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OF UC SANTA CRUZ

# THE IMPACT OF YOUR PHILANTHROPY

Your contribution to the UC Santa Cruz Endowment is an investment in the future of learning and discovery—igniting a lasting impact on education and research. Your gift generates steady and perpetual support for groundbreaking research, fosters creative avenues, and ensures access to transformative educational experiences at UC Santa Cruz.

Above: Max Chakhmatov (Merrill '23, computer engineering)  
Kiera Ching (College Nine '26, electrical engineering)

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# MAKING A DIFFERENCE

**\$282 million:**

market value of UC Santa Cruz Endowment as reported on June 30, 2023.

## Endowed funds support

Scholarships  
Graduate fellowships  
Faculty chairs  
Research  
Internships and field study opportunities  
Campus life programs  
Laboratory facilities  
Library collections  
and more.



The UC Santa Cruz Endowment assets are managed by the Chief Investment Officer of the University of California Regents. Funds are invested in a balanced and diversified portfolio. More than 595 individual funds support UC Santa Cruz.

**\$11 million** in endowment payouts:

- Amplified student achievement through access to educational resources and services, experiential learning opportunities, and undergraduate scholarships and fellowships
- Supported groundbreaking research and advancements in teaching led by esteemed faculty

The UC Santa Cruz Foundation is a not-for-profit public benefit organization that helps steward private support for the campus, including foundation endowments.

## 12 new endowed funds

are enhancing students' experiences by supporting scholarships, creating diversity in STEM, providing research opportunities, and enabling experiences in practical activism.

## The Hellman Fellows Fund

supports research by early-career faculty. Pilot efforts funded by the endowment often earn these talented faculty their first significant grants.

The UC Santa Cruz Office of Donor Relations can assist you with questions about endowment giving. Email us at [giving@ucsc.edu](mailto:giving@ucsc.edu). Learn more at [giving.ucsc.edu](http://giving.ucsc.edu).

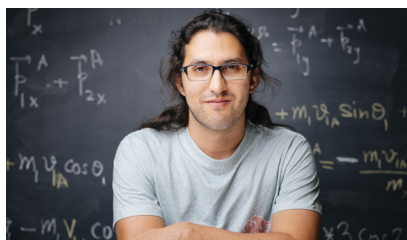
**\$94 million:**

market value of 353 endowed scholarships and fellowships.

## Achievement and reduced debt:

\$3.8 million from endowed scholarships freed students to focus on their studies rather than worry about finances.

The UC Santa Cruz Office of Planned Gifts can provide guidance on supporting endowments through bequests in a will or trust, or other planned gifts. Learn more at [plannedgifts.ucsc.edu](http://plannedgifts.ucsc.edu).



## Supports 45 endowed chairs

for faculty, research, and programs.

## Amplified impact

The William Hyde Irwin and Susan Benteen Irwin Fund was established in 1986 with a \$500,000 pledge from the donors' estate. It has grown to \$2.3 million, and every year creates opportunities for our most talented art students to take on new and challenging projects.