



**FORGE GREAT
FUTURES**

The
Campaign
for
**DURHAM
TECH**

PARTNERS IN ACHIEVEMENT



DURHAM TECH

Do great things.

Help us grow.



89%

of graduates stay in NC & stimulate the economy



#1

in graduate wages among NC community colleges



15,513

Curriculum, Continuing, & Corporate Education students served



108

degree & certificate programs



42%

students receive some type of financial aid

2018-19 Statistics



Time Period

July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2020

\$5 million
Our Goal

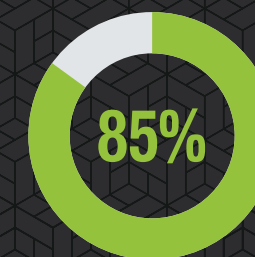


\$3 million
Talent Development for Tomorrow's Workforce



\$2 million
Economic Opportunity for Students

OUR PROGRESS



Help us reach 100%!

Forge great futures.

For more than 58 years, Durham Tech has been an economic driver in the Triangle, dedicated to innovation and to meeting our region's needs for a smart, reliable workforce. Your annual support as a Partner in Achievement will be recognized as a contribution to our special Forge Great Futures fundraising campaign.

Find ways to make the difference.

- » Scholarships for students to support their educational goals
- » Need-based grants to keep students in school and on the path to graduation
- » Professional development for faculty and staff to advance their industry knowledge
- » Grants to pilot or scale projects that demonstrate promise in supporting student success

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“I’m excited to know that there are people out there that are willing to invest in students that are hardworking and driven. Knowing that my donors place so much trust in me, I am more determined to study smart and contribute my analytical and problem-solving skills to the business community as an actuary.”

EDNAH SANGAKA
2019 Graduate
Associate of Science



“I’m so grateful. College is expensive, so it means a lot to have had a scholarship that furthered my education. Knowing that I’ve been able to make a step up in life and in my career, really gives me a boost of confidence. The greatest feeling in the world is knowing I’ll be able to provide more for my family now.”

HAROLD SIMMONS
2019 Graduate
Practical Nursing



**Make the
difference.**

Durham Tech offers programs in fields including Automotive, Culinary Arts, Cosmetology, Information Technology, and Health Care. It houses the only Opticianry and Anesthesia Technology programs in North Carolina. Within all of these programs, students engage in hands-on training with outstanding faculty dedicated to teaching.

Durham Tech works closely with community partners to provide work-study opportunities for students and to create new programs, like Anesthesia Technology and Electrical Line Technician.

Your gift provides tangible resources that enable our students and faculty to do great things. Partners in Achievement support innovation, experiential learning and research, and collaboration on projects that better our shared community.

Instructor Gail Walker utilizes equipment for instruction in new Anesthesia Technology lab.

Forge ahead with our leaders.



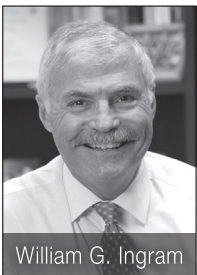
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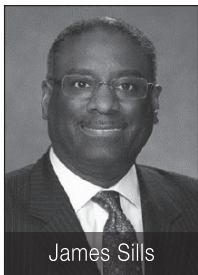
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Be a Partner in Achievement.

 **\$10,000**
TRAILBLAZER

Scholarship Recognition Breakfast

More than 100 students are awarded a scholarship by the Durham Tech Foundation each year. Our fall scholarship breakfast recognizes these exemplary students and the donors who generously support their studies.

Estimated reach: 250 attendees, including Board of Trustees and Foundation Board members, college administration, major donors, and students

 **\$5,000**
PACESETTER

President's Circle Event

Each year, donors who comprise the President's Circle are invited to join in a special college event with President Bill Ingram. Use this opportunity to network and to build a stronger relationship with Durham Tech.

Estimated reach: varies each year

 **\$2,500**
INNOVATOR

Viva the Arts Performances

Viva the Arts performances are free to Durham Tech students, faculty, staff, and the community at large. Performing and visual arts events are hosted throughout the academic year on campus.

Estimated reach: 75-100 members of the Durham Tech community per performance

 **\$1,000**
GROUNDBREAKER

Employee Appreciation Sponsorship

Throughout the year, the Durham Tech Foundation provides employee appreciation for hardworking faculty and staff, including refreshments after employee meetings and monthly birthday celebrations with the President.

Estimated reach: 350+ Durham Tech employees

 **\$500**
PATHFINDER

Website Logo + Link

Your company or organization's logo will be displayed as a Partner in Achievement on the Durham Tech Foundation website, with a link to your homepage.

Estimated reach: 87,000 unique monthly visitors to the Durham Tech website



Each level of support receives the subsequent benefits.

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