

Advancing the UI Center on Aging through Private Support

Private gifts are a crucial component of the Center's mix of funding resources. Private support will enable the Center to reach beyond what its current operating budget allows and to broaden its impact on the lives of older adults and their families in Iowa—and everywhere.

Priorities and initiatives of the Center for which private gifts are sought include:

Support for Students

The following funding priorities are important in attracting the nation's best students to our program and providing them with a variety of multidisciplinary educational opportunities:

- Endowed fellowships for graduate students in geriatric studies
- Temporary graduate student fellowships

Support for Faculty

Our faculty are among our greatest assets. Creating endowed faculty support is an important goal if we are to remain competitive in attracting and retaining the nation's best educators and researchers.

- Named Center on Aging
- Endowed Chairs
- Endowed Professorships
- Endowed Faculty Fellowships
- Faculty Development Endowments

Program Support

Named, unrestricted endowment funds would provide a meaningful, assured, and stable margin of excellence for the Center in perpetuity, and would enable its directors to respond quickly and flexibly to special opportunities and needs as they arise.

- Center on Aging Leadership Endowments
- Endowed research or program funds
- Endowed departmental programs

These endowments would provide stable, long-term support for any aspect of the Center's research, outreach, training, and service activities of particular interest to contributors.

Gifts and multiyear pledges of all sizes are welcome and will help the Center to pursue its mission successfully. Significant levels of private support constitute a powerful vote of confidence in the Center and help leverage further support in the form of grants and contracts from government agencies and philanthropic foundations.

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