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#### What is the CLSUIAA Endowment Fund?

The CLSUIAA Endowment Fund (CEF) is an investment fund established in 2008 to provide scholarships to underprivileged and deserving CLSU students, fund research and educational programs, and promote faculty development at CLSU. The CEF is funded by voluntary donations from CLSU alumni, former staff, faculty, and CLSU friends and supporters.

# The CLSUIAA, Inc. Endowment Fund

With God's help and proper management, the CLSUIAA Endowment Fund will help CLSU become a major, recognized leader in higher education, not only in the Philippines, but in the whole world.

Mabuhay ang CLSU!

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"The educated youth is the hope of the fatherland."

# CLSU INTERNATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

*We help deserving CLSU students succeed.* 



What is the goal of the CLSUIAA Endowment Fund?

The CLSUIAA Endowment Fund aims to raise \$1 million.

Alumni are encouraged to donate an amount equivalent to their year of graduation. For example, alumni who graduated in 2000 would commit to donate \$2,000 throughout their lifetime. If they live 50 years after graduation, they can donate \$40 a year, or they can donate any amount they want each year.

#### *How does the Endowment Fund work?*

The Endowment Fund (EF) is a way for CLSU alumni to make a lasting and meaningful contribution to their alma mater. Donations to the EF will be invested by a committee of alumni, acting as fiduciaries, in a balanced portfolio of fixed income securities and equities. The income from these investments will be used to support CLSU scholarships and educational programs.

The EF is expected to grow in value over time, thanks to the power of compounding. This means that even a small donation can make a big difference in the long run. For example, a donation of \$ 100 today could grow to \$ 432 in 30 years, assuming an annual return of 5%.

The EF is a win-win for everyone involved. Alumni who donate to the EF can feel good knowing that they are helping CLSU students and programs. CLSU students and programs will benefit from the increased funding that the EF provides. And the EF itself will grow in value over time, ensuring that it can continue to support CLSU for many years to come.

"Finding an amazing organization that gives financial assistance is hard, and more so an organization that inspires. Thank you for being one of my anchors in my academic success."

## CLSUIAA Scholar Joel Collado, Magna cum Laude, class of 2023

Here are some specific ways that the EF can be used to support CLSU educational programs:

Provide scholarships to deserving students. Support research and development projects. Improve the quality of teaching and learning. Enhance student life and activities. Expand access to educational opportunities.

Making a lifetime commitment to donate is a great way to show your support for CLSU and its mission and vision. By donating throughout your lifetime, you can help to ensure that the university continues to provide a high-quality education for future generations of students.



### Is this goal practical and doable?

Here's a painless way to donate \$40 each year:

Save a dime every day. At the end of the year, you will have saved \$36.50.

Pitch in another \$3.50 when you attend the yearly CLSUIAA reunion.

That's \$40 donated, and it won't even hurt!

# What is our appeal to all CLSU alumni and friends?

We are appealing to all CLSU alumni and friends to donate generously to the CLSUIAA Endowment Fund. We know that you all have fond memories of your time at CLSU, and we hope that you will consider giving back to the university that helped you succeed.

Your donation will be a gift that will keep on giving forever. It will help provide scholarships to deserving students, support research and educational programs, and improve the quality of education at CLSU. We believe that life is more meaningful if we help others without expecting anything in return. This is the message of the Good Samaritan.

We urge you to reflect on what your CLSU education and experiences mean to you and give what your feelings and heart tell you.

### Thank you for your generosity!