



**2018
Gratitude
Report**

HCC HOUSTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
FOUNDATION

**Because
of you...
brighter,
better
futures**



THANK YOU!



“One of the nice things about the HCC Foundation is that it helps the students directly. You are enabling people who could not normally attend college to have that chance to gain a real opportunity for a great career in life.”

Dr. Richard E. Wainerdi
President Emeritus,
Texas Medical Center

Mission

HCC Foundation empowers HCC student success through philanthropic support, aligned with key HCC institutional initiatives.

Vision

The HCC Foundation is to be a philanthropic force supporting high-quality educational experiences for HCC students of all backgrounds to help them improve the trajectory of their lives.

A letter from our executive director

Dear Friends,

The message featured on the cover of our 2018 report tells the story best.

Because of you, more students have opportunities to pursue their dreams and career goals.

Because of you, lives have been changed for the better.

Because of you, Houston has a more skilled workforce.

Your investment in HCC student success is more than monetary. You are literally transforming the lives of our students and their families and influencing future generations.

In 2018, the HCC Foundation celebrated its most successful gala, with appreciation to co-chairs Lina and Michael Sabouni for their outstanding efforts to ensure even more students have the opportunity to pursue their studies at HCC. Overall, we provided **\$3 million in scholarships and grants** in FY2018, all thanks to you and the generous support of our many friends in the community who share our vision for educational opportunity for all Houstonians.

I am also grateful for the dedicated efforts of the HCC Foundation Board of Directors and the leadership of Board President David Regenbaum and the Executive Committee, and especially Immediate Past President Mary Williams who set the HCC Foundation on a path of excellence. It is their committed engagement that drives our efforts on behalf of student success.

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In this report, you will read about just some of the ways your giving has impact across HCC and our community.

Because of you, a brighter, hope-filled future is now achievable for so many students at Houston's Community College.

Thank you for all that you make possible!

Karen L. Schmidt

Karen L. Schmidt, MBA, CFRE
Executive Director, HCC Foundation

Donor highlights

HONORS COLLEGE

Barnes & Noble College Opens New Chapters on Student Success

The Honors College at Houston Community College is a special place where talented students study with inspiring faculty members as part of an immersive learning community that prepares them to transfer to the nation's most prestigious colleges and universities.

Barnes & Noble College helps these top-performing students succeed by providing their textbooks at no charge. Many graduates donate the books back to help others in need.

Barnes & Noble has generously supported student success at HCC across many programs with its annual support via the HCC Foundation, including serving as Presenting Sponsor for the HCC Foundation's 2018 gala.



HCC Honors College celebrates the academic achievements of its graduates at an annual luncheon ceremony. Barnes & Noble College generously provides textbooks to students in the program.

The Barnes & Noble book scholarship is a key component to our students' college success and high graduation rates, allowing them to start strongly and engage with the course material quickly.

Dr. Cheryl Peters
Executive Director, HCC Honors
and Weekend College



90%
GRADUATION
RATE



ONE-ON-ONE
MENTORING



FOUNDED IN
2007

Boosting Local Business and Houston's Economy

Through the innovative Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses program, small business participants gain practical skills in topics such as negotiation, marketing, and employee management that they can immediately put into action. Participants also receive the tools and professional support to develop a customized strategic growth plan to take their business to the next level.

Texas State Representative Christina Morales, president of Felix H. Morales Funeral Home and the Morales Memorial Foundation, is an alumna of the 2014 program. She shared insights with graduates at the May 2018 graduation ceremony, encouraging them to "work on the business, not in the business." As a member of the HCC Foundation Board of Directors, Rep. Morales reminded the scholars to not forget about their community and to be a mentor to those around them. HCCF Board Member Maria Rios, CEO of Nation Waste, is also a proud Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses graduate.

Priti Singh, a 2018 graduate, is taking the advice to heart. As CEO of Associated Testing Laboratories in Houston, a family-owned business that opened its doors in 1956, she now has a vastly broadened business perspective powered by the strategic growth plan she developed through the program, and her company is already reaping the rewards.



The 21st cohort of small business owners received certificates of completion of the Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses program at Houston Community College during a ceremony at the HCC Alief-Hayes Campus held in April 2018.

We've implemented our growth plan and we're procuring new business.

Priti Singh
2018 Alumna, Goldman Sachs
10,000 Small Businesses at HCC

When you give owners the tools to grow their business, they can increase revenue and hire additional employees. That helps Houston's economy and our nation.

Manuel Aguilar
Lead Faculty, Goldman Sachs
10,000 Small Businesses at HCC

ESTABLISHED AT HCC
2011
WITH SUPPORT FROM
GOLDMAN SACHS FOUNDATION

AS OF 2018,
636
LOCAL BUSINESSES
HAVE PARTICIPATED



84
GRADUATES
IN 2018



99%
COMPLETION
RATE



88%
OF GRADUATES
DO BUSINESS
TOGETHER



47.1%
OF GRADUATES
ADD JOBS



Rodeo officials tour the Public Safety Center to see the impact of their giving. HLSR provides scholarships and equipment, including a training ambulance (featured above), in support of HCC's Public Safety Institute. These resources help students enrolled in the emergency medical services academy, law enforcement, and fire protection programs learn the skills and techniques essential to their service as Houston's next generation of first responders.

HOUSTON LIVESTOCK SHOW & RODEO Hats Off to a Long-Time Supporter

HCC Foundation Board members kicked off 2018 by giving the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo a Texas-sized thank-you at their Second Annual Vocational Scholarship Reception. The Rodeo has supported HCC programs and students for several decades, providing grant funding of more than \$900,000 for a wide range of programs and scholarships. That includes \$68,000 in FY2018 alone for HCC's Public Safety Center of Excellence and technical education scholarships.

HLSR's generosity over the years has provided a training ambulance, an emergency telecommunications center, a police training simulator, and a number of other program enhancements for HCC students training to be Houston's future first responders.

**We salute the Rodeo's
commitment to furthering
education for all Houstonians.**

David Regenbaum
HCC Foundation Board President



\$900,000+
IN GRANT FUNDING
SINCE 1993



\$68,000
FOR PUBLIC SAFETY
IN FY 2018



HCC PUBLIC SAFETY
SUPPORTS
110+
LAW ENFORCEMENT,
FIRE AND EMS AGENCIES

REBUILD TEXAS FUND

Qatar Harvey Fund Scholarship Program

The HCC Foundation continued its ongoing support for disaster relief in 2018. A new scholarship program is benefiting more than 100 students who were unable to continue their studies at HCC due to financial constraints resulting from Hurricane Harvey.

The State of Qatar is funding the scholarships with a \$300,000 grant from its \$30 million Qatar Harvey Fund. The fund has already committed \$5 million for long-term recovery assistance through its partnership with the Rebuild Texas Fund, a collaborative project of the Michael & Susan Dell Foundation and the OneStar Foundation.

Both funds were created to support the rebuilding of Texas communities hit hard by Hurricane Harvey.



Check presentation at HCC Board of Trustees meeting where the Qatar Harvey Fund Scholarship Program was announced.

We are grateful to the Qatar Harvey Fund and the Rebuild Texas Fund for their dedication and passion to help rebuild and revitalize our community, including our HCC family impacted by Hurricane Harvey.

*Dr. Cesar Maldonado
HCC Chancellor*

Qatar has long invested in education. We are very pleased to partner with the Houston Community College Foundation on this program.

*His Excellency
Meshal bin Hamad Al-Thani
Qatar's Ambassador to the U.S.*



SCHOLARSHIPS
FOR MORE THAN

**100
STUDENTS**



\$300,000

GRANT



\$5 MILLION

COMMITTED TO LONG-TERM
RECOVERY ASSISTANCE
IN SOUTHEAST TEXAS

DAVID & JEAN WILEY FOUNDATION/NORMA & SAM GAINER

Inspiring Futures One Student at a Time

Since 2010, the David & Jean Wiley Foundation has contributed more than \$1.2 million in scholarships to the HCC Foundation. One of the largest scholarships the Foundation awards, it has covered tuition, books, and fees for hundreds of grateful students.

Among them is HCC graduate Brittany Wilmore. She had returned to Houston because she couldn't afford to continue her studies at an out-of-state university. A counselor at the Hayes campus encouraged her to apply for the scholarship.

Brittaney was overjoyed when she found out she received a scholarship from the Foundation. Brittaney's scholarship helped her become an example for her brother. It also helped her become a digital producer at ABC13.

Wiley trustees Norma and Sam Gainer, honored at the 2018 HCC Foundation gala, credit the students for their hard-earned achievements.



HCC Graduate Brittany Wilmore with Wiley Foundation representatives, from l, Susan Gainer, and Sam and Norma Gainer.



Brittaney Wilmore, Student Success Story

When we get to meet these scholarship recipients and hear their stories, it is absolutely priceless.

Norma Gainer
Wiley Foundation Trustee

Thanks to HCC and my scholarship, I was able to achieve all the goals I set out for myself.

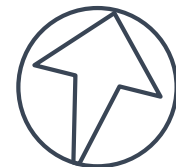
Brittaney Wilmore
Wiley Foundation scholarship recipient



2010
WILEY FOUNDATION
ESTABLISHED
SCHOLARSHIP FOR
HCC STUDENTS



MORE THAN
\$1.2
MILLION
IN SCHOLARSHIPS
FOR HCC STUDENTS



ONE OF HCC'S
LARGEST
SCHOLARSHIPS



Tonight we celebrate our students and what education makes possible in their lives and for their families. We know that HCC is a leader in 21st century learning and we value the support received from the community.

Dr. Cesar Maldonado
HCC Chancellor

HCC FOUNDATION GALA 2018

Igniting Excellence

The HCC Foundation held its most successful gala to date in April 2018, raising more than \$720,000 and spotlighting HCC's 15 Centers of Excellence. A percentage of the proceeds benefitted the HCC Disaster Relief Fund.

Co-chairs Lina and Michael Sabouni championed the biennial gala, the Foundation's signature fundraising event, which recognized:

- Dr. Richard E. Wainerdi, president emeritus of the Texas Medical Center, the Individual Crystal Eagle Honoree
- The David & Jean Wiley Foundation, the Foundation Crystal Eagle Honoree, for contributing more than \$1.2 million in scholarship support
- Skanska USA, the Corporate Crystal Eagle Honoree, for supporting students pursuing associate degrees or certificates in engineering, construction technology and related trade studies

Barnes & Noble College was the Presenting Sponsor for the black-tie evening. Gala Auction Chair and HCCF Board Emeritus Ann Hayworth led a silent and a live auction that included a record number of items.



MORE THAN
\$720,000
RAISED

.....
MOST SUCCESSFUL
HCC FOUNDATION GALA IN HISTORY
.....

HIGHLIGHTING
15
HCC CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE



90+
MEMBERS IN 2018
GOLDEN EAGLE SOCIETY



RECOGNIZING
DONORS WHO GIVE
\$5,000
OR MORE



THE GOLDEN EAGLE
SOCIETY BEGAN IN
2009

GOLDEN EAGLE SOCIETY ANNUAL DINNER
Recognizing Special-level Donors

HCC's West Houston Institute and its innovative learning spaces welcomed VIP guests attending the HCC Foundation Golden Eagle Society Dinner in October.

The annual dinner lets Foundation board members and staff extend their gratitude in person to donors who contribute \$5,000 or more in a fiscal year. HCC Foundation Board President David Regenbaum toasted the 2018 Golden Eagle Society members. HCC Foundation Scholarship Ambassador and future doctor Thierry Kochkarian expressed his gratitude to the donors as well, telling them his scholarship keeps him striving to go even further in his studies.

Today is a celebration of what we make possible through the Foundation. Our donors turn impossible dreams into achievable goals.

Karen L. Schmidt
Executive Director, HCC Foundation

One of the biggest barriers to education besides fear itself is finance. We are certainly happy that the Foundation takes care of that for our deserving students.

Dr. Carolyn Evans-Shabazz
HCC Board Chair

HCC FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP LUNCHEON
Celebrating Students and Donors

HCC Foundation Board President David Regenbaum calls the annual fall event the highlight of the calendar. The 2018 HCC Foundation Scholarship Luncheon lived up to its reputation.

Five hundred guests heard students share their stories, their ambitions, and their appreciation for the donors whose generous contributions make their dreams come true. HCC Foundation Board member and Scholarship and Awards Committee Chair Jeanne Perdue led these "Voices of Gratitude," which included scholarship recipient Sohee Park sharing her thoughts via video.

View Sohee's video and other grateful student voices at: hccsfoundation.org (Click 'Voices of Gratitude' under the Scholarship tab).



500
GUESTS
ATTENDED

Grateful students have the opportunity to meet their scholarship benefactors at annual Foundation Scholarship Luncheon.

HCC Foundation supports HCC student success

Scholarship and Awards Committee

The HCC Foundation encourages faculty and staff to explore creative ideas to enhance their teaching and enrich student learning. The HCC Foundation Board of Directors approved partial or complete funding for the following projects through the Scholarship and Awards Committee in fiscal year 2018.



COLLEGE LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM (CLEP)

\$8,700 to provide up to 100 current HCC students the opportunity to earn college credit by taking the CLEP exam in one of the 33 subject areas, saving them time and tuition to complete their associate degree.

Requested by
Indra Pelaez
*Interim Associate Vice Chancellor
Enrollment Management - Success*



READING CULTURES

\$4,000 in scholarship support for HCC students who participate in the 5th Annual HCC Reading Culture program. This program was initiated by the national program Bridging Cultures, an initiative developed by the National Endowment for the Humanities that seeks to “engage the power of the humanities to promote understanding and mutual respect for people with diverse histories, cultures, and perspectives within the United States and abroad.”

Requested by
Cecilia Bonnor
*Instructor
English and Humanities, HCC Northwest*



BRIDGEYEAR RECRUITMENT

\$6,300 for BridgeYear to visit three low-performing HISD high schools in the HCC Southeast College area, to let students “test drive” career opportunities and generate enthusiasm about pursuing a higher education program.

Requested by
Indra Pelaez
*Interim Associate Vice Chancellor
Enrollment Management - Success*



FULFILLING THE DREAM SCHOLARSHIP

\$25,000 for qualified students seeking high-growth, high-demand workforce training in HCC Workforce programs leading to an AAS degree or certification.

Requested by
Mike Webster
*Associate Vice Chancellor
Workforce Instruction*



HCC COMMITMENT SIGNING DAY

\$16,400 in scholarship support for qualified students who attended the event to learn about HCC opportunities that are available regardless of social or economic background. This ongoing District-wide initiative gives HCC recruiters another tool to encourage students who want to attend college, but lack the financial resources to do so.

Requested by
Vickie Cofield
*Student Recruiter
HCC Central College*



THIRD ANNUAL SPEECH TOURNAMENT

\$600 in scholarship awards for winning students in this two-day event that features community-based judges and lets students showcase what they have learned in class and sharpen their public speaking skills.

Requested by
Xandelyn Wright
*Part-time instructor
Speech Department, HCC Academics*

HCC Foundation highlights



ASIAN AMERICAN YOUTH GIVING CIRCLE Serving the Community

The Asian American Youth Giving Circle presented a \$5,000 check at the HCC Board of Trustees meeting in August 2018 in support of the ASPIRE scholarship program and initiatives for HCC students. Together with local youth, the organization helps the Houston community by volunteering, raising money, providing grants to nonprofits, and empowering their members to become leaders in the world.

EAST HARRIS COUNTY MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION Investing in Houston's Workforce

PetrochemWorks awarded \$85,000 to the HCC Foundation in 2018 in support of the East Harris County Manufacturers Association (EHCMA) Workforce Development Scholarship. The scholarship helps students across many HCC Centers of Excellence who are pursuing workforce training for higher-wage, high-demand jobs. Funds are raised through the yearly PetrochemWorks Golf Tournament, which began as the EHCMA Workforce Development Golf Tournament in 2014.



As soon as I received the money, it was a great help. I am proud to be working in the manufacturing workforce.

Yesika Vega Palacios
HCC Advanced Manufacturing student
and EHCMA scholarship recipient



HCC FOUNDATION Unveiling the 2019-2020 Strategic Plan

The HCC Foundation's 2019-2020 Strategic Plan builds on its current plan and provides goals for fundraising leading up to the College's 50th anniversary celebration in 2021.

PVF ROUNDTABLE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Scholarships and Trophies

In 2018, the PVF Roundtable, an organization of Pipe, Valve, and Fitting industry professionals, provided over \$31,000 in support for their Advanced Manufacturing Scholarship at the HCC Foundation. The funds were raised at the 10th annual Don Caffee Memorial Golf Tournament held in May 2018.

HCCF Board Members Mary “Longest Drive” Williams and Charlene “Closest to the Pin” White (pictured center) also brought trophies back to the school.



FACULTY & STAFF CAMPAIGN

All in for HCC Surpassed Goal

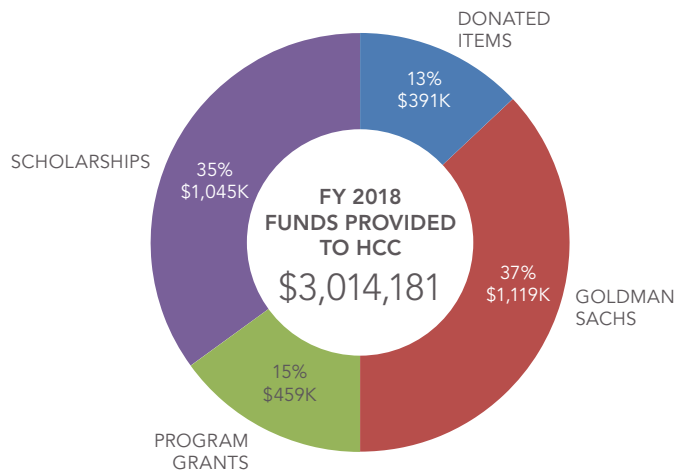
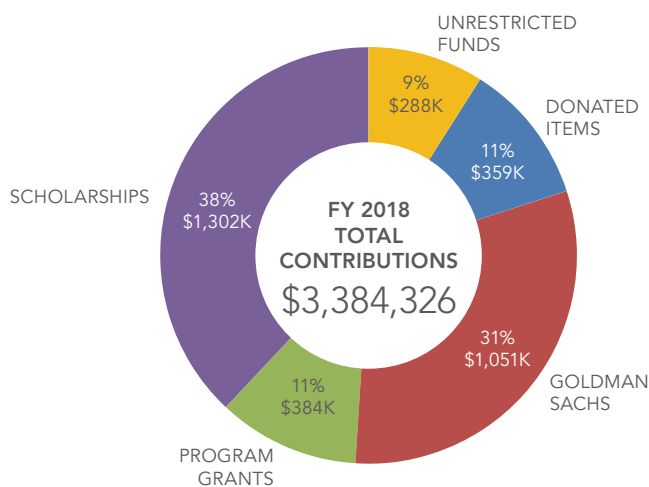
In 2018, the annual Faculty & Staff Campaign, “All In for HCC,” raised more than \$105,000 in employees support for student scholarships and programs, surpassing the \$100,000 campaign goal. HCC Foundation board members and faculty liaisons, Professor Antrece Baggétt and Dr. Mary Lawson, helped rally support from their HCC colleagues. The 2018 employee campaign included the annual Bedichek-Orman Auction, hosted by the HCC Faculty Senate on behalf of faculty professional development, for the first time.



COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS

The HCC Foundation is grateful for the support received from the community and what it makes possible for HCC students.

In FY 2018, September 1, 2017 – August 31, 2018, the Foundation received \$3.4 million in contributions from the community. The majority of these funds are restricted according to donor intent. In that same fiscal year, the Foundation provided \$3 million in scholarships and grants to HCC.



Financials

HOUSTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

Statement of Financial Position

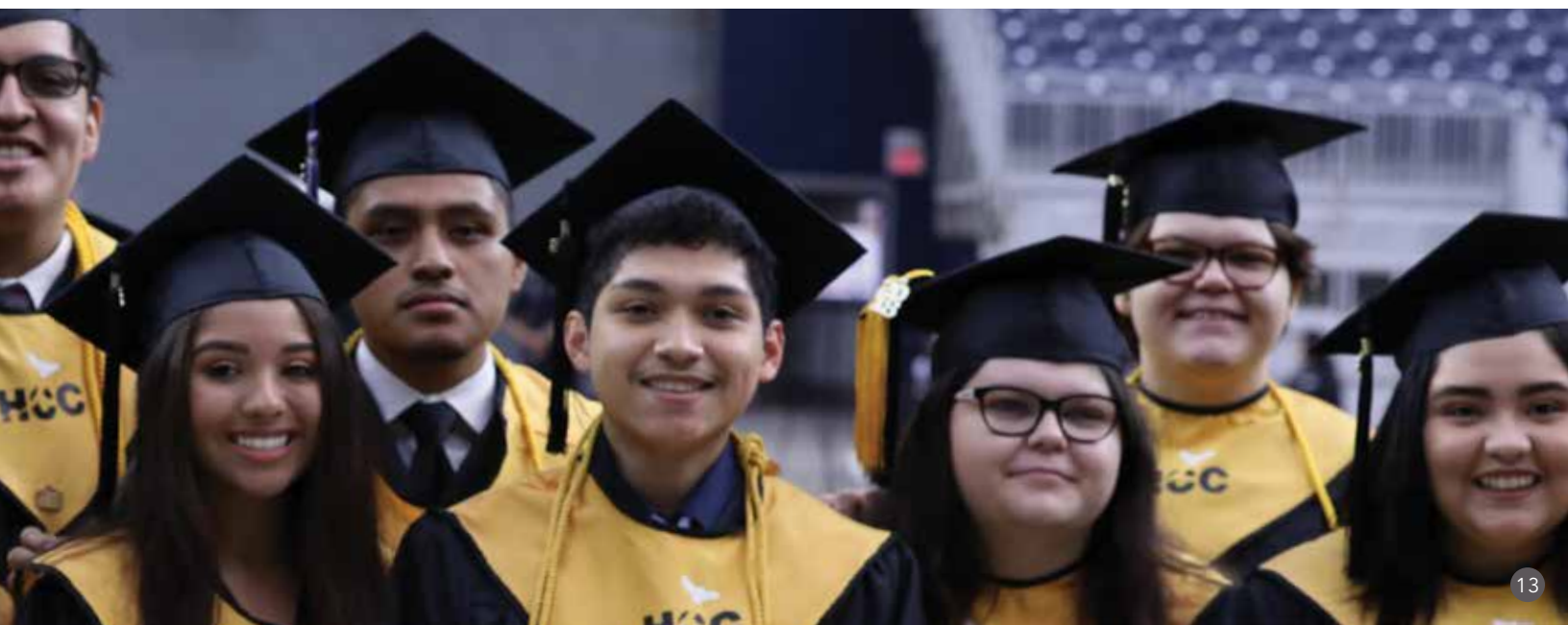
August 31	2018	2017
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 440,775	\$ 410,220
Contributions receivable	452,263	127,500
Prepays and other current assets	55,248	-
Investments	5,422,194	4,968,696
Total current assets	6,370,480	5,506,396
NONCURRENT ASSETS		
Contributions receivable	-	100,000
Investments, restricted for endowments	10,166,522	10,066,530
Total noncurrent assets	10,166,522	10,166,530
Total assets	\$ 16,537,002	\$ 15,672,926
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Due to related party	\$ 287,029	\$ 96,277
Total current liabilities	287,029	96,277
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES		
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted	667,057	579,745
Temporarily restricted	5,416,394	4,920,687
Permanently restricted	10,166,522	10,076,217
Total net assets	16,249,973	15,576,649
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 16,537,002	\$ 15,672,926



HOUSTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

Statement of Activities

For the year ended August 31, 2018				
	UNRESTRICTED	TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED	PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED	TOTAL
SUPPORT AND INCOME				
Contributions and donations	\$ 681,978	\$ 2,612,043	\$ 90,305	\$ 3,384,326
In-kind revenue	1,081,570	-	-	1,081,570
Interest and dividend income	115,276	247,315	-	362,591
Realized and unrealized gains on investments	(88,576)	387,926	-	299,350
Vending and other income	210,000	-	-	210,000
Net assets released from restrictions	2,751,577	(2,751,577)	-	-
Total support and income	4,751,825	495,707	90,305	5,337,837
PROGRAM SERVICES				
Scholarships	1,504,689	-	-	1,504,689
Grant distributions	1,118,601	-	-	1,118,601
Student service distributions	126,000	-	-	126,000
Other program services	717,031	-	-	717,031
Total program services	3,466,321	-	-	3,466,321
SUPPORT SERVICES				
Fundraising	660,884	-	-	660,884
Administration	537,308	-	-	537,308
Total support services	1,198,192	-	-	1,198,192
Total program and support services	4,664,513	-	-	4,664,513
Increase in net assets	87,312	495,707	90,305	673,324
Net assets, beginning of year	579,745	4,920,687	10,076,217	15,576,649
Net assets, end of year	\$ 667,057	\$ 5,416,394	\$ 10,166,522	\$ 16,249,973



Donor roll

The HCC Foundation gratefully acknowledges our donors, who provide life-changing scholarship funding and help support HCC's ability to offer the latest technology and training to a diverse student body across 15 Centers of Excellence, our network of campuses, and our satellite centers.

Listed here are donor contributions of \$250 and more made during our 2018 fiscal year, September 1, 2017 - August 31, 2018. These do not include pledges.

GOLDEN EAGLE SOCIETY

SUMMA CUM LAUDE EAGLES

\$100,000 and above

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Wallis State Bank
Whatcom Community College
Nancy Zefo, MD and D. Keith Fernandez, MD

MAGNA CUM LAUDE EAGLES

\$50,000-\$99,999

Aramco Associated Company
Deutser
East Harris County Manufacturers Association
Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo
May and Stanley Smith Charitable Trust
Sony Electronics, Inc.

DEAN'S LIST EAGLES

\$25,000-\$49,999

Communities Foundation of Texas
Greater East End District
Macmillan
PVF Roundtable

HEAD OF THE CLASS EAGLES

\$10,000-\$24,999

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SOARING EAGLES

\$5,000-\$9,999

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Goya Foods of Texas
Derry and Nola Herlihy
Home Depot
JPMorgan Chase
Linda and David Knowles

You have lightened my financial burden, which allows me to focus on the most important part of school, learning. Your generosity has inspired me to help others and give back to the community. I hope one day I will be able to help students achieve their goals just as you have helped me.

Sinead Pipersburgh
*Estelle Cameron Memorial
Endowed Scholarship*

HONOR ROLL DONORS

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**I know that I can accomplish
great things in my lifetime.
I will not let finances hinder my
potential and keep me from
sharing the gifts given to me.**

Alexis Sorto

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Closing notes from our HCCF board president

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the HCC Foundation board, I offer my sincere appreciation for your generous support and that of my fellow board members, a dedicated group of community volunteers and business leaders who, like you, are committed to improving the lives of Houstonians through the gift of education.

I hope this report has provided insight into the many ways your giving has impact across the College.

Houston needs a skilled workforce to drive its economic future, and Houston Community College is the engine. For many potential skilled workers, however, financial constraints present a challenge to realizing their career goals. Your support helps bridge this gap.

HCC's student body reflects the vibrancy of Houston, our nation's most diverse city and one of its largest. In response, HCC offers many pathways to success, from short-term certificate programs to core academics for students working toward an advanced degree. Across this arc of possibilities, the HCC Foundation is there to support their dreams with financial support.

As an entrepreneur in residence, I have witnessed firsthand how HCC fuels Houston's economy through innovative programs like Goldman Sachs *10,000 Small Businesses*, featured in this report. As president of the Foundation board, it is my privilege to share with our community remarkable stories of students and programs impacted by Foundation support. Both roles highlight how HCC is truly Houston's Community College.

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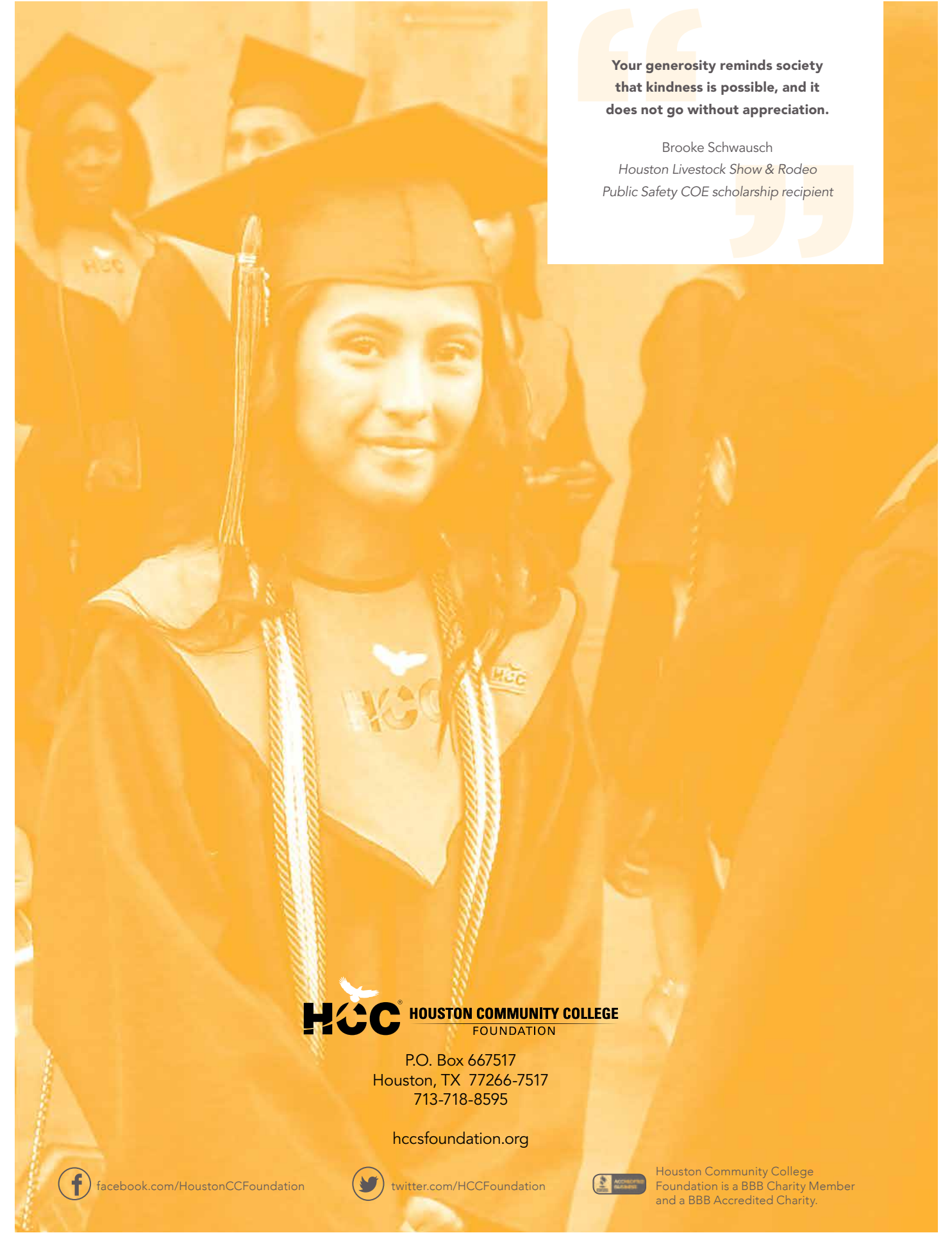
Indeed, it is, and we are grateful to have you join us on the journey.

Sincerely,



David Regenbaum
President, HCC Foundation Board of Directors





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