Greetings Alumni and Friends

Time passes by quickly; it’s hard to believe that I have been at Minnesota State Community and Technical College for five years. I am touched to see the impact of M State within our communities and how lives are changed through education.

Recently I had the pleasure of visiting with an alumnus who credits his career to M State and his program instructor. I am pleased to share that this alumnus is now giving back and impacting M State students through his own support for scholarships.

A quote shared with me several years ago seems fitting:

“A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops.” – Henry Adams

Each of us plays an important role celebrating what is right and good in the world. On behalf of the M State Foundation and Alumni and its board of directors, we continue to work to strengthen philanthropic support for our foundation, our college and our community.

I hope you enjoy the monthly online newsletter.

Thank you,

Denise Laymon
Chief Development and Alumni Officer
M State Foundation and Alumni
Culinary Arts Gala

5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 25
M State Café Commons - Moorhead Campus

Proceeds will benefit the Maynard Hemmah Culinary Arts Scholarship

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Stay In Touch

Calling All Alumni!

Did you attend/graduate from any M State campus? We want to hear from you. “Stay in Touch” with us!

Click here to update your information.

Join Us On Social Media!
Holes for Poles
Seventh Annual Baudette Line Worker Scholarship Fundraiser

Saturday, February 10

Fish Fry: 4:30 - 7:30 p.m.
American Legion, Baudette
Tickets are $10 and available at the door

Raffle Drawing - 7:30 p.m.
$10 per raffle ticket, only 1,000 tickets available
Tickets are available at the door or prior to the event at Outdoors Again, the ELW Baudette School or North Star Electric Cooperative, or by contacting M State Foundation and Alumni at mstatefoundation@minnesota.edu.

Top prizes:
First Prize: Two-day guided South Dakota pheasant hunt
Hunting, lodging and meals for one ($1,000 value)
Second Prize: Two-night/two-day fishing package for two on Lake of the Woods ($750 value)
Third Prize: ION 8-inch electric ice auger ($500 value)
Additional prizes available

For more information contact:
Denise Laymon, M State Foundation and Alumni, at 218.846.3720 or mstatefoundation@minnesota.edu

Proceeds support scholarships for Minnesota State Community and Technical College Electrical Line Worker students in Baudette. Co-sponsored by M State Foundation and Alumni, a 501 (c) (3) non-profit and ELW Baudette Advisory Committee.
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Workforce Development Scholarships
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Launching success of students from M State’s partner schools

Barnesville
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Fergus Falls

Frazee-Vergas
Hawley
Lake Park Audubon
Moorhead

New York Mills
Park Rapids
Pelican Rapids
Perham

Sebeka
Underwood
Vendale
Wadena-Deer Creek
Minnesota State Community and Technical College

Workforce Development Scholarships

The Minnesota Legislature recently created the Workforce Development Scholarship Program offering $2,500 scholarships to motivate students to enter high-growth, high-demand careers in the areas of advanced manufacturing, agriculture, health care and information technology. Minnesota State Community and Technical College will offer these scholarships to area high school students. We believe these targeted scholarships will encourage our local talent to remain in our communities and answer the demand for highly skilled workers.

M State Foundation and Alumni and Fergus Area College Foundation are asking for your support to match the $2,500 scholarships the Legislature provided, so that we might offer additional scholarships to regional high school graduates.

At least one $2,500 scholarship will be awarded to graduates from each of M State’s High School Partners:

- Barnesville
- Detroit Lakes
- Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton
- Fergus Falls
- Frazee-Vergas
- Hawley
- Lake Park Audubon
- Moorhead
- New York Mills
- Park Rapids
- Pelican Rapids
- Perham
- Sebeka
- Underwood
- Verndale
- Wadena-Deer Creek

Please help high school seniors in our region start on their career path by matching these scholarships.

To contribute to the Workforce Development Scholarship fund, please contact:
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$2,500 Scholarships
Minnesota State Community and Technical College
Apply now at minnesota.edu/workforcescholarship

Thanks to Minnesota State’s Workforce Development Scholarship program and local donors, you could be eligible for a $2,500 scholarship from Minnesota State Community and Technical College. Don’t delay. Availability is limited.

With M State’s full-year tuition and fees starting at $5,361, the scholarship would cover nearly half of your tuition! Scholarships are available for students entering the high-growth, high-demand career fields of Advanced Manufacturing, Agriculture, Health Care and Information Technology.

Students graduating from any of M State’s 16 High School Partners are eligible:
- Barnesville
- Detroit Lakes
- Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton
- Fergus Falls
- Frazee-Vergas
- Hawley
- Lake Park Audubon
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Apply online at minnesota.edu/workforcescholarship beginning Dec. 15, 2017.

Students applying to the following programs are eligible for M State’s $2,500 Workforce Development Scholarship.

- **Advanced Manufacturing:**
  - Architectural Drafting and Design
  - Automotive Service Technology
  - Civil Engineering Technology
  - Commercial Refrigeration
  - Construction Management
  - Diesel Equipment Technology
  - Drafting and 3D Technologies
  - Electrical Line Worker Technology
  - Electrical Technology
  - Engineering AS
  - Gas Utility Construction and Service
  - Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration
  - Plumbing Technology
  - PowerSports Technology
  - Survey Technician

- **Agriculture:**
  - Biology
  - Culinary Arts
  - Environmental Science
  - Equine Science

- **Health Care Services:**
  - Biological Science
  - Cardiovascular Technology – Invasive
  - Dental
  - Health Information Technology/Coding
  - Medical Administrative Assistant
  - Medical Assistant
  - Medical Coding and Insurance
  - Medical Laboratory Technology
  - Medical Office Assistant
  - Medical Receptionist
  - Mental Health Behavioral Aide II
  - Nursing
  - Pharmacy Technology
  - Phlebotomy Technician
  - Radiologic Technology
  - Surgical Technology

- **Information Technology:**
  - Cisco Networking
  - Computer Programming
  - Information Technology
  - Network Administration and Security
  - Network Security
  - Web Design

Students must complete their M State application and the FAFSA by Feb. 14, 2018. Scholarship applications are due February 28, 2018.

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M State Foundation and Alumni and Minnesota State Community and Technical College Invite You to

Join Our 50th Anniversary Celebration!
Friday, March 9
Elks Lodge • Wadena, Minn.

5 pm: Social hour
6 pm: Dinner and entertainment

Preregistration is required. Register now to reserve your seat! Purchase tickets online at www.minnesota.edu/electtech50, or complete and mail the form on the back of this flyer.

Dinner and drink tickets are $25 if purchased by March 1 or $30 after March 1. Come and enjoy an evening of socializing and memories with graduates of the Electrical Technology program (formerly known as Construction Electrician) at M State, Northwest Technical College and Wadena Area Vocational Technical Institute.

Door prizes will be awarded!

M State Foundation and Alumni

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M State Foundation and Alumni is a 501 (c) 3 charitable organization that raises financial resources on behalf of M State.
Alumni and Friends - use one form per person/couple

Name _______________________________________________________________________________

Spouse/Guest Name _______________________________________________________________________

Grad Year ___________________________ Maiden name (if applicable) _____________________________

Email _____________________________________________ Phone ____________________________

Address _______________________________________________________________________________

City ___________________________________________ State ________________ Zip __________________

Admission Tickets

Number of Dinner/Drink Tickets - $25 Each _______________ Total Purchase $___________________

☐ Credit Card  ☐ Check (make checks payable to M State Foundation and Alumni)

☐ Visa  ☐ MasterCard

Credit Card No. _________________________________________ CVV Code _______________________

Signature _______________________________________________________________________________

Sponsorship Opportunities

☐ Platinum Sponsorship - $1,000 includes 8 dinner/drink tickets, ads on social media and in event program

☐ Gold Sponsorship - $500 includes 4 dinner/drink tickets and ad in event program

☐ Silver Sponsorship - $300 includes 2 dinner/drink tickets and ad in event program

Please complete this form and return to: M State Foundation and Alumni

Attn: Electrical Technology 50th

405 Colfax Ave SW

Wadena, MN 56482

If you have questions, please call 218.631.7819 or email mstatefoundation@minnesota.edu.