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## ALBERTUS 2020: A STRATEGIC PATH FOR THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY

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A Falcon's eye-view of the campus.

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PLAN FOR THE FUTURE

# ALBERTUS 2020:

## A Strategic Path for the 21st Century

Since its founding in 1925, Albertus Magnus College has been committed to providing an education that promotes the search for truth in all its dimensions, is practical in its application and grounded in the Dominican values of study, prayer, community and service. Albertus 2020: A Strategic Path for the 21st Century is the culmination of a collaborative effort that began 18 months ago to create a strategic path, which will enable the College to flourish in a world where quality and value of education is acknowledged.

Introducing the five initiatives of Albertus 2020 to the Albertus community, President Julia M. McNamara noted that “At the heart of any college community is its students.” For students of all ages, our mission rings true. It provides a strong base in the liberal arts, enabling students to grow as individuals, building not just a career but a full and meaningful life. As the world changes, so must the College, looking at all its programs and courses—evaluating, reshaping, dropping some, adding others. Self-examination is a continuing process as we approach the 90th anniversary of our founding.

Read the plan online at:

[csp.albertus.edu](http://csp.albertus.edu)



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Dr. Julia M. McNamara, President, appointed Mr. Steven Gstalder, vice president for information technology services, left, and Dr. Sean P. O’Connell, vice president for academic affairs and Dean of the Faculty, to co-chair the College’s strategic planning process. In all, some 600 persons—alumni, faculty, staff, trustees, community leaders, prospective students and Dominican Sisters—shared their thoughts about Albertus in large and small group sessions, as well as one-on-one interviews. The information was sifted, studied and rigorously discussed, providing the foundation for the College’s plan for the future.

# INCLUSIVE



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## Celebrate our Inclusive and Diverse Community

This initiative promotes a diverse, inclusive learning environment by recruiting and retaining students, faculty and staff who reflect the demographic changes in our society.

# ATHLETIC



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## Promote Strong Athletic Programs

Strong athletic programs can enhance campus life, promote student engagement, foster community spirit, and help attract and retain students.

# INNOVATIVE



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## Enhance our Capacity for Technological Innovation and Human Creativity

The College is exploring the development of a Digital Media and Creative Arts Education Center, a multi-use space, to provide academic programs that leverage advances in digital technologies.

# DISTINCTIVE



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## Implement Innovative and Distinctive Delivery of Academic Services

Enhance student access, options and success through effective use of technology and the development of flexibly-delivered academic programs.

# HIGH-IMPACT



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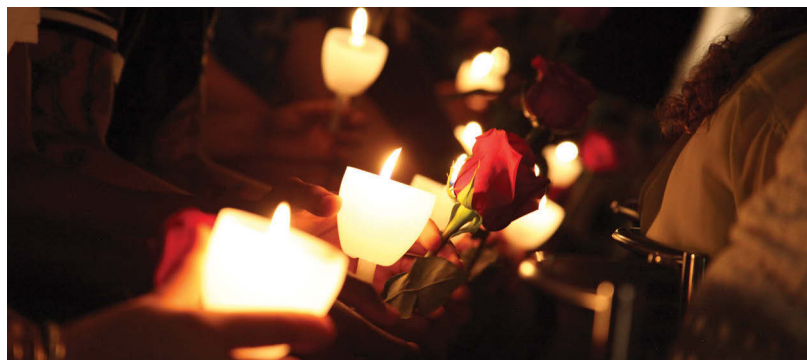
## Commitment to the Development of In-Demand and High-Impact Programs

This initiative will prepare students to succeed personally and professionally through the development of academic programs in high-demand fields supported by our strong foundation in the liberal arts.

# PREACHING Through the Arts

Dominicans: Preaching through the Arts was the theme of the third Annual Founders' Day celebration of our founders, our heritage and our College. Sr. Thoma Swanson, O.P., internationally-acclaimed stained glass artist, and founder and former chair of the art department at Albertus, was the morning speaker on preaching through art. She describes her art as a form of teaching the Gospels, with a message behind all her work. "We realize with humility that artists are gifts from God for the community, as is the community a gift for the artists." Responders to her talk were Abbe Miller, director of the graduate art therapy program; Jerome Nevins, co-chair of the department of visual and performing arts; Annalise Chiarelli '14, a psychology major with a concentration in art therapy; and Rebecca Weinberger '15, an art major with a minor in English. At noon, in the oldest Albertus tradition the Candlelight Ceremony seniors passed the light of knowledge to new students; administration and faculty members were in full academic attire for this solemn ceremony. (A ceremony for students in the evening programs took place September 29.) Following the All-College Picnic, Sr. Amy McFrederick, O.P., co-director of Associates for the Dominican Sisters of Peace, spoke on preaching through music. She played and sang pieces she has composed to accompany the words of the Gospels, making them more accessible to people. "To be a Dominican is to be a preacher always, and all ways," she said. Following Sr. Amy's presentation, the Albertus Magnus College Chorus performed several selections. The College presented its Veritas Award to Professor Jerome Nevins in recognition of his 35 years of service. (See page 5 for his comments on teaching.)

[albertus.edu/founders2014](http://albertus.edu/founders2014)



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# Veritas Award

The Veritas Award is presented from time to time to those alumni and friends who personify the values, traditions and service to others, which are hallmarks of the Albertus mission.

This year, at Founders' Day, the College honored Jerome Nevins, professor of visual and performing arts and co-chair of the department of visual and performing arts, for his 35 years of dedicated service to Albertus. Accepting the award, he said: "I am grateful for the opportunity to share my love of art with students, supported by 800 years of Dominican search for truth and meaning. The Dominican motto, 'Contemplata aliis tradere,' to give to others the fruits of one's contemplation is drawn from the writings of St. Thomas Aquinas, and encompasses vocation, work and spirituality simultaneously. This ideal has sustained me for the last 35 years and has reminded me to always return to the deep well of contemplation, to nourish my energy and enthusiasm for the challenging work of teaching undergraduates...."

"I believe that excellence in teaching begins with having a profound respect for the integrity and honest intent of every student. Each must find his or her own voice. Each must feel secure enough in the classroom to take risks, make mistakes, feel encouraged by successes and derive energy from a supportive, cooperative classroom environment...."

"Most of my students will not become artists; that is not their intent, nor mine. For many, the language of art is something completely new to them. How can art be important to the athlete, the business major, the tired mom working two jobs and trying to get a degree? What can it say to them? How can it expand their world and deepen their experience? This is how I approach my work here at Albertus...."

"I'd like to think that I succeed in opening minds to new possibilities. Some students find a new talent and develop a passion they never expected to have. More often, they discover, sometimes to their surprise (and disappointment), that art is hard work. It is in the doing, the thinking, the trying and trying again, that our lives are enriched...."

"Teaching here has enriched my life in ways I could not have foreseen 35 years ago when I began. I am grateful for the support of my colleagues and grateful for the privilege of working with students to help them discover beauty in art, to see light more deeply and to discover truth that is felt and personal."

*Jerry Nevins holds a B.A. from Albright College and an M.F.A. from Rochester Institute of Technology. He exhibits frequently in solo and group shows. Learn more: [albertus.edu/nevins](http://albertus.edu/nevins)*



Board of Trustees Chairman Joseph R. Crespo, President Julia M. McNamara and Professor Jerome Nevins



Professor Jerome Nevins, Rebecca Weinberger '15, Sr. Thoma Swanson, O.P., Annalise Chiarelli '14 and Professor Abbe Miller



Sr. Amy McFrederick, O.P.

Photos: Judy Sirota Rosenthal



# PARTICIPATE

## The Intersection of Academics and Athletics

**A**t Albertus Magnus College the pursuit of excellence in competition is fully compatible with the pursuit of excellence in the classroom. The combination leads to a more complete educational experience for all. Albertus 2020: A Strategic Path for the 21st Century recognizes the importance of athletics to the entire College community, focusing its fourth strategic initiative on athletics and the ways strong athletic programs can have a very positive impact on the crucial areas of student enrollment, student retention and College community spirit. Success of athletic teams can be a point of pride for the entire College community, and for the New Haven community as well.

In all athletic endeavors, the objective is to conduct programs in the right way, with victory being the by-product of doing things the right way. Albertus athletic programs will provide an educational experience that will contribute to the lifelong personal, social and professional success of our student-athletes.

Mark Barreuther, professor of biology and chair of the biology chemistry and mathematics department, serves as the faculty athletics representative; faculty mentors have been appointed for each team. (See page 7.)

Meet our student-athletes:

[albertus.edu/studentathletes](http://albertus.edu/studentathletes)



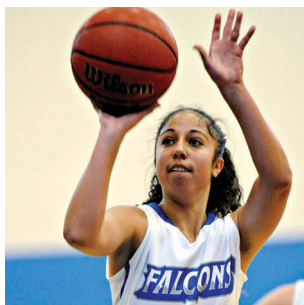
Photo: GEM

Nearly half of the traditional day program—253 out of 540 students—is involved in the College's athletics program. Seventeen of 18 transfer students who enrolled this fall did so because they wanted to be on an Albertus team. A member of the NCAA's Division III, Albertus competes in the Great Northeast Athletic Conference, and currently fields 12 teams; men's and women's golf teams, now club sports, will begin intercollegiate competition next year. Mike Hughes, a pitcher on the baseball team, is one of our student-athletes.

[albertus.edu/hughes](http://albertus.edu/hughes)



# Twelve Varsity Sports For Albertus Student Athletes



Photos: Leyna Andren and Ron Waite

## MORE THAN FANS

There are many ways for the Albertus community to support its teams. New this year is a Faculty Mentor program created to provide each team with at least one mentor. The mentor is the liaison between the team, athletics and faculty.

### FACULTY MENTORS

Men's Soccer	Wayne Gineo, Ph.D. Jeremiah Coffey, Ph.D.
Women's Soccer	Jeremiah Coffey, Ph.D.
Women's Volleyball	Nancy Fallon, Ph.D.
Men's Volleyball	Loel Tronsky, Ph.D.
Men's Tennis	Norman Davis, Ph.D.
Women's Tennis	James Patsalides, M.S., M.A.
Women's Basketball	Christine Atkins, Ph.D. Mark Case, Ph.D.
Men's Basketball	Deborah Frattini, M.S., M.F.A. Wayne Gineo, Ph.D. Karen Kendrick, Ph.D.
Baseball	Joan Venditto, Ph.D. Natalie DeVaul, M.F.A. Howard Fero, Ph.D.
Softball	Karen Kendrick, Ph.D.
Women's Lacrosse	Amanda Berhenke, Ph.D.
Men's Lacrosse	Patricia Compagnone- Post, Ph.D. Christine Atkins, Ph.D.
Men's and Women's Golf	Sean O'Connell, Ph.D.

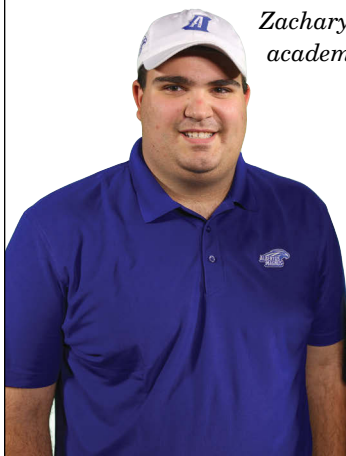
Christine Atkins, Ph.D., associate professor and coordinator of foreign languages, and director of the Honors Program, is a faculty mentor. She has already met with her two teams—women's basketball and men's lacrosse—and stopped by an early morning lacrosse practice. Students who are not playing on teams have major behind-the-scenes roles. Stacie Hurley '17, for example, is the team manager for men's lacrosse; she also is the student president of the Honors Program.

[albertus.edu/honors](http://albertus.edu/honors)



Photo: GEM

## Golf: Our Newest Club Sport



*Zachary Schatz transferred to Albertus this fall because of its fine academic program and its new golf program. Now club sports, men's and women's golf teams will see Division III competition next year. Jackie Beck is the coach for both teams. She played her collegiate golf at Illinois State University, where she was inducted into the Athletics Hall of Fame. "It's a wonderful opportunity to build a competitive program with talented student-athletes like Zachary," she says.*

[albertus.edu/golf](http://albertus.edu/golf)

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SHARING OUR TALENTS

# ARTS at Albertus

In 1970 Sr. Thoma Swanson, O.P., officially established a major in art at Albertus Magnus College and served as its first chairperson. Since then hundreds of art majors have gone on to post-graduate study, teach at all educational levels, establish careers in commercial and fine arts, and art-related professions. Sculptors, artists, graphic designers, art therapists, digital designers—Albertus alumni continue to pursue the centuries-old Dominican motto of “Contemplata aliis tradere”—to give to others the fruits of one’s contemplation—sharing their talents through their art.

Today at Albertus, the visual and performing arts department is co-chaired by Julia Coash, professor of studio art and art history, and Jerome Nevins, professor of visual and performing arts. Department programs combine the humanistic offerings of a liberal arts college, with a broad and integrated training in the arts.

Nevins recently received the College’s Veritas Award for his 35 years of service to the art department and arts at Albertus. (See page 5.)

For Coash, her role as teacher is “to encourage students to reflect on how ideas, values and materials from their personal lives and interests could be a source of inspiration in their studies and their studio work.” She also is the chairperson of the Master of Arts in Liberal Studies program at Albertus. Recently returned from doing sabbatical research on calligraphy in Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos, Coash has exhibited her work in Bermuda, Paris, Cairo and throughout the United States.

Albertus student Rebecca Weinberger is a member of the class of 2015, and has been intrigued by art for as long as she can remember. In high school she heard about art therapy from an art teacher, and knew that this was the field she wanted.

“This was my path, my plan,” she says, “and I have followed it. I will graduate with an art therapy major and a minor in English. My art makes me feel whole and calm. Art takes passion, you must really want to do it. I think everyone can be an artist in some way; if not through painting, then maybe through words or sculpture.”

After graduation in May, Weinberger plans to continue at Albertus to get her master’s in art therapy and to work with young adults who have autism.

*For more about art programs at Albertus Magnus College, go to [albertus.edu/arts](http://albertus.edu/arts).*

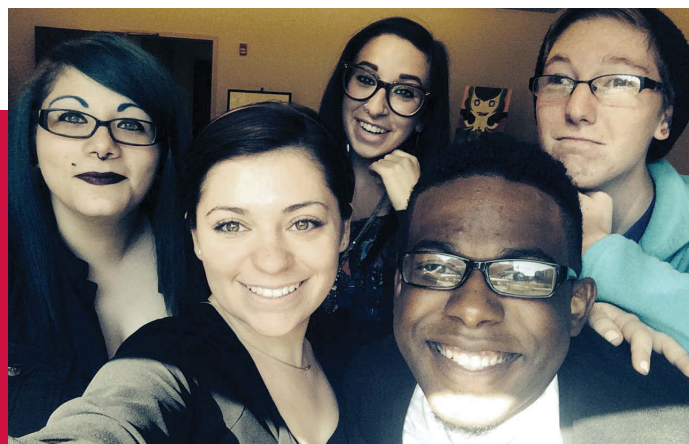


Photo: Rebecca Weinberger '15

“I love Albertus,” says Rebecca Weinberger '15. “It feels like a second home; we really are a family. I’ve never had a class where the professor did not know my name. Students are #1 here.”

These students in the art program are part of the Albertus family. Pictured, left to right, they are Danielle Wollschlager '15, Rebecca Weinberger '15, Ashley Guerrero '17, Ricardo Charles '16 and Wendy Paul '16.

# Albertus Magnus College

A Catholic College in the Dominican Tradition



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## The Mission of Albertus Magnus College

### STATEMENT OF MISSION

The mission of Albertus Magnus College is to provide men and women with an education that promotes the search for truth in all its dimensions and is practical in its application. Founded by the Dominican Sisters of Peace, Albertus Magnus College, faithful to its Catholic heritage and the Judeo-Christian tradition, remains dedicated to providing an opportunity for learning which responds to the academic needs and ethical challenges of its students and of society.

This mission of Albertus Magnus College derives from the intellectual tradition of the Dominican Order whose essential charism is the search for truth (Veritas). Reflective of the dedication and commitment to service of our founder and sponsor, we at Albertus assume responsibility for the fulfillment of our particular service as an academic community.

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# Dear Alumni and Friends of Albertus,

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Last year in my report to you, I shared information about an exciting process taking place here at Albertus Magnus College. At the time, we were engaged in developing strategic plan recommendations that would guide this institution, as it approaches the 90th anniversary of its founding in 1925, for many years to come. This endeavor went beyond the opinions of just a few participants; it was, indeed, a truly collaborative effort to sustain and build upon the liberal arts foundation and the Catholic, Dominican roots of Albertus.

We were committed to learning from those who knew us well, and from some who didn't. In all, some 600 persons—alumni, faculty, students, staff, trustees, community leaders, prospective students and the Dominican Sisters who continue to sponsor Albertus—gave of their time and told us, always candidly, how they thought the viability and vitality of the College could be ensured. They offered observations, out-of-the-box thinking and creative recommendations for ways in which Albertus could flourish in the future.

From these sessions, and from rigorous discussion among our Administrative Council, faculty and staff, Albertus 2020: A Strategic Path for the 21st Century evolved. This plan focuses on five initiatives that we believe will expand our horizons, while maintaining our core Dominican values of study, prayer, community and service. The Board of Trustees approved Albertus 2020 in June of this year.

The five initiatives are: commit to the development of in-demand and high-impact academic programs; implement innovative and distinctive delivery of academic services; enhance our capacity for technological innovation and human creativity; promote strong athletic programs; and celebrate our inclusive and diverse community. I hope you will take a few minutes to read more about these initiatives, and how they will be carried out,



in the pages of *From the Hill*, which surround this Annual Report. The full version of Albertus 2020 can be found online at [csp.albertus.edu](http://csp.albertus.edu).

At the heart of any college community is its students. We are committed to providing Albertus students with an education that seeks the truth in all its dimensions and is practical in its application. To do this, we must practice responsible financial stewardship and develop the resources to bring these initiatives to life.

The journey has begun, and I thank you, on behalf of the College, for your support of our mission and Albertus 2020: A Strategic Path for the 21st Century.

Faithfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julia M. McNamara". The signature is fluid and cursive, written in a professional style.

Julia M. McNamara  
President

*“At the heart of any college community is its students.”*

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Aetna Foundation, Inc.	ConocoPhillips	Northeast Utilities Foundation
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## Scholarship Contributions

### Endowed Funds

*An endowed scholarship at Albertus Magnus College begins with a fund of \$50,000 or greater.*

#### Class of 1957 Scholarship

**Established in 2007 in honor of their 50th Reunion. Listing includes donors who gave to the fund between July 1, 2013 and June 30, 2014.**

Frances Browne Caspar '57	Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Germain Jr. (Lillian Adley '57)	Laurie Munnely Johnson '57	Helen Clabby Scinto '57
Rita Carten Fitzsimmons '57		Barbara Fotta Kmetz '57	Roberta De Lay Smith '57
		Sheila Gallagher Murphy '57	

#### Class of 1958 Scholarship

**Established in 2008 in honor of their 50th Reunion. First endowed scholarship at Albertus to be designated for adult students enrolled in the evening program. Listing includes donors who gave to the fund between July 1, 2013 and June 30, 2014.**

Carolyn Newins Denny '58	Mary Elizabeth Egan Mace '58
Joan Schaefer Hernon '58	Elizabeth Tringali Rosano '58
Barbara Kasprow '58	Susanne Schuppel Washburn '58

#### Class of 1959 Scholarship

**Established in 2009 in honor of their 50th Reunion. Listing includes donors who gave to the fund between July 1, 2013 and June 30, 2014.**

Mrs. Norma Oliva Grossi '59 and Mr. Richard J. Grossi D.H.L. '98	Joan Cuccaro Jahnige '59* Arlene Fanucci Johnson '59	Helen Marks '59 Paul and Janice Ainger Roman '59	Joan Edwards Sacco '59 Veronica Jackson Searles '59
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#### Class of 1963 Scholarship Fund

**Established in 2013 in honor of their 50th Reunion. Listing includes donors who gave to the fund between July 1, 2013 and June 30, 2014.**

Anonymous	Maureen J. Malone '63	Barbara Czajka Peck '63
Dolores Dobrzynski '63	Wanda Goode Marshall '63	Angela C. Scirpo '63
Alexandrina Mongillo Folcik '63	JoAnn Siok Nachajski '63*	Kathleen Byrnes Troy '63
Georgeann Gibson '63	Karen Shanley Nicholson '63	Joan E. Venditto '63
Carol Zamanski Gomez '63	Patricia Lipowski Nuelsen '63	Dolores Vinci '63
Deborah Eagan MacLean '63	Maria Gomez Oakes '63	

#### Other Endowed Scholarships

Margaret M. Allman Scholarship	Sarah E. Handley Financial Aid Fund	The Joseph and Louise Hubert Scholarship	Marguerite Marita Minck Memorial Scholarship	H. Pearce Family Scholarship
Amity Charitable Trust	William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship	Kazickas Family Scholarship	Evelyn and Dennis O'Connell and Jean and Wattie Branch Memorial Scholarship	Louis F. and Mary A. Tagliatela Scholarship
The Fuller Scholarship		Julia M. McNamara Scholarship		

#### The Mary Benevento Endowed Fund for Athletics

**Mary Benevento, the director of athletics at Albertus Magnus College from 1952 to 1980, felt that athletics are a significant aspect of collegiate life, and she recognized the need to encourage its growth. Today's student-athletes strive to reach incredible heights, and the interest earned from this endowed fund will be used to support special projects in the athletics program. Listing includes donors, as of June 30, 2014, to the fund since its inception.**

Agnes Berry '82	Martin and Carolyn Behan Kraus '86	Nilvio Perez '11
Justin Cirisoli		Stefanie Seslar
Anthony A. Cook '96	Mrs. Tabitha Wazorko Manafort '94 and Mr. Justin A. Manafort Sr.	
Kimberly A. Fiorentino '06		
Anna R. Fraulo '48**		

#### Annual Scholarships 2013–2014

Katharine Deborah Frattini Scholarship	Alyce Tuttle Fuller '68 New Haven Woman's Club	The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven (Philip Paoletta L.L.D. '82**)
Lynn Hidek and Ron Frattini	Mary Jane and Ciro Paoletta Memorial Scholarship	
The Fuller Scholarship (annual)		

*For more information on how to establish an endowed or annual scholarship at Albertus, please contact Carolyn Behan Kraus '86, Vice President for Development and Alumni Relations.*

## Gifts In Honor and In Memory

Many donors choose to give their gifts in honor of or in memory of important persons or events in their lives.

If you would like to designate your gift in honor of or in memory of, please make a note when sending your donation.

- An anonymous donor in honor of Peter Sinclair, Charles Rafferty and Susan Cole
- An anonymous donor in memory of the Albertus Magnus College Faculty from 1954–1958
- An anonymous donor in memory of Sr. Marie Rosaire McCarthy, O.P.
- Robert and Laura Donahue Allen in memory of Rita Savarese Moule '39
- Sheila and Gene P. Allocca in honor of their son Michael J. Allocca '13
- Dolores Angelini '56 in honor of her mother Mary Angelini and her sister Lee Angelini
- Antoinette Longo Aveni '75 in memory of her mother, Mary Keefe Longo '47
- Anne M. Balogh in honor of her daughter Rosanne Ferraro '78
- Barbara Baur Geen '49 in memory of Dr. Arthur A. Geen and her son Paul
- Lisa and John Behan in honor of the milestone birthday of Patricia Sanders Behan '55
- Patricia Sanders Behan '55 in memory of her beloved husband, Robert F. Behan, D.H.L. '05
- Agnes Berry '82 in honor of Dr. Julia M. McNamara
- Grace Billings '88 in memory of her beloved cousin Mary Ann Brandon Supp '58
- Marna and Eric Borgstrom in honor of Dr. Julia M. McNamara
- Mr. and Mrs. George Breuler Sr. in honor of their daughter Mary Ellen Breuler and in memory of Rev. John Heller
- Carol A. Broshjeit '62 in memory of Sr. Marie Louise Hubert, O.P.
- To celebrate the 90th birthday of the HONORABLE ELLEN BREE BURNS '44S, friends and colleagues established the Ellen Bree Burns Award for Academic Excellence, which is given to an outstanding senior who will be attending law school. Judge Burns continues to preside as a federal judge on the United States District Court for the District of Connecticut. She is a strong supporter and generous benefactor of the College, and has a deep and abiding affection for her *alma mater*. Donors were:  
Stuart D. Allen; Ronald Apter; Peter Arakas; Erin E. Argo; Honorable Janet B. Arterton; Graham A. Boyd; Denise L. Bricker and Kenneth G. Crowley; Lucia B. Brooks; Nathan Buchok; Kevin J. Burns; Lucy A. Cardwell; Patrick T. Clendenen, Esq.; Claire E. Coleman; Patricia A. Corbett; William B. Corbett; Leslie L. Davenport; Honorable Warren W. Eginton; Kate Ellis; Wyatt A. Feeler; Thea Finkelstein; Charles C. Goetsch, Esq.; Honorable Janet C. Hall and Mr. David R. Schaefer, Esq.; Ann W. Henderson; Carolyn W. Kaas; Arthur Krantz; Joan and Stuart Margolis; Michelle D. Miller; Christopher C. Nee; Arthur Palmieri; David R. Purvis; Anastasia Rockas; Barbara Rodgers; Harold J. Rose; Amy Rudnick; Allison R. Soulen; Jacob H. Sussman, Esq.; James P. Tallon; Honorable Alvin W. Thompson; Juliette P. Tugander; Patricia A. Villano; Michael J. Walsh; Rev. and Mrs. Alfred D. Watts; Lisa Weil
- Carmel Peat O'Connor Casanova '89 in honor of small children working in diamond mines in Africa
- Joan Lehr Chain '62 in memory of Sr. Rita Mary, O.P.
- Sr. Marita Charley, O.P. in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
- Judith Roche Chiburis '64\* in memory of her beloved parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Roche, and in honor of her 50th Reunion
- Justin Cirisoli in memory of all the faithful departed this year
- Margaret Mary Burns Clancy '57 in honor of the milestone birthday of Patricia Sanders Behan '55
- Catherine Wilkinson Coburn '55 in memory of her parents
- Angela Coco '82 in honor of Sr. Ann Bailie, O.P., and Sr. Mary Faith Dargan, O.P.
- Suzanne Colasanto in memory of her beloved mother, Marie DelGreco Colasanto '49
- Susan Letzler Cole in memory of Alice Parson Letzler
- Catherine T. Colleran '44F in memory of her beloved sister Mary Margaret Colleran '38
- Edwardene Jarusinsky Coyne '62 in memory of Anna and Michael Jarusinsky
- Mary Ellen Callahan Creighton '64 in memory of her beloved mother, Margaret Dinnean Callahan '33
- Mary Menadier Cromwell '55 in memory of her classmate Eleanor Donlan Moreno '55
- Cynthia Woodin Cross '83 in memory of her beloved husband, Norman C. Cross Jr.
- Louise Cayer Cruz '71 in memory of Sr. Rita Mary, O.P.
- Ann Curley '75 in memory of her friend and classmate Geraldine Powers-Hopkins '75
- Lynn Zawacki Dallas '69 in memory of her beloved mother, Helen T. Zawacki
- Nancy Holleran Dargan '51 in memory of her classmate Patricia Olwell Montrie '51
- Janice Mailloux Delgrego '53 in memory of her professor Sr. Marie Louise Hubert, O.P., L.L.D. '72
- Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. DeStefano in honor of their daughter Dawn DeStefano Grady '89, who loves Albertus and the many friendships forged at the College
- Rosemary Markham Dever '61 in honor of Academic Scholarships
- Maria Theresa Dino '04 in memory of Nelly Nepomuceno, M.D.
- Elizabeth Lombardi Doane '68 in memory of Paul Doane
- Ellen Marie Donahue '64 in memory of Dr. Ruth Gillespie and in honor of the Class of 1964 and their 50th Reunion
- Joan Lucey Donnelly '58 in memory of Cecilia Lucey
- John T. Doyle Jr. in memory of his beloved wife, Frances Amici Doyle '53
- Nancy Ryan Doyle '49 in memory of her friends and classmates Betty Wixted Gallagher '49 and Joy Pendergast Hale '49, and the deceased members of the Class of 1949
- Eileen Farrell DuBois '56 in memory of John Patrick Kinney
- Angella Williams East '06 in memory of Alfred Williams
- Monica Ehmke in memory of Irma Cianfrano Matranga '50
- Marjorie Eichler '83 in memory of Sr. Jane McDermott, O.P.
- Mary Louise Byrne Ellinger '45 in memory of Eileen McGarry Ellinger '45
- Barbara Toman Elliott '60 in honor of the Class of 1960
- Patricia E. Epperly '78 in memory of Nicholas J. Bua
- Marianne M. Esposito '77 in memory of her mathematics professor, Florence Jacobson
- Jeannine Estrada '12 in honor of Professor Charles Timlin
- Madeleine Di Santo Ferraz '61 in memory of her parents, Rhea and Tom Di Santo
- Karen J. Bartle Festa '69 in memory of her beloved father, Joseph M. Bartle
- Elizabeth (Betty) McDonnell Fitzgerald '49 in memory of her beloved husband, Bill Fitzgerald, and in honor of her 65th Reunion
- Judith Ciaburri Florio '59 in memory of her beloved husband, Peter Florio
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Flynn (Winifred Carocari '43) in memory of Angeline Carocari
- Albertus Magnus College opened its doors for the first time on September 24, 1925. As a community, it is our honor to celebrate the pioneering women of the Dominican Sisters of Peace (formerly known as the Dominican Sisters of St. Mary of the Springs) and their continued vision of a Catholic, liberal arts college rooted in the Dominican tradition. We strive to maintain our connection to the four pillars of Dominican life: study, prayer, community and service on a daily basis. Gifts in honor of FOUNDERS' DAY were made by:  
Dolores A. Angelini '56; Joyce O'Donnell Arsenault '55; Carmel L. Avitabile; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace E. Bailey (Bette Ann Curtin '52)\*; Ann M. Bain '68; Barbara Baur Geen '49; Agnes Berry '82; Dr. Robert A. Bourgeois; Mary Ann Blondin Cassidy '60; Sr. Kathleen Corrigan, O.P.; Mary Jean and Jim Coughlin; Cynthia Woodin Cross '83; Pasco D'Aunno, O.P.A.; Helen Perkins DeGennaro '53; Gertrude Leary Gerety '41; Betsy Andresen Hackett '51; Jane Utz Hamilton '70\*; Dorothy Butler Hyland '44S; Jean Ann Incampo '73; Sandra Avard Jamula;
- Brenda A. Joslyn; Maureen Ann Freeman Kos '08; Sr. Ellen McNulty, O.P.; Sr. Susan Morris, O.P.; Cecelia and William O'Brien; Mary Beth O'Brien; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Peach; Caitlynn L. Piacentini '13; Mary Hannon Rehwinkel '52; Margaret Hogan Ryan '54; James T. Scott '06; Mary Ann Kost Torrence '55; Alice Doughan Van Wie '50; Lois Agne Westhoff '51
- James F. Freedman\* in memory of Jeanne Shea Freedman '55
- Ellen McNamara Funck '65 and Michael Funck in memory of John P. and Julia C. McNamara
- Laurie Sim Gagne '83 and Robert J. Gagne '12 in honor of their daughter Morgan Gagne '14, and in memory of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. William E. Sim, and Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Gagne
- Lorrie Gardella in honor of Ana Gonzalez, in celebration of her becoming a Candidate of the Dominican Sisters of Peace
- Claire Shea Garvey '49 in memory of Maryanne Garvey Gatavaski
- Christine Palluotto Gaudio '63 in memory of her beloved mother, Mary Palluotto
- Virginia Macri Gerick '39 in memory of Philomena and Charles Macri
- Paul P. Giangarra\* in memory of Benedict Giangarra
- Margaret Mulvey Golden '83 in memory of Sr. Francis de Sales, O.P.
- Dana L. Greene '12 in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness
- Patricia A. Guilfoyle '65 in memory of Jennifer Lynn Goldstein
- Betsy Andresen Hackett '51 in memory of her classmate Kay Schlauder O'Connor '51
- Eleanor Jean Hart '81 in memory of her friend Christine Sobin '80
- Pamela A. Harvey '71 in memory of Paul and Ann M. Harvey
- Patricia Joyce Heavren '60 in memory of Elizabeth (Betty) Fleming Giglio '60
- Lynn Hidek and Ron Frattini in honor of Deborah Frattini and Eric Schoeck
- Dennise Kilgore Howard '65 in memory of Charles F. Kilgore
- Anne F. Howlett in memory of Irma Cianfrano Matranga '50

## Gifts In Honor and In Memory (continued)

- Carol Luppi Hurlburt '66  
in memory of her beloved  
parents, Abdon and  
Brunetta Luppi
- Dorothy Butler Hyland '44S in  
memory of her classmate  
Beverly Volk Fagan '44S
- Marie DiCerto Iannazzi '61  
in memory of her beloved  
parents, Angie and  
Anthony DiCerto
- Mr. Carlos B. Icaza\*\* and  
Ms. Shelley Norton in  
memory of his beloved aunt  
Natalia Icaza Holland '40
- Jean Ann Incampo '73  
in memory of her beloved  
father, Frank Incampo
- Elinor Affinito Ingelido '38  
in memory of her sisters,  
Rita Affinito Ferris '40,  
Gloria Affinito Bolton and  
Rose Marie Affinito
- Joan Cuccaro Jahnige '59\*  
in memory of her classmate  
Gerry Bau Bizek '59
- Laurie Munnely Johnson '57  
in memory of Robert and  
Bridget Munnely
- Maureen Weldon Johnson '67  
in memory of  
Maur J. Weldon
- Dorothy Evans Jones '44F  
in memory of her beloved  
husband, Ted Jones
- Barbara A. KasproW '58  
in honor of  
Dr. Dorothea Rudnick
- Alice Keenan-Terenzio '49  
in memory of her parents,  
Henry and Alice Ward  
Keenan
- Alice Orient Keil '65  
in memory of her mother,  
Annette V. Orient
- Michael P. Kelly '90  
in honor of Pat Kelly
- Barbara Chmielewski Ketterer  
'69 in memory of her  
parents, Anna and Michael  
Chmielewski
- Sara J. Keyes '92 in memory  
of Mary G. Keyes
- Patrice and Donald  
Kirshbaum in honor of  
her mother, Faith Auger  
McCarthy '49
- Veronica Davidson Koenig\*  
in memory of Marie  
Rohack Davidson '39
- Frances R. Kondziela '72  
in memory of her friends,  
Marge Williams Valentino  
'72, Sharon Pochron Taylor  
'72 and Doreen Dooley  
McCabe '73
- Dr. Patricia A. Kraus and  
Dr. Theodore C. Kraus\*\*  
in memory of Robert F.  
Behan D.H.L. '05
- Patricia LaCamera '82 in  
memory of her beloved  
mother, Jean C. LaCamera
- Mary Canning LaFogg '71  
in memory of  
Sr. Rita Mary, O.P.
- Arline Walsh Lloyd '56  
in memory of Barbara  
Walsh Angelillo '56
- Laura L. Lupoli '84\*  
in memory of her beloved  
mother, Elvira Lupoli
- Geri Mancini '75 in memory  
of her dear friend and  
classmate Geraldine  
Powers-Hopkins '75
- Lucia Mannello '66 in memory  
of Elizabeth Mannello
- Marjorie Carnevale Mazzotta  
'51 in memory of  
Sebastian S. Mazzotta
- Barbara Quinn McAteer  
'56 in memory of her  
beloved husband,  
Martin P. McAteer
- Claudette Willig McGinty '56  
in honor of the Willig and  
McGinty families
- Gloria Regionale McHugh '48  
in memory of her beloved  
husband, Edward McHugh
- Karen Connolly McMahan  
'64 in honor of her 50th  
Reunion and in memory  
of her husband, Eugene  
McMahon, and her daughter  
Kristine McMahon
- Eileen Mengali '58 in memory  
of her beloved parents
- Margaret Heffernan Metwally  
'64 in memory of  
Alfred Mitchell
- Valerie Migliore '82 in honor  
of Krystal Grassmann '04
- Robert L. Mills in memory  
of his beloved wife,  
Dorothy Hyland Mills '49
- Barbra Ross Mockalis '69  
in memory of her beloved  
mother, Shirley C. Ross
- Eleanor Donlan Moreno '55\*\*  
in memory of Sr. Marie  
Louise Hubert, O.P.
- Virginia Selfors Murphy '49  
in memory of William and  
Christopher Murphy
- Marguerite Musco '67  
in memory of Rita Musco
- Patricia Lipowski Nuelsen '63  
in honor of Joan E. Venditto  
'63, who in everything  
she does brings honor to  
Albertus Magnus College
- Maria Gomez Oakes '63 in  
honor of the Class of 1963
- Ann Moylan O'Brien '54  
in honor of the 60th  
anniversary of her  
graduation from Albertus  
Magnus College
- Joan V. O'Brien '46  
in memory of her sister  
Mary K. O'Brien '43
- Sean P. O'Connell and William  
H. Branch in memory of  
their parents, Evelyn and  
Dennis O'Connell, and  
Jean and Wattie Branch
- Edwina Christoforo O'Neill '69  
in memory of her beloved  
parents, Mattio and Mary  
Christoforo
- Dr. Rocco Orlando in memory  
of his beloved wife,  
Rae Coppola Orlando '50
- Rose Rendino Osborne '62  
in memory of Mary Ellen  
McCann Adamo '64
- Patricia M. Owens '52  
in memory of Violet and  
Martin Owens
- Barbara Czajka Peck '63  
in memory of Anthony J.  
Polemeni, husband of  
her dear classmate  
Martha Massi Polemeni '63
- Sheila Montague Peckingham  
'64 in honor of the Class  
of 1964
- Mary Sanzo Pellettieri '64 in  
honor of the Class of 1964
- Mary Ann McDermott Pike '48  
in memory of  
Sr. Jane McDermott, O.P.
- Dr. Dianne M. Pinderhughes  
'69 in memory of her  
beloved parents, Rosa and  
D. James Pinderhughes
- Anne Ruotolo Pisanelli '59  
in memory of her beloved  
mother, Margaret Ruotolo
- Vincent J. Pitts in honor of  
Dr. Julia M. McNamara
- Anne C. Popolizio '68 in  
honor of minority students
- Ann M. Prokop '67 in memory  
of Effa Chesney Cohen  
Fisher '39
- Gifts were received in  
memory of BARBARA  
FITCH PROKOP '39.  
Barbara was a loyal  
alumna and is truly missed  
by her Albertus family.  
Donors were:  
Robert and Laura  
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Cynthia and Patrick J.  
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- Stephanie Prota '12 in honor  
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- Paul and Janice Ainger  
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of Patricia Hawman  
Micklos '59
- Kelly McDermott Ryan '84  
in honor of the Albertus  
Magnus College Teacher  
Preparation Program
- Ruth Carroll Ryan '64  
in memory of her beloved  
husband, David Ryan
- Susan Williams Samhaber '79  
in memory of  
Sr. Lisa Jessel, O.P.
- Margaret Sweeten Sanders  
'74 in memory of  
Sr. Wilma Lynch, O.P.
- Joseph M. Schaefer in  
memory of his beloved  
wife, Joan Zito Schaefer
- Cecile Cleary Schaffner '67 in  
memory of Ursula J. Cleary
- Gloria Della Selva Schoolfield  
'47 in memory of her  
classmate Anne Connelly  
Dillon '47
- Gail Lindsay Schuler '59 in  
memory of her classmate  
Lee Locarno Sullivan '59
- Kathryn Meyer Schuster  
'60 in memory of her  
classmate Anne Clarke  
Rixon '60 and Sr. Mary  
Urban, O.P.
- Veronica Jackson Searles  
'59 and Bob Searles in  
memory of Patricia Haw-  
man Micklos '59
- Kathleen Sharpe '72 in  
memory of her beloved  
mother, Kathryn Sharpe
- Claire Effinger Sheridan '64 in  
memory of Linda Palmieri  
'63, Nancy Fletcher  
DeFelice '65 and Sr. M.  
Norma, O.P.
- Norma Jo Bennett Shore '69  
in memory of her beloved  
mother, Amelia Bennett
- Patricia Degnan Sidas '65 in  
memory of her beloved  
husband, Walter Sidas
- Lois Venditto Simpson '67  
in memory of her beloved  
parents, Anne and Anthony  
Venditto
- Pamela E. Sims '05 in memo-  
ry of Mary Quattlebaum
- Dorothy Kotulich Stawarky  
'52 in memory of her  
departed classmates
- Calista Sullivan '64 and  
Richard Sanborn in honor  
of the Class of 1964 and  
her 50th Reunion
- Lorrie Gill Sullivan '67 in  
memory of Mr. and Mrs.  
Charles J. Gill
- Patricia A. Sullivan '54 in  
memory of her beloved  
parents, Hannah and Mark  
Sullivan, and her dear friend  
Gertrude M. O'Neil '56
- Margaret Burns Surwilo '64  
in memory of her beloved  
father, William H. Burns
- Jacqueline and Gary Swanson\*  
in honor of Jacqueline's  
mother, Marion Vece  
Winkelman '56
- Marsha Sangster Thompson  
'62 in memory of Jerome  
Speight, husband of  
Patricia Tynan Speight '62
- Sebastian P. Tine in memory  
of his beloved wife,  
Patricia Canavan Tine '61
- Annette Tino Tomaino '57  
in memory of David V.  
Hayes, husband of Julia  
Moriarty Hayes '57
- Mary Jane Lynch Topitzer '54  
in memory of her parents,  
Abby and Frank Lynch
- David, Aisling, Grace and  
Sadie Transom in memory  
of Irma Cianfrano  
Matranga '50
- Dr. Mary Meyer Traynor '52  
in memory of  
Sr. Charles Anne, O.P.
- Sandra Regionale Truitt '65  
in memory of Florence  
Jacobson D.H.L. '84, and  
Sr. Mary Zachary, O.P.  
(Gloria Brunell '49)
- Carol Parcesepe Truluck '60  
in memory of her beloved  
parents, Yolanda and Fred  
Parcesepe
- Joan E. Venditto '63 in  
memory of Anna R. Fraulo  
'48, Catherine Spillane,  
Mary O'Sullivan and Helen  
Decko Strona, mother of  
Doreen Strona Mantilia '71
- Carolyn Burrows Verna '64  
in honor of the members  
of the Class of 1964 and  
their 50th Reunion, and in  
memory of Margot A. Cook
- Mary Dobbins Volanth '44F  
in memory of her  
classmate Alcyne Martin  
Severson '44F
- Martha Walczak '70 in  
memory of her friend and  
classmate Carol Esposito  
Gillispie '70
- Irene Saviano Ward '60  
in memory of Mary and  
Louis Saviano
- Elizabeth Festa Watson '67  
in memory of her beloved  
mother, Theresa Avitabile  
Festa, and Theresa's  
dear friend Anna Naclerio  
Gaimo '46
- Elena De Natale Weil '57  
in memory of her parents,  
Mary and Peter De Natale,  
and Sr. Francis de Sales, O.P.
- Frankie Lucretia White '93  
in memory of  
Sr. Jane McDermott, O.P.
- Amy J. Wilson in memory  
of Kevin Panagrossi '06
- Ellen Phillips Wilson '55  
in memory of  
Marilyn Phillips Happy '48
- John H. Wolfrum\* in memory  
of his beloved wife,  
Catherine Flynn Wolfrum '46
- Catherine A. Zdanowicz  
in memory of her dear  
parents, Stephen and  
Harriet Dokla
- Michael D. Zeoli '94\*  
in memory of Frank J. Raio
- Rosanne Zudekoff '60  
in memory of her beloved  
mother, Anna Farrell  
Zudekoff, her friend  
Beverly E. Levy, her  
classmate Elizabeth  
(Betty) Fleming Giglio '60  
and Frederick W. Ensling  
Jr., husband of Eileen M.  
Benoit '60
- Janet Bushinsky Zupkus '83  
in honor of Dr. Christopher  
Anagostakis



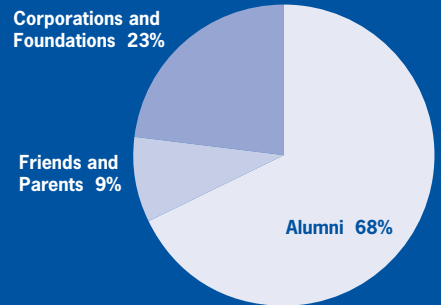
# Financial Summary

July 1, 2013–June 30, 2014

## REVENUES, GAINS AND OTHER SUPPORT:

Tuition and Fees	<b>\$28,417,702</b>
Less Institutional Financial Aid	<b>(7,694,581)</b>
Net Tuition and Fees	<b>20,723,121</b>
Government Grants and Contracts	<b>1,770,302</b>
Gifts and Private Grants	<b>1,095,014</b>
Interest and Dividend Income	<b>518,911</b>
Other Income, Rental, Miscellaneous	<b>323,309</b>
Net Realized and Unrealized Losses on Investments	<b>3,839,038</b>
Auxiliary Enterprises	<b>2,512,995</b>
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<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$30,782,690</b>

## Percentage of Dollars for 2013–2014 Fiscal Year



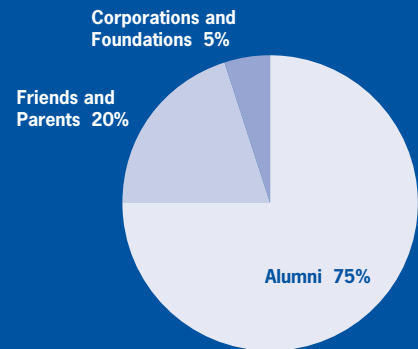
■ Alumni 68% \$1,087,851  
 ■ Friends and Parents 9% \$138,439  
 ■ Corporations and Foundations 23% \$363,110

Total Giving \$1,589,400 (includes cash and pledges)

## EXPENSES:

Administration	<b>\$ 3,540,400</b>
Student Services	<b>2,859,118</b>
Library	<b>905,666</b>
General Institutional Expense	<b>7,852,139</b>
Student Aid	<b>1,840,892</b>
Instruction	<b>8,886,147</b>
Auxiliary Expenses	<b>1,464,414</b>
Plant Renewal/Replacement/Debt	<b>—</b>
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<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$27,348,776</b>

## Percentage of Donors for 2013–2014 Fiscal Year



■ Alumni 75% 547  
 ■ Friends and Parents 20% 149  
 ■ Corporations and Foundations 5% 40

<b>Increase from Operations</b>	<b>\$ 3,433,914</b>
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Albertus Magnus College

# Serving Our Veterans and Their Families

**V**eteran students at Albertus find a welcoming environment. A participant in the Post 9/11 GI Bill Yellow Ribbon Program, Albertus works closely with veterans to help them succeed in accelerated programs.

Experience counts for veterans who pursue an undergraduate or graduate degree at Albertus, which considers academic credits for military training, standardized tests, and transfer of credit from other colleges and universities. Albertus supports students with small classes—the faculty/student ratio is 1:14—and with individualized student services, such as academic advisement, career counseling and tutoring.

Veterans often return to college uniquely qualified to excel in an academically challenging environment. They have practical experience overcoming obstacles to achieve their goals.

For veterans and other adult learners, Albertus offers several flexible, accelerated undergraduate and graduate degree programs to accommodate their busy schedules. Students can choose from blended, online, in-person or the new “flex” courses to achieve their degree. Degrees are offered in such fields as business, criminal justice, human services, leadership and more. For veterans with an interest in the arts, more traditional semester-based

graduate degrees in New Haven include the M.A. in Art Therapy and the M.F.A. in Writing.

The Center is a place for service members, veterans and members of military families to learn about the resources and services at the College, to network and to provide peer support. It is the home of the new Albertus Student Veterans Association, an approved chapter of Student Veterans of America.



[albertus.edu/veterans](http://albertus.edu/veterans)



Photo: GEM

Sr. Mauryeen O'Brien, O.P., American Legion Department Commander Robert Murray and President Julia M. McNamara attended the recent celebration of veteran students at Albertus.



Photo: Judy Sirota Rosenthal

Veteran Carlos Garcia Jr. at graduation in May. Hear his story at [albertus.edu/garcia](http://albertus.edu/garcia).



Photo: GEM

Ana Gonzalez, community education liaison, welcomed Albertus Trustee Louis Tagliatela Jr. to the recent Veteran celebration. Ivan Gutierrez, center, is the chapter leader of the Albertus SVA.

# Accounting at Albertus

**A**ccounting is now a hot job choice, and it's one of today's in-demand, high-impact programs being developed under Albertus 2020: A Strategic Path for the 21st Century. The Bachelor of Science in accounting, the Master of Science in accounting and the five-year Bachelor of Science in accounting/ Master of Business Administration degree programs are new offerings this fall.



There are more choices in the field of accounting than ever before. Career options include forensic accountant, IRS agent, FBI agent, budget analyst, certified public accountant and jobs in the financial services industry. The Connecticut department of labor expects a 16% growth in accounting positions with an average salary of \$61,900; the Bureau of Labor Statistics projects a 15.7% growth for accountants between 2010 and 2020; and the American Institute of Certified Public Accounts, in a 2013 study, found that hiring by public accounting firms is at an all-time high, especially at the Master's degree level.

There are many advantages to studying accounting at Albertus, among them day and evening classes, flexible scheduling, blended curriculum with online and classroom experiences, small class sizes, diverse student population and professors who have both academic qualifications and real world experience. Accounting students here receive an education that prepares them to advance professionally, and challenges them to pursue truth in all its dimensions, to explore ethical issues and to apply knowledge, skills and values to their chosen field.

[albertus.edu/accounting](http://albertus.edu/accounting)

Riker Mitchell '15, an accounting major and soccer player; and Nancy Fallon, Ph.D., professor of accounting.

Photo: GEM

## THE TRADITION OF STUDY

The tradition of class colors dates back to the opening of Albertus, where each class was assigned one of four colors: red, green, purple or yellow. Class banners were made with the appropriate color and year of graduation. After graduation, the next incoming freshmen class received the color left behind by the graduating seniors. A tradition is born.

In recent years a deeper significance has been added to the tradition of class colors. Each one of the four colors also represents one of the four Pillars of Dominican Charism: red signifying Study; purple, Prayer; green, Community; and yellow, Service.

Last year, the Class of 2014 created its own banner, asking members of the class to sign the banner at the Pons Party (a senior week event sponsored by the Alumni Association). After the event, the class presented the Alumni Office with their banner. During the Candlelight Ceremony this fall, Sharina Luna '14 officially turned over the color red to 2018 representative Yara Hosny as she presented her with the official class banner. (See photo page 1.) A new tradition is born.

As a College Community, we strive to uphold the four pillars of Dominican Charism. This year, in honor of Founders' Day, we are



The Class of 1962 and banner at its 50th Reunion in 2012. At Albertus, tradition never graduates.

Photo: Judy Sirota Rosenthal

committed to collecting 1,925 children's books. This project was chosen to reflect the pillar of Study. Books collected this fall will be presented to the Read to Grow project at the Christmas Tree Lighting on December 2.

*Study*

*Prayer*

*Community*

*Service*

# Around Campus

**Julia Coash**, associate professor, director of the M.A. in liberal studies program and co-chair of the visual and performing arts department, gave a campus lecture this fall about her sabbatical research on textiles in Laos, Cambodia and Vietnam.

**Patricia Compagnone-Post** has been promoted to professor of biology. She received the Ph.D. degree from University of Pittsburgh.

**Melissa DeLucia**, director of experiential learning and the Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, has accepted a seat on the board of Literacy Volunteers of Greater New Haven.

**Nabil Elias** has joined the Albertus faculty as an assistant professor of business administration and management. He received a medical degree from Shams University, Cairo, Egypt; M.B.A. from Southern Connecticut State University; and professional post-graduate diploma in executive management from the American University in Cairo.

**Nancy Fallon**, professor of accounting, was quoted extensively in "Should Business Schools Teach 'How' or 'Why'?" published in the August issue of *BusinessNewHaven*.

**Howard Fero's** book, "Lead Me Out to the Ballgame: Stories and Strategies to Develop Major League Leadership," co-authored with R. L. Herman, was published in May. He is associate professor of management and leadership, and director of graduate leadership programs.

**Lisa Furman**, associate professor of psychology, and **Stephen Joy**, professor of psychology, presented their paper, "Frontotemporal Dementia and Artistic Production: A Quantitative and Qualitative Case Study," at the annual conference of the American Art Therapy Association in July and at the annual convention of the American Psychological Association in August.

**Michael Geary's** book, "National Security and Civil Liberty: A Chronological Perspective," has been published by Carolina Academic Press. Homeland Security Review published his article "Terrorism Investigations and the Public Safety Exception to the Miranda Rule." He is an associate professor and coordinator of the criminal justice program.

**Robert Hubbard's** latest book, "Legendary Locals of Middletown," has been released by Arcadia Publishing. He is an associate professor and director of the CIS program.

**Carol Huckaby** has joined the College as a half-time instructor in Human Services, where she will coordinate internships. She received a B.A., cum laude, from Albertus and M.A. in community psychology from the University of New Haven.

**John Lawrie** has joined the faculty as an assistant professor of criminal justice. He has a B.A. in political science and M.S. in criminal justice from Westfield State College and D.Ed. from American International College.

**Anne Leeney-Panagrossi**, director of library and information services, was featured in an article about librarians in New Haven, which appeared in the September issue of *New Haven Living*.

**Donna Pallanti**, has joined Albertus as a part-time certification officer for Education Programs. She received her B.A., summa cum laude, from Albertus, M.A. from Trinity College and professional diploma of advanced study from Southern Connecticut State University.

**Charles Rafferty**, director of the Master of Fine Arts in Writing program and adjunct professor of English, has had a third poem published in *The New Yorker*; "Forecast" appeared in the issue of July 28.

**Paul Robichaud**, associate professor, chair of the English department and associate dean for academic affairs, presented a paper on "David Jones in the Recent Work of Geoffrey Hill," at "David Jones: Christian Modernist?", a conference held at Oxford University, September 10–13. The conference was organized by the Centre for Christianity and Culture, Regent's Park College, Oxford, and the Modernism and Christianity Project at University of Bergen, Norway.

**Brigid Schaffer** has joined the faculty an assistant professor of accounting. She received a B.S. from Fredonia State University of New York, M.B.A. from St. John's University, C.P.A. from the State Education Department of New York and doctorate in business administration from the University of Phoenix.

**Peter Sinclair**, a lecturer in English and Humanities, organized and chaired a panel, "Narrative and Temporality: The Politics of Transgression," at the 2014 International Narrative Theory Conference at M.I.T. in March. The University of Ireland, Galway invited him to be a plenary speaker at a conference on Graham Greene that took place in September.

**Hilda Speicher** has been promoted to professor of psychology. She holds the Ph.D. from University of Delaware.

**Matt Waggoner's** essay, "Kant on the Perversion of Endings," was accepted for publication in the United Kingdom-based *Critical Horizons: A Journal of Philosophy and Social Theory*. He is an associate professor of philosophy and religion.

**Sarah Wallman**, associate professor of English and associate director of the M.F.A. in Writing program, was named one of five winners in Prada's international short story contest for "One Car Hooks to the Next and Pulls." There were more than 1,000 entries. She recently participated in the invitation-only writing workshop at the Tucson Literary Festival.



# CLASS NOTES

Albertus Magnus College was founded in 1925. Each year, as part of our Founders' Day celebrations, members of the Albertus community bring alive the four pillars of our Dominican tradition: Study, Prayer, Community and Service. Last year we celebrated the pillar of Service by collectively dedicating more than 1,925 hours of volunteer service. This year, Albertus honors the pillar of Study, and has partnered with Read to Grow to collect and distribute **1,925 books for children** from infant to teen. Books can be new or gently used. Members of the Albertus family are encouraged to donate their personal childhood favorites. Collection areas are set up in Rosary Hall, Hubert Campus Center, Bree Common in Aquinas Hall and the Athletic Center. Book donations from alumni and friends can also be mailed to the Office of Alumni Relations, 700 Prospect Street, New Haven, CT 06511. Books will be presented at the December 2 Albertus Christmas Tree Lighting.

Alumni photos appearing in Class Notes are submitted unless otherwise noted.

## **1940** *75th Reunion June 6, 2015*

## **1941** *75th Reunion June 4, 2016*

## **1944S**

**Dorothy Butler Hyland**, Holly Hill, FL, sends word that she has reached the age of 90, is in excellent health, still maintaining her home and driving. She is enjoying the careers of her six children—three of whom have already retired and are on their second careers. "I am blessed."

## **1945** *70th Reunion June 6, 2015*

## **1946** *70th Reunion June 4, 2016*

## **1948**

**Patricia Spang Ogden**, Williamsburg, VA, is content in her retirement community. She is a contributor to "The Tattler," the community's monthly magazine.

## **1949**

**Jean McInnis Robichaud**, Attleboro, MA, is still volunteering at her parish and in the community. She has 12 great-grandchildren.

## **1950** *65th Reunion June 6, 2015*

## **1951** *65th Reunion June 4, 2016*

## **1955** *60th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**Maureen Condron Delahunt**, Cheshire, CT, received the Connecticut Irish American Historical Society's Outstanding Person of the Year Award in June. She was honored for her many activities, including board member of the Irish History Round Table and the Connecticut Irish American Historical Society, past board member and current volunteer at the Ethnic Heritage Center and member of the Civil War Round Table.

## **1956** *60th Reunion June 4, 2016*

**Albina Sacco Cannavaciolo**, North Haven, CT, received the Robert A. Rosenbaum Award at the annual meeting of the Associated Teachers of Mathematics in Connecticut (ATOMIC) in December. The award was for "her leadership and significant contributions to the mathematics community."

She retired from Hamden Hall Country Day School, where she taught for 35 years.

**Louise Colvano Pease**, Orono, ME, and her husband, Ed, have celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary. She and Ed have had health problems in recent years: "We thank God for guidance and ask others, young and old, to pay attention to their bodies."

## **1959**

**Veronica Jackson Searles**, Westerville, OH, had a "grand visit" in September 2013 with classmates **Helen Marks, Arlene Fanucci Johnson, Janice Ainger Roman, Joan Schilling Morse, Maureen Lucey** and **Mary Ellen Grant Fahy**.

## **1960** *55th Reunion June 6, 2015*

## **1961** *55th Reunion June 4, 2016*

## **1964**

**Margaret Dilzer Archie**, Yarmouthport, MA, had a career as an elementary art teacher in California, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York and Germany. She and William have two daughters and two grandchildren. She volunteers at the Yarmouth Historical Society and also is writing a book about a great-uncle who worked with Al Smith and Franklin Roosevelt.

**Adrienne Thompson Braverman** and Larry, who have been married for 46 years, have traded

## Remembering Sr. Charles Marie (Gloria) Brantl, O.P., '51

**Sr. Charles Marie Brantl, O.P.**, beloved teacher, leader in higher education and "Sister Chuck" to countless Albertus Magnus College students, died on August 21, 2014, in Columbus, Ohio.

An economics major, Sr. Charles Marie graduated from Albertus in 1951, and was professed as a Dominican Sister of St. Mary of the Springs (now the Dominican Sisters of Peace) in 1953. She received an M.A. and Ph.D. in economics from Fordham University. For several years, she taught economics at Ohio Dominican University, later chairing the department of economics and business administration, as well as the division of social and behavioral sciences.

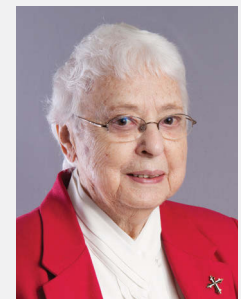
Sr. Charles Marie returned to her *alma mater* in 1976 as professor and chair of the department of business and economics. From 1990 to 2001, she served the College as vice president for academic affairs; from 2001 to 2011 she was director of assessment and institutional research. During that decade she was an early and vigorous advocate for practices now recognized nationally as essential for measuring institutional effectiveness throughout higher education.

She had been a longtime supporter and active participant in the accreditation activities of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, and served as a member and chair of the Board of Trustees of the International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education. She described her ministry at Albertus as "a work of dedication, a work of service to others, a blessed privilege."

In 1992, the Alumni Association presented Sr. Charles Marie with its award for outstanding professional achievement, and in 2001 the College honored her with the Veritas Award for extraordinary service. In 2011, she received the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters honoris causa from Albertus Magnus, in recognition of her "service, vision and leadership." The College celebrated her life with the Memorial Liturgy on November 1, the Feast of All Saints.

A devoted fan of the Albertus Falcons, Sr. Charles Marie was inducted posthumously into the College's Athletics Hall of Fame November 8.

Sr. Charles Marie is survived by nieces and a nephew, Curt Brantl '89, and his wife, Judy Toussaint '88, and their children.



## Alumna Looks Back on Four Decades of Community Service in California Town

**Judy Garcia Lazar '63, Thousand Oaks, CA, describes herself as a “professional volunteer and board member.” During 40-plus years of living in Thousand Oaks, she has served on countless local boards and the committees of hospitals, food pantries, school foundations and civic organizations. She and Roger were married in 1964, and in 1971 moved from Maryland to Thousand Oaks.**

**“We were young and enthusiastic parents and were soon involved in sports, education, and eventually many community organizations.” Her time on the City Council and as mayor was exciting: “We were able to build a Civic Arts Plaza and theater; develop a plan to grow Amgen, a startup, into the Fortune 100 company it is today; and acquire almost 30,000 acres for permanent open space, all while maintaining our status as one of the safest cities in America.” Lazar has three sons and five grandchildren.**

**She notes, “Moving to a growing community enabled this involvement, but a solid Catholic education gave me the tools to make the achievements possible.”**

Chapel Hill, North Carolina for Portland, Oregon. In Portland they are 9 miles to the west or to the north from each daughter, and two grandchildren.

**Patricia Checko**, Berlin, CT, has been named to the Cromwell Advisory Board for Health Care Reform, serving as co-chair. She is planning a trip to Spain with her granddaughter Angelique.

**Judith Roche Chiburis**, Houston, TX, loves to travel “anywhere and everywhere.” She is a retired middle- and high school English and Spanish teacher, and member of a book club and monthly dinner club. She and Rich have a son.

**Mary-Elizabeth Dunn Daley**, Lebanon, PA, volunteers for the Hershey Area Art Association at Hope Lodge, a place for cancer patients receiving treatment at Hershey Medical Center. She and Michael love to travel, but always seem to go to Ireland: “Ireland is in our Irish hearts.”

**Alaine Letteris Daly**, Albuquerque, NM, has been teaching since graduating from Albertus. She has traveled in Europe several times, and to China, Tibet, Croatia and the Balkan countries. Her dream is to someday live further north in Maine, around the Portland area.

**Ellen Donahue**, Chestnut Hill, MA, took a cruise in Holland and Belgium in April. She is a lector, and member of her parish council and retirees group. She loves reading, keeping in touch with friends, and enjoying all the museums and plays that Boston and Cambridge have to offer.

**Beverly Dugas**, Trumbull, CT, remembers green beanies in freshman year, and only seniors being allowed to use the front steps of Rosary Hall. She spent “four long years of commuting by train from Bridgeport to New Haven” and boarding a bus at the railroad station, transferring at the New Haven Green for a bus that went straight out Whitney Avenue.

**Suzanne Lynch Fattah**, Minneapolis, MN, taught for 30+ years in Minneapolis public schools. Now she is “enjoying the freedom to do whatever I choose. I love retirement.” A volunteer at the Minnesota Zoo, she also is a volunteer tutor at the last school where she taught. She and Salah have a son and daughter, and twin grandchildren born in May 2013.

**Kathleen Rivers Garner**, Longmeadow MA, considers her best career was as a stay-at-home mom; her later-life career was as a litigation paralegal. She and Joe, who passed away in 2013, have four children and four grandchildren.

**Nancy Massa Katsaros**, North Haven, CT, retired from The Hopkins School after 43 years of teaching. She enjoys travel, opera, museum-hopping and shopping. Her husband, Tom, passed away in 2013. “My students keep in touch with me, and I consider them ‘my children.’ ”

**Sandra Strasburger LaPierre**, Queensbury, NY, was director of education at Four Winds Hospital when she retired. She and Bill celebrated their 50th anniversary in August. They have four children, and 10 grandchildren, ranging in age from 2½ to 18.

**Norma Puzzo Marcellino**, North Eastham, MA, is working part time on the Cape at Nauset High School. She does some substitute teaching and

tutoring of students to prepare them for the math MCAS test. “Working with students is still a great joy and pleasure,” she says.

**Veronica Massey**, New York, NY, has a Ph.D. in French Literature from Columbia University. She taught French and ESL at New Jersey City University for 38 years. Married to Lew Friederich, she enjoys drawing, bicycle riding and walking in different New York neighborhoods.

**Nancy Barlow Mathers**, Old Saybrook, CT, and Thomas have five children and seven grandchildren. She was the organist/liturgical director at St. John’s Church for 15 years.

**Diane Fanelli McCue**, Niantic, CT, retired in 2010 after teaching math at the Williams School on the campus of Connecticut College. She continues to do private tutoring, and also writes questions for National Science Bowl for the Department of Energy. She and Stephen have three daughters and six grandchildren.

**Barbara Moroson**, Stratford, CT, retired from Yale Medical School as a research associate in pediatric hematology where she did cancer research, enjoys gardening, knitting and playing the piano. She had been the caregiver for her 97-year old mother, who passed away in June.

**Mary Sanzo Pellettieri** reports that she and Jim are retired and living on Siesta Key in Sarasota, Florida, and on Capitol Hill, Washington, D.C., when they are not traveling. “Traveling worldwide is our favorite thing to do. Well, second to visiting grandkids—10 of them,” she says.

**Mania Sondej Philpott**, Lee, MA, and Bill have two daughters and two grandchildren. She reports that she and Bill have been retired since 1999 and 2000 respectively. “We have spent a great deal of our retirement as full-time caregivers, but we have also managed to keep a balance in our lives and participate in local boards and town government as well.” Her main activity is the Lee Library, where she is president of the Board of Directors.

**Marilyn Bauer Quinn**, Sunderland, MD, and Jim have three daughters and a son. All the daughters were married in the time span of 13 months. The family now includes seven grandchildren, and she writes that she was present, “by invitation,” at the births of all seven.

**Susan Geloso Scott** and George have moved to North Chesterfield, Virginia, from Minnesota to be nearer to their daughter. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in June. She was a high school teacher, an instructor at Albertus and a religious education director.

**Grace Nutt Smith**, Nashua, NH, retired July 1 from Aviation Insurance Broker/NationAir Aviation Insurance. She and her husband are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary; they have 5 children and 12 grandchildren.

**Calista Sullivan**, Bayside, CA, notes that, true to her profession of librarian, she has been a book club leader, and member of AAUW for 20-plus years; she is a docent in the local history room at the Humboldt County Library. Her husband, Richard Sanborn, is a retired bookstore owner.



**Sr. Sheila O'Neill, A.S.C.J., Hamden, CT, received an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree from Saint Anselm College in May. She graduated from Albertus in 1976, and holds an M.A. in theology from Fordham University, M.A. in educational leadership from St. Louis University in Missouri and Ph.D. in educational leadership, also from St. Louis University. She is the first president of Sacred Heart Academy, a college preparatory school in Hamden founded by the Apostles of the Sacred Heart of Jesus for young women, from which she graduated in 1971.**

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## CLASS NOTES (continued)

**Carolyn Burrows Verna**, Clinton, CT, and Bob have been married for 48 years; they have four sons, three daughters-in-law and six grandchildren. She enjoys traveling, especially to the U.K., Ireland and Italy.

**Jean Rondino Zito** sends word that she is "enjoying my retirement entirely too much in my lovely home with my family in DeSoto, Texas." She has enjoyed hosting exchange students from France, Italy and Czech Republic. She and Robert have a 7-year-old grandson.

**1965** *50th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**1966** *50th Reunion June 4, 2016*

**1967**

**Cecile Cleary Schaffner**, Aiken, SC, still sings with the Aiken Choral Society and her church choir. She is the grandmother of Palmer Andrew Schaffner, 2.

**Ruth Decko Sullo**, Cheshire, CT, reports that she is doing what she loves: offering a workshop titled "How to be like Leonardo Da Vinci." She teaches drawing, math and creativity for children and adults to enjoy both sides of the brain. She has just started a business, doing calligraphy and watercolor pieces to order.

## Testa Receives Award from Archdiocese of Hartford

**Maria DiSalvatore Testa '80** of Hamden, CT, principal of St. Stephen School is the 2014–2015 Archdiocesan Distinguished Catholic School Administrator. A veteran Catholic school educator in the Archdiocese, she has served St. Stephen School for 22 years, first as a teacher, then as principal, a position she has held since 2000. She is a graduate of the school, as are her two children; her grandchild is now enrolled, carrying on family tradition.

At Albertus, she majored in Spanish. She earned a master's degree in education from Southern Connecticut State University.

Testa has served the Archdiocese as a member of the Principals Advisory Committee for Elementary Schools and as a mentor to new administrators. She has hosted professional development sessions in school governance and advancement, as well as curriculum conversations on teaching strategies for the New Haven Vicariate Catholic schools.

The award will be presented in January 2015 during Catholic Schools Month by Dr. Dale R. Hoyt, superintendent of schools for the Archdiocese of Hartford.



**1969**

**Josephine Polomski O'Brien**, Lafayette Hill, PA, recently welcomed her tenth grandchild and eighth grandson. She and her husband, both now retired, are enjoying babysitting, theater and travel.

**Karen Effinger Otto**, Bowie, MD, reports she and her husband, Richard, took their fifth educational trip to France shortly after the marriage of her youngest daughter in May. Richard is still working at the State Department, and she is studying French.

**Norma Jo Bennett Shore**, Annandale, VA, is the grandmother of three. Her husband, Ron, has not yet retired from his law practice, but "we are indulging in travel." She leads an adult Scripture study group at her parish. Her mother, Amelia Bennett, died in July 2013.

**1970** *45th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**Diane Kinnane-Levenson**, Little Silver, NJ, was appointed deputy state director of President Obama's Hurricane Sandy Rebuilding Task Force,

## IN MEMORIAM

**Mildred Rabinowitz Groves '41** was a science major, and when her children were grown she switched careers from homemaker to medical technologist, working in a Yale University laboratory for 20 years; she took great pride in her six great-grandsons; she was a member of Congregation B'nai Jacob, a Life Member of Hadassah and avid golfer and mahjongg player May 4, 2014 Parkland, FL

**Delores Hagerty Cassidy '45** and Robert celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary June 1; she taught for nearly 30 years, received a master's degree from Southern Connecticut State University, was a member of the Sweet Adelines and sang with her church choir July 14, 2014 West Haven, CT

**Sr. Michele Ryan, O.P., '45** served as a special assistant in the Office of the President; in 2010 she moved to the Mohon Health Care Center of the Dominican Sisters of Peace April 5, 2014 Columbus, OH

**Ann Hargett Sullivan '47** began her working career as a social worker at Yale-New Haven Hospital; she was the wife of the late Russell T. Sullivan, and is survived by four children and eight grandchildren April 8, 2014 Hamden, CT

**Theresa "Terry" Abalon McDonald '48** was a high school teacher for 30 years; earned master's degrees from Oberlin College and Columbia University; she was passionate about her faith and helping others July 11, 2014 Tampa, FL

**Irma Cianfrano Matranga '50** majored in French and went on to receive a master's degree in Italian from Middlebury College; her teaching career at Trumbull (CT) High School spanned 30 years, during which she taught Italian, French and Spanish; she is survived by her husband of 55 years, two sons and a daughter March 2, 2014 Huntsville, AR

**Eleanor Bates Donlon Moreno '55** took graduate studies in French language and literature at Columbia University and the Sorbonne; in 1974, she received an associate's degree in nursing from Pace University and worked as a medical-surgical nurse at

Beth Israel Medical Center for many years; she is survived by her husband, a son and daughter, and three grandchildren January 26, 2014 New York, NY

**Carolyn Ragozzine Akter '56** was a retired U.S. Navy commander and one of the first female officers in the Navy to hold a command; after retirement, she became a teacher and was head of the guidance department at Sacred Heart High School September 26, 2014 Shelton, CT

**Margaret A. Fogarty '57** received a master's degree in mathematics from the University of New Hampshire and taught at the University of New Hampshire, Westfield State College and Western Connecticut State University; in retirement, and as a cancer survivor, she was a weekly volunteer for 10 years at the New Milford Hospital Cancer Center June 14, 2014 New Milford, CT

**Winifred Lynsky Riley '58** majored in Romance Languages and did graduate work in French and Italian at Yale University, Middlebury College and University of Missouri; she was co-founder of the Little Theatre of Jefferson City and founder of A Children's Theatrical Performing Arts Core (ACTPAC) to mentor local youths

in acting; since 1991 she directed the annual spring musical for Helias High School; she had two daughters and two grandsons August 9, 2014 Jefferson City, MO

**Ruby Hazel Slade '76** was an education coordinator at New Haven Child Development until retirement; she created Nuts About Health, Inc., a non-profit health education organization, and co-hosted a talk show, "Going Nuts About Health," encouraging viewers to follow a healthy lifestyle; she is survived by a son, three daughters, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild January 31, 2014 New Haven, CT

**Helen Fleming Dorman '82** joined the U.S. Army Nurse Corps during the Korean Conflict after graduating from the Bryn Mawr Hospital School of Nursing; she returned to school to earn a bachelor's degree from Albertus and M.B.A. in public health from the University of New Haven; she spent 28 years at Yale-New Haven Hospital as a nurse, nurse educator and manager May 9, 2014 Branford, CT

**Karlene Neddermann DeCarlo '84**, an English major at Albertus, enjoyed reading and writing throughout her life, especially writing devotionals in her spare time; she loved going to Cape Cod with her husband, Joe, and her two dogs. March 26, 2014 Thomaston, CT

**Curtis "Curt" James Banks Sr. '97** worked in retail management, real estate and as a law firm paralegal; he is survived by his husband and partner of 22 years, son and daughter, granddaughter, his mother and siblings March 21, 2014 New Haven, CT

**Linda Reagan Kowaleski '05** attended Albertus as an adult; she had her own art business before beginning a 20-year career at Pfizer; she is survived by her husband, Hilary; their six children and spouses; and 11 grandchildren September 1, 2014 New London, CT

**Rev. Rosemarie F. Gupton '14** worked many years for the City of Hartford Health and Human Services department; she received her master's degree in management and organizational leadership; in 2011 she was ordained at The First Cathedral in Bloomfield; survivors include a son and daughter June 17, 2014 Windsor, CT



a seven-month appointment. She currently is executive vice president- disaster recovery at Community Investment Strategies, Inc. She has a master's degree in city and regional planning from Rutgers University.

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**1971** *45th Reunion June 4, 2016*

**Rose Reynolds**, Lima, NY, has been volunteering at a local hospice for the past five years, every Tuesday from 7 to 11 p.m.

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**1973**

**Jean Incampo**, Hamden, CT, traveled to Israel in March with classmate **Kathleen Ryan** and William Zenko, Kathleen's husband.

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**1975** *40th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**Barbara Tinney**, New Haven, CT, executive director of New Haven Family Alliance, recently received The Consultation Center's annual Community Award in recognition of her commitment to building community for children, youth and families in New Haven.

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**1976** *40th Reunion June 4, 2016*

**Valerie Migliore**, Hamden, CT, is now an educational consultant after serving as Head of School in Virginia and a faculty member at Hamden Hall Country Day School for 19 years. She is the grandmother of Olivia, 6, and Annie, 3.

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**1979**

**Susan Williams Samhaber**, Garching, Germany, after 33 years of working for Motorola Semiconductor and its spinoffs, has started out on her own. "I have a few months to decide, once again, between graduate studies and work," she says.

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**1980** *35th Reunion June 6, 2015*

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**1981** *35th Reunion June 4, 2016*

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**1984**

**Petisia Adger**, New Haven, CT, was parade coordinator for the 2014 annual Greater New Haven St. Patrick's Day Parade. She is a retired assistant chief of the New Haven Police Department.

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**1985** *30th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**Sr. Colleen Smith, A.S.C.J.**, became principal of St. Rose of Lima School in Danbury on July 1. She earned an M.A. degree in theological studies from Providence College and an M.S. degree in educational administration and supervision from Manhattan College. Most recently, she served as vocations director of the Apostles of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in Hamden.

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**1986** *30th Reunion June 4, 2016*

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**1988**

**Martin Marchitto**, Branford, CT, started working for Manhattan College this past spring as director/producer for the Manhattan College Players. He also is teaching for the Visual and Performing Arts Department there, and continues his freelance work. In July he directed "Rumors" for Saybrook Stage Company at "the Kate" (Katharine Hepburn Cultural Arts Center), in Old Saybrook, and continues to work for the Bluebarn Theatre in Omaha.

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**1989**

**Karen Nobile**, Branford, CT, celebrated the sixth anniversary of her business, Nobile Communications International, LLC, a business development communications and social responsibility planning firm.

**Douglas Reil**, El Cerrito, CA, is executive director and associate publisher of Berkeley-based North Atlantic Books, the publishing program of The Society of Native Arts and Sciences.

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**1990** *25th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**Ernest Scrivani**, North Haven, CT, was ordained to the permanent diaconate of the Archdiocese of Hartford in June. The five-year program of study focuses on the human, spiritual, academic and pastoral aspects of ministry. He received a B.A. in humanities with a concentration in religious studies. He and his wife have two sons and two grandchildren.

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**1991** *25th Reunion June 4, 2016*

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**1993**

**Andrew Orefice**, Ocean, NJ, is the principal at the Hawkswood School, a private school for children with disabilities. He now is in his third year of an educational administration doctoral program at St. Peter's University in Jersey City.



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**1995** *20th Reunion June 6, 2015*

**Dori Dumas** has been elected president of the Greater New Haven Branch of the NAACP, which has more than 800 members. She is the first woman to hold the position since the branch was founded in 1913. She holds a B.S. in business and economics.

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**1996** *20th Reunion June 4, 2016*

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**1997**

**Lawrence Cole**, Fountain Hills, AZ, former member of the Albertus Alumni Association Board of Governors, has been appointed to the Public Safety Advisory Commission for a two-year term, which ends on November 1, 2015.

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**1999**

**Tracy Lyon Bottone**, Wallingford, CT and her husband traveled to Ukraine to adopt a child. They became parents to an 8-year-old boy June 14, 2012, and returned home the following month. "It was a long process, but well worth it," she says.

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**2000** *15th Reunion June 6, 2015*

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**2001** *15th Reunion June 4, 2016*

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## Exum Speaks at Corporate Wellness Conference

**Ellen Exum '93**, director of health benefits and health promotion for IBM Corporation in Armonk, New York, addressed the 6th Annual Corporate Wellness Conference, held in Washington, D.C., in September. Her topic: "Use Corporate Wellness Programs to Rein in Healthcare Costs: Successful Stories and Strategies." The conference was part of the Employer Healthcare & Benefits Congress, one of the largest employee benefits and healthcare events in the world.

Her responsibilities at IBM include overseeing and leading health and welfare benefits and health promotion design and strategy for the IBM community of 430,000 employees, in over 100 countries around the globe.

Exum was formerly the director for benefits and global wellness of PepsiCo, developing global strategic employee health management and wellness goals, and translating them into clearly defined initiatives to impact the health and lifestyle risks of 300,000 employees worldwide. In this position, she was the recipient of National Business Group on Health's Best Employers for Healthy Lifestyles Platinum Award in 2012, 2010 and 2009.

A business and economics major at Albertus, Exum graduated *cum laude*. She began her career as a managed care specialist for Southern New England Telephone (now AT&T) in New Haven, after having an internship there. She has served on various national, regional and local committees and boards, including those sponsored by the World Economic Forum and the National Business Group on Health, and has coauthored several published studies.



## CLASS NOTES (continued)

### 2004

**Corina Alvarezdelugo**, Branford, CT, recently moved her studio to Erector Square in New Haven. She taught two workshops at the Truro Center for the Arts at Castle Hill during the pre- and post- sessions of the 8th International Encaustic Conference held in Provincetown in June for professional artists working in the encaustic medium. In September she taught encaustic painting and sculpture workshops on an art tour of Barcelona and the Costa Brava.

### 2005 *10th Reunion June 6, 2015*

### 2006 *10th Reunion June 4, 2016*

### 2007

**Tammi Means** '11 M.A. Leadership, a sergeant in the New Haven Police Department, is the downtown police district manager for a new substation. She is also a member of the Alumni Association Board of Governors for the 2014–2016 term.

### 2008

**John Carlo**, Darien, CT, received the master of public administration degree from Penn State in 2013.

### 2009

**Art Mollengarden**, '10 M.B.A., Orange, CT, vice chair of the New Haven chapter of SCORE, counselors to America's small businesses, was a workshop leader for the Summer 2014 Entrepreneur Series held at the New Haven Free Public Library and sponsored by SCORE, the U.S. Small Business Administration and Subway. He is director of main campus marketing at Post University.

### 2010 *5th Reunion June 6, 2015*

### 2011 *5th Reunion June 4, 2016*

**Darlene Battle**, Torrington, CT, was re-elected to the Public Safety Commission and sworn in at ceremonies at the city's Warner Theatre in December.

**Peter Hamasian**, Hamden, CT, has been named coach for the boys' soccer team at West Haven High School. He played four years of soccer at Albertus, including two years as team captain. Most recently he served as an assistant for two years for the girls' soccer team at Hand High School in Madison. The recipient of a B.S. in business, he also holds a master's degree in sports management from the University of New Haven.

**Jennifer Kordek**, Meriden, CT, a second-year teacher of history and social studies at Branford High School, shared an award with the school's library media specialist for an iBook project completed with freshmen classes last spring. The project, a student-generated Ebook on World War I, won first place in this national competition. Prior to her senior year, she was the College's first student representative to attend a three-week program in Fanjeaux, France, on the life and times of St. Dominic, founder of the Dominican Order.

### 2012

**Cara Ann Cama**, West Haven, CT, pursuing her goal of attending medical school and becoming a neurosurgeon, took the MCAT exams this fall. A former Miss New Haven County, she was in the top 10 of this year's Miss Connecticut competition, and received the national Miss America Academic Achievement Award and \$1,000 scholarship.

**Alexandrea Dudley**, West Haven, CT, currently teaches high school social studies in the Waterbury School System. While at Albertus she was a resident Assistant, writing associate, tour guide and member of the women's softball and tennis teams. A member of the Honors Program, she graduated *magna cum laude*.

## IN MEMORIAM: ALUMNI RELATIVES AND MEMBERS OF THE ALBERTUS COMMUNITY

**Bessie D. Barbarito**, mother of Elizabeth Barbarito Richo '59; she was 101  
June 26, 2014

**Nicholas J. Bua**, a former treasurer of the College who also taught business and accounting courses here, died March 14, 2014; **Frieda Spengler Bua**, his wife of 62 years, died October 2, 2014

**Edmund J. Fusco Sr.**, builder and real estate developer; father of Lynn Fusco, a member of the College's Board of Trustees  
September 24, 2014

**John Gambardella**, husband of Nina Ardito Gambardella '45; he received his D.V.M. degree from the University of Oklahoma School of Veterinary Medicine and was in private practice for 44 years; he and Nina participated in international-style amateur ballroom dancing competitions throughout the U.S., Canada and Europe  
March 31, 2014

**Joseph P. Garner**, husband of Kathleen Rivers Garner '64  
June 30, 2013

**William H. Geary**, father of Michael Geary, associate professor and coordinator of the Criminal Justice Program; he served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and the Korean War  
July 6, 2014

**Amy Strehlein Golda**, director of fine arts for the Hamden (CT) school system, was an affiliate faculty member in Education Programs since 2004  
June 27, 2014

**William Hoffman**, brother of Deacon John Hoffman, coordinator of Dominican ministries for the College  
June 13, 2014

**Eugene Humesky**, husband of Assya Kardinalowska Humesky '50; he is survived by his wife, two sons and six grandchildren  
November 11, 2013

**Carlos B. Icaza**, husband of Shelley Norton; nephew of the late Natalia Icaza Holland '40, recipient of an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree from Albertus in 2011 and benefactor of the College  
August 16, 2014

**John S. Joy**, father of Dr. Stephen Joy, professor of psychology  
August 4, 2014

**Joseph P. Kazickas**, entrepreneur, statesman, economist and philanthropist, received an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree from Albertus in 2007; in 1944 he was forced to flee his homeland of Lithuania when communist forces invaded; after three years in displaced persons camps in Germany, he won a fellowship to Yale University to study for

a doctorate in economics; he taught economics part-time at Albertus while studying at Yale; he established and endowed the Kazickas Family Scholarship to honor the kindness shown to him, his wife and his daughter while he taught here  
July 9, 2014

**Theodore C. Kraus**, father of Julianne Kraus, accounts receivable New Dimensions, and father-in-law of Carolyn Behan Kraus '86, vice president for development and alumni relations  
August 9, 2014

**Patricia Lyons Leahy**, sister of Elizabeth Lyons Weber '58 and Mary Killeen Lyons '59; she was a parishioner of St. Joan of Arc Church for more than 40 years  
November 21, 2013

**Brian J. Leslie**, nephew of Dr. Lynne Stapleton Farrell, Esq. '60; a graduate of Fairfield University, he received his J.D. from Boston College Law School  
July 1, 2014

**Bruce Leuzzi**, an adjunct professor in the cohort program/ New Dimensions  
April 10, 2014

**Beverly Eden Levy**, mother of Perri Levy '05  
March 7, 2014

**Joseph M. Miller Jr**, brother-in-law of Sr. Anne Kilbride, O.P., assistant to the President for Dominican mission and ministries  
May 20, 2014

**Mary S. Moroson**, mother of Barbara Moroson '64; she was 97  
June 14, 2014

**John W. (Jack) Murphy**, brother of Mary Ellen Murphy Mininberg '49  
June 1, 2014

**Jacqueline Nevins**, mother of Jerome Nevins, professor of visual and performing arts  
September 9, 2014

**James E. Perillo**, husband of Eileen Perillo, former registrar of Albertus  
August 18, 2014

**Elizabeth Kathleen Perrotti** was in her sophomore year at Albertus; a memorial prayer service attended by her parents, family, friends and members of the Albertus community took place September 3 in the St. Albert Atrium of the Tagliatela Academic Center  
June 6, 2014

**Anthony J. Polemeni**, husband of Martha Massi Polemeni '63; he was a vice president at Touro College  
May 22, 2014

**Charles L. Powers Jr.**, husband of Marguerite Gallagher Powers '55; he also is survived by three sons, a daughter and eight grandchildren  
July 7, 2014

**Peg Pulkkinen**, former staff member of the Albertus Office of Admission  
May 12, 2014

**Anthony Ridarelli**, husband of Margaret Pelzer Ridarelli '60  
March 25, 2014

**Lucille B. Ritvo**, former director of job placement and career counseling at Albertus  
May 3, 2014

**David P. Ryan**, husband of Ruth Carroll Ryan '64, died one day after their 48th wedding anniversary  
August 15, 2013

**Kathryn E. Sharpe**, mother of Kathleen Sharpe '72  
October 7, 2013

**Julie Schreck**, daughter of Patricia O'Rourke Schreck '56; a graduate of Fordham University, she was the wife of Joseph West and mother of Molly, 8  
May 4, 2014

**Helen F. Sondej**, mother of Mania Sondej Philpott '64  
December 29, 2012

**Sr. Rose Clement Stalter, O.P.**, registrar at Albertus from 1970 to 1981  
March 25, 2014

**George Sutherland**, father of Olivia Sutherland '16  
April 21, 2014



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## Save the Date:

December 2 at 4 p.m. is the 2nd Annual Tree Lighting in front of Aquinas Hall and the presentation of 1,925 children's books, donated by the Albertus community, to Read to Grow. The book project symbolizes Study, one of the four pillars of the Dominican Charism.

