



2022-2023

STLCC Foundation

IMPACT REPORT

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Kristen Peterson, Photographer Founder of the annual Peterson Photography Lecture Series at STLCC-Meramec





I appreciate the assistance in starting a new path. Thank you for believing in me. With so many changes and so much uncertainty, it is so nice to see the kindness in the world shine through. Thank you for being this encouraging source of positivity. People like you make it easier to believe in the good that is yet to come.

Tara C., STLCC-Wildwood Spring 2023 Scholarship Recipient

Growing up in a household where I will be the first in my family to attend college, getting a good college education and being able to graduate has always been a dream of mine. This financial support is incredibly helpful and will allow me to attend St. Louis Community College and to be able to graduate with an associate degree in Business Administration.

Carl B., STLCC-Forest Park Fall 2022 Scholarship Recipient

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# **FY2023 SUPPORT** FOR THE STLCC FOUNDATION



# Foundation Donors

**63%** Corporation & Foundation **30%** Friends & Community Partners

Alumni

**Current & Retired Staff** 

## Revenue Statistics

44% Grants

24% Events

15% Greatest Need



17% Scholarship Support



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### Kristen Peterson, Photographer Founder of the annual Peterson Photography Lecture Series at STLCC-Meramec

### **STLCC FOUNDATION AT-A-GLANCE (FY2023)**

\$13.3m

\$12.2m

100

Dedicated

3.750

Individual Gifts

25% **Employee Giving** 

1.288



\$2,095,709

I am beyond excited about starting my new journey into the field of accounting! This scholarship will provide me with the opportunity to gain employment that will allow me to take care of my family and stop living paycheck to paycheck.

Alnita S., STLCC-Meramec Spring 2023 Scholarship Recipient

#### **CREATE A LASTING LEGACY**

For over 60 years STLCC has been a staple in the St. Louis community and will continue to serve the region for many more years to come. As an advocate of the STLCC Foundation, you can create a lasting legacy and support the success of STLCC students for many generations to come. Contact us to learn more about our planned giving opportunities.



**ONE OUT OF EVERY 34 jobs** in the St. Louis area is supported by the activities of STLCC and its students



STLCC's annual IMPACT on St. Louis is \$2.5 billion



For every \$1 INVESTED into their STLCC education, students gain \$4.70 increase in future income over their working careers. Taxpayers gain \$2.80 in added tax revenue and public sector savings. Society gains \$10.80 in added state revenue and social savings.





#### **ANNUAL SPECIAL EVENTS**

Throughout the year the STLCC Foundation hosts engaging events, including major fundraisers and on-campus activities. In February, the STLCC Foundation partners with the STLCC Culinary Department to offer a premier dining experience during the Falling in Love in Five Courses Gala, hosted at the Four Seasons Hotel St. Louis. Each September, over 200 golfers participate in the annual **Tee for Tuition Golf Tournament**. Also in the fall, the STLCC-Meramec campus hosts alumni, students and friends for the **Peterson** Photography Lecture Series. Through these events, the STLCC Foundation is creating awareness of the College and enhancing the sustainability and success of STLCC programs and scholarship funds.





The St. Louis Community College Foundation solicits private financial support to further the mission of St. Louis Community College. St. Louis Community College expands minds and changes lives every day. We create accessible, dynamic learning environments focused on the needs of our diverse communities.

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