

Lanecc.edu/Foundation

## 2024 - 2025 ANNUAL REPORT

A LASTING, LOCAL LANE

LEARN LOCAL, WORK LOCAL.



#### A message from Lane Community College President, Stephanie Bulger

At Lane Community College, we know that education is most powerful when it connects directly to people's lives and futures. Thanks in large part to you, our donors, employers, alumni, and the LCC Foundation, students are not only gaining access to higher education, but also finding the support they need to reach their goals and lift up our community.

This past year. Lane has deepened partnerships that extend learning beyond the classroom. New college initiatives like the LCC Chamber Connect link students and local employers, creating opportunities that prepare graduates with skills for meaningful careers while fueling Lane County's economic vitality. These collaborations are a clear reminder that when we invest in students, we invest in the strength and resilience of our entire region.

Your generosity makes this work possible. Every scholarship awarded. every program supported, and every innovation funded ensures that more students can thrive, regardless of the challenges they face. Together, we are building a future where Lane is not only a college of access and opportunity, but also a driver of community growth and economic well-being.

Thank you for your partnership, your vision, and your belief in what education makes possible and how education makes our community thrive. With your continued support. I am confident that Lane and its students will lead the way toward a stronger and more vibrant future.

With gratitude and optimism,

- Dr. Stephanie Bulger, LCC President

#### A message from the Executive Director, Wendy Jett

Each fall, the campus feels re-energized and full of promise. Parking lots are full, students are in the hallways, faculty are poised to teach new classes, and new facilities are open, creating an even better student experience. You are such a large part of the opportunities we are able to provide to our students. Your support has gotten them here and enables them to pursue careers that are sustainable and relevant to our local community.

Our work does not end when students leave our campus. Our new LCC Alumni Network is thriving. We currently have over 650 members-and growing! Anyone who has ever taken a class with us is an alum, and our Alumni Network offers career networking, social activities, and community building events. I encourage you to join our Network by signing up at www.lanecc.edu/alumni.

Heading up our Alumni Network is Kaisa Lightfoot, who joined our staff this past winter. If you haven't yet met Kaisa, she is a powerhouse of positive energy and excited to create opportunities for our students and alumni. Kaisa is also the point person for our student ambassadors – introduced on the next few pages. You will hear more about them over the coming year through email, mailings, and events. Keep an eye out for these amazing stories of student success!

Thank you for your support of our students, alumni and programs. You are making a critical difference in our community and our students' lives.

Here's to another great year!

Wendy Jett, Executive Director

For more information on the LCC Alumni Network, contact Kaisa Lightfoot at 541-463-5898 or kaisa@laneccfoundation.org































**LEARN MORE ABOUT** THEIR STORIES IN THE **COMING MONTHS.** 



### PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE AWARDS



#### **Diana Learner**

For over a decade, Diana has financially supported scholarships, capital projects, and programs at Lane Community College. She has also been an annual Celebration sponsor, always bringing a table full of friends who are as excited as she is about Lane's mission and ready to raise their paddles in support. Diana's work on the Foundation's executive committee has been instrumental in the current success of the Foundation. Diana also serves on the Foundation's finance committee and has been a strong voice on other ad hoc committees and during strategic planning. She has not only committed her funds, but also her time and expertise to grow the Foundation in service to LCC students.

#### **King Estate**

King Estate has been a major sponsor of LCC Foundation events since 2003. For more than a decade, they provided all the dinner wines for the Harvest Dinner, elevating the experience of this signature event. In 2020 King Estate creatively partnered with the Foundation to boost the success of our first Celebration fundraiser, providing wines to be delivered to guests' homes to enjoy with their "remote dinner" during the online event. They have returned every year since, generously providing estate label wines for our in-person Celebration dinner experience. This in-kind support has an enormous impact on the success and popularity of the event each year.





#### **Lane Community Health Council**

Lane Community Health Council has been a consistent scholarship donor, spearheading an annual scholarship that supports students involved with Centro Latino Americano in Eugene – and encouraging other corporate partners like PacificSource Health Plans and Trillium Community Health Plan to contribute to that effort. In 2023, LCHC made an extremely large two-year commitment of nearly \$1 million to support scholarships, curriculum development, and equipment in our health professions programs, making a critical investment in this much-needed workforce. Lane Community Health Council has been an outstanding partner to the Foundation and have gone even further to help champion additional community support for LCC students.

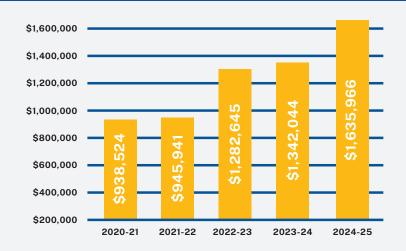


## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET For the year ending June 30, 2025

ASSETS	2025	2024
Cash	\$1,666,666	\$3,231,151
Notes Receivable	\$32,020	\$50,852
Investments	\$27,353,230	\$22,894,696
Pledges Receivable	\$1,888,773	\$2,483,093
Other	\$107,561	\$87,768
Total Assets	\$31,048,250	\$28,747,560
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable	\$556,406	\$427,623
Deferred Revenue	\$131,500	\$28,000
Obligations Under Split-Interest Agreements	\$647,750	\$633,122
Total Liabilities	\$1,335,656	\$1,088,745
FUND BALANCE		
Without Donor Restrictions	\$768,268	\$722,006
With Donor Restrictions	\$28,944,326	\$26,936,809
Total Fund Balance	\$29,712,594	\$27,658,815
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$31,048,250	\$28,747,560



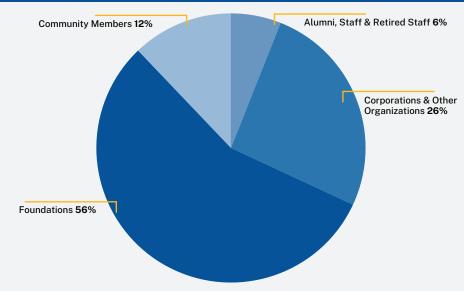




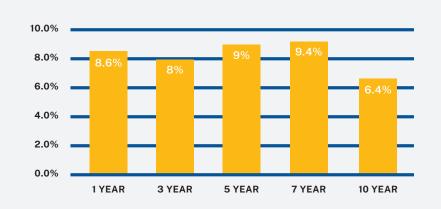
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#### **ENDOWMENT INVESTMENT RETURNS**



**AVERAGE ANNUAL RETURN** 



#### **Executive Committee**

- Diana Learner, President
- Irene Alltucker, First Vice President
- Steve Wildish, Second Vice President
- Shannon Grant, Treasurer
- Alan Yordy, Past President
- Paula Chan Carpenter, Member at Large
- Susan Soonkeum Cox, Member at Large
- Stephanie Bulger, LCC President
- Wendy Jett, LCC Foundation Executive Director

#### **Finance Committee**

- Zachary Blalack
- Shannon Dolan
- Ben Carlile
- Shannon Grant
- Diana Learner
- David Sullivan
- Alan Yordy





#### **Trustees**

- Amanda Haugland
- Mary Jeanne Jacobsen
- Mary Jane Mori
- Tanner Perrine
- Bart Poston
- Kim Rexius
- Bruce Riddle
- Amy Romero
- Mary Spilde
- Sandy Watkinson
- John Wolf

#### **Ex-Officio**

- Rosa Maria Bañuelos-Uribe, LCC Staff Representative
- Doug Ford, LCC Faculty Representative
- Steve Mital, LCC Board of Education Representative





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# HERE'S TO ANOTHER GREAT YEAR!

Thank you for your support that transforms lives and secures tomorrow's workforce right here in Lane County.





