2016 ANNUAL REPORT
State Matching Programs

ENDOWMENT CHALLENGE PROGRAM
W.S. 21-16-903

ATHLETICS MATCHING PROGRAM
W.S. 21-16-1003

ACADEMIC FACILITIES MATCHING PROGRAM
W.S. 21-16-1403
For 15 years, the University of Wyoming State Matching Program has delivered new heights of excellence for Wyoming’s university. This remarkable public-private partnership, unique in the nation, has surpassed even the greatest expectations for its impact—forever enhancing the quality of the educational, research, and outreach missions of UW.

Established in 2001 by the state legislature, the state matching program was designed to leverage the generosity of donors and to encourage a new level of giving by creating incentives to invest in UW and its academic, athletic, and facility priorities. It is not often that an investment yields a 100 percent return, but that’s just what happens with this program—endowment gifts of $50,000 or more and facility gifts of $25,000 or more are doubled by the State of Wyoming. As a result, this program has amplified the power of philanthropy at UW and transformed the university into an institution of distinction.

Nonetheless, the return on investment of the state matching program far exceeds the leveraging of monetary support—it impacts public morale, student success, faculty achievement, and the state’s economic development. More than $222 million in endowment and facilities matches and an incredible 585 endowments and at least 20 facilities have been created or assisted by the program.
The Keuhne Foundation scholarship was established in 1999 and helps to fund disabled combat veterans who are Wyoming residents. This endowment has been doubled by state-match dollars and is already making a huge impact on the lives of Wyoming veterans. In FY 2016, $53,534 in state-matched scholarship funds were awarded to students, and Jacob was one of 18 disabled veterans to receive these dollars.

In 2010, Jacob, a corporal in the Marine Corps infantry and light- armored reconnaissance, was injured during his first tour in Afghanistan. His unit encountered an improvised explosive device (IED), which detonated and left Jacob with a traumatic brain injury. Following several months of speech pathology, he returned for a second tour before attending UW.

“I’ve always really liked computers, and then when I was in the military, I was infantry and used my body, and that kind of wore my body out, so I wanted to do something that was more intellectually suited. I need about twice as much time as most people to study and get things down. (The scholarship) allowed me to focus on my studies because I’ve tried having a part-time job but even 20 hours at the Veterans Services Center really hurt my grades, so scholarships are a way for me to support my wife and I while being successful in school.”

CPL JACOB WILD
Junior in Computer Science
Without Dr. Gardner and Marilyn, I wouldn’t even have this job. The support that they have given has just been phenomenal, and I can’t really stress enough what it has done for myself, the program, and for our research. It’s been great on two fronts: there is a teaching component, so we bolster the physiology program and give students two really impactful semesters of physiology, and secondly, the endowment has also been extremely beneficial for us in terms of helping to fund our research. It continues that training at the grad level, where I’m passing my knowledge on to my grad students and then they become Ph.D.s and continue on. I think so many of these students are fantastic here, but they would be fantastic at Harvard or anywhere, so it allows us to initiate such high-level teaching that it just grabs these students and allows them to be successful.”

DR. AMY NAVRATIL
Gardner Chair in Physiology
The concept of a multidisciplinary fluid mechanics laboratory in the new Engineering Education and Research Building was the idea of Dean Michael Pishko. The lab is to be funded by a generous gift from the Ellbogen Foundation and a 1-for-1 match by the state, which is entirely consistent with Governor Mead’s and the legislature’s interest in the Tier-1 Engineering Initiative. The Ellbogen Foundation was very clear about the importance of that to them—that their donation was contingent upon state-matching monies. Every donor loves that—when they can leverage their private donation with a state-match. It is just a fantastic opportunity to multiply the giving power of our donors. We’re going to have a first-class fluid mechanics laboratory that provides new and excellent hands-on laboratory experiences for students in civil, architectural, petroleum, chemical, mechanical, and energy systems engineering programs—we’ve never had that before.”

ASSOC. DEAN PAUL DELLENBACK
College of Engineering and Applied Science

In March of 2016, the John P. Ellbogen Foundation generously gifted the College of Engineering and Applied Science $255,000, matched by the state, in an effort to create a new multidisciplinary fluid mechanics laboratory—the first of its kind on the UW campus. This 2,200 square foot undergraduate instructional facility will impact 8 of 10 engineering students at UW, combining for the first time multiple program efforts in a single space. The lab will be housed in the new state-of-the-art Engineering Education and Research Building, slated for completion in the fall of 2019.
# UW State Match Totals

2001–2016

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STATE ENDOWMENT MATCH GIFTS AND PLEDGES BY PURPOSE AND AMOUNT

$97,347,598.20

- Student Support: $35,596,342 (36.6%)
- Excellence in Academics: $30,659,447 (31.5%)
- Faculty Support: $21,376,684 (22.0%)
- Technology & Facility: $2,340,780 (2.4%)
- Serving Wyoming: $2,701,130 (2.7%)
- Yet to be Designated: $161,801 (0.2%)
- Other: $4,511,414 (4.6%)
MATCHABLE GIFTS TO THE UW ENDOWMENT CHALLENGE
September 2015–August 2016

GIFTS FOR NEW ENDOWMENTS

EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS

Fisher Fund for Entrepreneurship
Established by Donne F. and Sue L. Fisher
to foster excellence and promote a culture of entrepreneurship throughout UW

College of Law Excellence Fund to Honor Senator Phillip A. Nicholas
Established by the E. Gerald Meyer Family
to foster excellence and provide financial support to the College of Law

Don and Betty Walters Literacy Excellence Fund
Established by Donald J. and Betty C. Walters
to foster excellence and provide financial support to the Literacy Research Center and Clinic

Tier 1 Excellence – J. Richard and Hjalma Person Williams Engineering Excellence Fund
Established by J. Richard Williams
to foster excellence and provide financial support to the College of Engineering and Applied Science

STUDENT SUPPORT

Reed Family University of Wyoming Alumni Association Scholarship
Established by Jacob Reed and Carla Reed
to support students in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources

Vince Siren Energy Accounting Scholarship
Established by Vincent J. Siren
to support students in the College of Business

Woodson Family Foundation Scholarship
Established by the Woodson Family Foundation
to support students in the College of Business
GIFTS MATCHED FOR EXISTING ENDOWMENTS

EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS
John and Amy Wilbourne Excellence Fund in Sociology
Contributed to by John and Amy Wilbourne

STUDENT SUPPORT
Donald and Roberta Adams Engineering Scholarship
Contributed to by Donald Adams

James Orr Willits Ethics Award Endowment Fund
Contributed to by the Victor Garber family

Melvin L. Riley Animal Science Judging Team Fund
Contributed to by Dr. and Mrs. Melvin L. Riley

MATCHABLE GIFTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING SMALL POOL MATCHING PROGRAM
September 2015–August 2016

EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS
UW Honors Program
Contributed to by anonymous
to foster excellence and provide financial support to the University of Wyoming Honors Program

MATCHABLE GIFTS TO THE UW ATHLETICS CHALLENGE
September 2015–August 2016

Mary H. Winger has pledged support to
UW Athletics Facilities
MATCHABLE GIFTS TO THE
UW HIGH ALTITUDE PERFORMANCE CENTER CHALLENGE

September 2015–August 2016

Gerald and Linda Baker have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Dave and Sue Bonner have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Rusty and Ann Marie Brusenhan have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Douglas and Karen Chapman have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Dooley Oil, Inc. and John and Tracy Dooley have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

John Dunn and Deanna Baker have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

April Brimmer Kunz has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Gregory C. Dyekman has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Blake and Julie Fisher and family have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Barry D. Gasdek has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Clayton and Kandy Hartman have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

John J. Hines has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Long Reimer Winegar Beppler LLP has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Dave and Patsy Madia have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center
The McMurry Foundation has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Frank and Barbara Mendicino have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

John S. and Susanne M. Miracle have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Gary and Kim Negich and family have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Jim and Christy Neiman and family – in recognition of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes – have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Scott and Heather Neu have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Carrol P. Orrison has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Pinnacle Bank has pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Richardson family – in honor of Ron and Kris Richardson – have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Richardson Family Trust – in honor of Ron and Kris Richardson – have pledged support to
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Marian H. Rochelle has pledged support to
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Ron and Patti Salvagio have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Doug and Susan Samuelson have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Bill and Victoria Scarlett have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Homer and Janet Scott have pledged support
High Altitude Performance Center

Dale and Paula Strickland and family have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center

Don and Betty Walters have pledged support to
High Altitude Performance Center
MATCHABLE GIFTS TO THE UW ACADEMIC FACILITIES CHALLENGE

September 2015–August 2016

Jerry and Connie Calkins have pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

Lawrence A. (Larry) and Kathleen Carrell have pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

Cloud Peak Energy Services Company has pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

John P. Ellbogen Foundation has pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

Doyl and Jacqueline Fritz have pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

Joseph and Patricia Grabowski have pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

Bryan and Pam Hassler have pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

MKK Engineering has pledged support to
   CEAS Capital Facility Project

J. Kenneth and Patricia Trelease Kennedy have pledged support to
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Brian and Lynne Seitz have pledged support to
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Simplicity CED, LLC has pledged support to
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J.R. Simplot Company has pledged support to
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Earl Tatman has pledged support to
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STATUS OF $112.7 MILLION ENDOWMENT MATCHING FUND
March 1, 2001 to June 30, 2016

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From Donors
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STATUS OF $60.3 MILLION ACADEMIC FACILITIES MATCHING FUND
October 1, 2005 to June 30, 2016

$70 IN MILLIONS

$53,629,880

$60,329,880

$60,329,880

Funds Received From Donors
Matching Funds Committed
Total Matching Pool
UW PRIVATE SUPPORT TOTALS
2006–2016

IN MILLIONS

Fiscal Years Ending June 30


$19.5 $39.2 $43.0 $35.9 $31.8 $43.1 $40.1 $56.0 $50.7 $46.1 $63.1

$0 $10 $20 $30 $40 $50 $60 $70
USE OF ENDOWMENT EARNINGS
2004–2016

Fiscal Years Ending June 30

$0
$3
$6
$9
$12
$15
$18

IN MILLIONS


$0 $12 $18

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ACADEMIC
FACULTY
OPERATIONS
SERVICE
STUDENT
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