

Destination: **HBCU**

2022 IMPACT REPORT



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

We are thankful for our successes and optimistic about our future. We thank you, our community for consistently giving and supporting ICF, even during these difficult and challenging times as our nation and the world emerge from a two-year pandemic. We express our gratitude for your unwavering financial support. We look forward with optimism and prayer as we ask that you continue to bless ICF.



Seth Godwin wrote:

“Optimism is the most important human trait, because it allows us to evolve our ideas, to improve our situation, and to hope for a better tomorrow.”

The Ivy Centennial Foundation will promote education and academic success, cultural enrichment and foster health-physical, mental, and financial well-being for vulnerable populations and communities of color in Culver City/West Los Angeles and around the globe.

Barbara Denson Trotter, Ed.D.

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President, Ivy Centennial Foundation

2022 ICF BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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PURPOSE OF ICF



The purpose of the Foundation is to provide scholarships, support charitable contributions and community service programs, and provide outreach to support the educational achievement of youth.

The Ivy Centennial Foundation (ICF) is a California public 501(c)(3) non-profit organization established by members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Culver City. ICF was envisioned in 2014 and began its first administration in 2015.

Our role is to create and manage sustainable funding for the Foundation. The donations we receive are invested in scholarships, community service projects, and in other organizations that serve the community through work that is in alignment with the mission of ICF.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

OUR COMMUNITY SENDS GAME CHANGERS TO HBCUS

IMPACT

20 SCHOLARS

\$45K

7 SCHOOLS



**NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL
AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY**



XAVIER
UNIVERSITY of LOUISIANA



HOWARD
UNIVERSITY

HAMPTON
UNIVERSITY

COMMUNITY PIPELINE

BROCK HEADON

'You have blessed me with your scholarship, I hope to be a blessing to others.'

Brock Headen ICF Scholar 2018



'Hello Ivy Centennial Foundation and The Maurice Amado Foundation. I am Brock Headen. You awarded me a scholarship in 2018. Let me tell you how I used that award.

I attended Tulane University in New Orleans, Louisiana, and graduated summa cum laude in May, 2022. I earned a bachelor's degree in Engineering Physics with a concentration in Mechanical Engineering. During my four years at Tulane I took advantage of many opportunities to develop academically and professionally.

While at Tulane, I worked as a technician at the Tulane Makerspace, and received the Dean's Service Award for my three years of work as a Supplemental Instructor. I obtained three

internships at Northrop Grumman and The Aerospace Corporation in my senior year at Tulane,

Today I am in Katsikas, Greece where I am volunteering in a nearby refugee community, building machinery and teaching the people to make tools that support their households and learning the Greek language at the same time,



I extend my heartfelt gratitude to you for your unconditional belief in me and your amazing support of my educational pursuits. 'As you have blessed me with your scholarship, I hope to be a blessing to others'.



COMMUNITY INSPIRED PHILANTHROPY

ADVANCEMENT

ENCOURAGEMENT

EMPOWERMENT



The Ivy Centennial Foundation deeply values the important role that our corporate and community supporters play in the achievement of mutually shared goals.

Supporters and Donors



The Maurice Amado Foundation

Green Aaron Family Foundation

Bridge Builders Foundation

City of Champions

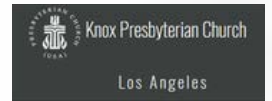
Inglewood Lions Club

Grace United Methodist Church

Knox Presbyterian Church

Temple Baptist Church

Alpha Kappa Alpha
Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc.



Corporations





The Ivy Centennial Foundation recognizes the importance of the donors and volunteers who have made recent financial donations that contribute to the future success of our students.

Give the Gift that Educates

An Ivy Centennial Foundation (ICF) gift provides educational opportunity for our youth who are the representatives of our future and society's main agents of change and progress. The level of their educational preparation ultimately impacts families, neighborhoods and the global community.

ICF's focus on education and academic success, cultural enrichment, physical and mental wellbeing and economic stability enables youth and our communities to maximize opportunities for success, now and into the future. This is why your gift is of utmost importance!

Let your gift touch the lives of others



Alison O'Quinn
Andria Hancock-Crear
Carolyn Jackman
Cassandra Roy
Chinwe Ojukwu
Khloe Graczyk

Donors

Kimberly Hines
Marissa Calhoun
Monique Hunter
Natalie Walters
Olivette Sasser
Vasanth Ayothiraman

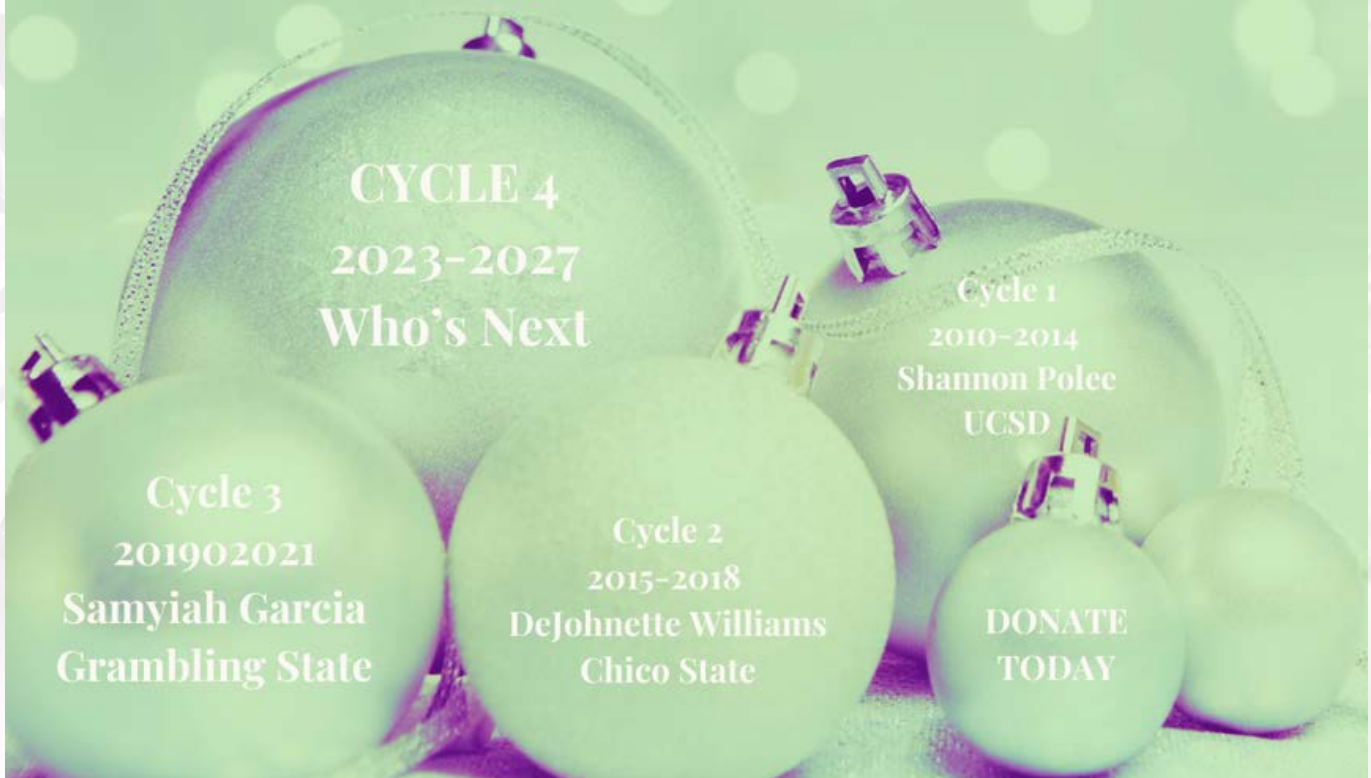


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Give the Gift that Educates

The Charter Heritage Award Campaign

Let your gift touch the lives of others



Donors

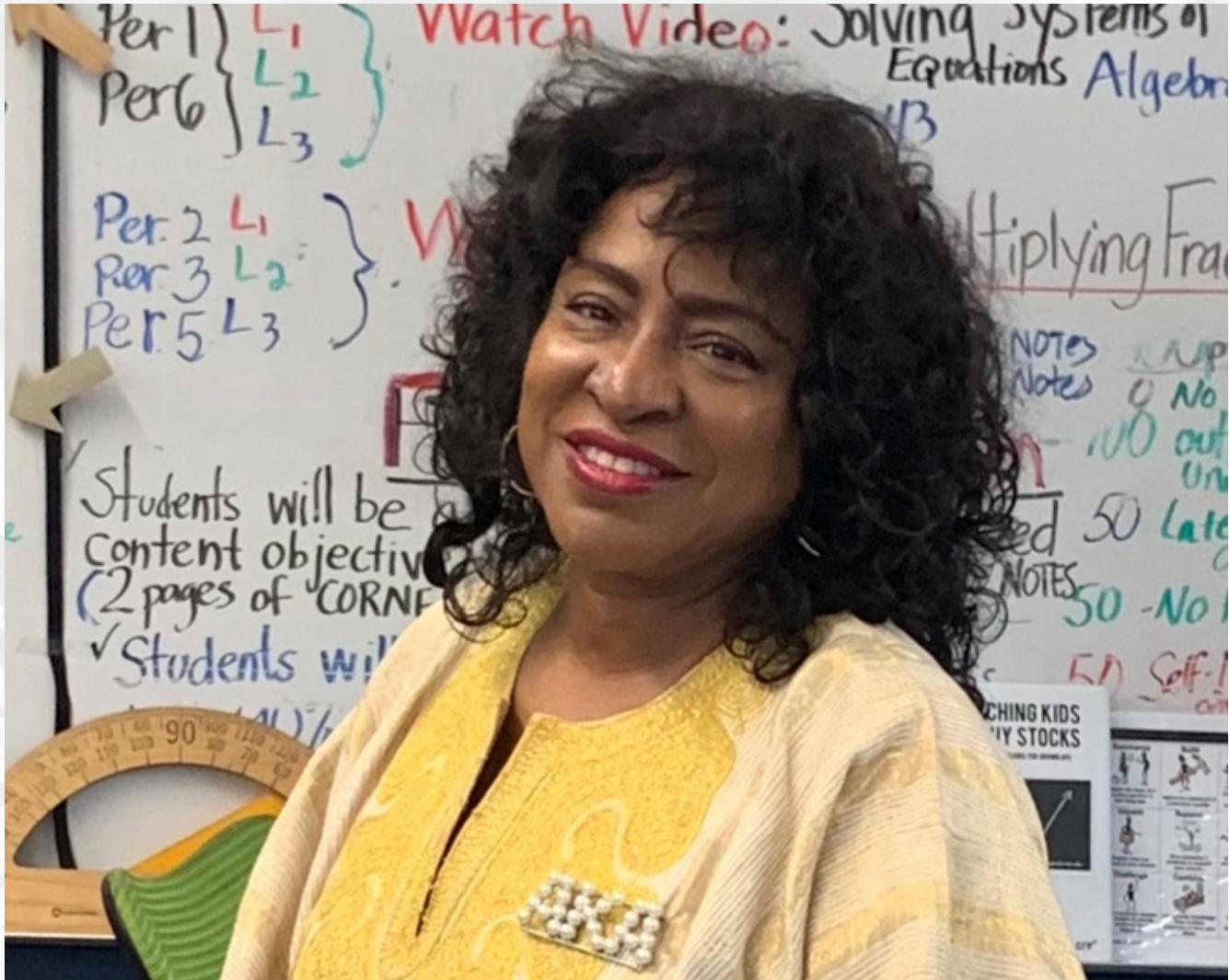
Martha Caldwell
Ruby Cannon
Mary Christian

Yolonda Hamilton
Annetta Lawrence
Cassandra May

Lora Stewart
Katie Webb
Jackie White



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The Eleanor Wallace Memorial Fund

Donors

Andrienne Byers
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Sheryl Taylor
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Ethan Polk
Gwendolyn Ribbs
Joe Wright
Minnie LaGrande
Star Dixon
Velma Marshall



Non-profits are the backbone of our community. Our monthly sustainers keep us on target to deliver our mission.

Monthly

G I V E R ' S C I R C L E

Marissa Calhoun
Annetta Lawrence
Alison O'Quinn
Cassandra Roy
Carolawyn Smith



Adrienne Lombard
Adrienne Byers
Alicia Jacobs
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Cathy Procopio
Cecilia Owens
Charisse Anderson
Charmain Young
Chelsey Williams
Cheryl Gray
Cheryl Hancock
Chinewu Ojukwu
Chris O Quinn
Chrystal Ibrahim
Colette Simmons
Constance Ray
Courtney Boone
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Dannetta Waters

Darlene Fountaine
Darrell Hackett
David Henson
Deanette Brewer
Derek Sharp
Diamond Ward
Diane Wilson Moore
Dianna Thomas Fitts
Erika Pollard
Eva Carpenter
Faithe Clary
Fred Brewer
Gary Clark
Ginder Marshall
Gloria McDaniel
Gwen Ribbs
Gwendolyn Givens-Jones
Helen Brewer
Hilda Harris
Iajhiah Giraud
Ivy Ewell-Eldridge
Jackie White
Jade Hamilton
JeJuan Campbell
Jerrold Roy
Jessica Harris-Merrida
Joe Ingram
Jonell Berment
Juanita Turner
Karen Long
Karen Robinson-Ingram
Karen Grace-Baker
Karita Webber
Karla Leon
Kasandra Kimberly
Kashim Baxter
Kathryn Edwards
Katrina Pipken
Kayla Young
Keith Lewis

Kelci Simmons
Kelcy Taylor
Kelli Andrews
Kennedy Long
Kesha Carson
Kevin Hellon
Khloe Graczyk
Kimberly Cole
Kita Grayson
Kori Tims
Korie White
Kwame Dow
Lanee Burns
La'Rae Carmichael
LaTasha Young
Lavetta Washington
LaWanda Morris
Letitia Love
Lola James
Lumas Gougis
Marcal Henderson
Mary Christian
Maura Hudson
Meschelle Boone
Michael Gougis
Michael Moore
Michelle Banks
Michelle Harris
Monique Craig
Monique Hunter
Natalie Walters
Nicole Gougis
Nicole Reed
Nicole Richardson
Nicole Dow
Olivette Sasser
Paige Bell
Pamela Simpson-Marshall
Pamela Bailey
Paula Adams

Priscilla Chermak
Rachel Eggins
Rachel Smith
Rahel Cook
Randy Givens
Regina Hollins
Renee Young
Richard Baker
Rita Bernard Harris
Ryan Taylor
Shartaysia Roger
Shawn Grayson
Sheila Johnson
Sheira Smith
Sherri Lee-Lewis
Sherri Scott
Shydia Snow
Star Dixon
Stephanie Magnien
Susan Odom Houze
Sylmar Williams
Syna Dennis
Tai Spears
Tamika Smith
Tammy Hinkle
Tenita Bell
Tiffany Saucer
Tosha Bright
Tracey Sylvester-Garnett
Tyler Hargrove
Valerie Cooper
Vanessa Rideau
Velma Marshall
Vera Stewart
Vinvimarr Tucker
Witness Brown
Xavier Simmons
Yolanda Carrington

Get Up and Run Virtual 5K Fundraiser

COMMUNITY CORPORATE VOLUNTEERS

Employee Engagement Programs:

Volunteer Grants are charitable gifts given to non-profit organizations by corporations in recognition of their employees' volunteer work.

CAROLINE BROWN

\$1,000

Bank of America



VERA STEWART

\$1,000

Bank of America



ANGELA WRIGHT

\$1,000

City National Bank



DONOR ADVISED GIFTS



JAMEEKA AARON

\$6,000

Green Aaron Educator's Grant

VELMA C. MARSHALL



\$3,000

Willie and Erma Carr Memorial Scholarship

NATALIE WALTERS



\$2,500

The Bernice Smalls Teaching Profession Scholarship



2022 SCHOLARSHIP AND COMMUNITY AWARDS

The Ivy Centennial Foundation partners directly with local community organizations and stakeholders from academia, philanthropy, and government.

We all work together towards a common goal to transform high potential into actual achievement.

2022 IVY CENTENNIAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARS



De'Ja Gordon

California State University
Los Angeles



Alexis Hinkle

University of California
Los Angeles



Stephanie Zarate

University of California
San Diego



David Okereke

University of California
Santa Barbara

ALICE R. STEPHENS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Alice R. Stephens Memorial Scholarship is awarded to a graduating high school senior from a low-income, single-parent home, who is pursuing education beyond high school. The goal is to reach students at a critical juncture in their lives.

About Alice R. Stephens:

Born in Detroit, Michigan, Alice R. Stephens relocated to Los Angeles, CA, and pursued careers in cosmetology, nursing, and real estate while raising a family. She believed "if you acquired education, you would always be able to earn a living."



Kenneth Thomas

Michigan State University

Alice R. Stephens Memorial Scholarship



WILLIE AND ERMA CARR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Carr memorial scholarship is awarded to assist an African American student advance their education and to have the opportunity to better direct their future through higher education.

About Willie and Erma Carr:

The scholarship is given in memory of the parents of Velma C. Marshall, Willie and Erma Carr. Both were business oriented but did not have the benefit of a college education. Willie owned a taxi cab company and Erma was an insurance agent for North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company. They were successful and self-taught.



KaMyah Elias

Louisiana State University

Willie and Erma Carr Memorial Scholarship



THE CREATIVE S.T.E.A.M. SCHOLARSHIP

The Creative S.T.E.A.M. scholarship is awarded to students seeking an education in science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics with demonstrated activities in the arts.

About the scholarship:

Akilah Wallace's love for dance created space for her to hone her creative skills and has enhanced her achievements in the S.T.E.A.M. profession.



Nia Elkouby

Howard University

Creative S.T.E.A.M. Scholarship



THE MAURICE AMADO FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Maurice Amado Foundation values family, cultural, religious, and educational pursuits. Established in 1961 by Maurice Amado, the Maurice Amado Foundation is a family foundation that has been directed by family members since 1968. More recently, the Foundation has awarded grants to a wide array of charitable organizations that reflect the philanthropic interests of the Foundation's Directors and Advisors.

The Maurice Amado Foundation's educational matching gift positions ICF to provide scholarships that remedy the financial gap impacting first-year college students.



Alexis Armstead

Howard University

The Maurice Amado Foundation Scholarship



Kiera Buckley

Howard University

The Maurice Amado Foundation Scholarship



Nneoma Meremikwu

UC San Diego

The Maurice Amado Foundation Scholarship



2022 ICF COMMUNITY AWARDS



Amara Guadelli-McGee
Howard University



Avrail Tate
California State University
Dominquez Hills



2022 ICF COMMUNITY AWARDS



Ruby Reed Community Achievement Award

Tyler O'Connor
Clark Atlanta University



Ruby Reed Community Achievement Award

Blessing Ehighalua
Grand Canyon University



2022 ICF COMMUNITY AWARDS

ICF Culver City Community Scholar Award



George Younan

Graduate of Culver City High School
Attending Santa Monica Community College



2022 DONOR SCHOLARSHIPS



The Change Maker Scholarship

Ogochukwu Okoye

University of California, Los Angeles



The Game Changer Scholarship

Ceaira Dowell-Sloan

Howard University





2022 FINANCIAL REPORT

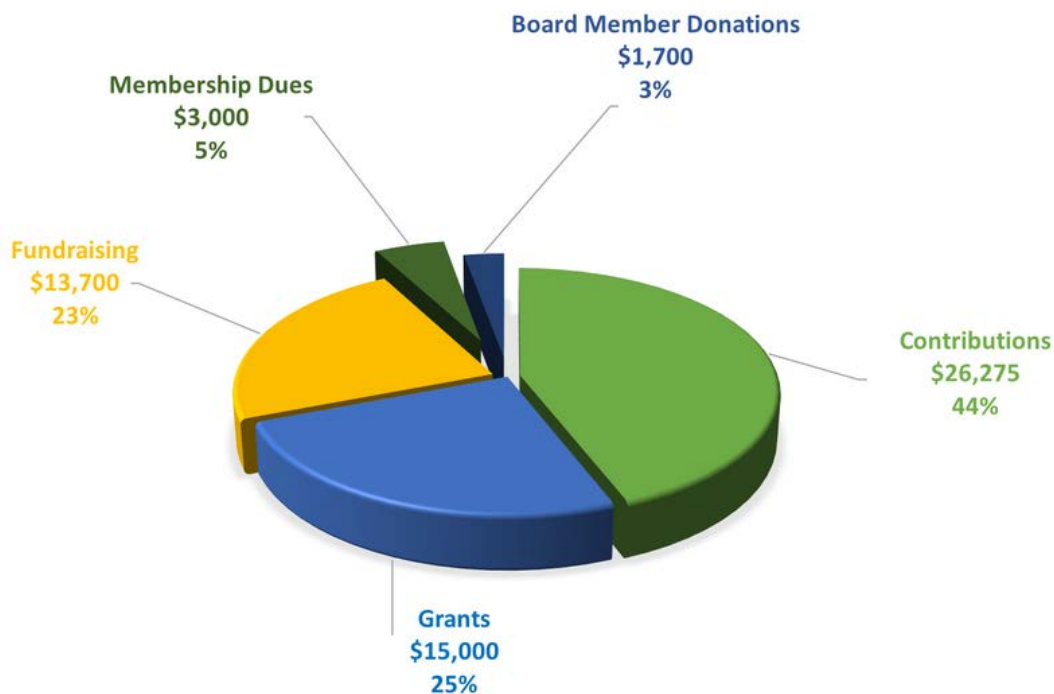


INCOME STATEMENT



Main Sources of Revenue

Contributions	\$26,275
Grants	\$15,000
Fundraising	\$13,700
Membership Dues	\$3,000
Board Member Donations	\$1,700
Total	\$59,675

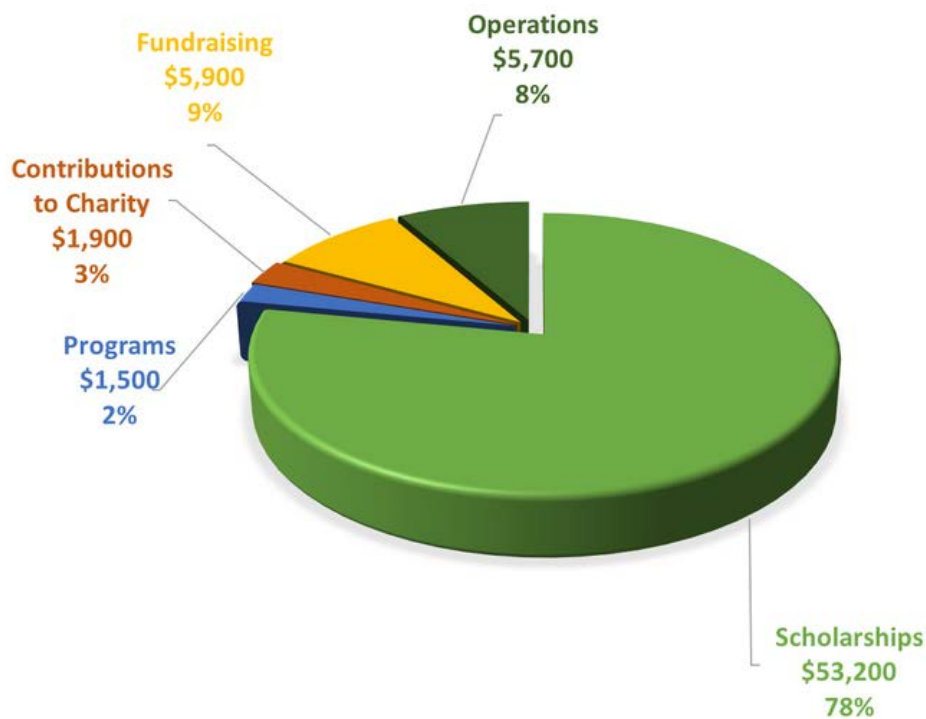


INCOME STATEMENT



Main Sources of Expenses

Scholarships	\$53,200
Programs	\$1,500
Contributions to Charity	\$1,900
Fundraising	\$5,900
Operations	\$5,700
Total	\$68,200



THANK YOU

GET INVOLVED

The Ivy Centennial Foundation cordially invites you to participate in all future volunteer events to make a difference in the lives of our students and in our communities.

HOW TO DONATE

ICF accepts donations all year long! Go to our webpage to access our [ICF Charitable Giving Form](#). This form will direct you to donate online and provide you the ICF physical address to mail donations by check.

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