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Your annual gift of any size is important, it is appreciated and it is making a difference - to Hanover College, our students, and the world. When you make a gift, you're doing so much more than investing in the institution; your annual gift transforms students' lives by providing them needed scholarships and financial assistance, rigorous academics with exceptional faculty both on and off-campus, and opportunities to grow outside of the classroom through athletics, student leadership, Greek life and other social and service opportunities, all within the small-knit community that makes Hanover College so special.

Your impact doesn't stop there, though. Throughout our communities and across the globe, Hanover College alumni and friends are being *Hanover in the world*. They are thinking critically about the issues we face as families, communities and organizations. Then, they are acting with compassion to tackle those issues, whether that is volunteering at their local food pantry, working in the nonprofit sector or raising millions via flash charity drives. It all adds up to a significant collective good for our world. And it all starts with you and your annual gift.

These are just a few of the students and alumni who have been impacted by your annual support. On behalf of them and every member of the Hanover College community, thank you.



You ensure Hanover College remains financially accessible to the best and brightest students

Hanover's 2014-2015 enrollment of 1,145 was the second largest in the institution's history. Over 40 percent of students come from families earning \$65,000 or less per year. Annual gifts allow Hanover to provide some form of financial aid to 98 percent of students, ensuring all families have access to an affordable liberal arts education.

You prepare students to make a living

Hanover attracts great students and prepares them to become exceptional alumni. Hanover maintains a 13:1 student-to-faculty ratio that ensures each student receives personal attention and guidance as they explore their interests and chart their career path. Students in the Business Scholars Program benefit from the wide-reaching scope of the liberal arts and the traditional career-building skills they need to succeed in any field, while the Health and Biomedical Sciences Program prepares students to be competitive applicants to medical schools and graduate school programs. Outside of the classroom, purposeful learning and growth continue as students complete internships, study off campus, participate in NCAA Division III Athletics and lead student organizations. You make this holistic education possible and allow 97 percent of Hanover College students to gain employment or enter graduate school within 7 months of graduation.

You prepare students to make a difference

In 2014-2015, Hanover College students documented thousands of hours of service to local organizations and causes around the world. Whether they are mentoring local at-risk children on a weekly basis or spending spring break rebuilding homes and hope in Haiti, Hanover College students are making a difference. Your annual gift provides the foundation for a lifetime of meaningful service that is carried out by thousands of alumni around the globe. During the recent 1827 Service Challenge, alumni logged over 1,200 hours of service in only three weeks. Imagine the collective impact these students and alumni are having on our world.

You prepare students to make a life

Hanover is – and always has been – more than a degree. Not only are students equipped with the knowledge and skills needed to thrive in their chosen field, but they are immersed in a principle-based culture where diversity is celebrated, compassion is cultivated and members support each other in their pursuits for personal responsibility and excellence. At Hanover, students meet their future spouse, make lifelong friends, find faculty and staff mentors and continue their families' Hanover College legacy. With graduation, Hanover's impact on the world grows as they pass these values on to their children, lead corporations with integrity and guide their communities.

You are making a positive impact and we are honored to partner with you as we transform students' lives. Thank you again for making a difference through your gifts.

Gifts of all sizes are important and we recognize each donor in our annual donor roll, available at hanover.edu/giving/donors.