



# University of Pittsburgh

Dear <Joint Salutation>,

At the University of Pittsburgh, we see the potential in each one of our students, and we work every day to provide them with the support, resources and inspiration they need to continue forging bright futures. But those students cannot reach their potential without the support of donors like you.

**Thank you for making a gift to Pitt this year. Your generosity has already made a difference for our students, and you can continue to multiply your impact by giving to the University's priority funds.** These funds are the foundation for Pitt's world-class education, pioneering research and community progress.

➤ The **Pitt Fund** has the most immediate impact because it allows Chancellor Gallagher to move money where it's needed, when it's needed. It's where our cutting-edge, world-renowned research and innovation begin. With the support of donors like you, students are doing everything from curbing gasoline apor emissions to reducing food insecurity in our region.

➤ Gifts to the **General Scholarship Fund** provide tuition assistance to our brightest and most-deserving students. A University scholarship gave Angelo Giannatta (CBA '22) the ability to live on campus. He made the most of it, joining the co-ed business fraternity Alpha Kappa Psi and the Socially Responsible Investment Portfolio, a student-run group that teaches its members to invest carefully in companies that behave ethically.

➤ **Panthers Forward** is a first-of-its-kind program that reduces the burden of student debt for participating students while teaching them about the importance of giving back. Thanks to Panthers Forward, sisters Saumya and Shriya Shetty (A&S '22) can pursue careers in health care technology and medicine without worrying about the debt that could have saddled their parents or derailed their futures.

➤ The **Student Emergency Assistance Fund** offers financial support for students facing unanticipated and insurmountable expenses. Help from the fund allowed current PhD student Hannah Strong to pay her rent after a pandemic-related job loss and to continue her research on music, social movements and feminism.

These are just a few examples of your generosity at work. But imagine what happens when you multiply these stories by all the donors who

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Angelo Giannatta (CBA '22)



Saumya and Shriya Shetty (A&S '22)



Hannah Strong, PhD Candidate



contribute to our priority funds every year. That's thousands of students supported, dreams realized, innovations conceived, and communities changed for the better.

Thank you again for giving to Pitt this year and for being a partner in our students' pursuit of excellence. **Will you continue your support of Pitt students by making an additional gift of <ask amount> to one of our priority funds?**

Our ability to impact the world is exponential when your gift is part of the equation.

Sincerely,

Jake Strang  
Assistant Vice Chancellor, Alumni Annual Giving  
Proud Chancellor's Circle Member

P.S. Every day, our students are doing that work that pushes limits and changes lives. You can help them make a difference in the world when you make your gift at [giveto.pitt.edu/pittdonor](https://giveto.pitt.edu/pittdonor).