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ExxonMobil and Employees Donate \$1.02 Million to Illinois Colleges and Universities

- **Thirty educational institutions in Illinois receive funds from a program that matches employee donations**
- **More than \$4.2 million donated to Illinois post-secondary institutions since 2008**
- **Recipient organizations encouraged to support math and science initiatives**

JOLIET, Ill.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- [ExxonMobil](#) and its employees donated \$1.02 million to higher education institutions across Illinois as part of the ExxonMobil Foundation's 2012 Educational Matching Gift Program.

ExxonMobil Foundation contributed unrestricted grants of \$684,270 to match donations of nearly \$334,750 from employees, retirees, directors and surviving spouses. Over the past five years, ExxonMobil and its employees have given more than \$4.2 million to universities and colleges in Illinois.

The program matches donor pledges 3:1 up to \$7,500 to qualified colleges and universities in the United States along with the American Indian College Fund, Hispanic Scholarship Fund and the United Negro College Fund. Since the Educational Matching Gift Program began in 1962, more than \$500 million has been donated to institutions of higher learning.

"ExxonMobil employees have a history of giving back through both their volunteerism and philanthropy. The corporation and Foundation share that philosophy and are proud to join them in their generous support," said Suzanne McCarron, president of the ExxonMobil Foundation.

Although grants are unrestricted, recipients are encouraged to designate a portion to math and science programs supporting student engagement.

Nationwide, 871 institutions received \$40.2 million through the 2012 Educational Matching Gift Program.

In addition to the Educational Matching Gift Program, ExxonMobil and the ExxonMobil Foundation support and develop programs that encourage students, particularly women and minorities, toward careers in math and science fields, as well as teacher training initiatives.

About the ExxonMobil Foundation

The ExxonMobil Foundation is the primary philanthropic arm of Exxon Mobil Corporation in the United States. The foundation and the corporation engage in a range of philanthropic activities that advance education, health and science in the communities where ExxonMobil has significant operations. In the United States, ExxonMobil supports initiatives to improve

math and science education at the K-12 and higher education levels. In 2012, together with its employees and retirees, Exxon Mobil Corporation (NYSE:XOM), its divisions and affiliates, and the ExxonMobil Foundation provided \$256 million in contributions worldwide, of which \$116 million was dedicated to education. www.exxonmobil.com/community.

List of Illinois Recipients

College/University	City
Augustana College	Rock Island
Blackburn College	Carlinville
Bradley University	Peoria
Concordia University	River Forest
De Paul University	Chicago
Eastern Illinois University	Charleston
Elmhurst College	Elmhurst
Erikson Institute	Chicago
Eureka College	Eureka
Illinois College	Jacksonville
Illinois Institute of Technology	Chicago
Illinois State University	Normal
Illinois Wesleyan University	Bloomington
Knox College	Galesburg
Loyola University of Chicago	Chicago
MacMurray College	Jacksonville
Millikin University	Decatur
Monmouth College	Monmouth
Northern Illinois University	De Kalb
Northwestern University	Evanston
Olivet Nazarene University	Bourbonnais
Rockford College	Rockford
Roosevelt University	Chicago
Southern Illinois University	Carbondale
Southwestern Illinois College	Belleville
Trinity International University	Deerfield
University of Chicago	Chicago
University of Illinois	Urbana
Western Illinois University	Macomb
Wheaton College	Wheaton

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