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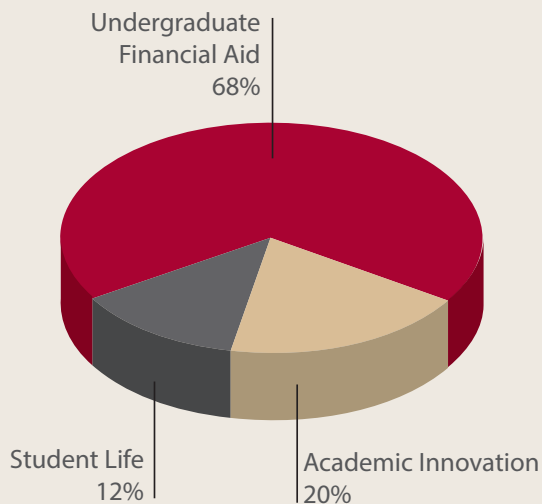
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Giving through The Stanford Fund is a meaningful way to make a difference in the lives of all Stanford undergraduates. Your gift benefits every student by providing need-based financial aid, nurturing academic innovation, and sustaining a wide array of student groups on campus.

Gifts of all sizes really add up, making The Stanford Fund a cornerstone of undergraduate support. Your gifts provide the president with the flexibility to respond to changing needs and new opportunities each year, ensuring that Stanford remains at the vanguard of undergraduate education.

In addition to providing the president with needed funds, your gift also demonstrates your support for Stanford's mission. When you make a gift, you join a robust community of alumni, parents, and friends. You also are following a long tradition of giving first set by Jane and Leland Stanford with their founding grant. Your annual generosity inspires current students and equips them to make a difference in the world.

EACH YEAR, GIFTS TO THE STANFORD FUND are allocated to top priorities in undergraduate education.



UNDERGRADUATE FINANCIAL AID

Need-based scholarships funded by The Stanford Fund ensure that students of the highest caliber are able to attend the university, regardless of their financial circumstances. Every student at Stanford benefits from connecting with peers of different backgrounds. A gift that supports financial aid enriches the entire campus community.

IN FISCAL YEAR 2013-14, MORE THAN 33,000 donors collectively gave over \$26 million to The Stanford Fund.

Did you know?

- It would take nearly half a billion dollars in endowment to generate the same level of funding each year.
- The majority of donors gave \$100 or less. The power of collective giving is strong.
- More than a third of undergraduate alumni made a gift.



Karen Camacho, '16, once struggled to learn English, but before long she was at the top of her class. "When I found out I got accepted to Stanford, I literally cried," she says. "My family was just so happy and very proud." The Stanford Fund supports financial aid like Karen's, as well as 140 student-run groups that include her campus mariachi ensemble. **Watch Karen's story at thestanfordfund.stanford.edu.**

ACADEMIC INNOVATION

The Stanford Fund provides support to all three schools at Stanford that grant undergraduate degrees—humanities and sciences; engineering; and earth, energy, and environmental sciences. Gifts to The Stanford Fund also make academic innovations possible across campus. In recent years, The Stanford Fund has helped:

- Establish two new residential humanities programs for freshmen
- Provide seed funding for the Vice Provost of Online Learning, which works with faculty to improve the classroom experience for undergraduates by developing new ways of teaching and learning
- Increase funding for academic directors—full-time, professional advisors available to freshmen and sophomores in their residence halls
- Launch the Leland Scholars Program, a pre-orientation workshop for freshmen pursuing an academic path in science, engineering, math, or pre-medicine



Thanks to support from Stanford Fund donors, two new dorm-based programs are bringing the humanities into students' daily lives. At top, the renowned St. Lawrence String Quartet performs for freshmen in one program focused on the arts, and (above) students assemble a device once used by astronomers in a program focused on the history of science.

STUDENT LIFE

Gifts to The Stanford Fund help sustain more than 140 student groups, club sports teams, and public service organizations. These groups are a vital part of the Stanford experience, helping students explore their passions, forge connections, and develop leadership and team-building skills that prove useful long after graduation.



Three of the many student groups supported by The Stanford Fund (from top): Women's Rugby, the Fleet Street Singers, and DreamCatchers, an after-school tutoring and mentoring program.

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\$10,000 or more
(\$25,000 or more establishes a Stanford Fund Scholarship)

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\$1,500 or more from parents of current undergraduates

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\$1,000 to \$9,999

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President's Fund

\$5,000 or more for those five to nine years after graduation and \$1,000 or more for one to four years

Leadership Circle

\$500 or more for those five to nine years after graduation and \$100 or more for one to four years

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