The UNH Foundation, Inc. is an independent, 501(c)(3) nonprofit entity with 170(b)(1)(a)(iv) “publicly supported” status. The purpose of the Foundation is to coordinate the acquisition of private support, with particular emphasis on building endowment, for the benefit of the University of New Hampshire.

Gifts are solicited from alumni, friends, corporations, private and public foundations, and volunteer-support organizations. As of June 30, 2014, the UNH endowment totals $333 million, which includes the UNH Foundation endowment of $185 million and the University System of New Hampshire endowment of $148 million.

UNIFORM PRUDENT MANAGEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL FUNDS ACT (UPMIFA)

Foundation funds are managed under a total return concept within New Hampshire’s Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (NH RSA 292-B:3). In part, the Act reads:

The Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act provides for a standard of conduct in managing and investing institution funds.

I. Subject to the intent of a donor-expressed gift instrument, an institution, in managing and investing an institutional fund, shall consider the charitable purposes of the institution and the purposes of the institutional fund.

II. In addition to complying with the duty of loyalty imposed by law other than this chapter, each person responsible for managing and investing an institutional fund shall manage and invest the fund in good faith and with the care an ordinarily prudent person in a like position would exercise under similar circumstances.

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The University of New Hampshire Foundation, Inc. is committed to prudent, time-tested investment strategies and fiscal policies. The Foundation Board’s Asset Allocation Committee is charged with overseeing its funds and measuring the returns they produce against nationally recognized standards and metrics for investment performance. Careful management of the UNH Foundation endowment assets through the evaluation of the risk, reward and liquidity of various asset classes is undertaken with the long-term goal of producing a total return necessary to preserve and enhance the real-dollar principal of the funds over time, while providing a dependable source of income for current Foundation and University operations and programs.

Endowment growth is due not only to the generosity of thousands of alumni, parents, friends, corporations and foundations, but also to the careful stewardship provided by a group of knowledgeable Foundation Board members who have invested these gifts wisely.
The UNH Foundation has maintained strong financial growth as demonstrated by the three-year average return of 9.6 percent on endowment investments. The market value of its endowment funds was $185 million as of June 30, 2014. The Foundation has a diversified portfolio and continues to maintain a long-term perspective.

The UNH School of Law (UNH Law) Board of Directors and the USNH Board of Trustees approved an integration agreement for UNH and UNH Law with an effective date of January 1, 2014. With the integration, an amount of $14.9 million was transferred to the Foundation for the benefit of UNH Law. In addition, an $18 million quasi-endowment fund was established in the USNH endowment on behalf of UNH Law as a result of the integration.

The endowment pool achieved a total return of 16.5 percent for fiscal year 2014 and distributions were made in compliance with the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act.

$9.9 million was made available through the Foundation and University System of New Hampshire endowments to support UNH students, faculty and programs during FY14, an increase of $1.8 million (22%) over FY13.

The Asset Allocation Committee of the UNH Foundation continues to actively monitor the financial markets to control risk and evaluate exposure for all asset classes. Prime Buchholz and Associates of Portsmouth, New Hampshire serves as investment advisor to the Foundation’s Asset Allocation Committee.
The value of the UNH endowment increased by $36.9 million (24.1%) in 2014. This increase was largely due to positive market returns, new gifts and the addition of the UNH Law endowment ($14.9 million). The 2014 return on the pooled portion of endowment assets totaled 16.5%. This compares to a return of 13.6% in 2013 and a loss of 0.2% in 2012. Increases were largely due to positive returns in domestic equities, international equities and flexible capital investments.

The total net position of the Foundation increased by $39.9 million (25.1%) in 2014, following an increase of $28.2 million (21.6%) in 2013, and a decrease of $11.3 million (8.0%) in 2012. Contributing to this growth were another successful fundraising year, the integration of the UNH Law endowment, and a positive market return.

Condensed Summary of Net Position*

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* Dollars in thousands.

Condensed Summary of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position*

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<th>June 30, 2014</th>
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NOTE: The June 30, 2014 and 2013 financial statements of the University of New Hampshire Foundation, Inc. are audited by KPMG LLP, independent auditors. Complete copies of the audited financial statements, including all footnotes therein, are available upon request.
An endowed fund at the University of New Hampshire is a permanent fund established for a specific purpose by a donor. The assets of the fund are invested to provide earnings that are paid annually in perpetuity. Each year, any remaining income—beyond the annual spending distribution to UNH—is reinvested to preserve and grow the original gift, creating a meaningful legacy for the donor, and insuring support for future generations.

**UNH FOUNDATION PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION**

**Asset Class Overview**
The Foundation’s $185-million endowment portfolio was composed of these asset classes as of June 30, 2014. The overriding principle of the Foundation’s consolidated endowment program is that funds should be managed so that a gift today will fund a donor’s objective in perpetuity. The Foundation’s board of directors makes policies on endowment management.

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<th>Asset Class</th>
<th>Percentage</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<td>Global Public Equity</td>
<td>50%</td>
<td>Active and low-cost passive strategies covering the respective U.S., international, and emerging capital markets spectrum.</td>
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<td>Flexible Capital</td>
<td>25%</td>
<td>Direct-niche hedge fund managers coupled with top-tier fund-of-funds.</td>
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<td>Private Equity</td>
<td>4%</td>
<td>Long-term partnerships in non-publicly traded companies spanning across multiple managers and strategies.</td>
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<td>Inflation Hedging</td>
<td>9%</td>
<td>Real estate, commodity futures (e.g. food, metals), energy/natural resource equities, and Treasury Inflation Protected Securities (TIPS), both public and private.</td>
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<td>Deflation Hedging</td>
<td>4%</td>
<td>Fixed-income funds, primarily via intermediate maturity U.S. Treasury securities.</td>
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<td>Liquid Capital</td>
<td>8%</td>
<td>Cash held in 100% U.S. Treasury money market funds.</td>
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ENDOWMENT FUNDS TRENDS

New funds and market gains have grown the endowment over the last five years. Among the initiatives UNH endowment funds sustain are student scholarships and awards, undergraduate research, and graduate student assistance; professorships and chairs; and other uses such as special projects, equipment, books, and campus beautification projects.

**UNH Foundation Five-year Endowment Market Value**

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Value (Dollars in millions)</th>
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<tr>
<td>2014</td>
<td>$185*</td>
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<td>2013</td>
<td>$149</td>
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<td>2011</td>
<td>$129</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>$109</td>
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*Dollars in millions

*$14.9 million endowment additions were due to integration of UNH Law on January 1, 2014.

**UNH Foundation Number of Endowed Funds**

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<td>448</td>
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<td>TOTALS</td>
<td>866</td>
<td>909</td>
<td>926</td>
<td>944</td>
<td>994</td>
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UNHF has seen a 31% increase in the number of endowed funds between FY10 and FY14, including 23 UNH Law funds added in January 2014. University Advancement stewards all 994 funds for UNH.
ENDOWMENT FUNDS
PURPOSES

Distribution of Endowed Funds

- **64%** Scholarships/Prizes/Awards
- **14%** Special Projects and Programs
- **6%** Undergraduate Research
- **5%** Unrestricted
- **3%** Professorships/Chairs
- **2%** Graduate Student Assistance
- **1%** Faculty Support
- **5%** *Other

*Includes: lectures, equipment, plant operations, campus beautification/improvements, books, etc.*
What is an endowed fund?
An endowed fund is a permanent source of income for the university. Gifts to an endowed fund are invested, with a percentage (currently 4.25 percent of the 12-quarter moving average) of the invested earnings supporting a specific university purpose as directed by the donor(s). The remaining earnings (minus a 1 percent administrative fee) are reinvested into the endowment, ensuring that its value grows in perpetuity.

Why are endowed funds important?
An endowment creates financial stability, allowing UNH to be less dependent on unpredictable sources of revenue such as state appropriations, federal grants, and research sponsorship. Endowments support a rich variety of activities such as scholarships and fellowships for talented students, support for distinguished and dedicated faculty members and staff, and funds for programs and capital projects.

What is the minimum amount necessary to establish an endowed fund at UNH?
The minimum amount necessary to establish a new endowment at UNH is $50,000. This amount can be paid all at once or in payments (typically three to five years).

When will an endowment make a difference at UNH?
All gifts to an endowed fund will be added to the Foundation’s pooled endowment. The Foundation calculates payout to purpose once a year using the December 31st market value. Endowed funds are eligible to distribute a payout to purpose if they participate in the pool at the end of the calendar year. That payout will be made available to the designated department in the following fiscal year, beginning on July 1st.

Whose name is on the endowment?
Donors are encouraged to name their endowed fund in a way that is meaningful to them. Many donors establish an endowment in honor of a specific person—a family member, professor or coach—and name the fund accordingly. Endowments can also be named more broadly for the discipline they support or the group or individual(s) who establish them.

Can I give to an existing endowment?
Yes. While there is a minimum of $50,000 to establish a new endowment, there is no minimum requirement to increase the size of an existing endowment.

Can an endowment be designated for a specific purpose?
Absolutely! Endowments are perfect vehicles for creating a permanent legacy. As with any gift to UNH, an endowed gift offers alumni, friends, staff, faculty and others the opportunity to have their names, or the name(s) of a loved one, linked to an area of the university in which they have a special interest. Some donors create unrestricted endowments, recognizing that the needs and challenges of the future will differ from those today.

How is an endowed fund invested?
The UNH Foundation adheres to investment policies intended to provide a balance of risk and return in the portfolio. The Foundation’s investment portfolio is diversified to keep volatility within acceptable limits for the portfolio as a whole. This provides the greatest assurance that future generations benefit from the endowment as much as current students.

If I have more questions, who can I contact?
The University of New Hampshire Advancement team would be pleased to assist you further. Please call us at 1-800-891-1195 to obtain additional information.
When I came to UNH, a little more than two years ago, I saw potential. Because of you, our generous and faithful donors, we are now beginning to realize that potential and power—the power of philanthropy.

As you read the stories that follow of how donors, just like you, are making a profound positive impact at the University, please know that your philanthropy is doing the same. Because of your generosity, students who would not otherwise be able to obtain an outstanding education at UNH are here and thriving. Because of your commitment to education, our faculty and students are working together and advancing research projects that make living in New Hampshire, our region and beyond, more enjoyable, healthy and safe. Because you know that investing in public higher education is one of the best investments in our collective future success, our students have up-to-date technology in our laboratories and classrooms, our student athletes have equipment that enhances their performance and keeps them safe, our musicians and artists have support to travel and stir the imaginations of those with whom they come into contact.

Because of you, 2014 was the most successful fundraising year in our University’s history, raising almost $50 million. Why does this matter? Because it means that more resources are now available to fund the priorities I described above and many more. Whether you are an alumna or alumnus, a parent or friend, you recognize that there is a lifelong commitment to steward and strengthen UNH. Your continuing dedication will ensure it is here and thriving for many years to come.

Thank you for believing in the University of New Hampshire. The sum of our collective efforts is greater than its parts, and together we can realize the power of philanthropy for the benefit of this wonderful institution.
An Investment in Faculty

If she were a college student today, **Peggy Stockwell Cole ’72** says she could see herself majoring in neuroscience. Originally enrolled as an occupational therapy major, she left UNH to get married and raise three children, but continued to follow her educational goals on a part-time basis. In her mid-30s, she returned to UNH full time to earn a degree in sociology. “I always loved research and the sciences,” she says. It’s one of the reasons that when Cole and her husband, Bob, learned that UNH was about to launch a new interdisciplinary major in neuroscience and behavior, they jumped right in to help. “We were so excited about this new joint major that when we heard about it in its conceptual stage, we proposed funding faculty research,” she explains.

The Coles established the endowed **Cole Neuroscience and Behavior Faculty Research Fund** in 2010 to support faculty research in the then-new major, which is housed jointly in the College of Liberal Arts and College of Life Sciences and Agriculture. The endowment has a particular focus on the development of successful grant applications to fund research projects—reflecting the couple’s deep passion for lifelong learning and appreciation for innovation and breakthrough ideas that can arise from investments in education.

In its first year, the fund supported the collection of pilot data being gathered by psychology professor Robert Drugan for a research project on shock- and swimming-induced stress, which was subsequently submitted for publication. In August 2013, Drugan invited the couple to his lab, where they met with graduate student Nathan Stafford ’17G to talk about the work their endowment had made possible. “It was thrilling to be able to see and learn firsthand what is happening in the field, and as a result of our gift,” says Bob.

The Coles are so delighted with the early results of their endowment that they have made additional gifts to increase the impact of their fund. Jon Wraith, dean of the College of Life Sciences and Agriculture, is equally enthusiastic about the positive impact the Coles’ generous support has had on the faculty and students of the still-growing neuroscience and behavior program. “Peggy and Bob are intelligent and curious people, and that curiosity to learn and understand more is also exactly what our faculty are pursuing through their research in this exciting field,” he says. “Thanks to Peggy and Bob’s support, our faculty in both colleges are able to gather the data they need to pursue funding at the national level, which will continue to raise the profile and visibility of our program. We are incredibly grateful to the Coles for their foresight and for providing UNH an opportunity to position itself strongly in this emerging field.”
Finding a Way to Do More

Kevin M. Fitzgerald ’79 and Marie Gross ’79 might have come to UNH with dramatically different perspectives, but today their feelings about their alma mater are one and the same: they couldn’t imagine a better college experience.

Fitzgerald, who grew up in Manchester, N.H., and played football at Central High School, had his sights set on a Division 3 school, where he figured he could have an impact on the gridiron as well as in the classroom. An identical triplet from Norwood, Mass., Gross always had UNH at the top of her list—as did her sisters, Maggie and Marianne. Though he had made plans to transfer, when Fitzgerald met Gross in the spring of his sophomore year, any thoughts of leaving Durham went straight into the circular file.

“I stayed and did not regret it one bit,” he says. “We went on to have a wonderful time and it all worked out great.”

So great, that the couple, who married in 1982, last year established an endowed scholarship fund to honor their love of UNH. The Kevin M. Fitzgerald and Marie F. Gross Endowment for Academic Excellence supports students who have demonstrated exceptional academic success in the College of Health and Human Services while also participating on an intercollegiate athletic team. For Fitzgerald, a psychology major who today is a managing partner at the law firm of Nixon Peabody LLP, and Gross, who parlayed her degree in health management and policy into a VP of business development position at Signature Healthcare Brockton Hospital, the fund is a reflection of their shared interests.

Last year, track and field standout and nursing major Elise Beattie ’14 became the first recipient of the endowment. Volleyball player Abby Brinkman ’16, who is majoring in speech pathology, is this year’s scholar. Gross says that getting a chance to learn about and meet the student-athletes has only added to the positive experience of creating the fund.

“I love that,” she says. “It makes it all the more special. It’s important to know your money is working as you had hoped and it warms your heart to contribute to something that is such a worthy cause.”

Fitzgerald adds that anyone considering supporting the school financially or giving back by other means won’t regret getting involved.

“Folks who are considering becoming more involved with the university through the establishment of a scholarship fund or other support—all they really need to do is meet some of the extraordinary people who are the beneficiaries of these funds,” he says. “They’d come away saying, ‘We need to find a way to do more.’ I can say with some degree of assuredness that there won’t be any buyers’ regret when you do what Marie and I and others have done.”

A past president of the UNH Alumni Association and former member of the University System of New Hampshire Board of Trustees, Gross says she takes every opportunity to promote UNH among family and friends and young people she comes in contact with. She regularly meets with people who are interested in supporting the school financially or by other means.

Today, Fitzgerald and Gross still count their UNH relationships as among their most important—and find themselves at the heart of a literal UNH family. Gross’ sister Marianne is married to Peter Gaspary ’79, who played football with head football coach Sean McDonnell ’79, and Fitzgerald’s siblings Daniel ’75 and Ann Fitzgerald Foley ’89 are proud Wildcats, as well.
The Road Less Traveled

Christopher Kelley ’94 was 32 and married, with a mortgage and two kids in diapers, when he enrolled as a full-time student at UNH in 1992. A construction laborer, he had one goal in mind: to earn a civil engineering degree to further his career and better support his family.

Though he was accomplished at his work, Kelley understood he needed more than his on-site experience and associate’s degree to qualify for the project engineer job he coveted. As a non-traditional student, Kelley’s drive and maturity set him apart from his peers and caught the attention of his professors. “He was smart as a whip…. If there was a problem, he just jumped in and fixed it,” recalls associate professor of civil engineering Raymond Cook, who served as Kelley’s mentor. “The younger students all learned from him and looked up to him. I did too.”

One of those younger students was Todd Fratzel ’94, ’96G who earned his B.S. in civil engineering alongside Kelley in 1994. “Chris was a hugely influential mentor to many engineers I went to school with,” Fratzel says. “I suppose that was partly due to him being older than most of us, but it came down to his passion to teach others. Chris was the most intelligent engineer I’ve known in my career.”

Not long after graduating from UNH, Chris joined Skanska USA, a leading project development and construction group. As general superintendent, he commanded jobs sites for some of the firm’s most prominent projects, including the Fogg Museum at Harvard University and the Stata Center at MIT—but one of the highlights of his career was serving as the principal field engineer for the renovation of Kingsbury Hall, home of the UNH engineering departments. “He loved it,” recalls Mary Kelley, Chris’ wife. “It made him very proud, actually putting his skills into action right on the campus where he got his start, all under the view of his old professors.”

Sadly, Chris passed away in September 2012, leaving behind Mary and the couple’s three children, Sam, Sarah, and Natalie. Not long after his death, Kelley’s colleagues and clients at Skanska organized a golf tournament to raise money for the family, but Mary had a different idea: she used the proceeds from the tournament and added her own gift to endow a scholarship at UNH in her husband’s memory. “UNH gave Chris the education that allowed him to have a great career and rise through the ranks in the construction industry,” she says. “We really struggled when Chris went back to school, and if someone in similar circumstances could benefit, I couldn’t see using the gift any other way.”

The Christopher G. Kelley Memorial Scholarship Fund provides need-based scholarship support to non-traditional students majoring in civil engineering. This fall, the first Kelley Scholarship was awarded, and Mary Kelley was thrilled to receive a thank you letter from the recipient. “It made it so real,” she says. “To actually know someone is benefiting from this scholarship is pretty overwhelming. My kids love it. They are so proud their dad’s memory is helping students at UNH who share their dad’s passion for civil engineering.”
Community Engagement and Family Support

For a century now, a pair of principles have shaped the New Hampshire-based businesses run by the family of H. Thomas Volpe ’55: community engagement and family support. It began with Volpe’s grandfather, an Italian immigrant who opened “Volpe’s Store” in Plymouth with his brother in 1910. Over time, the family grocery store became a cherished Plymouth landmark thanks to the personal service the Volpes provided, and when Tom Volpe acquired his own business in 1959, he applied the same model to his ownership of the Lakes Region-based Melcher & Prescott Insurance Company, a general lines insurance agency founded in 1862.

Volpe hadn’t planned to make his name in the insurance business; in fact, his interests leaned more towards law. He had enrolled at UNH with a $750 gift from his Uncle Angelo, which was enough money to pay for his first year of school. A member of the Class of 1922, Angelo Volpe believed in the value of a UNH education—and also the importance of standing by family. After earning his degree in electrical engineering, the elder Volpe worked for Consolidated Edison, Inc. (Con Edison) and the New Haven Railroad before returning to Plymouth to run the family store, and he became a role model and a source of inspiration for his nephew. “He guided me and encouraged me to do better,” Tom Volpe says.

Volpe graduated with a degree in political science, and soon discovered that the property and casualty insurance business was the perfect way to pursue his interest in tort, liability and corporate law. As part of only the third generation of owners in Melcher & Prescott’s 150-year history, he continued the family tradition of overseeing a locally-owned business committed to the community it serves. That connection became even richer in the mid-1980s, when his sons Stewart ’84G and Christopher joined the business.

Stewart became the president of Melcher & Prescott after earning his MBA from UNH. Well-schooled in the challenges of the financial services industry, the younger Volpe was highly regarded by his colleagues. “I attribute this, in no small way, to his graduate school business education” says his father. “Stewart was an outstanding man and a role model.” Tragically, Stewart passed away in 2000 from injuries sustained in an airplane crash. Today, Christopher carries on the Volpe name at Melcher & Prescott as the firm’s vice president and chief executive officer.

Earlier this year, Volpe and his wife Eleanor established an endowed scholarship fund in memory of the two men whose UNH educations flanked his own. The Angelo V. Volpe ’22 and Stewart T. Volpe ’84G Scholarship Fund supports needy students from Belknap and Grafton counties who are studying in the Peter T. Paul College of Business and Economics.

For the Volpes, establishing a scholarship at UNH provided a fitting opportunity to honor their loved ones and to thank the New Hampshire community that had given them so much. “I’ve done well in my business,” Volpe says. “I would not have been able to do it without the patronage and loyalty of our clientele. This scholarship is for my son, for the uncle who was such an important mentor and supporter, and for young people in New Hampshire. I hope we can attract promising students to stay in New Hampshire and go back and contribute to their communities.”
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