

UWMRA OPERATIONS & SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

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1. UWMRA Operations Funds. Membership dues and donations to our Program Fund pay for our programs throughout the year, as needed. It also pays for incidental costs to administer the Association adequately. Finally, each fiscal year, excess operations funds are transferred to the Scholarship fund (see below). All dues/donations are tax-exempt and you will receive receipts from the UWM Foundation.

Annual dues are \$5, payable each fall. We do not track payments per se, meaning members should keep track of their dues-paying history. The first year of membership is offered dues-free!

2. UWMRA Scholarship Fund. Each year, we solicit donations to our Scholarship Fund. It is designed to identify Junior level undergrads, support their high levels of achievement and foster timely graduation by reducing debt. At this time, we support two students, for two years, each receiving \$500/semester.

The Executive Committee is currently exploring the development of a long-term, sustainable scholarship program (create an endowed scholarship within the UWM Foundation). This will formally honor the legacy of all retirees from UWM.

Donation is easy. Two methods are available: (1) On-line using your credit card and (2) via US Mail ("snail mail").

ON-LINE DONATIONS – PAYING UWMRA DUES/PROGRAM SUPPORT, ONLY
<https://givetouwm.uwmfdn.org/default.aspx?page=GIVEUserGift&DesignationID=18&AccountNumber=266>

ON-LINE DONATIONS – SUPPORTING UWMRA SCHOLARSHIP, ONLY
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COMBINED DONATIONS - DUES/PROGRAM SUPPORT AND SCHOLARSHIP

When done with one category, stay on same site & click "Add designation." Follow these steps:

1. Click on middle column DESIGNATION link; "drop down" to "University-Wide."
2. Click on right column ADD DESIGNATION; "drop down" to additional UWMRA designation (the one you did not select for first donation).
3. Complete rest of form.

US MAIL/"SNAIL MAIL" OPTION

<https://uwm.edu/give/wp-content/uploads/sites/233/2015/05/Gift-Form.pdf>

In behalf of the UWM Retirees Association, we truly appreciate your support. If you have any questions regarding donations, please contact us. The phone number is: 414-229-3298.