



NASPA FOUNDATION

ANNUAL REPORT 2021-22





Maureen Keefe, *NASPA Foundation Board Chair, Vice President of Student Development, MassArt*

“Serving as the NASPA Foundation Board Chair has been one of the highlights of my career. Working alongside colleagues who strive to make a difference in the lives of NASPA members and institutions is empowering and reinforces our commitment to bettering the lives of our students.”

I am so proud of the NASPA Foundation’s commitment to listening to the needs of our members and meeting them where they need it most. As a result of gifts from our donors, we were able to provide over \$60,000 in scholarships to help members stay connected to NASPA through the tumult of the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond. We remain committed to our work around providing access and support for underserved communities. We continue to celebrate the accomplishments of our colleagues by honoring those who have made a lasting impact on our profession. We can never underestimate the significance of our work or the generous support of our donors. To those of you who have given and continue to support the Foundation, thank you. It truly is your NASPA Foundation.

MISSION AND VISION



The mission of the NASPA Foundation is to advance NASPA's mission and legacy.

Driven by the same Guiding Principles as NASPA—Integrity, Inclusion, Innovation, and Inquiry—the NASPA Foundation is dedicated to advancing the student affairs profession and the individuals who work within it. When you invest in the NASPA Foundation, you make a difference both for today and the future.

Donations support scholarships for NASPA members to attend conferences, grants to fund innovative campus programming, and research awards to honor those who have made great contributions to the field of student affairs.

DIRECT IMPACT OF DONATIONS



**2022 Jim
Rhatigan
Fellowship
Winner**

“ It was truly an honor to have been recognized as a 2022 Jim Rhatigan Fellow. As a new professional to the field, it means a lot to me that there are people who believe in me and are interested in investing in my growth. Attending the NASPA Annual Conference was an impactful experience as I am continuously in pursuit of additional learning and growth. I believe that lifelong learning is so essential and allows me to gain critical skills to become the best practitioner possible. I am passionate about working to make positive change within the Fraternity & Sorority community, so experiences like this allowed me to connect with others and advance my skills and knowledge. I am grateful for opportunities like this and excited to continue using my time and talents to advance our field! ”

Rebecca Durant

*Graduate Assistant, The Haven
The College of William & Mary*



**NASPA
Membership
Scholarship
Recipient**

“ To me, receiving the NASPA Foundation membership scholarship means being:

- Validated because my words were heard and accepted,
- Affirmed by the Foundation for supporting me in my endeavors to dive deeper into professional development and,
- Included because I am now, blissfully, a part of a community dedicated to making positive impact and productive changes in higher education and it will help me learn to do the same. ”

Teniese Russell

*Graduate Assistant for Housing Assignments and
Occupancy
Boston College*

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2022 Access Scholarship for the 2022 NASPA Conferences on Student Success in Higher Education

“ The NASPA Foundation scholarship has helped me to advance in my career. Attending the NASPA Student Success conferences gave me the opportunity to learn new strategies, skills, and best practices in advising and student affairs to effectively support my first-gen and low-income students. Attending the workshops and sessions, allowed me to self-reflect and focus on my professional growth. Not only did NASPA give me the opportunity to gain valuable knowledge to apply in my field, but attending this conference also gave me the confidence to further my career and pursue an advanced position in advising. I am now an associate director of advising at an Ivy league university. ”

Francesca Pugh-Opher
Associate Director of Advising
University of Pennsylvania



2022 Access Scholarship for the NASPA M. Ben Hogan Small Colleges and Universities Institute

“ Being awarded the NASPA Foundation Access Scholarship represented NASPA’s belief in me as a student affairs professional. It elevated my role in not only pinpointing high profile issues within the profession, but tackling and improving upon them as well. This was all done through a living and learning community of professionals of the field. It helped to know that we are not in this alone—that while our campuses might be different in many ways, we share common challenges which can be addressed in similar or familiar ways. In the end, it provided me and my colleagues with community, confidence, and creativity to confront the most challenging issues as we emerge from the global pandemic. ”

Marc Welch
Associate Dean of Students
Wabash College

PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

NASPA Foundation Funded Opportunities

Through the generous support of donors, the NASPA Foundation is able to provide scholarships to attend conferences, funding for NASPA membership dues, awards for service to the profession, and celebrations of those awards at the NASPA Annual Conference. The list below are the full suite of awards. Due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and the reallocation of funds, the Foundation was not able to support research and innovation grants for this year.

Awards	Scholarships	Grants
Melvane D. Hardee Dissertation of the Year	Jim Rhatigan Fellowships for the NASPA Annual Conference	NASPA Innovation Grants
George D. Kuh Award for Outstanding Contribution to Literature and/or Research	Zenobia Hikes Scholarship for the Alice Manicur Symposium	Channing Briggs Small Research Grant
Robert H. Shaffer Award for Academic Excellence as a Graduate Faculty Member	NASPA Now Scholarships	NASPA Collaboration Grants
John L. Blackburn Distinguished Pillar of the Profession - Two Recipients	NASPA Membership and Professional Development Scholarships	
Pillar of the Profession - Up to 18 Recipients		
Ruth Strang Research Award		

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NASPA Membership and Professional Development Scholarships

Originally created as a response to the impact that the COVID-19 pandemic had on college and university budgets, the NASPA Foundation created access scholarships. Going on for its third year, the Foundation is committed to providing access to enable those with financial need to stay connected to the Association and to the student affairs profession. Access scholarships assist members with providing financial support for membership dues as well as conference registrations and accommodations.

Day One

The Foundation hosted a dedicated day of giving. January 25-26, 2022 was selected to honor NASPA's 104th birthday and members were encouraged to donate funds to support NASPA Membership and Professional Development Scholarships. This was incredibly successful and will continue to be offered in the future.



Special Interest Funds

At the request of NASPA members, the Foundation created special interest funds designed to support NASPA's divisions, groups, and knowledge communities. The funds both provide an additional source of funding for the activities of these entities that relate to the mission of the Foundation and serve as a way for donors to direct their funds to the experiences they value most within NASPA. Groups with special interest funds have the flexibility to decide how to best use donor dollars in support of their goals, with most creating additional awards and scholarships.

- » African American KC*
- » African American Men's and Women's Summit
- » Asian Pacific Islander KC
- » Assessment, Evaluation, and Research KC
- » Civic Learning & Democratic Engagement KC
- » Community Colleges Division
- » Enrollment Management KC
- » Fraternity and Sorority KC*
- » Gender & Sexuality KC
- » Latinx/a/o KC
- » Socioeconomic and Class Issues in Higher Education KC
- » Spirituality and Religion in Higher Education KC
- » Student Leadership Programs KC
- » Womxn for the WISA KC fund
- » Veterans KC

*New fund established during fiscal year 21-22

2022 AWARD RECIPIENTS

Melvane D. Hardee Dissertation of the Year

Christine Davis, Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Jim Rhatigan Fellowship

Maegan Berg, Doctoral Student in Leadership and Policy Studies in Higher Education, Oklahoma State University

Leslie Calimer, Assistant Director for Undergraduate Nursing, Drexel University

Daisy Chavez, Career Coach for the School of Engineering & School of Earth, University of Michigan

Rebecca Durant, Graduate Assistant, The College of William and Mary

Victoria Gathings, Graduate Assistant, Holmes Cultural Diversity Center, Mississippi State University

Makayla Hall, Residential Graduate Assistant, Chapman University

Alexandria Johnson, Graduate Research Assistant, Chapman University

Carmen McIver, Program Lead for Inclusive Excellence, Dallas College

Scott Moser, Graduate Assistant for the Office of Student and Family Transitions, University of Nebraska at Kearney

Alina Nigmatullina, Graduate Assistant at the Holmes Cultural Diversity Center, Mississippi State University

Darryl Thomas, Office of Student Conduct Graduate Assistant Hearing Officer, West Chester University of Pennsylvania

Luciano Zuniga, Graduate Student, The University of Pennsylvania

George D. Kuh Award for Outstanding Contribution to Literature and/or Research

John Wesley Lowery, Professor, Student Affairs in Higher Education, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Robert H. Shaffer Award for Academic Excellence as a Graduate Faculty Member

Sharon Fries-Britt, Professor, University of Maryland

Ruth Strang Research Award

Eboni Ford Turnbow, Vice President for Student Affairs, California State University-Channel Islands

John L. Blackburn Distinguished Pillar of the Profession

Karen L. Pennington, Vice President for Student Development/Campus Life, Retired, Montclair State University

Mike Segawa, Vice President of Student Affairs, former, Pitzer College & University of Puget Sound

2022 AWARD RECIPIENTS

Pillars of the Profession

Willie L. Banks, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, University of California-Irvine

Jerrid P. Freeman, Vice President for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management, Northeastern State University

Eric Grospitch, Vice President for Student Life, Washburn University

Lamar R. Hylton, Senior Vice President, Division of Student Affairs, Kent State University

L. Lincoln Johnson, Associate Vice President for Student Life, University of Washington

Bridget Turner Kelly, Associate Professor, Student Affairs, University of Maryland-College Park

Hikaru Kozuma, Executive Director for College Houses and Academic Services, University of Pennsylvania

Carolyn H. Livingston, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students, Carleton College

Sara Adriana Mata, Dean of Students, Newman University

Phyllis McCluskey-Titus, Professor, Higher Education and Student Affairs, Illinois State University

Michele C. Murray, Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, College of the Holy Cross

Joel Pérez, Executive Coach & Owner, Apoyo Coaching & Consulting

Jason B. Pina, Vice President for University Life and Global Engagement, New York University

Joanna Royce-Davis, Vice President for Student Life, Pacific Lutheran University

Becky Spurlock, Vice President for Student Affairs and Leadership, The University of Texas Permian Basin

Carla M. Stein, Dean of Student Affairs, Front Range Community College

Courtney Stryker, Student Affairs Consultant, Emerita Qatar University

NASPA Now

Innovation

Juwan Jacobs, Assistant Director Student Governance, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Yashwant Prakash Vyas, Diversity Education and Strategic Initiatives Director, The University of Mississippi

Ashley Wolfe, Assistant Director of Residential Education, Fashion Institute of Technology

Impact

Shayna Olarti, Undergraduate Academic Advising Graduate Assistant, Seattle University

Inclusion

Nancy Camarillo, Doctoral Candidate, University of Maryland College Park

Terrian Garvis, Transition & Success Coordinator, State University of New York: Brockport

Brooke Morrissy, Assistant Director of New Student Experience and Family Relations, Vanguard University

Sydney Robinson, Diversity and Inclusion Program Manager, College of Saint Benedict and Saint John's University

Kirwin Seger, Graduate Assistant, Western Illinois University

Inquiry

Laura Bell, Graduate Assistant, Southern Methodist University

Brittany Devies, Graduate Assistant Leadership Learning Research Center, Florida State University

Integrity

Heather Hardy, Graduate Program Communications Coordinator, Northeastern University

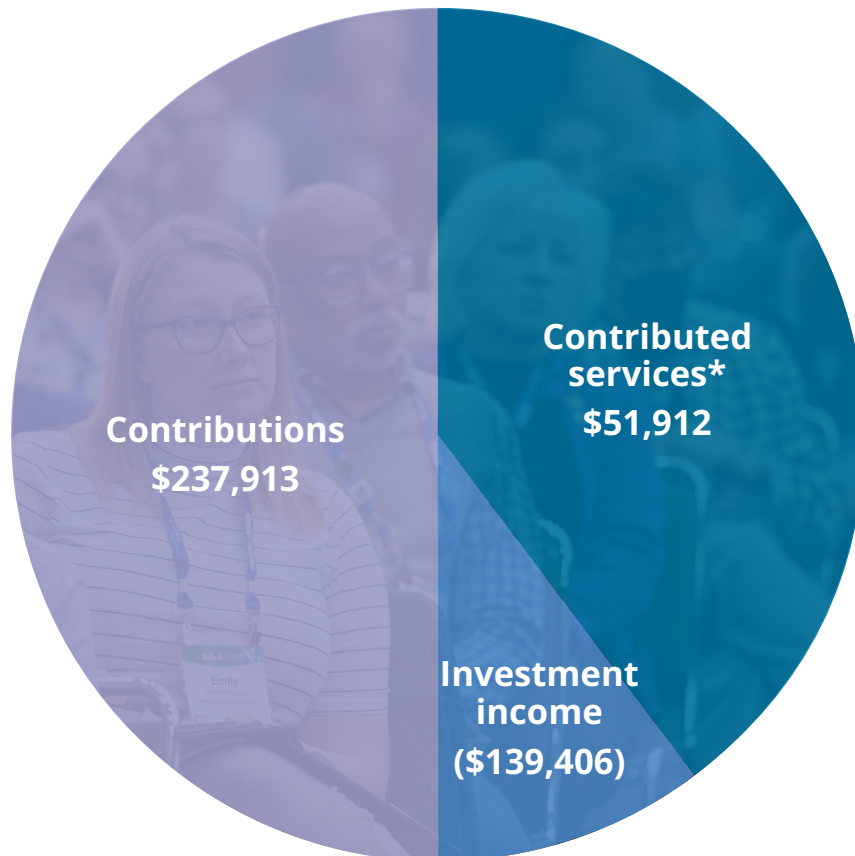
FINANCIALS

2021-22 Statement of Activities

Total Net Assets: \$2,662,094

Revenue

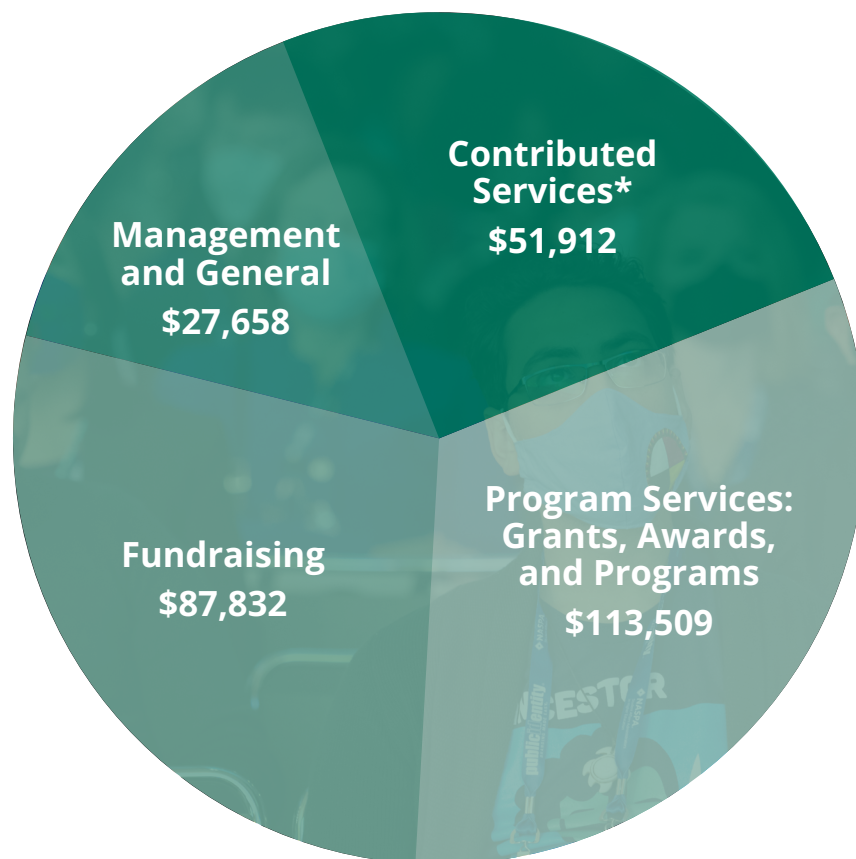
Total: \$150,419



*Contributed services are personnel, technology and other administrative support services provided to the NASPA Foundation by NASPA

Expenses

Total: \$280,911



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