

# HIGH-IMPACT EXPERIENCE GRANTS

**CREATING A LEGACY** When you give to Muskingum, you become one of the University's most valued partners in sustaining our historic tradition of life-changing education.

## THE LONG MAGENTA LINE

### TWO GREAT WAYS TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The Impact Center at Muskingum University is a career catalyst for students, providing comprehensive career education, experiential learning, access to community and alumni partners, and preparation for employment. The Impact Center cultivates strong relationships with regional employers and Muskingum alumni to provide connections for students that enhances their professional development and supports regional workforce and economic development initiatives.

- Endowed Fund (minimum of \$25,000)
- Annual Grant (minimum of \$5,000)

### SIX CATEGORIES OF HIGH-IMPACT EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES:

- Civic Engagement (working in a public official's office)
- Entrepreneurship/Innovation (starting a business on campus)
- Faculty-Student Research (conservation science research)
- Work Related Learning (internships, clinicals, or observation)
- Leadership (Leadership Academy or starting a new campus initiative)
- Study away (spending a semester abroad or traveling away)

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### STRATEGIC GOALS FOR THE IMPACT CENTER INCLUDE:

- Supporting students and faculty in the identification and completion of experiential learning opportunities.
- Expanding employer and alumni partnerships.
- Supporting and expanding career development programming, including integration of career education into the curriculum.
- A commitment to equitable access to career development and experiential learning opportunities for all students.
- Tracking and assessment of career development programming and experiential learning to ensure both quality and access.



## HOW WILL YOUR PHILANTHROPIC INVESTMENT WORK?

Gifts starting at \$5,000 or more may be invested in two different ways:

### Endowed Fund

An endowed fund is an investment that will create a High-Impact Experience Grant fund in your name or in honor/memory of a designee. The fund will generate income each fiscal year to be used by the Impact Center in coordination with the Financial Services Office to help give a student an opportunity for a high-impact, hands-on learning experience. The endowed fund may be established to support any one of the six defined categories. The fund can be established with a gift of \$25,000 or more. It may be a one-time gift or a multi-year pledge, up to 5 years.

### Annual Grant

Annual donor investments of \$5,000 or more to the Impact Center for high-impact learning experiences will be collectively pooled to support students in all six categories. Due to the pooled structure of the funds, gifts may not be designated to specific categories.

## IMPACT OF YOUR DONATION

**Endowed Funds**—Donors will receive an annual report from the Office of Institutional Advancement including information on their fund's performance and the student recipient.

**Annual Grant**— Donors will receive an annual report highlighting student experiences that were made possible by multiple donors through the High-Impact Pooled Grant Fund.



# INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT

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