The McKelvey Family

The McKelvey family’s long-standing relationship with the university began over 70 years ago when the late James McKelvey Sr. enrolled in the engineering school to pursue his master’s and doctoral degrees in chemical engineering. In 1937, he joined the faculty and quickly advanced, becoming the seventh dean of the university’s engineering school in 1964. Although he officially retired as dean in 1991, Dean McKelvey continued teaching in the Department of Energy, Environmental & Chemical Engineering through the 2007–08 academic year. He assisted with the engineering school’s efforts for Leading Together: The Campaign for Washington University and served on the campaign’s Planned Giving Committee. Dean McKelvey passed away in 2019.

His son, Jim McKelvey Jr., earned his bachelor’s degrees in economics and computer science from Washington University in 1987. He is one of the university’s most outstanding alumni and a member of the Board of Trustees. Jim co-founded the revolutionary mobile payments company Square Inc. and LaunchCode, a nonprofit organization that helps find and train workers for technology careers. He currently serves as an independent director of the St. Louis Federal Reserve and as CEO of Invisibly, a micropayments company he started in 2016.

Jim is an exceptional benefactor to Washington University. The university recognized him with an Alumni Achievement Award from the engineering school in 2012 and a 2017 Robert S. Brookings Award for his outstanding generosity and dedication. Through a leadership commitment in 2016, Jim made possible a new building, James M. McKelvey, Sr. Hall, which honors his father’s remarkable legacy. In recognition of Jim’s generous support, the school was renamed the James McKelvey School of Engineering in 2019.

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How the Challenge Works
Trustee Jim McKelvey Jr., AB ’87, BS ’87, and his wife, Anna, have made a major commitment to usher in a new era of achievement at the engineering school. As part of their $30 million pledge, the couple has established the McKelvey Engineering Annual Fund Challenge, which gives alumni, parents, and friends the opportunity to help secure a transformative gift for the school by making a contribution to the McKelvey Engineering Annual Fund.

The challenge matches all gifts and pledges of up to five years dollar for dollar, but donors have special match opportunities at the various William Greenleaf Eliot Society levels (see information to the right).

Your generosity helps McKelvey Engineering increase support for scholarships, graduate fellowships, and undergraduate research; ensure that the 30+ engineering student organizations have the resources they need for projects and programming; enhance instructional lab equipment; recruit and retain esteemed professors; and more.

Annual Fund Levels of Recognition

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Join the William Greenleaf Eliot Society
As part of the McKelvey Engineering Annual Fund Challenge, donors can become new Eliot Society members with an initial gift of $500 and a three-year pledge. Gifts must be designated to the McKelvey Engineering Annual Fund.

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Leadership Annual Giving: Double or Triple your Impact
Leadership annual giving begins at $10,000, and the McKelvey Engineering Annual Fund Challenge offers special matching incentives for donors who give at this level.

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Yes! I/We will participate in the McKelvey Engineering Annual Fund Challenge.
Please designate my/our gift to support the McKelvey School of Engineering:
- [ ] Annual Fund
- [ ] Student Project Fund
- [ ] Annual Scholarships
- [ ] Women & Engineering
- I/We have the following preference for scholarship selection:
  - [ ] Need
  - [ ] Merit
  - [ ] Either
- I/We would like to join the Eliot Society with a three-year pledge and annual payments of $500 (year 1), $750 (year 2), and $1,000 (year 3). (Please complete pledge information below.)

This gift will be funded as follows: (See payment options below.)
- [ ] A multi-year pledge* to be paid over ______ years (up to five years) beginning ____________:
  - Year 1 $____ Date ______ Year 2 $____ Date ______
  - Year 3 $____ Date ______
- [ ] A recurring credit card gift as follows until canceled**:
  - $_____ (All of the payments must be the same amount.)
  - Annually  Quarterly  Monthly (Check one.)
- [ ] A one-time gift of $___________.
- [ ] This gift will be matched by ________________________

Outright Gift:

Name(s) __________________________
Address __________________________
City __________________________  State ________ ZIP ________
Telephone (_____)__________________
   Home  Business  Cell
Preferred email ____________________
I/We prefer no Eliot Society Honor Roll listing.

Payment Options
- [ ] Check (Please make checks payable to Washington University.)
- [ ] Credit card
- [ ] I/We intend to recommend this gift via:
  - [ ] a donor-advised fund
  - [ ] a family foundation.
Name of fund or foundation_____________________
- [ ] Other: ___________________________

Credit card information
- [ ] Amex  [ ] Discover  [ ] Mastercard  [ ] Visa
Acct. No. ____________ Exp. Date ______
Name on Card __________________________

Signature ____________________________

*If your gift or pledge will be paid from a donor-advised fund or private foundation, your gift will be an “intention” and not a legally binding pledge.
**You can change or discontinue your recurring gift at any time by contacting University Advancement at 877-215-2727 or annualfund@wustl.edu.