

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS

STUDENT

\$15

Invitations to the annual dinner, the faculty lecture and other Library-related events; the quarterly e-newsletter of the UD Library, Museums and Press; and notification of upcoming events. This level is only available to current University of Delaware students.

FELLOW

\$50-\$149

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PACESETTER

\$150-\$499

Library Borrowing Privileges, which includes up to 10 items at once for a period of 30 days. *This membership level also includes all Fellow benefits.*

CHAMPION

\$500-\$999

Complimentary admission for one to the annual dinner, which includes an autographed book by the speaker, and a commemorative bookplate to acknowledge support. *This membership level also includes all Pacesetter benefits.*

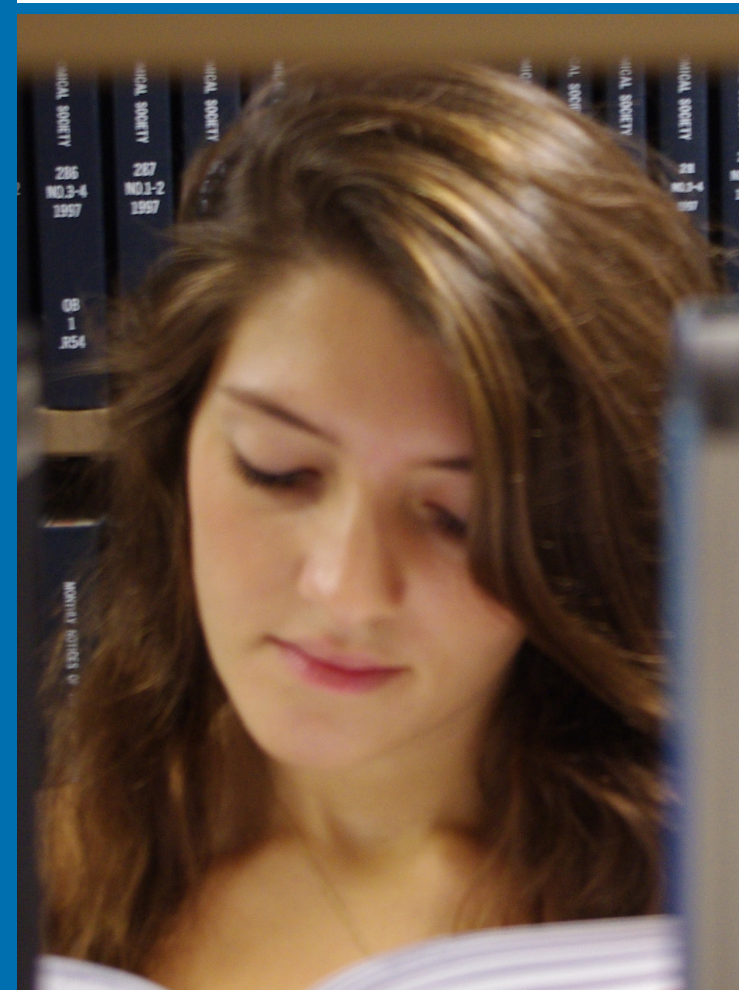
FOUNDER

\$1,000+

Complimentary admission for two to the annual dinner, which includes preferred seating and an autographed book by the speaker; and an invitation to exclusive programs. *This membership level also includes all Champion benefits.*

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**Supporting Morris Library
for more than 60 years**

HISTORY

In 1957, a group met to discuss the revitalization of a small society known as The Friends of the Delaware Library. The following year, a charitable corporation named the University of Delaware Library Associates, Inc. formed. Sixty years later, the board of trustees voted to change the name to Friends of the University of Delaware Library as an homage to its founders and beginning.



ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Each year, the Friends sponsors a faculty lecture to highlight the scholarly work and research of a University faculty member and an annual dinner to celebrate the efforts of the Friends group. Both events are open to the entire Blue Hen community as well as the public at large. Additionally, the Friends sponsors a book-collecting contest and a scholarly publishing contest for students to encourage them to utilize the academic offerings and resources within the Library to enhance their collegiate experiences.

The Friends of the University of Delaware Library supports Morris Library through the acquisition of rare books, manuscripts, paintings and other objects of art and historical significance. Our aims include:

ENHANCING the success of students and researchers by expanding and enriching the selection of rare materials, books and artifacts in Morris Library.

PRESERVING and providing access to an extensive collection of unique materials, including manuscripts, historical maps, broadsides, posters, and trade and seed catalogs.

ENCOURAGING student use of the Library's resources through sponsored contests on book collecting and scholarly publishing.

DEVELOPING a community of advocates at membership events, including an annual dinner and an annual faculty lecture.

BECOMING FRIENDS

The group is always looking to make new friends. To become a member, please contact Tywanda Cuffy at 302-831-1719 or tywanda@udel.edu. Your thoughtful gift will further the richness, strength and depth of the Library's Special Collections.

