

Alpha Mu Tau Fraternity

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From The President



I hope that many of you will be able to join us at our annual meeting in Pittsburgh. It provides opportunities to make donations in support of our mission of providing scholarships to students in our profession. If you are unable to attend, please use the on-line donations link at <https://amtfdonations.square.site> to make your donations, or use the form on the back of the annual dinner invitation.

Your support is critical to our mission. Every donation helps. For those of you considering setting up automatic donations from retirement or other accounts, see the information on page 3. You may also make bequests to support scholarships. Please contact our Executive Secretary or our new Treasurer after August 1, 2024.

Member Alert: New Treasurer Effective August 1, 2024

Effective 7/11/24, the AMTF members will have elected a new Treasurer. Please be on the lookout for updated donation forms with the address of the new Treasurer.

The name and address of the new Treasurer will also be posted on the website. Please refrain from mailing donations using any old form after July 11, 2024 until a new form has been created and posted/distributed.

Online donations can be made at any time and are not impacted by the change in the Treasurer.

Tributes

Honoring our special friends, living and deceased, with a Scholarship Donation
- 11/01/2023- 04/01/2024

IN MEMORY OF -

- Aikey, Bonnie** Scott Aikey
- Burson, Jeanne** Joan Longberry
- Butch, Catherine** Suzanne Butch
- Christen, Jeanne** Dana Duzan,
Mary Briden
- Davis, Brenta** Joan Longberry
- Karni, Karen** Elissa Passiment,
Jean Bauer,
Lynne Williams
- McKenzie, Gary** Lynne Williams
- Panning, Elizabeth** Rick Panning
- Parada, Robert** Marcella Yee
- Ramirez, Lynn** Marcella Yee
- Snyderman, Eda** Barbara
Snyderman
- Snyderman, Shirley** William Hunt,
Barbara
Snyderman
- Southern, Dan** Lynne Williams

- Sobol, Marion** Suzanne Butch
- Southern, Dan** Mary Ann
McLane

IN HONOR OF -

- Duzan, Dana** Mary Briden
- Ingram, Lynn** Rebecca Rogers
- McKenzie, Shirlyn** Lynne Williams
- Smith, John P.** John P. Smith
- Smith, Linda** Lynne Williams
- Tille, Patricia** Leah Narans

AMTF ENDOWMENT FUND DONATIONS

- Suzanne Butch**
- Elissa Passiment**
- Marcella Yee**

Our Scholarship Recipients
Thank you
for your donations.

Setting Up Automatic Donations to AMTF Scholarship Funds

Occasionally there are questions about how to set up automatic donations from retirement and other accounts. This may also apply if you are using automatic bill pay from your Bank's website or mobile app.

For automatic donations from a retirement account: please contact the Executive Secretary to obtain the AMTF EIN number. When you set up the automatic donation, please ensure you have the correct name of the Treasurer and their mailing address. Please make sure to include in the memo section that this is for a scholarship donation and to which scholarship fund you want the donation to be credited.

When using automatic bill pay from a bank website or mobile app: please ensure you have the correct name of the Treasurer and their mailing address. Please make sure to include in the memo section that this is for a scholarship donation and to which scholarship fund you want the donation to be credited.

Any questions, please contact the Executive Secretary or Treasurer.

AMTF Officers

Deceased Members

President:	Perry Scanlan	Conner, Suzanne	483	Unknown
President-Elect:	Karrie Hovis	Mounsey, Delores	442	October
Past-President:	Josh Pulido			2022
Sr. Board Member:	Jean Bauer			
Junior Board:	Beth Warning			
Treasurer:	Scott Aikey			
Secretary:	Ramona Fox			
Newsletter Editor:	Suzanne Butch			
Executive Secretary	Elissa Passiment	Yee, Marcella		

New Emeritus Member

Distribution of Funds

Accounts as of 12/31/23	Accounts as of 12/31/23
Edward Jones Value	\$616,499.98
Bank of America Savings	\$ 29,076.56
Bank of America Checking	\$ 12,376.77

	Value on 1/1/23	2023 Don/Inc	Sch awarded	Subtotal
Brown/Bering	\$11,054.58	\$1,825.00	\$3,000.00	\$9,879.58
French	\$91,248.95	\$835.00	\$4,000.00	\$88,083.95
Morrison	\$7,543.37	\$870.00	\$3,000.00	\$5,413.37
Reilly	\$82,507.42	\$220.00	\$3,000.00	\$79,727.42
Winstead	\$12,949.85	\$195.00	\$3,000.00	\$10,144.85
Watson	\$2,215.84	\$250.00	\$2,000.00	\$465.84
Holley	\$53,997.46	\$1,925.00	\$3,000.00	\$52,922.46
Parchman	\$23,136.93	\$1,550.00	\$3,000.00	\$21,686.93
AMTF Endowment	\$26,957.24	\$3,570.00	\$-	\$30,527.24
AMTF GenScholar	\$266,517.28	\$24,452.00	\$20,000.00	\$270,969.28
Smith	\$11,710.35	\$2,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$10,710.35
AMTF Oper Funds	\$15,742.84	\$18,796.67		\$34,539.51
Totals	\$605,582.11	\$56,488.67	\$47,000.00	\$615,070.78

2019 Sch Donations	\$45,772.55	
2020 Sch Donations	\$42,607.00	
2021 Sch Donations	\$51,621.10	(\$17,819.00 in 2 large donations)
2022 Sch Donations	\$36,435.00	
2023 Sch Donations	\$37,692.00	

Note: The final year-end balance of the Watson Fund of \$511.96 was transferred to the AMTF Endowment Fund

Expenses	Net Value	% of Total	Unreal Gain(loss)	Value 12/31/23
\$-	\$9,879.58	1.65%	\$978.19	\$10,857.77
\$-	\$88,083.95	14.71%	\$8,721.32	\$96,805.27
\$-	\$5,413.37	0.90%	\$535.99	\$5,949.36
\$-	\$79,727.42	13.32%	\$7,893.93	\$87,621.35
\$-	\$10,144.85	1.69%	\$1,004.46	\$11,149.31
\$-	\$465.84	0.08%	\$46.12	\$ -
\$-	\$52,922.46	8.84%	\$5,239.93	\$58,162.39
\$-	\$21,686.93	3.62%	\$2,147.25	\$23,834.18
\$-	\$30,527.24	5.10%	\$3,022.55	\$34,061.75
\$-	\$270,969.28	45.26%	\$26,829.05	\$297,798.33
\$-	\$10,710.35	1.79%	\$1,060.45	\$11,770.80
\$16,393.37	\$18,146.14	3.03%	\$1,796.68	\$19,942.82
	\$598,677.41	100.00%	\$59,275.90	\$657,953.31

Frank J. Scarano, PhD, MLT(ASCP)M CM—Nominee for AMTF President-Elect 2024



Frank has 39 years of clinical laboratory experience and approximately 35 years of experience in some aspect of teaching, with 26 years as a faculty member in the Department of Medical Laboratory Science at the University of Massachusetts

Dartmouth. He has been an active member in ASCLS, serving at the local, regional, and national level in a variety of roles over the past 25 years (a few examples include: Microbiology Scientific

Assembly vice-chair, and then chair; Abstract Review Committee (ARC) member, chair, and then chair again as ARC transitioned to APRC; ASCLS (national) Nominations Committee (elected three times due to committee term restructuring); Consumer Response Team; ASCLS:CNE Treasurer for six terms; ASCLS:CNE Director for two two-year terms; ASCLS:CNE Finance Chair for two terms; ASCLS:CNE Nominations committee for two terms, ASCLS:CNE Annual Convention Planning Committee for many years). Frank currently serves as a Director on the ASCLS Board. Frank has attended just about every ASCLS National Meeting since 1999 (he stayed home the year his daughter was an infant) and has served as a delegate from ASCLS:CNE for the vast majority of those annual meetings. He was nominated by Dorothy Bergeron and Kyle Riding and was inducted into AMTF in 2013.

When asked, “Why do you want to run for AMTF President-Elect?” Frank responded, “Because Pat Tille asked me!” Upon reflection, Frank went on to describe how very important the AMTF mission is to the future of our profession. He said, “We are experiencing such a profound shortage of medical laboratory scientists. Providing scholarships and encouraging young people to join our profession is critical to the future of our profession and the future of quality patient care.” Frank pointed out that AMTF provides tens of thousands of dollars in scholarships each year. His experience teaching at a public university in an economically challenged area has allowed him to see how extremely important financial aid and scholarships are to so many students.

Demetra “Toula” Castillo -Nominee Junior Board Member

Toula Castillo is a medical laboratory scientist and educator with over 20 years of experience. She has a BS degree in Medical Laboratory Science, a Masters in Adult Education, and is currently working on a PhD in Medical Health Professions



Education. She has worked in the clinical laboratory training students in their clinical practica, she has held faculty positions at both private and public institutions of higher education. She is passionate about mentoring and building professional relationships with students as emerging leaders in the field of Medical Laboratory Science. She has served as advisor to the Developing Professionals Forum for the last 4 years, is currently the chair of the ASCLS Nominations Committee, and ASCLS-IL Treasurer. Why I want to be junior board member. I have always valued the mission of Alpha Mu Tau even before I became a member. As a junior board member, I would like to continue to advance the mission of Alpha Mu Tau and be involved in making a difference in supporting laboratory science students to become laboratory professionals.

Steph Jacobson—Nominee for Treasurer

Steph Jacobson has been a long-standing member of ASCLS and calls the beautiful Black Hills of South Dakota home. She is currently an associate professor at the University of Cincinnati, has held multiple board and committee positions at the state and regional levels, and is the current South Dakota PACE coordinator and Region V webmaster.



She is currently on the ASCLS national nominations committee and participates in the DCLS oversight committee. Steph became an AMTF member in 2022 and is excited at the opportunity for the nomination to serve as Treasurer. She has experience as a treasurer role for ASCLS Region V. She also has been the treasurer and board member for her county road district for the last 8 years. She is working with Scott Aikey to learn the details of the treasurer responsibilities within AMTF, she is confident that she has the ability and experience to serve in this role

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Join Us for the Annual Dinner

Black and Gold

Return to Elegance

Wyndham Grand,

Pittsburgh Downtown

Commonwealth Room

7:00 pm

