



EDGEWOOD
UNIVERSITY

IMPACT REPORT

2026

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

WHILE CELEBRATING OUR LEGACY.

To carry a torch that has burned brightly for nearly 100 years is both a great honor, and a great responsibility.

As we approach our second century of mission in 2027, that remains top of mind for me and for many. Our shared work, with your committed support, continues to serve the legacy of our Dominican Sisters, and most important, serve our students. We move into the future with financial strength, with a growing academic portfolio, with a global expansion of the reach of our mission, and with growing enrollment. Strategic decisions and disciplined stewardship have created a strong foundation for the future. We are well-positioned not only to navigate the challenges facing higher education but to advance our mission, expand opportunities for our students, and deepen our impact on the communities we serve for generations to come.

The generosity of alumni, friends, foundations, and community partners contributes to this momentum in a crucial way. Your investment in Edgewood University continues to expand opportunities for students, support innovation to address the needs of a changing world, and strengthen our capacity to advance the Dominican mission we all share.

Cor Ad Cor Loquitur.



Andrew P. Manion, Ph.D.
President



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Our Trustees give their time, exercise their responsibilities with intellect and spirit, and retain our focus on a bright and mission-driven future. Once again, we are grateful for their leadership and 100% participation in our Annual Trustees' Opportunity Fund, which supports strategic priorities and fuels our focus on students today, and on the students we will serve as the reach of our mission expands.

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DR. MEGAN WALSH NAMED VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS



Dr. Megan Walsh serves as Vice President for Academic Affairs, a position she has held since July 2026.

Dr. Walsh holds a Ph.D. in English, and an M.A. in English, both from Temple University. She provides leadership and direction for the University through the Henry Predolin College of Health Sciences, the College of Arts & Sciences, and the College of Business, Communications, & Technology.

Prior to her role here, Dr. Walsh served as Dean and Campus Director at the University of Maine at Machias. She also served as Professor of English at the University of Maine. Prior to the University of Maine, she served in multiple faculty and leadership positions, including Dean of the School of Arts & Sciences and Director of the Honors Program at St. Bonaventure University in western New York state.

WE APPROACH THE NEXT 100 YEARS FROM A POSITION OF STRENGTH...

Careful planning, disciplined stewardship, and strategic investments have produced a strong balance sheet, a growing academic portfolio, diversified revenue streams, and sustained enrollment momentum.

The U.S. Department of Education assigns a Financial Responsibility Composite Score to all colleges and universities as a key indicator of financial stability. Scores range from -1.0 to 3.0, and those with 1.5 or higher are considered financially responsible. Edgewood University has earned the highest possible score of 3.0 in two of the past five years and scored 2.5, 2.9, and 2.3 in the remaining years, demonstrating consistent financial strength and responsible stewardship.

BY THE NUMBERS...

- \$48 million annual budget
- \$20 million in cash reserves
- \$3 million in capital reserves
- \$7 million outstanding debt with 10 years to final maturity
- \$69 million endowment*
- \$145 million in net assets (an increase of \$20 million since 2015)

*About Our Endowment

A \$69 million endowment for an institution our size is healthy, but there is more to the story. Fully \$45 million of that total is board-designated endowment, meaning the University can responsibly access and deploy those resources as opportunities present, and as the needs of our students evolve.



Through a disciplined approach and careful planning, our debt remains very low, relative to many peer institutions; our current \$7 million debt – assumed to expand and enhance student residences – is manageable and is one of the key markers in our Financial Responsibility indexes. This continued conservative approach preserves flexibility to invest in strategic priorities, respond to emerging opportunities, and navigate future challenges.

Undergraduate enrollment momentum remains encouraging. After welcoming first-year classes of 271 students in Fall 2024 and 251 students in Fall 2025, early indicators suggest we are well-positioned to meet or exceed our budget goal of 255 new first-year students for Fall 2026. This will mark the first time we have exceeded 250 new, first-year students three years in a row since Fall 2016-2018.

It is important to recognize here a significant development in the University's financial model: the intentional diversification of revenue sources.

Through the expansion of graduate programs, adult learning opportunities, and certificate offerings, we have reduced our dependence on revenue from traditional undergraduates while creating new pathways for growth and impact.

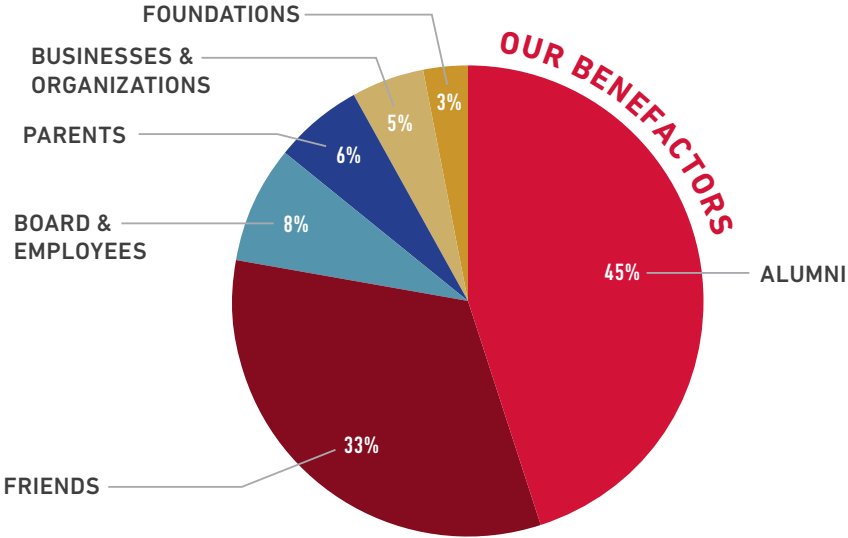
Traditional undergraduate revenue now accounts for 56% of the University's revenue, down from 62% in 2020 and 69% in 2015. This diversification strengthens our financial foundation, expands the reach of our mission, and positions the University for long-term sustainability.

New offerings, including the Nurse Anesthetist and the Hybrid Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing programs, have launched successfully and enrolled their initial cohorts. These programs make their home at the newly renovated Edgewood University Center for Health Sciences at Deming Way and address critical workforce needs while creating new opportunities for students and expanding the University's impact throughout the region. Together with other recently launched programs like Doctor of

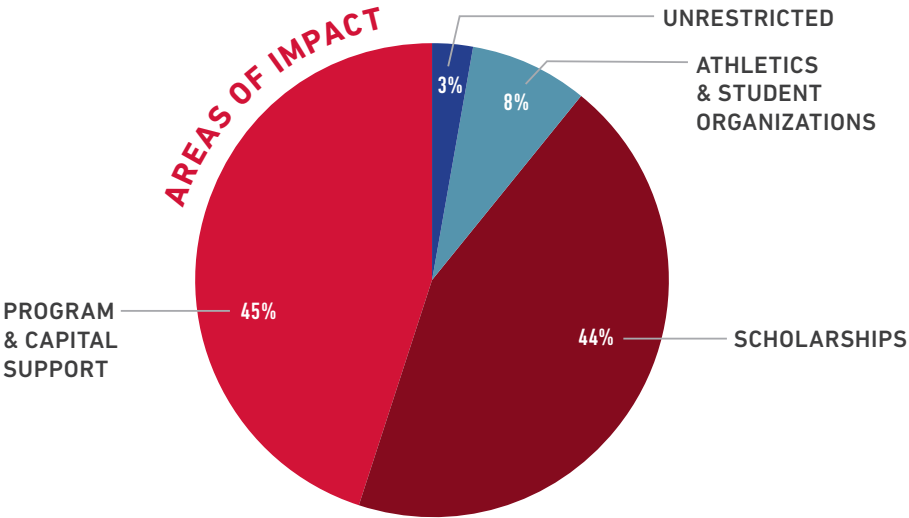
Occupational Therapy and Doctor of Business Administration, our expanding portfolio of advanced programs and degrees strengthens our reputation and our financial position.

The generosity of alumni, friends, foundations, and community partners has also contributed vitally to this momentum. Their investments continue to expand opportunities for students, support innovation, and strengthen the University's capacity to advance its mission.

As Edgewood University approaches its second century, which begins in 2027, it does so with financial strength, growing academic programs, diversified revenue streams, and growing enrollment.



YOUR GENEROSITY PROVIDES SUPPORT FOR THE NEEDS OF TODAY'S STUDENTS WHILE STRENGTHENING OUR FOUNDATION TO SERVE FUTURE GENERATIONS.



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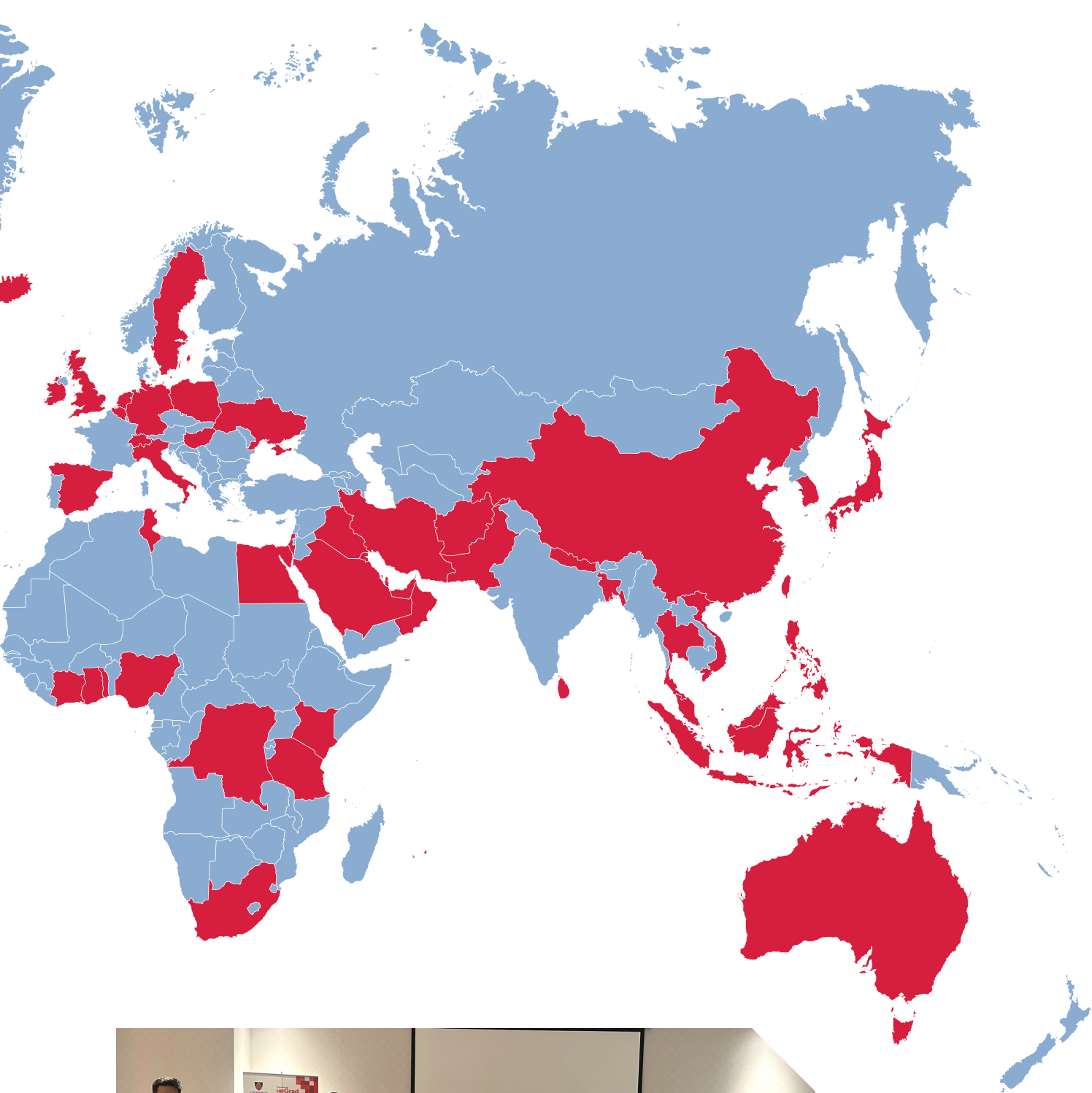
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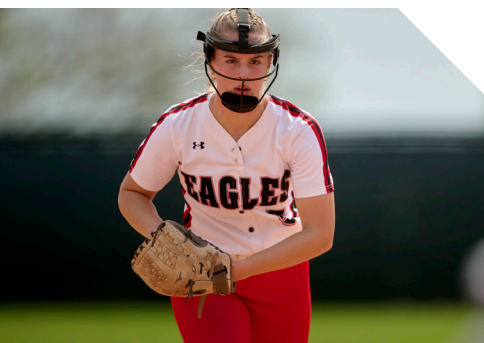
VIETNAM

THE MISSION EXTENDS WORLDWIDE

The Dominican Sisters of Sinsinawa founded Edgewood University as a community of learners committed to building a more just and compassionate world. Expanding the reach of our mission remains a hallmark of Edgewood University. Identifying the needs and opportunities of the world started for us in 1927, with a commitment to educate young women, at a time when their opportunities were too few. Today, the reach of our mission extends to 65 countries, with graduate students who embrace and reflect the rich diversity of the world's cultures and perspectives.



FEBRUARY 2026
Suzanne Otte, Ed.D. '14, Associate Dean and Director of the Educational Leadership program, meets with prospective students in Dubai, United Arab Emirates.



EVERY SCHOLARSHIP HAS A STORY.

MEET MIGUEL & GRACE

Because of you, hundreds of students are not only earning a degree—they are preparing to improve the health, education, and well-being of the communities they will serve.

One in three of our undergraduates comes from a family with an annual income of \$60,000 or less, making scholarships essential to ensuring that talent and determination—not financial circumstances—define opportunity. Students who receive named scholarships are four times more likely to enroll. Your support helps them stay on track, engage in transformational experiences, and realize their educational goals.

MIGUEL '27 | NEUROSCIENCE MAJOR/EMERGING LEADER

"Edgewood has become my second home. You have helped me stay focused on what matters most: serving others, growing as a person, and building a life that reflects both purpose and perseverance."

GRACE '27 | ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR/MUSIC MINOR

"My goal is to become an elementary school teacher who builds a classroom culture where every child feels seen, valued, and capable. Your belief in future educators like me is deeply appreciated."

THANK YOU FOR INVESTING IN THE LIVES AND FUTURES OF OUR STUDENTS.

CHILD LIFE PROGRAM'S NEWEST COLLEAGUE

Irie's resume is extensive, and unconventional. She is Edgewood University's first facility dog who is a vital member of the Child Life team.

Irie is a black labrador retriever who began her training at Can Do Canines in New Hope, Minnesota. Today, she supports our Child Life program as our students experience the gift of animal and human connection.

The Child Life program specializes in theory and practice in assisting children and their parents navigate challenging times within healthcare. "With Irie now available for Child Life students, we are bringing another aspect of clinical care into the classroom in an innovative way. Our students are experiencing in real time the 'magic' facility dogs bring to child life practice," Katie Glass, Ed.D., CCLS, Associate Dean and Program Director said.

Irie's presence and impact on our students is supported by Heidi L. Roth '84 and Herb Kohl Philanthropies.

Photo Credit: Harlow McPherson





HENRY J. PREDOLIN FOUNDATION

Henry J. Predolin Foundation's generous 2025 grant of \$1,000,000 provided scholarships for approximately 150 students.

Since 2008, Predolin Foundation grants are dedicated to supporting the undergraduate fields of nursing, business, and science through equipment, capital, and scholarship support. Predolin Foundation's total grantmaking, at more than \$15 million, has included more than \$4 million in new equipment and capital improvements. Its total scholarship support now exceeds \$11 million and has helped more than 900 students pursue an Edgewood education.

Behind each Predolin Scholarship is a student whose college experience was transformed by that support. Kate Gunderson '25 is one of those.

Kate knew she wanted the experience of a private college—but it also had to be financially realistic. The Predolin Scholarship helped make that possible.

In just three years, she graduated with a bachelor's degree in business while competing as a two-sport student-athlete, all without taking on student loan debt. Forever an Eagle, Kate has returned to Edgewood for her MBA.

Inspired by his sister's experience, Kate's younger brother, Drew, also chose Edgewood—and became a Predolin Scholar. Now, as a member of the golf team, he's found for himself that Edgewood is the perfect college fit—and he couldn't be happier.

Like for so many other students, the Predolin Scholarship gave the Gunderson siblings the security to pursue exceptional opportunities. "I watched my friends and classmates experience the same," Kate said. "Doors open here at Edgewood—people genuinely want to help you succeed and invest in who you are and where you're going."

2025 ALUMNI AWARDS

Each fall, Edgewood University recognizes extraordinary alumni with three awards:

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

Recognizes alumni who have achieved excellence in their professional career and have demonstrated a commitment of ethical leadership, service, and search for truth.

DOMINICAN MISSION AWARD

Recognizes alumni who have shown a commitment to social justice or a history of extraordinary volunteer service in the community, country, or world.

PROMISE AWARD

Recognizes alumni, 40 years of age or younger, who are emerging leaders and have achieved a high level of success through professional accomplishments and service to their alma mater or community.



ALUMNI AWARD RECIPIENTS (l. to r.)

Barbara Shackelton '62, Bernadine Karge, O.P. '65 (*Accepted by & pictured Marilyn Derr, O.P. '71*), Paul Baker Prindle '04, Victoria Thayer, MS '19, Dr. Jake Zadra '13, Carrie Powers '03, President Andrew Manion

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

Carrie Powers '03, Maple Grove, MN | President & CEO of Reprise Biomedical, Inc.
Paul Baker Prindle '04, Madison, WI | Gabriel Haberland Director of the Madison Museum of Contemporary Art (MMoCA)

DOMINICAN MISSION AWARD

Bernadine Karge, O.P. '65, Chicago, IL | Retired Immigration Attorney
Barbara Shackelton '62, Riverside, CA | Retired Writer/Teacher

PROMISE AWARD

Victoria Thayer, MS '19, Belleville, WI | Founder & CEO of Novii CPA
Dr. Jake Zadra '13, Madison, WI | Emergency Physician with Madison Emergency Physicians



DR. JAKE ZADRA '13

Few moments call for greater compassion than those when life hangs in the balance—or when life’s journey draws to its end. As a board-certified emergency physician, Dr. Jake Zadra '13 has learned that caring for patients isn’t measured only by the lives he saves, but also by how he guides people through moments they never wanted to face.

PRESENT IN LIFE’S CRITICAL MOMENTS

Jake’s work is defined by moments of crisis. Every shift brings him to patients whose lives have been unexpectedly interrupted.

In those moments, every life—and second—matters. Fear, uncertainty, and vulnerability become great equalizers. Jake’s role extends beyond diagnosing and treating. It’s also about bringing calm to chaos and helping patients and families navigate terrifying moments with compassion, humility, and

expertise. His commitment to honoring human dignity reflects the values that shaped his education at Edgewood University.

PRESENT AT LIFE’S FINAL MOMENTS

While emergency medicine is often associated with life-saving interventions, some of the most meaningful moments happen when medicine can’t change the outcome. In his practice, Jake is often the first to deliver news of a life-limiting diagnosis, help families understand devastating news, and guide vulnerable patients whose goals shift from cure to comfort. He recognizes the importance of offering his full presence to every patient interaction.

“We often meet people on the worst day of their lives, when they receive terrible news, when a loved one is dying, or when medicine just can’t fix what’s happening. In those moments, the goal isn’t always another medical intervention. Sometimes the best possible outcome we can offer is a dignified death, clear communication, and helping families understand what’s happening.”

HISTORY MEETS HEALING

Long before he was making life-and-death decisions, Jake was a student at Edgewood University learning to see each person’s story as worthy of understanding. While excelling in the classroom and on the baseball field, he pursued a history degree—an unconventional path to medicine that sharpened his critical thinking and deepened his understanding of the human experience.

“When you study history,” Jake said, “you study people. And in medicine, you work with people.”

Drawn here as a student-athlete, Jake found his liberal arts education shaped not only his career but also the way he cares for patients. Among the people who had the greatest influence on him was longtime baseball coach Al Brisack, whose lessons continue to guide him both as a physician and as a leader.

“He has a rare gift for helping people believe they are capable of more. He taught us far more than baseball—toughness, resilience, accountability, leadership, and how to keep showing up when things aren’t going your way. I apply those lessons to medicine and life every day.”



THE EDDY'S

MAY 3, 2025

EAGLE ATHLETICS EXCELLENCE

The Eddy's has become a cherished tradition, bringing together student-athletes, coaches, and the campus community to celebrate a year of achievement, growth, and impact.

THANKS TO YOUR SUPPORT, Eagle Athletics continues to create countless moments worth celebrating. From conference championships and national honors to community service and personal milestones, our student-athletes and coaches demonstrate excellence in competition, leadership, and service.

A PROGRAM FIRST: 3 EAGLES EARN 4 ALL-AMERICAN HONORS

All-American recognition is among the highest honors in collegiate athletics, reserved for student-athletes who distinguish themselves among the best in the nation. Together, these four All-American honors represent a program-first achievement and reflect the exceptional talent, dedication, and national recognition of Eagle student-athletes.

SENIOR KYLEE DOHERTY

earned two honors from the U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association: First Team in the discus and Second Team in the javelin.

JUNIOR BEN BRODY

was named First Team All-American by the United Soccer Coaches organization.

SENIOR KATIE BORCHERT

received Honorable Mention All-American recognition from the American Volleyball Coaches Association.

LEADERSHIP THAT LASTS

Great coaches do more than build winning teams—they shape generations of student-athletes, foster lifelong values and relationships, and strengthen the communities they serve.

500 WINS & COUNTING

In his 27th season leading the Eagles, Head Baseball Coach Al Brisack earned his 500th career win - a milestone achieved by few collegiate coaches.

The achievement reflects decades of competitive success, a commitment to developing student-athletes both on and off the field, and the lasting impact of a program built on excellence, teamwork, perseverance, and heart.

ALEXANDER INDUCTED INTO WISCONSIN SOCCER HALL OF FAME

Former soccer coach Tim Alexander was inducted into the Wisconsin Soccer Hall of Fame in recognition of one of the most accomplished coaching careers in NCAA soccer.

Over his career, Alexander recorded more than 570 combined victories, became the 17th NCAA coach to reach 500 career wins, earned 11 conference Coach of the Year honors, and built nationally recognized men's and women's soccer programs. Under his leadership, Edgewood soccer produced numerous All-Americans, All-Region performers, conference award winners, and championship-caliber teams—leaving a legacy of excellence for Eagle Athletics.





MAKING HISTORY

MEN'S SOCCER EARNS FIRST NCAA TOURNAMENT VICTORY

A 3-0 victory over Gustavus Adolphus marked the first NCAA Division III Tournament win in program history.



WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITION CONTINUES

3 consecutive NACC Tournament Championships.
3 consecutive NCAA Division III Tournament appearances.



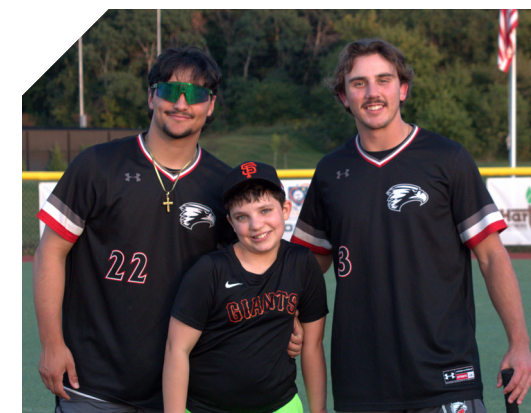
THE ANNUAL EAGLE GOLF OUTING RAISED MORE THAN \$50,000 IN SUPPORT OF EAGLE ATHLETICS.

(l. to r.)
Sponsor Oak Bank - Casey Poole '00, MBA '04, Gary Epping, Tom Carroll, Matt Hill '02



EAGLES IN PARTNERSHIP

Our Eagles continue to partner with the Miracle League of Dane County, serving as volunteer "buddies" for children with physical and cognitive disabilities, helping create an inclusive experience where every child can play, build confidence, and celebrate the joy of the game.

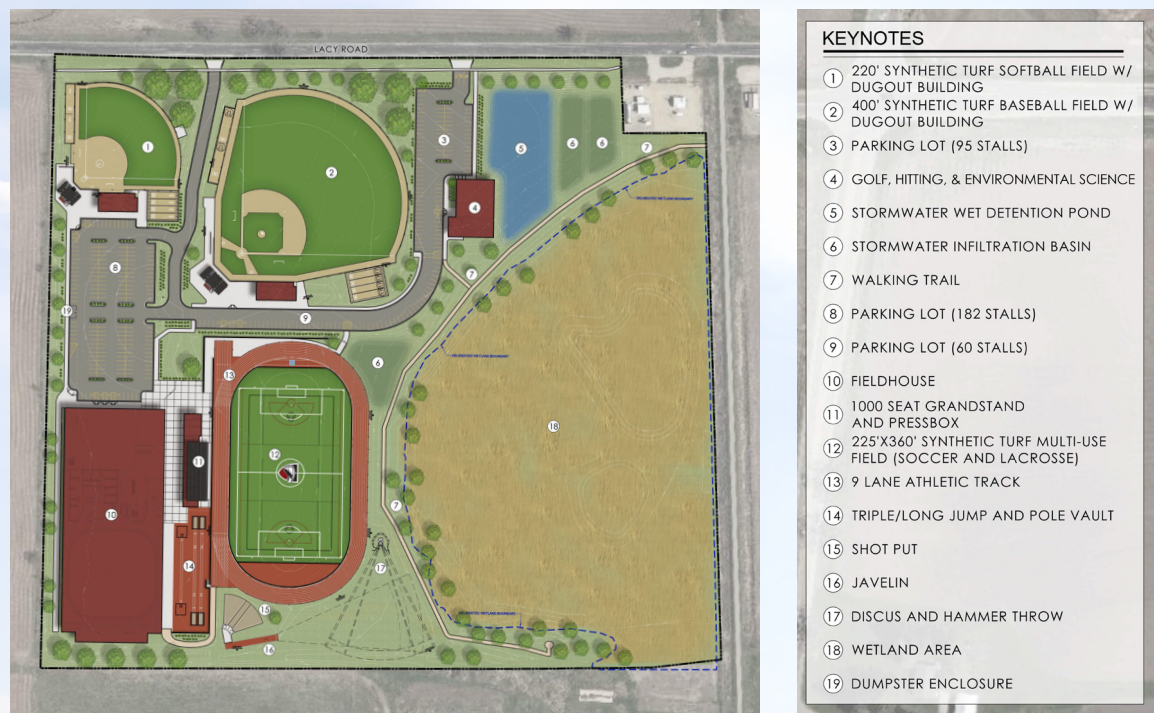


POWERED BY THE EAGLE COMMUNITY

Behind every championship, milestone, and student-athlete experience is a community that believes in Eagle Athletics. Thank you to our generous alumni, families, sponsors, businesses, and friends who provide opportunities for student-athletes to compete, grow, serve, and lead.

MOMENTUM IS BUILDING IN FITCHBURG

After years of planning, design, and securing approvals, our future Athletics & Wellness Campus is moving forward. If you’ve driven by our 40-acre site at the corner of Seminole Highway and Lacy Road, you’ve likely noticed new project signs—and site preparation is now underway.



A VISION FOR STUDENT SUCCESS AND COMMUNITY IMPACT

The Athletics & Wellness Campus will create a dedicated home for students while expanding opportunities for learning, wellness, and community connection.

Featuring competition spaces for baseball, lacrosse, soccer, softball, and track & field, the campus will support excellence in Division III athletics and provide new opportunities for youth sports, civic events, and regional collaboration. The indoor golf and training building will offer multi-sport and multi-disciplinary space designed to serve student-athletes, youth athletes, and environmental studies scholars, while the wetland and trail system will create hands-on educational opportunities and a natural resource for the broader community.

The full campus vision includes future opportunities for expanded facilities, including a fieldhouse, and additional programming.

THANK YOU

We’re grateful to the visionary donors and partners whose early investments have helped advance this project and create meaningful momentum. We look forward to sharing more updates as this transformational project takes shape.



MISSION

Edgewood University, rooted in the Dominican tradition, engages students within a community of learners committed to building a just and compassionate world. The University educates students for meaningful personal and professional lives of ethical leadership, service, and a lifelong search for truth.

VISION

Edgewood University will be an inclusive model of learning, teaching, and scholarship. Our students, alumni, faculty, and staff will be recognized for their pursuit of purposeful lives, vibrant and sustainable communities, and a just world.

DOMINICAN VALUES

COMMUNITY | COMPASSION | JUSTICE
PARTNERSHIP | TRUTH



1,000+
Undergraduate
Students

23%
identify as Black,
Indigenous, and
People of Color

2,200+
Graduate Students

1/3
are student-athletes

33%
of our students'
families have annual
incomes less than
\$60,000

22%
are first in their
families to go
to college

95% of students within their graduate field of study earn
job placement one year after graduation

(Percentages based on Undergraduate students)

100% of incoming students receive grants or scholarships



WASHBURN SOCIETY MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

ERIN SWIFT '04

Erin’s educational journey began with the Sisters of St. Agnes at St. Mary Springs Academy in Fond du Lac, WI, and continued at Edgewood University, where she was drawn by the small classes, strong financial support, and inclusive community. To her, Edgewood truly lived its motto — Cor ad Cor Loquitur — “Heart Speaks to Heart.” The chance to play soccer for the Eagles sealed her decision.

During her four years on the team, Erin found lasting friendships, discipline, and impactful mentorship. Coaches Gary Oftedahl, Mike Shult, and especially Tim Alexander left a lasting impression. “Tim focused on mentorship and building character first, and skills second,” she reflects.

In gratitude for her transformative experience, Erin has made an estate commitment to the Edgewood University Fund — supporting the greatest needs — for future students. “Edgewood made such a lasting impact on my life — it shaped who I am, both on and off the soccer field,” she shares. “With my coach’s guidance and my parents’ example, I learned how important it is to give back. It just feels right to make a lasting gift to the place that helped me become who I am today.”



The **Washburn Society** recognizes those who have included Edgewood University in their estate plans. This giving society is named to honor Governor Cadwallader Washburn who gifted his villa and lakeshore property to the Dominican Sisters of Sinsinawa in 1881, thus planting the seed of what has grown into our beautiful campus.

Planned gifts create a personal legacy, regardless of the amount, by helping to ensure a future where every student can benefit from an Edgewood University education.

For more information, please contact Jen Stewart:
Director of Leadership Giving & Planned Gifts
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WE’RE GRATEFUL TO OUR MEMBERS WHO HAVE INCLUDED A PROVISION FOR A FUTURE ESTATE GIFT TO EDGEWOOD UNIVERSITY

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- Christine Beatty & Fred Kauffeld†
- Jo Anne Berschet
- Thomas & Shaila† Bolger
- Barbara Snyder Boonchouy '65
- Patricia Butler '61†
- Joan Chickvary Cavanaugh '61
- Brent C. & Nancy L. Clausius
- Marcia (Pilon) Corcoran '53
- Ann (Taborsky) Egan '62
- Dr. Mary Jean Etten '68†
- Dr. Peter Fabian & Rev. Aurelia Hale
- Dr. James G. Goll
- Kari (Schultz) Gribble, MBA '09 & Eric Gribble
- Ann Grice Knoebel '67
- Mary Anne (Everson) Guerrero '68
& Jorge Guerrero
- Don & Jan Haasl, MA '95
- Michael L. Hammer '78, Ph.D.
& the Rev. Dr. Cindy Bacon Hammer
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- Mary Kelly-Powell & William Powell
- Fran Klos '68
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- Edwina (Chiu) '75 & Fred Law
- Verna (Schneider) Maiers '77 & Merlin† Maiers
- Ellen (Ryan) McNally '65
- Ann M. McNeary '88, MBA '93
- Bryan Meddings '98
- Sharifa Merchant '92, MBA '97
- Charlotte Meyer
- Pamela (Converse) Miller, MBA '91
& Thomas P. Miller
- Greg Milward '91 & Bruce Pitz
- Joseph J. Morrocco IV, MBA '98
- Tess Mulrooney '85
- Richard V. Munz
- Eileen B. Murphy '69
- Andrea (Fairman) Naef '02, MBA '06
- Dr. O.C. Nickelberry, MBA '94
- Mary Kay (Paisley) Nielsen '63
- Amy Ohlsen '99
- Nancy (Galles) Olson '64
- Jim Ottney
- Karen (Currier) Pfeil '85
- Patrick Riopelle, MA '99 & Jane Radue
- Heidi L. Roth '84
- Sandy Sandona '65
- Jeff Schmidt
- Colleen Settles, O.P. '71
- Barbara (Hauptmann) Shackelton '62
- Jacqueline & Darl Shimko
- Guy '90 & Eileen Somers
- Anne Barrett Swanson & David K. Swanson
- Erin Swift '04
- Bette Theisen
- Joanne K. Topham
- Linda K. Trent '00
- Lisa Van Lieshout, MBA '08
- Scott Von Rueden '06
- Daniel & Noreen (McNamara) Welte '71
- Margaret (Bruns) Wood '69
- † – Deceased

LAST YEAR WE WERE HONORED TO RECEIVE LEGACY GIFTS FROM THE FOLLOWING:

Marcella Finegan Trust | Rockne & JoAnne Flowers Joint Revocable Trust

IN MEMORIAM SR. MAGGIE HOPKINS

HER LIGHT CONTINUES TO SHINE:
REMEMBERING MAGGIE HOPKINS, O.P.

Maggie Hopkins, O.P., was a bright and steady light in the life of Edgewood University. From 1991 to 2020, she served as an educator and as Vice President for Dominican Mission, shaping its spiritual foundation through thoughtful leadership, deep listening, and an unwavering commitment to Dominican values.

Sister Maggie lived Cor Ad Cor Loquitur. She believed deeply in leading with heart and trusted that the power of what is spoken, heart to heart, changes lives. This conviction guided her work and her relationships, creating spaces where others felt seen, heard, and valued.

We give thanks for Sister Maggie's nearly 30 years of service to Edgewood University, her devotion to Dominican life, and the lasting impact she made on generations of students, colleagues, and community members. **May her spirit continue to speak, heart to heart, in the community she loved.**

2025 Emerging Leaders Reception (l. to r.)

Sarah Naughton, O.P., Maggie Hopkins, O.P., Margaret O'Brien, O.P. '70, MA '16, Kathleen Phelan, O.P. '69



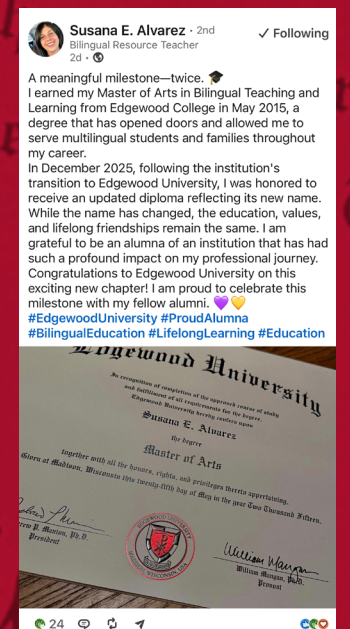
OUR PRESIDENT OFFERED OUR ALUMNI ANSWERED

To celebrate our name change, President Manion offered complimentary diplomas to our alumni.

4,322 alumni answered the call, resulting in diplomas mailed to 48 U.S. states, and 23 countries.

"...While the name has changed, the education, values, and lifelong friendships remain the same. I am grateful to be an alumna of an institution that has had such a profound impact on my professional journey..."

– Susana E. Alvarez, MA '15



CELEBRATING OUR LEGACY

We continue to prepare Edgewood University for our centennial year just around the corner. A special series of banners have been installed, honoring some of the special people whose fidelity to the mission of this institution make this celebration possible. We invite you to view the banners and explore campus.



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