

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

[2015-2016]

This report contains data from the 2015-2016 school year





Monsignor Stuart Swetland

Every year Donnelly College holds a Thanks and Giving celebration on the Tuesday before Thanksgiving. This year the celebration was held three times to serve our diverse community. The first celebration was at lunch time where, after an ecumenical prayer service, hundreds of students were afforded a traditional Thanksgiving meal prepared and served by our wonderful faculty and staff. The celebration was repeated in the late afternoon for our nursing students and again in the evening for our students who attend night classes. These gatherings allowed me to see, in one day, about all of our students and to celebrate with them. It was, as always, a beautiful and poignant reminder of the importance of the mission of Donnelly College.

The overwhelming attitude that struck me during this year's Thanks and Giving was the gratitude of our students for the opportunities that Donnelly College provides for them. They know that numerous people- most of whom they do not know – make possible the wonderful education and formation they receive.

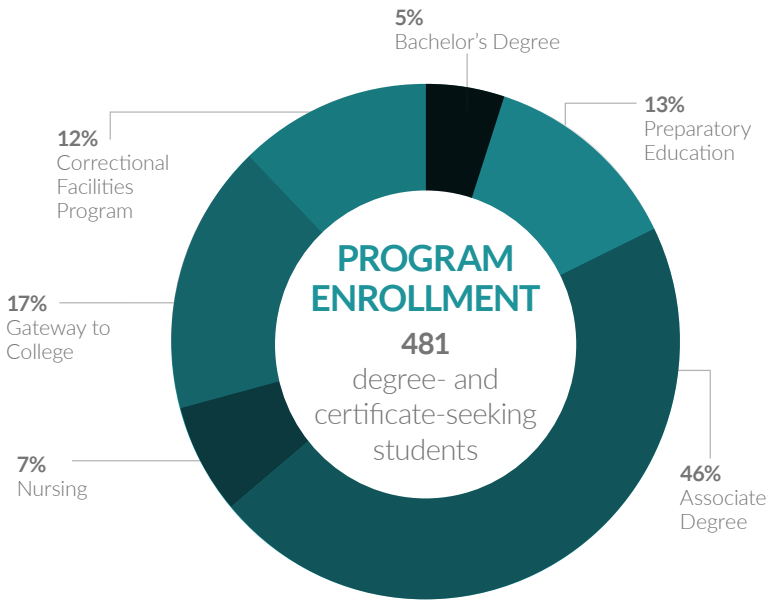
Our students indeed are grateful for the opportunity that they have, but they also amaze me by their hard work and efforts. Balancing home life, work and college can be daunting for anyone, but it is particularly challenging for first generation college students like ours. Our incredibly dedicated staff and faculty at Donnelly College work tirelessly to serve our students as they try to become “the best version of themselves.” Your support makes possible this wonderful encounter of a well-formed, focused staff with eager, hardworking students.

As you read this report, please know how much we appreciate and need you and your continued investment in our mission, and our students. The work that was begun so faithfully by Bishop Donnelly and Sr. Jerome and their co-workers 67 years ago continues in a new era where it is more needed than ever.

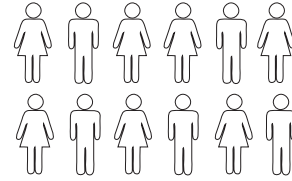
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Monsignor Stuart Swetland
President

ABOUT DONNELLY



29%
increase in enrollment from
Fall 2015 - Fall 2016



On average, Donnelly's classes have
12 STUDENTS

WHO OUR STUDENTS ARE



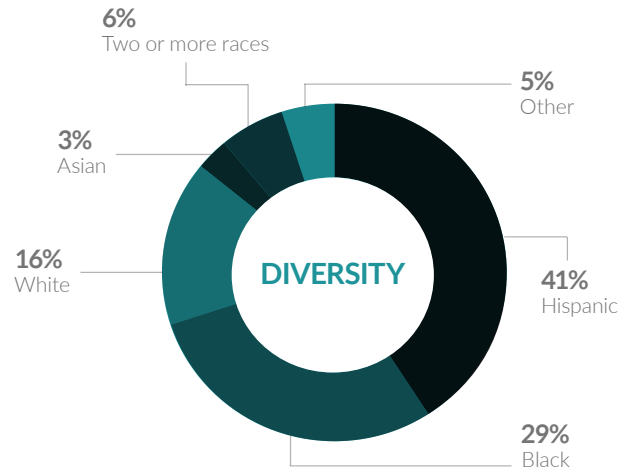
39% male 61% female

64% full-time

36% part-time

81
PERCENT

first-generation college students
- almost twice as high as other
four-year institutions nationally



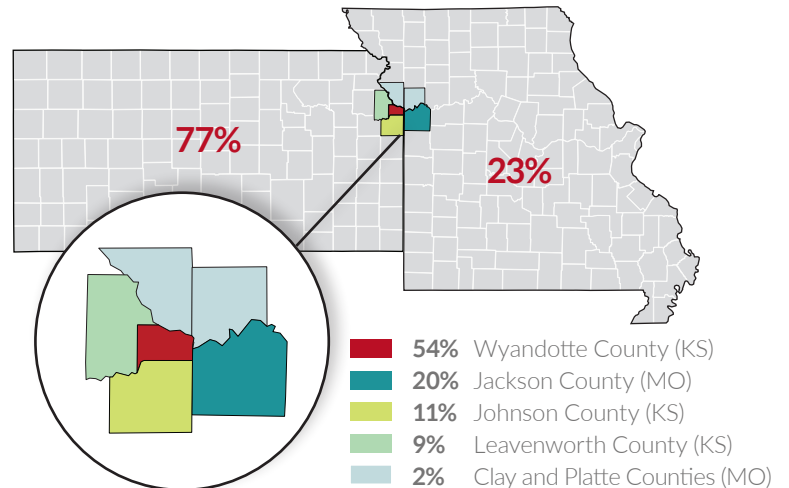
WHERE OUR STUDENTS COME FROM

31 total metro high schools represented by Donnelly's student body



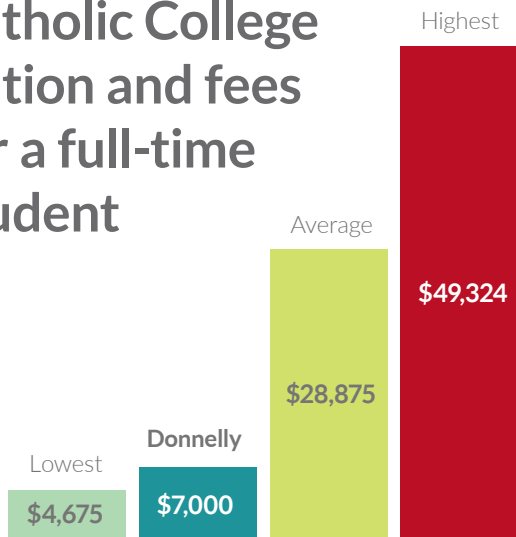
440

An additional current high school students received credit through College Credit Now



WE ♥ SCHOLARSHIPS

U.S. average Catholic College tuition and fees for a full-time student



Source: Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities

PELL GRANTS



Students who receive Pell Grant assistance

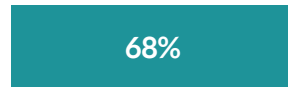
\$795,401

total Pell Grants distributed

\$3,488

average award

SCHOLARSHIPS & institutionally-based aid



Students who receive scholarships and institutionally-based aid

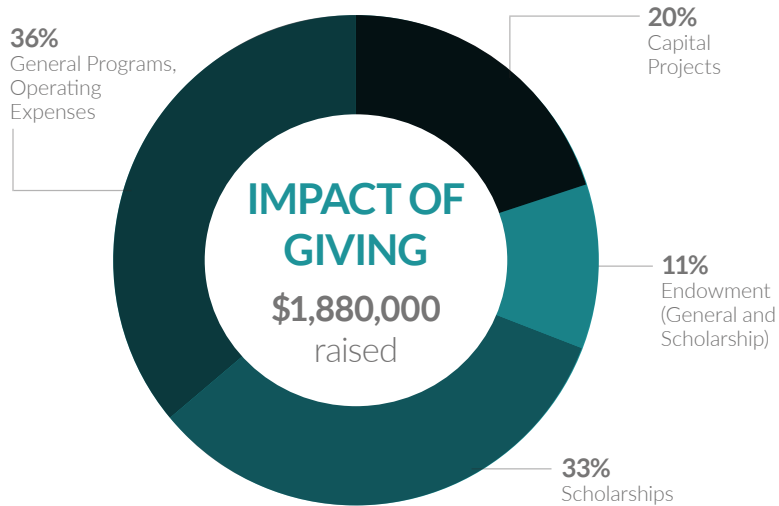
\$691,943

total scholarships and institutionally-based aid

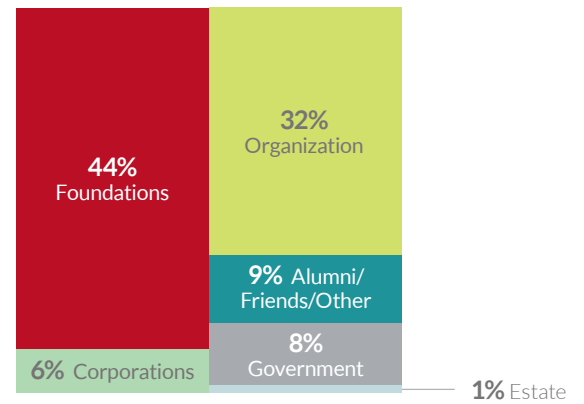
\$2,995

average award

FINANCIAL INFORMATION



SOURCES OF GIFTS



SOURCES OF OPERATING REVENUE

