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THE CITY
The IUPUI Honors College puts high-ability students on a dynamic urban campus in the heart of Indianapolis, the nation’s twelfth-largest city.

THE UNIVERSITY
As one of the most comprehensive public universities in the Midwest, IUPUI offers more than 225 degree programs from Indiana University and Purdue University.

THE EXPERIENCE
IUPUI Honors Scholars enjoy a special learning environment that encourages involvement and excellence in academics, research, civic engagement, and leadership activities. Honors Scholars benefit from smaller classes, close connections to IUPUI’s faculty and scholarly community, personal honors advisors, exclusive campus housing and amenities, and financial assistance.

HONORS COLLEGE CRITERIA FOR COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIPS
Incoming freshmen who apply to IUPUI with all required materials by November 15 and meet the following criteria are invited to apply for Honors College competitive scholarships and direct admission to the Honors College:

• A cumulative high school GPA of 3.75 (weighted)
• A minimum ACT composite score of 28 or minimum SAT score of 1250 (SAT critical reading and math scores combined)

Complete the online honors application at honorscollege.iupui.edu by November 15 for the following Honors College competitive scholarship programs: Chancellor’s Scholarship,* Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program, Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholars Program, and Plater International Scholars Program.

*Effective fall 2016, the IUPUI Chancellor’s Scholarship will change from an admission-based scholarship to a competitive scholarship.
EVENTS

HONORS COLLEGE JAGDAYS

JagDays are one-day campus visit experiences designed to introduce prospective students to specific academic programs at IUPUI. At the Honors College JagDay, visitors can tour the Honors College and learn more about scholarships, honors opportunities, undergraduate research opportunities, and the community of scholars. Visitors also have the option of meeting with a representative in their academic area of interest.

If prospective students choose to attend a JagDay other than the Honors College JagDay, they can still add on an Honors College experience, which allows them to tour the Honors College and meet one-on-one with an Honors College staff member to discuss scholarship opportunities and admission to the Honors College. Honors College experiences begin at 10 a.m. and lead into the regular JagDay schedule.

HONORS COLLEGE STUDENT SHOWCASE

Each spring Honors Scholars display their accomplishments to the IUPUI campus community and special guests at the Honors College Student Showcase. At the 2015 showcase, held April 23 at the IUPUI University Library, 26 Honors Scholars presented their work in the areas of undergraduate research, art, design, visual communication, business solutions, service learning, and community engagement.

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: DOROTHY SLOVER

Honors Scholar Dorothy Slover spent the month of May studying art history in Italy—a trip that would not have been possible without the study abroad stipend included in her Honors College scholarship package.

During the 2015 Honors College Student Showcase, Slover, an art education major, displayed a collection of her work that included art books, drawings, paintings, and other original art pieces. Most of her work thus far has been independent art exploration. But when she begins her student teaching in the fall, she’ll build lesson plans around her creations, starting with art books like the ones she presented at the showcase.

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: MORGAN MORAN

Honors Scholar Morgan Moran, a psychology major, spent spring break doing crafts and other activities with children in an orphanage in Costa Rica. She captured the excitement of that life-changing service learning experience in a short video that she presented at the 2015 Honors College Student Showcase.
HONORS COLLEGE PEER MENTORS PROGRAM

The Honors College Peer Mentors Program brings together first-year and upper-class Honors Scholars. Honors College mentors serve as individual peer advisors to first-year scholars. During the summer before first-year scholars arrive at IUPUI, mentors share information about campus and address any questions that the first-year scholars have. Mentors also welcome students to the Honors College, help them build their networks at IUPUI and within the Honors College, and serve as guides throughout their first year of college.

HONORS COLLEGE RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITIES

The IUPUI Honors College has residential communities in two on-campus housing facilities: University Tower for first-year scholars and the Riverwalk Apartments for upper-class scholars. Students living in these communities can participate in academic programming, including honors advising; professional and graduate school preparation; activities with an international focus, including study abroad panels; leadership opportunities, including Honors Residential Councils; and opportunities for civic engagement within IUPUI and Indianapolis.

Each community has Resident Assistants (RAs) who serve as mentors, guides, and educators for residents. The RAs work with both Housing and Residence Life and the Honors College to ensure that the goals of both units are met. As Honors Scholars themselves, the RAs know how to successfully navigate the waters of IUPUI and the Honors College.

Honors College Student Organizations

Honors College student organizations help Honors Scholars connect with peers, gain leadership experience, provide service to their communities, and have fun.

- Honors Adventure Club
- Honors Arts & Culture Society
- Honors College Student Council
- Honors House Council
- Honor Societies: Alpha Lambda Delta and Phi Eta Sigma

Honors Scholars receive a commemorative medal to wear at graduation.

Honors Scholars plant trees on the IUPUI campus as part of an Honors College service project.
Do you know students who are passionate about a cause in their community and want to work to make a difference in the lives of others? The IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy, the first school of its kind in the world, offers a degree in philanthropic studies that prepares students for a career in the nonprofit sector.

Philanthropic studies is a major designed to educate socially responsive students in the emerging field of philanthropy and nonprofit organizations in the local, national, and international arenas. Philanthropy is defined as voluntary action for the public good, and it refers to various ways in which individuals and organizations work to make a difference in their communities on issues ranging from education, health, and social services to the environment, animals, the arts, and religion.

Based in the liberal arts and geared toward adventurous learners, the curriculum explores the historical, social, cultural, philosophical, and economic “whys” of giving and volunteering as well as the leadership and roles of philanthropy and nonprofit organizations in society.

**A wide range of internship and career opportunities**

There are more than 1.6 million nonprofit organizations in the U.S. alone, and these organizations need well-prepared leaders and staff to continue making an impact on millions of lives across the globe. IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy graduates work in leadership, management, and direct service positions in areas such as fundraising, grantmaking, and program management. Their work influences religion, education, social services, health, arts and culture, animals and the environment, developing countries, and many other worthwhile causes.

**Organizations where IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy students have interned include:**

- American Diabetes Association
- Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art
- Growing Places Indy
- Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra
- Indy Reads
- Institute on Philanthropy and Voluntary Service (Washington, D.C.)
- Inyathelo: The Institute for South African Advancement (Cape Town, South Africa)
- The Jefferson Awards
- The Nature Conservancy

**IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy graduates are employed in roles such as:**

- Corporate giving and events manager, Big Brothers Big Sisters
- Membership development manager, Girl Scouts of Central Indiana
- Individual giving and research associate, Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra
- Development associate, Islamic Society of North America
- Peace Corps volunteer, Lesotho, Africa
- Director of grant development, Project Lead the Way
- Donor relations associate, United Way of Central Indiana

In addition, philanthropy graduates have been accepted to graduate school at George Washington University and Indiana University.
The power and passion of pomegranates

It all started with pomegranates. Today IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy alumna Kim Hines is at the helm of an online farmers’ market and at the vortex of the locally grown healthy foods movement, affecting the health of individuals and the community in Augusta, Georgia, in myriad ways.

Hines had been selling the pomegranates she grows through a small local growers’ co-op. When the co-op leader moved on, Hines took over and grew the operation into a multifaceted community enterprise. In addition to the farmers’ market, Augusta Locally Grown now comprises local food events, healthy food and cooking classes, farm tours, and recruitment of new farmers to the area.

The nonprofit partners with dozens of local and national organizations to increase its reach and impact and engages high-school-age interns in many of its activities. “For me, philanthropy is the belief that we can accomplish a great deal together and with each other, more than we can on our own,” Hines said. “It’s all about the power of the possibilities that come from people who step up with passion.”

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT: PAUL NIELSEN

“Community Relations Consultant, Anthem, Inc.

“As a nonprofit professional, I am eager to apply the skills I have developed to positively contribute to the well-being of my community and country. I just recently completed my graduate work in philanthropy, earning a Master of Arts in Philanthropic Studies degree through the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy. Complementary to my research, I worked as a graduate assistant with the Anthem Foundation for two years in corporate social responsibility and community relations. I am excited to now be in a full-time role as a community relations consultant with Anthem, Inc.”
University Hall, which opened in spring 2015, is the home of the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy.

“I loved my internship at Growing Places Indy! I never thought that I would have any interest in farming until I saw the great connection between food, health, and community. Urban agriculture is a uniquely beautiful part of the food system. I learned basic farming techniques and did a great deal of self-exploration through yoga, thought exercises, and group activities. I networked with farmers and owners of nonprofit organizations. Additionally, I gleaned wisdom and learned practical skills on how to start a nonprofit and fulfill its mission. Post-graduation I plan to secure employment with a nonprofit organization focused on helping minorities live healthy lives.”

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: ARIELLE ADAMS

“After graduation, I will continue working as the individual giving research associate at the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra. The education I received through the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy has been so beneficial, and I cannot wait to see where my degree takes me in the future.”

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: CAILY WOLMA