

1974 -2025: UBC Grad Gifts List

1974

- No gifts recorded

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1978:

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1980:

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1981:

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1982:

- Law Students' Legal Advice
- President's Committee on the concerns for the handicapped
- UBC Forestry Class of '83 – bridge project

1983:

- No gifts recorded

1984:

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1987:

- \$3,000 towards further development of the Language Lab

1988:

- \$2,796 to Handicapped Access Improvements to SUB
 - Student Administrative Commission
- \$3,000 to War Memorial Gym Student Garden
 - Physical Education Undergraduate Society
- \$3,000 to S.U.B. Plaza Benches (total budget: \$4,800)
 - AMS of UBC
- 3,000 funding to Library Workstation Terminal (total budget: 253,000)
 - UBC Library
- Disabled Student Communicators
 - Student Counselling and Resources Centre
- \$2,796 to Crane Library Talking Book Fund
- \$3,000 to Neville Scarfe Children's Garden
 - AMS of UBC

1989:

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- \$3000 towards 75th Anniversary Fountain at Fairview Grove

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1993:

- \$3000 towards a bursary for UBC students to study abroad
- An electrically adjustable table for wheelchair access to library computer terminals
- A Perseus CD ROM Multi-Media Database System
- An angular sculpture which spells UBC when regarded from the correct angle

1994:

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1998:

- Car or Van for UBC ride share program
- “Perspective” UBC sign
- “History of UBC Engineers” book project
- Library Periodicals
- Library Books
- Modular Stage system for AMS programs

1999:

- Water Feature with seating space
 - Located in newly renovated courtyard of Student Union Building

2000:

- Millennium Monument
 - Two 12-foot concrete walls constructed parallel to each other on Southwest plaza of campus
 - Commemorates millennium and historical role of students in shaping UBC campus
 - Feature historical photographs of student initiatives, along with the Alma Mater Society’s mission statement – to improve quality of educational, social, and personal UBC student lives

2001:

- SUB South Plaza Festival and Events Shelter
 - Intended to be extension to last year’s gift, to be placed outside Student Union Building
 - Shelter will face grassy knoll, and serve as a staging area for student events

2002:

- Restoration of the “Signpost Flagpoles”

- Located directly adjacent to Northwest and Southwest corners of Student Union Building
- Poles historically provided space for promotion of student and university events

2003:

- Contributions to:
 - Science Social Space
 - Digitization of campus newspapers
 - An Inter-Faculty Publication Office
 - Arts Picnic Benches

2004:

- \$4,000 to UBC Food Coop
 - For the improvement of business space in Student Union Building
- \$8,000 to UBC Farm
 - For volunteer-coordinated market and farm enhancement
- \$10,000 to student run, volunteer-driven outreach programs:
 - Junior Engineer Leadership Program
 - Bursary Fund
 - Non-Consumable Camp Projects

2005:

- \$16,563.76 to the restoration of Norm theatre in the Student Union Building

2006:

- \$6,000 to the Norm Theatre
- \$5,000 to UBC Farm
- \$50,000 to Gearing UPI UBC Engineering and SCIENCE for Kids
- \$7,000 banner project for the main SUB entrances

2007:

- \$5,000 to UBC Farm, and their educational camp for children
- \$5,000 to Science Undergraduate Society's new FROSH program
- \$3,000 each to both Visual Arts and Film Production at UBC

2008:

- \$5,000 to Sprouts Store
- \$2,900 to Agora Café
- \$6,000 to UBC Farm
- \$1,600 to Engineering without Borders
- \$1,000 to the Environmental Law Group
- \$2,000 to the Art Collection Catalogue

2009:

- \$8,800 to the UBC Centre of International Health
- \$4,700 to the UBC Global Health Initiative
- \$6,600 to the UBC Agape Club

2010:

- \$10,000 to the AMS Bursary Programme
- \$5,000 to the UBC Learning Exchange
- \$10,000 to the UBC Alumni Association
 - For student directed programming on University Square

2011:

- \$5,000 to the Science Undergraduate Society
 - For the Abdul Ladha Science Centre Building Improvement Project
- \$5,000 to AMS Tutoring
 - For the Redevelopment of the AMS Tutoring Website
- \$1,500 to the AMS for the Food Bank
 - For nonperishable food items
- \$5,000 to AMS Safewalk
 - For jackets for the walkers
- \$8,000 to the AMS Bike Kitchen
 - For a Bike Sculpture
- \$1,800 to the AMS Volunteer Connect
 - For Volunteer Management Software

2012:

- \$5,000 to the Engineering Student Centre
- \$1,000 to the AUS for a historical project
- \$4,000 for UBC Votes
- \$900 to the AMS VP Academic Office for mental health initiatives
- Two Waterfillz stations
 - \$9,520 value
- Meekison Arts Student Space renovations
 - \$5,000 value
- \$1,600 to AMS FoodBank
 - For a new fridge, food, and volunteer materials
- “Blue Terminal”
 - \$20,000 value
 - A Clinton Global Initiative founded at UBC by two graduating students whose focus will be to aggregate information on research, policy, business, and

international affairs with regards to renewable energy, enabling UBC to become a leader in this field

2013:

- \$10,000 to AMS
 - To help create a UBC central exam database
- New Multimedia room in Irving K. Barber Centre
 - \$5,000 value
- Sustainability Art Project in the New SUB Atrium
 - \$5,000 value
- Telescope for the Astronomy Club
 - \$2,000 value
- New artistic mural in the Gallery pub
 - \$2,000 value
- \$1,500 to the 2013 Shinerama Cystic Fibrosis research campaign
- New Science Undergraduate Society mascot
 - \$750 value
- New Sports Jerseys for the Science Undergraduate Society
 - \$600 value
- \$150 to Young Women in Business for a conference to be held at UBC

2014:

- \$17,024 for the Ecole Polytechnique de Montreal Massacre Memorial
- \$8,500 for the AMS Lionel Thomas Mural Restoration Project
- \$5,000 for the Engineering Design Router Table
- \$5,000 for the FSC Student Space
- \$4,590 Project Agora Space
- \$1,000 for the Student Cairn Plaque Restoration

2015:

- \$5,000 to Land and Food Systems Undergraduate Society
 - For Kitchen Equipment Upgrades
- \$5,000 to Agora Café
 - For Security and Equipment Upgrades
- \$8,000 to SEEDS Sustainability Program
 - for Community Development
- \$5,000 to the Geological Engineering Undergraduate Club
- \$6,185 to the AMS Aboriginal Students Commissioner
 - For a Musqueam Woven Tapestry

2016:

- \$20,000+ donation towards design and installation of an outdoor 3D sign for AMS Student Nest
 - Will be housed on the knoll and stand as point of welcome for students, visitors, staff, alumni, etc

2017:

- Commissioned wood and metal sculpture entitled “Thunderbird in Motion”
 - Valued at \$10,000
 - Will be located in AMS Nest
 - Art piece by Indigenous artist Connie Watts, inspired by students’ energy and knowledge collection

2018:

- LGBTQTTI (Pride and Trans) art installation commission
 - Total gift value: \$20,000
 - Will be situated outside the NEST
 - Goal: foster inclusivity by proclaiming UBC and UBC’s public spaces as positive spaces
 - Gift will also provide financial support to each of undergraduate societies to promote campus-wide student engagement

2019:

- \$5,000 donation to the AMS Food Bank
 - To fund Summer 2019 Operations
- \$2,500 donation to the Food Bank
 - Used for sole purpose of starting a hygiene products fund
- \$5,000 to the Indigenous Committee
 - Used for capital improvement projects
- \$5,000 allocation for:
 - revitalization of the Goddess of Democracy
 - a Tiananmen Square 30-year recognition ceremony

2020:

- \$20,000 mural commission in Life Building
 - To celebrate student experiences at UBC including academics, celebrations, student issues, etc.
- \$20,000 donation to AMS Food Bank
 - To support their operations during the COVID-19 pandemic, allowing them to serve more students in need
- \$20,000 donation to UBC
 - To support students with financial need during the COVID-19 pandemic

2021:

- Outdoor pavilion for students
 - erected on Point Grey
 - addresses comfort and energy efficiency through state of the art heating and cooling techniques
 - Members of School of Architecture will assist in design and construction

2022:

- Outdoor Learning Environment (More funding for the 2021 gift)
 - Uses the latest in inductive thermal technology to create an innovative year round space
- Digital mural installation
 - Will be located in thoroughfare connecting AMS Nest, UBC Life building, Student Recreation Centre
- Indigenous language project in AMS Nest
 - Notable locations in AMS Nest will be given translated names in Musqueam language through work in partnership w indigenous artists and knowledge keepers

2023:

- \$5000 for the construction of a Little Free Library in or around the Nest, where students can take and leave books for free.
- \$15,000 towards fighting food insecurity on Campus
 - distributed as lump sum gifts of \$5000 each for the AMS Food Bank, Sprouts Café and the Food Hub Market.
- \$5000 towards the planting of a Graduation Tree, that will serve as a tangible reminder of this year's class in the years to come

2024:

- \$10,000 for the construction of a Sensory Room, a tranquil space where students with disabilities can retreat and destress from the sensory overload of the typical university environment;
- \$4,500 the installment of needle disposal bins and menstrual product dispensers in the universal washroom at the Nest promoting safety and accessibility; and
- \$9,000 towards the building of an all-recyclable, outdoor playground that will be built on campus, nurturing the inner child of each and everyone of us.

2025:

- The installation of printers in the Nest, providing students with a convenient, centralized location for their printing needs;

- Refurbishment of the Revolving Gardens, a permanent living-art feature on the first and second floors of the Nest;
- A mural in the basement of the Life Building, celebrating the intersection of sustainability and active living.