



COLORADO
MOUNTAIN COLLEGE
FOUNDATION

**35 YEARS / 1985
2020**

Astrophotography students in the "classroom"

IMPACT 2020
THEN + NOW

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Dear friend and supporter of CMC,

The year 2020 will long be remembered as one of the most difficult years on record. It also will be remembered as a year when people came together (albeit remotely, masked and six feet apart) to support and protect one another, stand up against injustices, connect digitally, give locally, and press on for a better tomorrow.

The year also marked the 35th anniversary of the CMC Foundation. Like most celebrations this past year, it passed without much fanfare. And yet, we would be remiss not to celebrate the *impact* that this 35-year partnership between Colorado Mountain College and the CMC Foundation has created, and the “better tomorrows” that have resulted for hundreds of thousands of students as a result.

What started out as a \$14,000 checking account in 1985 is now a foundation that has \$22 million net assets under management. Because of you and your generous support, the CMC Foundation has just surpassed \$60 million in gifts to CMC students and programs. Over \$1.5 million is being awarded

annually in scholarships to CMC students through the CMC Foundation.

It is our honor to partner with one another, our communities, and each of you to support CMC’s vision to be the most inclusive and innovative student-centered college in the nation, elevating the economic, social, cultural, and environmental vitality of our beautiful Rocky Mountain communities.

We thank those who came before us in our respective roles. We know that where we are today reflects the hard work and partnership not just of the current team privileged to lead the college and the foundation, but also the work of past CMC presidents, trustees, faculty and staff, and CMC Foundation staff and board members. We are also celebrating this milestone with gratitude for the support of past, present, and future alumni and donors.

We hope you will enjoy our 2020 Impact report and will join us in writing the next chapter.

In Partnership, Carrie, Kristin, Patty, and Merilee

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Carrie Besnette Hauser, Ph.D.
CMC President & CEO



Kristin Heath Colon
CMC Vice President for
Advancement & Foundation CEO



Patricia Theobald
Board President
CMC Board of Trustees



Merilee Maupin
Board Chair
CMC Foundation

CMC Leadville students and staff enjoy campus together.

Leadville's Mt. Massive (14,428 feet) is one of 24 "14ers" found within the CMC region.



Milestone Moments

in the CMC Foundation's 35 years
(how can we pick just a few from so many
fabulous years and wonderful supporters?!)

1985 The CMC Foundation is created by local citizens "to ensure that opportunities for the future are met with vision and resources."

1992 President Gerald and Betty Ford and Eileen and Fitzhugh Scott become the honorary co-chairs of the CMC Foundation's first annual fund drive, "Share the Vision" campaign, raising \$177,316.

1995 Connie and Jim Calaway begin 25 years of giving. Support includes the Calaway Art Series, Calaway Scholars, and the Calaway Academic Building at Spring Valley. Connie serves as the foundation board chair from 1999-2002.

1996 Alpine Bank Latino/Hispanic Scholarship first awarded, supporting over 225 students to date. Bob Young serves on the foundation board from 1999-2004. The J. Robert Young Alpine Ascent Center is dedicated in 2019 at the Spring Valley campus.

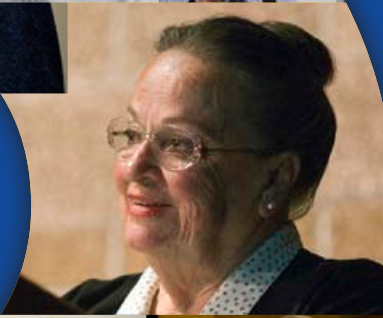
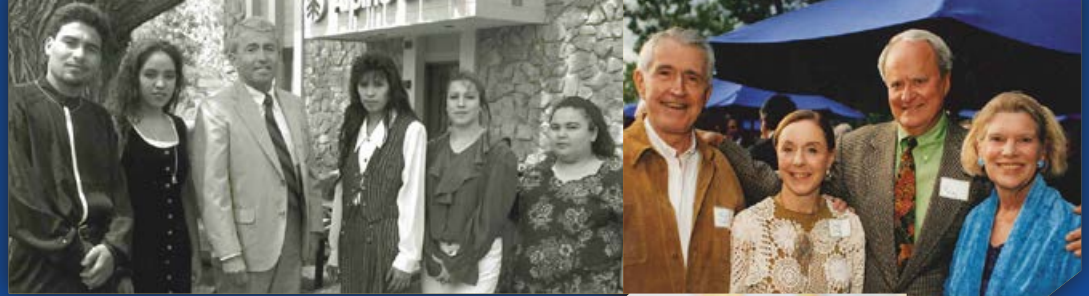
1996 The new Lappala Center is built on land donated by longtime local Ginny Lappala.

1998 Aspen's Jessica and Henry Catto give \$1 million to support college-wide scholarships at CMC.

2001 Glenn Davis and Doris Dewton each begin 16+ years of service to CMC, each serving on the CMC Foundation Board for 8 years (and as board chairs) and the CMC Board of Trustees (and as board presidents), Glenn for 8 years and Doris for 8 years + 2 additional years.

2004 CMC Foundation Board Chair Charlie Forster wins the National Philanthropy Day in Colorado Award for Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser for his role raising \$1.5 million to support CMC's new Chaffee County building.

2008 EnCana Oil & Gas gifts \$3 million to support the new Rifle campus.





2009 The Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold Foundation gives \$1 million to construct CMC Leadville's Climax Molybdenum Leadership Center.

2010 Rifle's Genevieve Clough leaves the CMC Foundation the largest estate gift to date: \$4 million (see page 10 for more detail).

2010 Eileen and Paul Finkel make lead gift to the Summit Campus Building Campaign. The Finkel Auditorium at the Breckenridge campus is named in their honor.

2011 Leslie and Bruce Allbright name Steamboat Springs' Auditorium as a lead gift to the "Miracle on the Mountain" campaign which raised \$1.5 million.

2014 Jessica and John Fullerton donate \$1 million to the college's new Isaacson School for New Media.

2014 CMC Foundation Board member Doe Browning creates the ongoing "Browning Event" and "Women in Philanthropy Speaker Series" at the Vail Valley campus.

2017 Carrie and John Morgridge make second \$1 million gift to CMC, naming Glenwood Springs' Morgridge Commons; nearly 20 years after their first gift, Aspen's Morgridge Academic Center is also named in their honor.

2017 CMC's 50th anniversary is celebrated, including the recognition of Spring Valley's land donors.

2017 Linda and Professor Emeritus Peter Jeschofnig create the Jeschofnig Family Science Scholarship Endowment.

2018 CMC's Keystone Culinary Dinner celebrates 25 years of CMC Breckenridge's Culinary Institute and partnership with Vail Resorts.

2020 A \$500,000 gift is given to CMC's Fund Sueños program, supporting DACA students – demonstrating CMC's commitment to inclusivity and access for students.

Celebrating the CMC Foundation's 35th anniversary

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ALEXANDRA YAJKO
FOUNDATION CEO (1990-2010)



MATT SPENCER
FOUNDATION CEO (2010-2013)



ROGER SHEFFIELD
FOUNDATION CEO (2014-2015)



KRISTIN HEATH COLON
FOUNDATION CEO (2015-PRESENT)



The Power of Endowment



Caroline, Suzanne, Gerald, and Hillary Gallegos

Gerald Gallegos Endowed Scholarship

The Gallegos Corporation established a memorial scholarship in Gerald's name to honor his commitment to education. Education was a core value of Gerald's. This scholarship provides an Eagle County student and future local students the opportunity to further their education.

THEN
2010



“We established the Doll Family Endowed Scholarship to encourage first-generation students to pursue a college degree. It was a pleasure to meet our first recipient, Irwin, and hear firsthand about his dream to become a veterinary technician.”

— Sheryl and Ted Doll

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Doll Family Endowed Scholarship

Ted Doll, Irwin Munoz, and Sheryl Doll at the September 2019 Roaring Fork Scholarship Reception at Spring Valley campus. Irwin is studying vet tech and is the first-ever recipient of the Doll Family Endowed Scholarship.

Creating a Legacy

“I just don’t think you can grow if you’re not educated. These kids are the backbone of our society.”

- Genevieve Clough



Genevieve Clough with
CMC Clough Scholars

THEN
2008

Genevieve Clough donated \$3.5 million in her lifetime to annual and endowed scholarships, and another \$4 million through her estate in 2010 – the largest bequest to date to the CMC Foundation – to ensure that all students in western Garfield County can attend and succeed in college. More than 300 students have attended CMC to date as a Clough scholar.



Lisa Mattis

NOW
2020

“I believe strongly that Colorado Mountain College Vail Valley in Edwards is an essential part of the economic and community ecosystems in the valley. CMC is a place where every student can dream, learn, and become who they want to be, with the support and mentoring of great leaders. My singular purpose: CMC is THE transformational opportunity for every student, every day, regardless of financial ability.”

Lisa Mattis

CMC Vail Valley Advisory Council Member

Women in Philanthropy Member

New Davenport Society Member as of June 2020

**“Follow your dreams.
Trust your vision.
Don’t give up when it gets tough.
The road rises up to meet you.”**

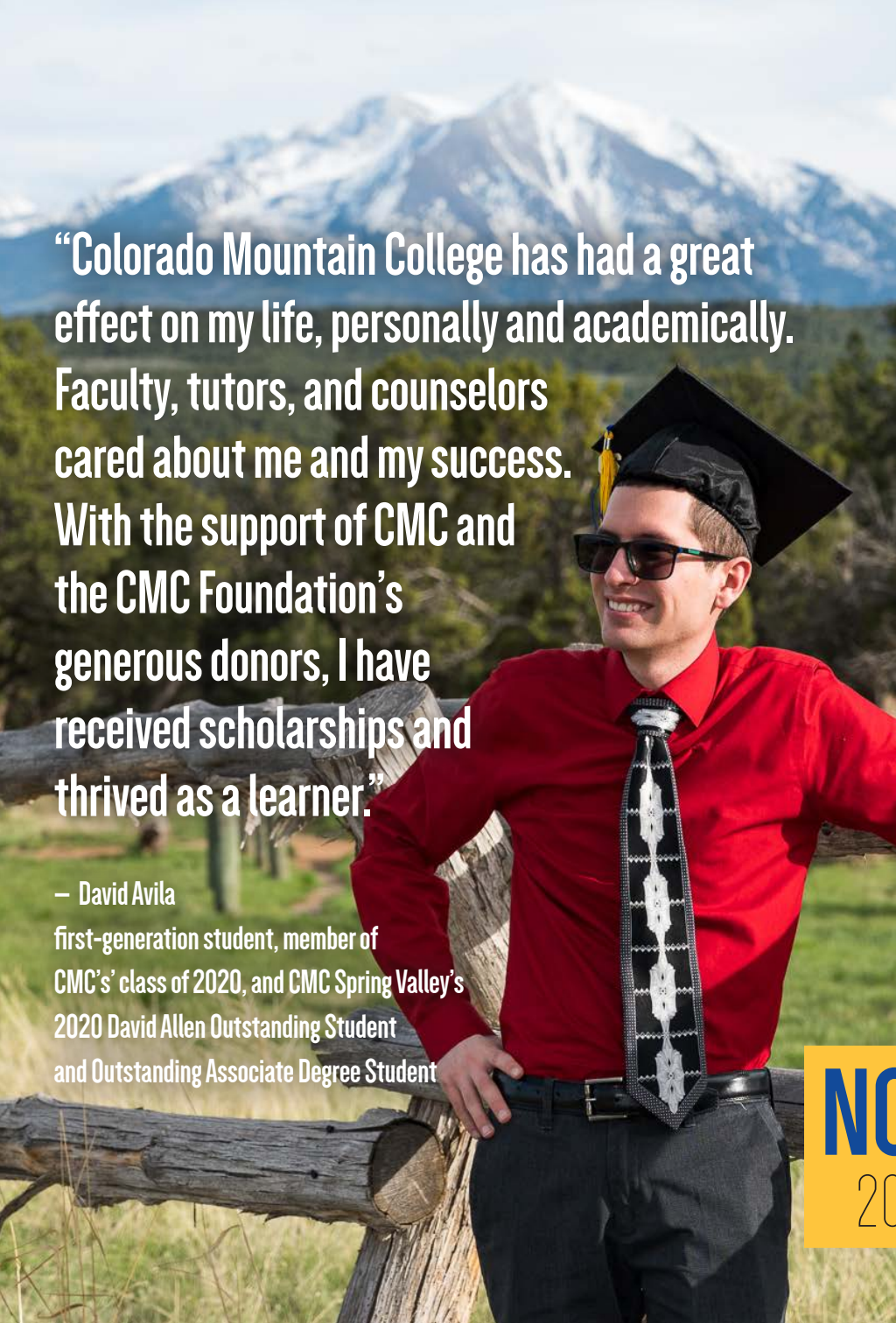
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Scholarship HEROs



Celebrating 15 years of HEROs! Since 2005, 427 Vail Valley students have benefitted from the HERO (Higher Education Resources & Opportunities) Scholarship. Nearly 200 community members have joined together to support this fund, which has awarded \$750,000 in scholarships to date.

THEN
2004



“Colorado Mountain College has had a great effect on my life, personally and academically. Faculty, tutors, and counselors cared about me and my success. With the support of CMC and the CMC Foundation’s generous donors, I have received scholarships and thrived as a learner.”

— David Avila
first-generation student, member of
CMC’s class of 2020, and CMC Spring Valley’s
2020 David Allen Outstanding Student
and Outstanding Associate Degree Student

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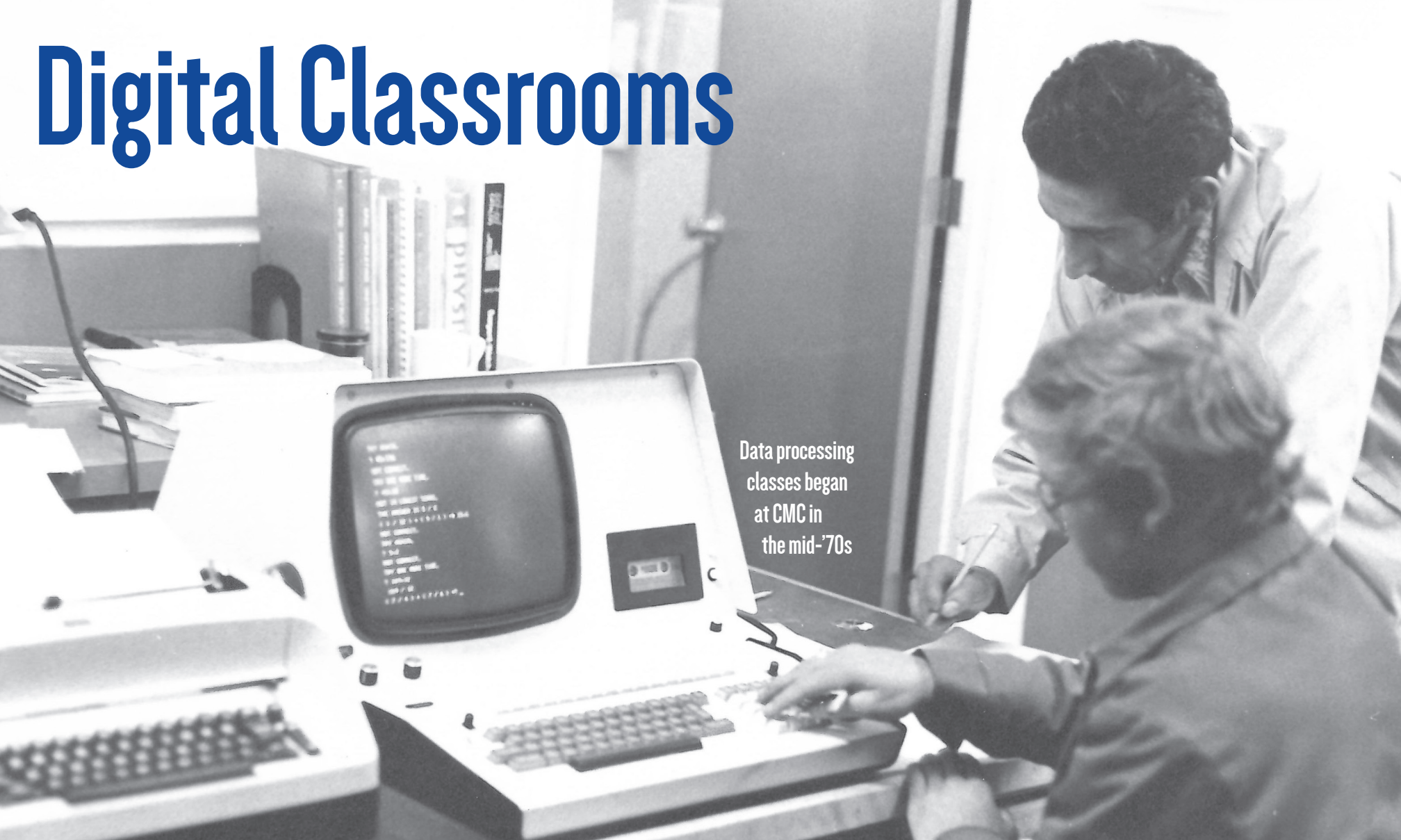


“Cuando me veas volar:
recuerda que tu me
pintaste las alas.
When you see me fly,
remember: you painted
my wings.”

— Karla Juarez
current Bachelor of Arts/education
degree-seeking student

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Digital Classrooms



Data processing
classes began
at CMC in
the mid-'70s

In the spring of 1988, the CMC Foundation launched a digital classroom campaign to create a digital information network, connecting classrooms from across CMC's 12,000-square-mile footprint (an area the size of Maryland) to one another.

THEN
1988



This spring, CMC invested over \$1 million in digital information network upgrades, supporting student access and connectivity.

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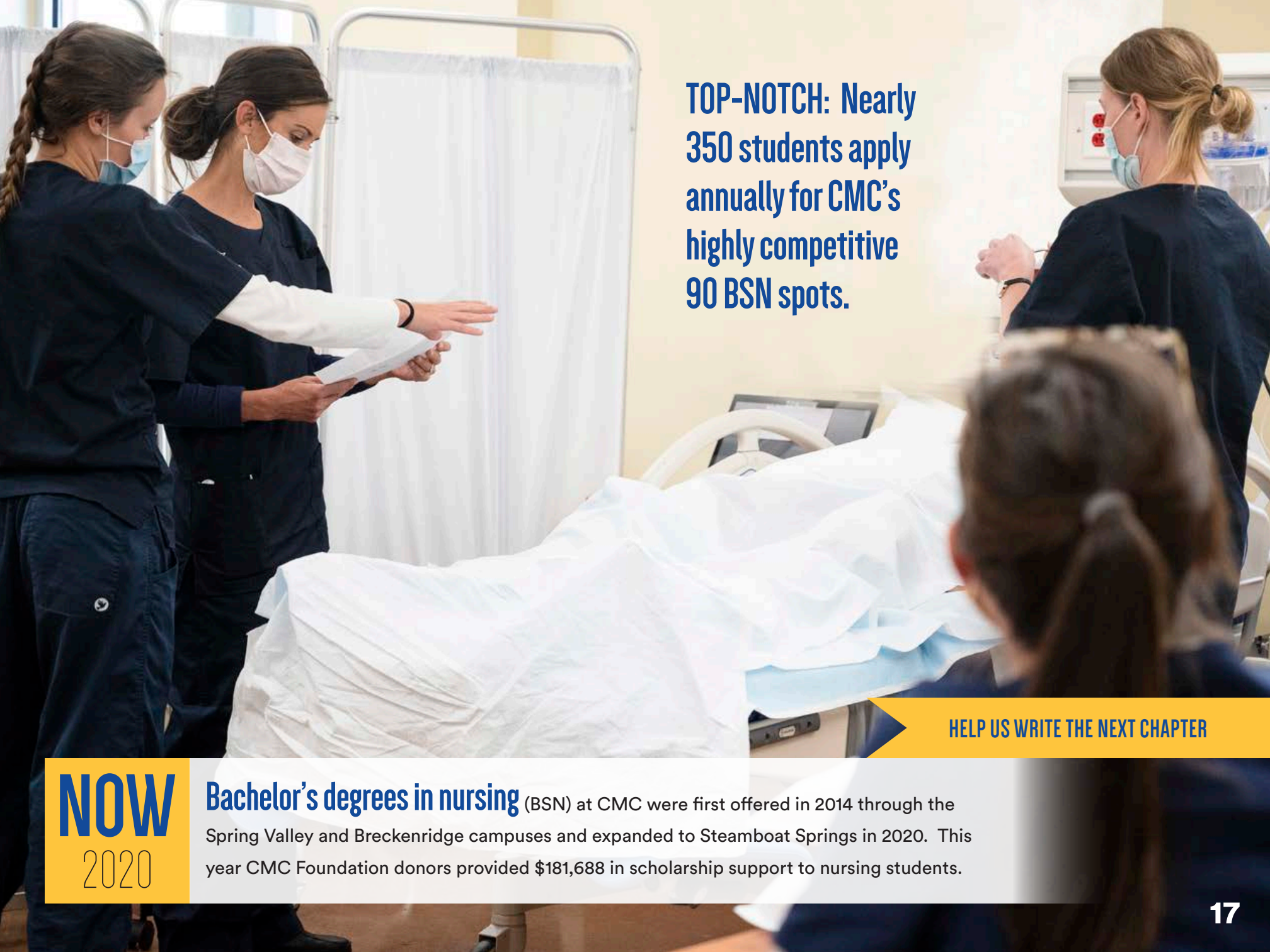
In the spring of 2020, the CMC Foundation launched the Technology Today Fund, in response to the coronavirus pandemic that left many students scrambling for access to laptops and home internet. Additionally, CMC invested over \$1 million in digital information network upgrades, supporting student access and connectivity.

Nursing Compassion

A photograph of five nurses in a clinical setting. They are wearing light blue scrubs and surgical masks. One nurse on the left is adjusting the mask of another nurse in the center. The nurses are looking towards the center, and the atmosphere appears focused and professional.

In the fall of 1998, Colorado Mountain College enrolled its first class of students in the Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in nursing, beginning a long line of CMC-trained registered nurses in our mountain communities.

THEN
1998



TOP-NOTCH: Nearly 350 students apply annually for CMC's highly competitive 90 BSN spots.

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Bachelor's degrees in nursing (BSN) at CMC were first offered in 2014 through the Spring Valley and Breckenridge campuses and expanded to Steamboat Springs in 2020. This year CMC Foundation donors provided \$181,688 in scholarship support to nursing students.



Doing Something MAJOR

Silvester Arvizo, Stacey Novak, Eugenia Arcely Duran, Jena Thompson, Alesha Frederick, Jacob McCoola, Rebecca Kanaly, Kimberly Cassady, Brett Moore, Kyle Ballinghoff, Roy Pentecost, Michael Schrimpf, and Luke Kimmes.

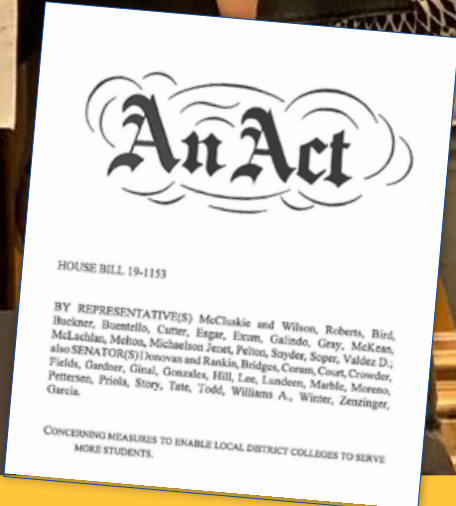
CMC's First Bachelor's Degree Graduates

The inaugural class receiving bachelor's degrees from Colorado Mountain College graduated in 2013. All were given a place of honor in the Colorado Mountain College Hall of Fame.

THEN
2013



From left, behind Gov. Jared Polis, CMC Trustees Patty Theobald and Pat Chlouber, bill co-sponsors Rep. Jim Wilson and Rep. Julie McCluskie, CMC Dillon staff members (and CMC alumnae) Flor Cruz-Valdez and Stephanie Beste, and bill co-sponsor Sen. Kerry Donovan. (Not shown is the bill's fourth co-sponsor, Sen. Bob Rankin.)



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CMC Authorized to Expand Bachelor's Offerings

On April 5, 2019, Colorado Gov. Jared Polis signed into law HB19-1153, which authorized Colorado Mountain College to further expand the bachelor's degree offerings.



Arts + Culture



The Stranahan Collection

Patti and George Stranahan gave 80 vintage black-and-white photos to the CMC Foundation to support the college's photography program. The collection toured every CMC campus and is now on permanent display, at CMC Spring Valley.

THEN
2009




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SOPRIS
THEATRE
COMPANY

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Students, Community Members Join to Present Award-Winning Theater

Sopris Theatre Company at CMC (Spring Valley) presented its award-winning production of “The Other Place” at the Wheeler Opera House in Aspen. This was part of a CMC Foundation fundraising event to take the show to the American Association of Community Theatre’s national competition in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, in June 2019. The cast and crew received a National Award of Excellence for Outstanding Theatrical Moment. CMC students perform on stage and/or help with production, alongside community members.

Excellence in the House



THEN

1990

Colorado Mountain College Alumna Dr. Denise Dimon,

a professor of economics at the University of San Diego, was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship to lecture in South America.



“Teachers in the U.S. are finding themselves teaching both English learners and native speakers of English in the same class. My language and teaching expertise and the diversity in my classes are, I believe, two of the major aspects that contribute to the wealth of future educators’ learning experiences.”

— Dr. Jean Kaya

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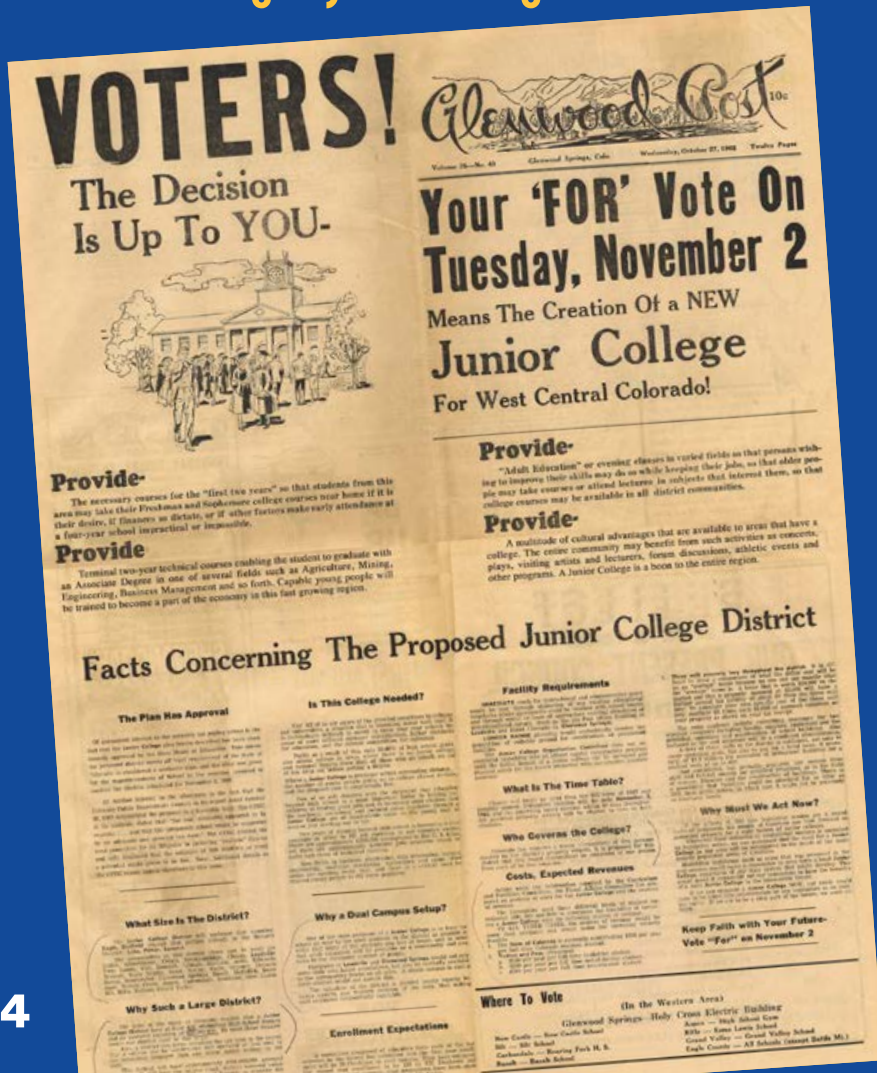


CMC faculty member **Dr. Jean Kaya** (top), a native of the Republic of the Congo and a Fulbright Foreign Student, serves as an assistant professor for teacher education. Dr. Kaya speaks six languages.

Fulbright Scholar **Luise Wollesen** (bottom), from Hamburg, Germany, spent the fall semester studying sustainability leadership at Colorado Mountain College Spring Valley. Wollesen, interested in pursuing her master’s degree in international business and sustainability, was attracted by CMC’s sustainability leadership certificate program.

1965 Voters from Garfield, Eagle, Pitkin, Lake, and Summit counties approve the creation of Colorado Mountain College by a 2-1 margin.

1981 Steamboat Joins CMC District Led by the efforts of Bill Hill, and Jayne and Ed Hill, voters within Steamboat Springs School District boundaries elected to tax themselves as part of the CMC district. The CMC Steamboat campus sits on the original site of Yampa Valley College, founded in 1969 by Lucy Bogue.



Katie and Ryan Heckman honored longtime CMC Trustee Board President and CMC Foundation Board member Ed Hill, and his wife Jayne, with a gift of \$250,000 to the CMC Steamboat "Miracle on the Mountain" fundraising campaign in 2011 in their name.



Established by generous gifts from Yampa Valley College alumni to the CMC Foundation, the Yampa Valley College Pioneers Scholarship is their legacy – a gift to current students of CMC Steamboat Springs.

NOW
2020

Salida Enters College



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On November 5, 2019, Salida School District R32J (including Salida and Poncha Springs) elected to tax themselves to join the CMC district by a 60% to 40% vote. Simultaneously, the rest of the CMC district also approved Salida's annexation by a 78% to 22% vote, expanding CMC's geographic boundaries for the first time since 1981.



From the Beginning...

THEN
1985



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Experiential learning is
at the core of a CMC education.



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Responsive. Resilient. Relevant.

When COVID shut down business in Steamboat Springs, Sue Oehme's fine print publishing company and gallery faced a bleak future. CMC's Back to Business initiative, targeted at helping small businesses survive the pandemic, was in full gear when Sue called Randy Rudasics at the Steamboat Springs campus. Randy guided her to look into a small business loan opportunity through a nonprofit business mentorship based in Denver, The Colorado Lending Source. She successfully completed the application process, and was granted a loan to keep the business running.



CMC RESPONDS:
**BACK TO
BUSINESS**



**CMC RESPONDS:
TODAY. TOMORROW.
TOGETHER.**

CMC Responds offered students free tuition, books, and fees in the summer of 2020

- ▶ 2,500 students took advantage of the program
- ▶ 14,508 credits were earned, a value of nearly \$1.2 million for students and families
- ▶ Nearly \$2 million in federal stimulus dollars and CMC funds were dedicated to this effort

“Financially speaking, the free semester this summer was one of the best things an organization has ever done for me. Thank you.”

— Dillon campus double-degree graduate Michael Palumbo pictured in his Mountain Orientation class

Michael obtained his bachelor’s degree in business administration and an associate degree in outdoor education in December 2020 from CMC Dillon.

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Commencement 2020

In celebration of the 100th anniversary of women's suffrage and in light of the pandemic, CMC was committed to making sure the 1,211 graduates felt special. All eight of CMC's virtual commencement ceremonies featured an impressive slate of accomplished Colorado women, trailblazers in their respective fields. Students were not to be outdone and shone brightly in their remarks and celebrations as well.



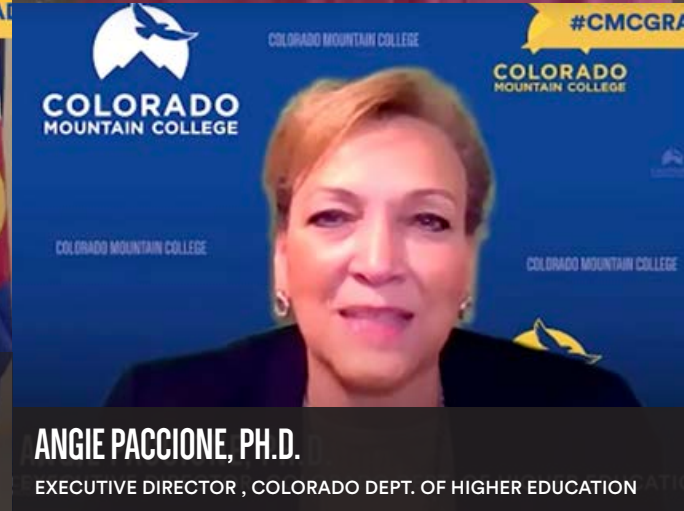
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PRESIDENT & CEO, SMARTWOOL



To hear the commencement addresses and student stories and relive the celebration of our graduates go to: commencement2020.coloradomtn.edu



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CMC Board of Trustees



The Colorado Mountain College Board of Trustees has seven at-large seats which are elected by all voters in the seven counties that make up the CMC district.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Patricia Theobald, chair
Summit County

Chris Romer, treasurer
Eagle County

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Pitkin County

Bob Hartzell
Lake and Chaffee Counties

Bob Kuusinen
Routt County

Peg Portscheller
West Garfield County

Marianne Virgili
East Garfield County

Dave Armstrong (not pictured)
Salida Liaison (non-voting)

President's Advisory Council

Founded by the late Jim Calaway and originally named the Board of Overseers, the council was renamed in 2020.



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Each volunteer advisor is nominated and selected based on his or her ability to offer counsel, generate ideas, and extend influence, connection, strategic thinking, resources, and passion to support the college and its president.

PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY COUNCIL

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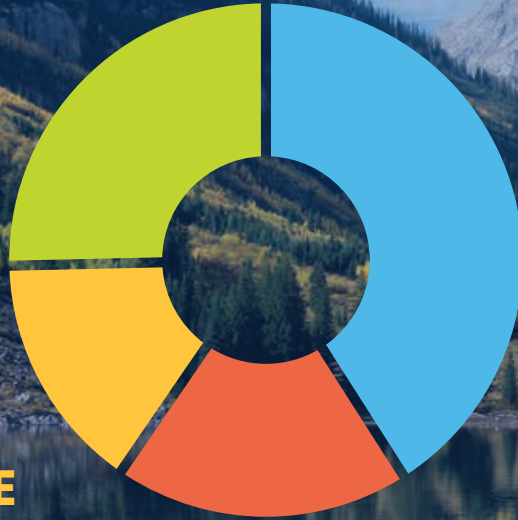
Marianne Virgili, *Trustee Liaison*

Joe Yob, *Foundation Past Chair*

CMC Foundation Impact

FY 2019-20

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INCOME



EXPENSES

\$2,104,194	student support	\$1,276,493
\$956,021	academic programs, faculty support and cultural & community enrichment	\$1,238,533
\$774,750	capital expansion & improvements	\$556,420
\$1,302,504	operations	\$1,043,931
\$5,137,469	TOTAL	\$4,115,377

Thank You

to our generous donors for supporting us to write CMC's next chapters

STEAMBOAT



"We were inspired to make this gift because there are people out there who have drive and want to better themselves but they just need a little help. Angela Brumley, a local who attended CMC to further her career, personified this for us so we wanted to help others do the same thing. If you are willing to put in the work and make a better life, we want to support that with the scholarship."

WENDY & JON WADE

The 14'er Society

The 14'er Society celebrates the generosity of CMC's alumni, parents, faculty, staff, and friends at varying levels of support named after a few of the 22 14,000-foot peaks in CMC's service area. The CMC Foundation has made every effort to ensure the accuracy of this listing. We sincerely regret any omissions or errors and welcome your feedback.

On behalf of CMC's 15,000 students, the CMC Foundation sends our deepest thanks and appreciation to all contributors.

Fiscal Year 2019-20 Donors includes gifts made between July 1, 2019 and June 30, 2020

* Represents five or more consecutive years of giving † Since known deceased

Collegiate Peaks

\$14,000+

- Anonymous (x3)
- *Alpine Bank - Glenwood Springs
- Kayce and Clark Anderson
- Bob Follett
- Blanche C. Hill Foundation
- Bloomberg Philanthropies
- Borgen Family Foundation
- Colorado Health Foundation
- *Cordillera Motorcycle Association
Legacy Society
- Delta Dental of Colorado Foundation
- *Doris Dewton
- Sheryl and Ted Doll
- Kirsten Fink-Cantele and Giorgio Cantele
- *Jessica and John Fullerton
- *Susie and Rick Grossman
- Gina Browning and Joseph Illick
- Cathy and Walter Isaacson
- J. Robert Young Foundation
- Ann and Tom Korologos
- Leadville Trail 100 Legacy, Inc
- Michael Anthony Wadyko Estate
- *Lynda and Stewart Resnick
- Segal Family Foundation
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Education Foundation
- *State of Colorado Department
of Education

- Sue C. Rushmore Trust
- Summit County Rotary Club
- *Hjalmar Sundin
- *The Summit Foundation
- Marian Tolles
- The VF Foundation
- *Vail Valley Cares / Thrifty Shops

Maroon Bells

\$10,000 - \$13,999

- Kathy and Carter Barger
- *Doe Browning and Jack Hunn
- Clough Family Foundation
- Club Rotario Roaring Fork
- *Garfield County Board of
County Commissioners
- *Marge and Jerry Gavenda
- *Holly and Rich Glasier
- Jane and Marc Nathanson
- Heidi Palmer and Nicholas Fickling
- Barbara and Nicholas Payne
- Carrie Walton Penner and
Greg Penner
- *Vail Resorts Epic Promise
- Vail Valley Foundation

Mt. Elbert

\$5,000 - \$9,999

- *Leslie and Bruce Allbright
- Barbie Allen
- Sally Brands and John Savage
- *Virginia Browning
- Chevron USA, Inc
- Sally and Kevin Clair
- James Colombo
- Colorado Grand, Inc
- Colorado Outdoor Recreation
Industry Office
- Craig-Scheckman Family
Foundation
- El Pomar Foundation
- Gallegos Corporation
- Karen and Paul Gerhardt
- *Carrie Besnette Hauser and
Jeff Hauser
- Barbara Kessler and Dick Soble
- Keystone Neighborhood Company
- Dan Kurtanich
- Steven T. McCauley
- Nancy and Don Remy
- *Gay Roane
- Patricia Rowe
- *Roy A. Hunt Foundation
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- Carole and Gordon Segal
- Temple Hoyne Buell Foundation
- The Women's Foundation
of Colorado

Vail Snow Sports Foundation
 *Connie and Jon Warnick
 *Peter Welles
 Yampa Valley Electric Association

Mt. Massive

\$2,500-\$4,999

Sara Almond
 *Alpine Bank - Breckenridge
 *Alpine Bank - Rifle
 Breckenridge Grand Vacations
 Catriona and Michael Burns
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 The Community Foundation
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 Mazie Morrison Foundation
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 *Slifer Smith & Frampton Foundation
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 Patricia Turner
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 *Wells Fargo Bank
 Western Colorado Community
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 *Western Eagle Valley Rotary Club
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Capitol Peak

\$1,000-\$2,499

Marianne and John Ackerman
 Lise and Arthur Albert
 Karen and Enis Alldredge
 Margaret Bass Berglund
 *Janet and Tim Borden
 *Kathy and Bjorn Erik Borgen
 Mary Caroline and Tod Hunt
 *Ed Carlson
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 Kathy Cole
 Community Threads, LLC
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 *Bobbi Cox
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 *PEO Sisterhood Int'l
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 *Jette and Rick Shuh
 Snowmass Chapel
 Sodexo Stop Hunger
 Foundation, Inc
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 Town of Breckenridge
 Town of Frisco
 United Way of Eagle River Valley, Inc
 John Vickery
 *Giovanna and Jeremy Voge
 Vail Valley Art Guild

Mt. Holy Cross

\$500-\$999

*Sharon Aguiar and Scott Porter
 Joan and Brian Allen
 Nancy and Norman Bacheldor
 Linda and Frank Besnette
 Shirley Kirschbaum and
 David Boileau
 *Mary Boyd
 Robert Bruno
 *Thomas Buesch
 *Katherine and Mark Cesark
 *City Market Community Rewards
 *Kristin Heath Colon and Eric Colon
 *Sharon Andersen and
 Alex De La Garza
 Regina Lutz and Charlie Eckstrom
 ESPN X Games
 John Fielder
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