambeth passed away in November of 2019.

The Pitt County Memorial Hospital Volunteer Auxiliary College of Allied Health Sciences Scholarship | This scholarship was established in 2011 and is awarded based on academic merit and commitment to volunteer work in a clinical health care setting. Mrs. Etsil Mason of Farmville is the representative associated with this scholarship.

The Peggy H. Wood Scholarship | Mrs. Wood is the former chair of the Department of Health Information Management. This scholarship was established in celebration of her retirement in 1996. Mrs. Wood still resides in Greenville.