Fiscal Year 2014-2015 Facts:
- Total number of donors: 8,935
- 58% of all gifts were $100 or less
- The average gift was $419.38

Where donors give
- Unrestricted: 36%
- Research: 21%
- Student Development: 20%
- Departmental: 13%
- Athletics: 4%
- Community Engagement: 3%
- Operating: 3%

General Events
- Hearst Tower Networking Event
- Network NYC
- Albany Happy Hour
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- Athletics events
- Lecture series

GOLD Events
- NYC Schmooze
- NYC Spring/Summer event
- Albany River Cruise Night
- Albany Bowling Night
- Albany Homecoming Brunch

GOLD 1844 Society
- Homecoming tent
- Invitation-only receptions and special events

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IMPACT REPORT: **UAlbany Gifts at Work**

UAlbany’s Graduates of the Last Decade (GOLD) alumni play a vital role in the growth of the university. Gifts to the UAlbany Fund provide critical opportunities to students, keep UAlbany competitive and strengthen our position on the path to the next level of excellence.

**UAlbany Campus DEVELOPMENT**
- Iconic fountain
- Campus Center Additions/Renovations
- Business School Building
- Tom and Mary Casey Stadium at Bob Ford Field
- Liberty Terrace dorm
- Dining hall and dorm renovations

**By The Numbers**
- State support has decreased by 34% since 1990; currently sits at 12% total of total operating budget
- $21,703 average cost of undergraduate attendance
- UAlbany provides over $1.1 million annually in scholarships and awards
- Graduation rate of 65% is much higher than national average of 44%
- 42% of incoming freshman are students of color
- 30% of incoming freshman are the first person in their family to go to a four year college

**Nationally Ranked Programs**
8 graduate programs ranked in the nation’s TOP 25 by U.S. News and World Report.

**Athletics**
Since moving to Division 1 in 1999, UAlbany has earned more than 80 conference titles and advanced to more than 35 postseason NCAA playoff berths. Lyle Thompson, Peter Hooley, Paula Heuser and Grace Claxton are internationally recognized stars.

**Academic Expansion**
- Introduction of the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences
- Creation of the College of Emergency Preparedness, Homeland Security & Cybersecurity
- Affiliation agreement with Albany Law School
- Expanded MBA programs and entrepreneurship opportunities through Blackstone LaunchPad

**Testimonials**
“A scholarship doesn’t just recognize your accomplishments; it also gives you more opportunities. I’m grateful and I’m honored…”
**Samuel Gorenstein, Class of 2013**

“It’s a great thing to support the next generation coming up. The people here have been great, I feel that if you surround yourself with people who are willing to learn and reach the same goals and have great careers, then you will succeed. UAlbany really does put “the world within reach.””
**Habeeb Famuyide, Class of 2016**

“Consistently giving back to UAlbany is my way of thanking UAlbany for an incredible four years. I’m confident my investment will help the University grow and develop our future leaders.”
**Lisa Fund, Class of 2005**

*If you want to lift yourself up, lift up someone else.*
**Booker T. Washington**