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The Hill Society honors the **most loyal and generous annual supporters of Syracuse University**. Established in 2018, The Hill Society is an exclusive and distinguished network of donors who understand that reliable annual philanthropic support empowers innovation, enriches learning, advances discovery, and builds tomorrow's leaders.

Hill Society members have an immediate impact on students through their generosity toward the University's greatest needs and highest priorities. Members support scholarships for deserving students, Dean's strategic priorities, transformative academic programs in our 13 schools and colleges, ground-breaking research and teaching, a campus-wide network of entrepreneurship and innovation, and unparalleled student experiences through career-building internships, study abroad, community engagement, and undergraduate research opportunities.

# \$5.026 MILLION RAISED for the Fund for Syracuse

At Syracuse University, we are dedicated to preparing students for careers that make a difference. The Hill Society has helped to make our excellent education more affordable by allowing us to...

- House the **entrepreneurial Blackstone LaunchPad**, Center for Learning and Student Success (CLASS), Digital Scholarship Space, and Office of Undergraduate Research and Creative Engagement (SOURCE).
- Launch the JDinteractive program, the **nation's first fully interactive online law degree program**, with 32 students in the inaugural class.
- Organize the **first doctoral student research day** - an event to generate greater awareness of the topics iSchool faculty and Ph.D. students are investigating, allowing students to share their research ideas, obtain feedback about their approaches and find potential new collaborators within the school and across campus.
- Enable **40 students to design, prototype, and pitch original inventions** in our Invent@SU program, where they developed solutions for the environment, health, and people with disabilities.
- Send **55 Arts & Sciences students on career exploration trips** where they met with alumni leaders and learned about career options.
- Welcome **28 guest lecturers and critics** to the School of Architecture during the fall and spring semesters.
- Hold "No Innocence This Side of the Womb," a symposium exploring issues of equality, privilege, and justice in Syracuse and South Africa. Thanks to your support, we were able to **bring together Syracuse and South African artists, academics, activists, and journalists** for this important discussion.



*“Experiential education opportunities such as internships, study abroad, and undergraduate research, are critical to student success today. Syracuse University recognizes this as a key component of a complete education, and is continuously working to expand access to these opportunities. Thanks to the generosity of members of The Hill Society, we can directly increase student participation in these opportunities, especially for those who may have a financial barrier to engaging in these life-changing experiences.”*

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Steve Schaffling

ASSISTANT DEAN OF STUDENT SUCCESS  
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES





Hill Society members reside in  
**12 COUNTRIES  
& 37 STATES**

We are grateful for the commitment of our most passionate alumni and friends who continue to work together to advance Syracuse University's mission and shape its future. As a member of The Hill Society, you are leading the charge to help provide our students with extraordinary opportunities for personal and professional success.

**We simply could not do this without you.**

*"I give to ensure that future students have the same opportunity that was given to me - to obtain an affordable world class education."*

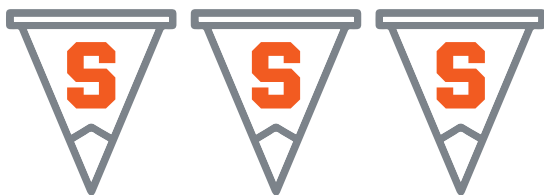
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Lawrence Raab L'10  
COLLEGE OF LAW

# HILL SOCIETY DONORS gave their gifts through

# ALL

**schools, colleges and units**



*“Graduating from Syracuse was not an end but a beginning. Nearly everything of importance to us can be traced back to the hill - our family, rewarding careers that have allowed us to provide amazing experiences for our children, and friendships that endure today. SU was more than a great education, it defined our lives— and whether it is by cheering on the Orange or contributing our time and resources, we are grateful to be able to be closely connected to the University. We are honored to be a part of its past and its exciting future.”*

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**Tyrone Shaw '10 G'12**  
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES  
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION







*“It is an honor to be a member of The Hill Society and financially support ongoing student, faculty, facility and education funding priorities and initiatives at Syracuse University. My ongoing support for The Hill Society provides me an opportunity to support the University’s future leaders.”*

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Millard Hall, Jr. G’88

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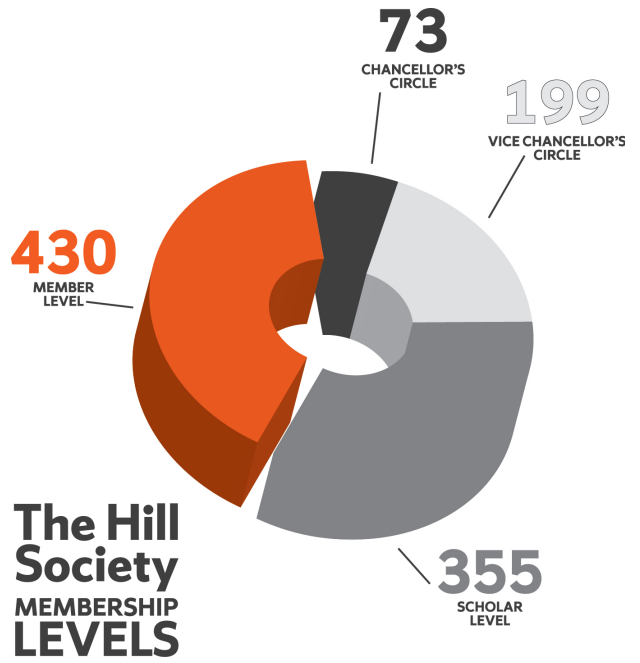


*“My trip to Nepal last year to study high altitude physiology with talented researchers and driven students in my field was not only physically and mentally challenging, but culturally and educationally eye-opening. Without the support of unrestricted funds from the University, I would not have taken the step to go on this trip and change my life.”*

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Jackson Barnes ’20  
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION





*“I was blessed to attend Syracuse University as part of the Higher Educational Opportunity Program (HEOP). Without this program, my opportunity to attend and complete a post-secondary education would not have been possible. I am forever grateful to Syracuse and as a result, I am committed to assisting the next generation of scholars at Syracuse University by giving back.”*

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Lynette G. Hall '88  
NURSING

*“Giving back to Syracuse is so important to me because SU gave me so much - a first-rate education that opened doors to many job opportunities, a lifetime connection to a wonderful group of friends (that are still a big part of my life today), and an ability to handle any winter-time weather conditions.”*

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Nicole Fortson '93  
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES



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