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The nation's first school of philanthropy, the Indiana University Lilly Family School of Philanthropy is an internationally recognized leader at the forefront of philanthropy education, research, and training.

The school is dedicated to improving philanthropy—*voluntary action for the public good*—by training and empowering students and professionals to be innovators and leaders who create positive and lasting change in the world.

We are pleased to introduce and congratulate the first graduates of the Lilly Family School of Philanthropy. You'll meet many of these exceptional people, who are the next generation of philanthropy professionals, scholars and philanthropists, in these pages and we invite you to learn about more of them at:

<http://www.philanthropy.iupui.edu/grads>



JANE CHU

I continue to serve as the President and CEO for the Kauffman Center for the Performing Arts, a \$368 million performing arts center in Kansas City, Missouri. Since its opening in Fall 2011, the Kauffman Center has presented 330 performances each year, with a two-year attendance of more than 750,000 people, and serving as the performance home for the Kansas City Ballet, Kansas City Symphony, Lyric Opera of Kansas City, and presenters that feature local, national and international artists, from Broadway to contemporary, children's musical theatre, and Grammy-award youth composition programs.

SARAH NATHAN

I will defend my dissertation in June and then begin a faculty position as Assistant Professor of Philanthropy and Nonprofit Management at Bay Path College in Longmeadow, MA in August. I will be teaching a number of graduate-level courses related to philanthropy and fundraising and introduce philanthropy courses into the undergraduate curriculum.



TAMAKI ONISHI

After finishing up my doctoral dissertation, I plan to publish select articles from my work. I will also continue to teach nonprofit management courses at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro Campus in the department of Political Science. After teaching there as a visiting position, I am now a full-time member of the department.

JANICE O'ROURKE

Upon completion of my dissertation entitled "The Effect of Message Framing on Human Milk Donation," I will continue in my role as Executive Director of the Indiana Mothers' Milk Bank in Indianapolis. I have a long history of advocacy for infant and child nutrition and health care. I see the milk bank as the perfect blending of my education and experience including my interest in infant nutrition, my love for public health, and my knowledge of nonprofit organizations. I see the potential to create better health outcomes for infants and children as I work to help the IMMB reach its greatest potential through growth and expansion and progress towards a time when all babies that need it will have access to the gift of mother's milk.



Ph.D. in Philanthropic Studies



MELISSA ADELMAN

Based in New York, I plan to take the next step in my career by pursuing work with various nonprofit organizations and foundations who need assistance to become more efficient and effective in their work and with their finances.

CALLISTA DUGGINS

I will be finishing my internship with the Summer Youth Program Fund, a grant making collaborative of 11 local funders. After completing this internship, I plan to continue working in the nonprofit sector in a city such as Chicago or Washington D.C.



JONATHAN FREIJE

After taking two more courses over the summer, I will have completed both a Master's of Philanthropic Studies and a Master's of Public Affairs with a concentration in Nonprofit Management. My goal is to work for a faith-based organization committed to international economic development. My faith is a central part of my philanthropic vision, and I look forward to working for an organization that shares that belief. I am confident that the valuable education I have received as a part of the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy will make me an immediate asset to a future employer.

EMILY HALL

I will continue my work as a nonprofit marketing and communications consultant in Chicago. I am also enrolled in the Integrated Marketing Certificate program at the University of Chicago and hope to finish that later this year. I am also an active volunteer with the DuSable Museum, Hyde Park Cats, and ChiFems Action Network.



SARAH HAMANG

I am currently working in philanthropy at The Nature Conservancy. I began working at The Nature Conservancy in April 2013 in anticipation of the completion of my Master's in Philanthropic Studies in May 2013. I am living in Washington, D.C. and working for The Nature Conservancy's Mid-Atlantic region, which includes the organization's Virginia, D.C./Maryland, and West Virginia chapters. I am excited to continue my professional career in one of the world's biggest hubs for philanthropy and nonprofit organizations.

JEANNE PRICE

I plan to continue living in Indianapolis and working at the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (LLS). LLS provides funds to lifesaving blood cancer research internationally and is the biggest voluntary health agency dedicated to blood cancers in the world today.



EMILY SNAPP

I will continue to serve the nonprofit sector in Indianapolis. I desire to use my fundraising skills to serve Christian faith-based and K-12 education missions.

ADRIENE TYNES

I have relocated to West Palm Beach, Florida with my fiancée. I am currently living and volunteering at FAU/Pine Jog Environmental Education Center while looking for a full-time position in human services and/or environmental protection.



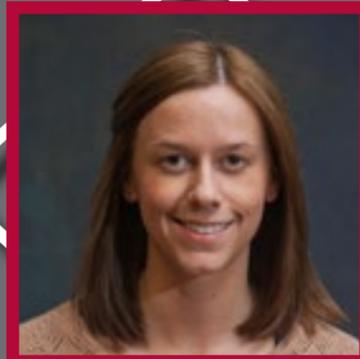


STEFANIE CRYSTAL

I hope to use the expertise and skills I gained with my degree to have a more active role in helping to shape the many policies, practices, & strategies central to the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation's work in the community. Throughout my career, I plan to be actively involved with the philanthropic sector, including the practice and evolution of foundation grant making, donor cultivation & the relationship building process in both nonprofit organizations and foundations, and in institutions that support the processes of increased improvement, effectiveness, and impact in foundations and in the nonprofit sector overall.

ERIN HEDGES

With my degree, I will be able to engage more deeply in cross-sector approaches for social change. I will accomplish this primarily through Hedges & Associates, an impact-centered grants consulting practice that helps non-profit organizations plan, secure, make, measure, and communicate their impact. Beyond that, I plan to leverage nearly 20 years of experience in the nonprofit sector, my interest in philanthropic advising, and my attainment of a Chartered Advisor in Philanthropy CAP® designation to help donors and foundations create and implement high-impact, donor-centered giving plans that will strengthen the fabric and vitality of Indianapolis and beyond.



MOLLIE HICKS

I currently work for Young Survival Coalition (YSC), the premier global organization dedicated to the critical issues unique to young women who are diagnosed with breast cancer. YSC offers resources, connections and outreach so women feel supported, empowered and hopeful. I hope to one day go back for my Ph.D. through the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy.

LESLIE KIDWELL

I look forward to continuing my employment with Indiana University and gaining free time back to spend with my children (ages 7 and 4) and husband. I began the program while employed at the IU Kelley School of Business Indianapolis as the Associate Director of Development and moved over to the IU School of Liberal Arts as their new Major Gifts Associate within my first semester of the program. I hope to continue advancing within the Office of Development and External Affairs at the IU School of Liberal Arts, as well as begin teaching as an adjunct faculty member within higher education.



KIMBERLY KISER

My education at the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy has not only given me a solid foundation of knowledge and understanding of the philanthropic sector, but also an opportunity to develop strong research and writing skills. I am passionate about hunger relief and alleviation of international poverty, and I am looking for a career where I can use my skills for grant-proposal writing, qualitative or quantitative research, or program evaluation.

REBEKAH MARR

I will continue working as a nonprofit consultant in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Through my consulting work, I will help nonprofits and private foundations increase their missional impact through assessing program effectiveness, expanding organizational capacity, developing high quality grant requests, and directing special projects. In the future, I hope to work as a program officer for a private foundation in the area of social innovation, community building, or public education.



IZERA McAFEE-DAY

I intend to pursue a management position in a national or international organization. My primary fields of interest include small business development, education, faith-based programs and women's empowerment. I also have aspirations to create a nonprofit again, preferably in Indianapolis. As a member of the Nu Lambda Mu Honor Society, I intend to actively participate in advancing the study and understanding of nonprofit organizations, philanthropy and their integral roles.

JENNIFER McCOLLUM

I knew that earning a Master's in Philanthropic Studies would open doors and offer a smoother transition from fundraising with direct service-providing organizations into foundation work, and I consider myself extremely fortunate to have obtained a position with the Community Foundation for Northern Virginia midway through my graduate studies. I credit my pursuit of higher education and experience at Indiana University with helping me to achieve this longstanding goal. Within the next year, I will take one remaining course to receive my Certificate in Nonprofit Management, which will only further boost my marketability, experience, and knowledge of the nonprofit sector and prepare me for a leadership role within a larger foundation.





IVY McCONNELL

I aspire to leverage and apply operational leadership skills, management, and nonprofit experience to benefit the growth and development of a dynamic nonprofit organization through fundraising, resource development, volunteer management and event planning; while using my Master's of Philanthropic Studies to develop and sustain nonprofits organizations focusing on community development and women empowerment throughout The Gambia, Africa as a Goodwill Ambassador.

JENNIFER McEWEN

I will continue my work in the nonprofit sector as Vice President of Wellspring Living, where I have served for eight years. In the future, I would like to continue pursuing my passion for justice and restoration for survivors of human trafficking trauma. It is my desire that my course work at Indiana University will enhance my work and serve the important mission of Wellspring Living well. I am grateful for my time in the Philanthropic Studies program and plan on being a life-long learner in regards to the nonprofit sector through continued education and new experiences within the independent sector.



MELANIE ODOM

I will pursue additional academic work connecting with scholars in the field to further develop my knowledge in social policy and the nonprofit sector. I have a particular interest in research, and in the future I hope to work with an organization specializing organizational restructuring.

ENICA RUSSELL

I began my career more than fifteen years ago, and I have held progressively challenging roles in the financial services sector for organizations such as Salomon Smith Barney, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and the National Credit Union Administration. However, my entrepreneurial spirit and desire to see more impactful investing prompted me to chart a new course for my career. After graduation, I plan to use philanthropy as an economic development tool and pursue local opportunities as a City Manager or Community and Economic Development Director.



TONY BOWEN

I have worked in the nonprofit sector for more than five years in grants administration, fundraising, research, communications and program management. After graduating I joined the Annie E. Casey Foundation as a grants analyst on the grants management team in 2011 and was promoted in 2013 to Manager of Administration & Philanthropic Partnerships for the Campaign for Grade-Level Reading.

Master of Arts in Philanthropic Studies



CAITLIN CALLAHAN

I plan to continue my work as a Development Officer of Special Gifts at Indiana University Foundation, where I have worked for the past year. In my current role, I communicate directly with some of IU's most loyal supporters in an effort to further engage them with University initiatives, while connecting them with giving opportunities that are both meaningful and impactful. I am grateful for my experiences at the Lilly Family School of Philanthropy; they have enhanced my ability to excel as a proud fundraiser for IU, and as a future nonprofit professional.

YUAN CHENG

I plan to earn a joint Ph.D. in Public Policy through the School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University Bloomington, in fall 2013.



MEGAN DOOMS

I will continue to work for the ExactTarget Foundation in downtown Indianapolis. I serve as Program Coordinator, managing the Foundation's donated software program and assisting in the overall coordination of other program initiatives. I also plan to stay actively involved with the nonprofit community through service and volunteering with several local organizations.

LINDSAY GROVE

I completed an internship in Institutional Advancement with the Music Academy of the West in Santa Barbara, CA. It was an incredible experience that brought me to paradise on the beach. I graduated in December 2012 and have found employment with the American Red Cross serving Santa Barbara county as their Development and Major Gift Officer. I am grateful for the opportunity to put my degree so fully into action and welcome the opportunity to connect with any fellow West Coast alumni.



SARAH MATLOCK

After graduating in December 2012, I enjoyed a brief sabbatical in South Carolina on the coast working as a Marketing and Special Coordinator for the Boys and Girls Club of the Grand Strand. I plan to continue working with education and youth-oriented organizations that foster learning and provide mentoring and support for students of all ages. My main interests lie in social media, online marketing, and event planning for mission-oriented organizations.

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KARI McCANN

I will be returning to my home state of Iowa to join The Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque as the first Director of Philanthropic and Nonprofit Partnerships. In this role, I will work directly with the foundation's 135 nonprofit partners, facilitate trainings and workshops, and provide support for the Women's Giving Circle, youth philanthropy initiative and various affinity groups. I look forward to joining the community foundation and working closely with nonprofit professionals, donors and talented practitioners.

CAROLYN O'NEIL

I will be assuming the position of Administrator for the Neuroscience Clinical Research Services at Indiana University School of Medicine. During my course of studies, I became passionate about the preservation of the United States National Parks and hope to contribute my services to this area in a volunteer capacity.



TRAVIS SMITH

I plan to continue working for the Lambda Chi Alpha Educational Foundation as the Associate Director of Alumni Relations & Development and continue developing a curriculum for the organization that comes from the work done in my Master's program. As I continue to grow in the field, it is my hope either to pursue a Ph.D. in Philanthropic Studies, or move into Higher Education Administration.



GEORGE SUTTLES

As a native New Yorker I am excited to go back home (New York City) after graduation. I am currently interviewing with several organizations and hope to secure a full time position in the coming months. In the future, I hope to work at a major philanthropy or consulting firm.



XIAOYUN WANG

I will continue my education through the Ph.D. program in Philanthropic Studies at IUPUI. I have received a graduate assistantship and may continue to work at the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy. In the future, I plan to be a scholar and researcher.



RILEY FORE

I will continue to work for the Hawthorne Social Service Agency in Indianapolis, and I wish to continue working alongside individuals interested in education and community development. I will be looking into the Peace Corps, as well as continuing my education through a master's program in international relations.

ANDREA GRONER

I will be furthering my education by entering the Master's program in Philanthropic Studies and continuing to work at the IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy as a graduate assistant. I will be helping to recruit new students, assist with student services and share the school's mission and degree programs with the community. In the future, I hope to work in a management position at an international aid organization providing basic needs to third world countries and eventually have aspirations to start my own nonprofit based in social entrepreneurship on the west coast.



WON LEE KIM

I will be looking for an internship in the childcare field such as in elementary education and daycare. As an international student, I want to gain more experience in this field. In the future, I plan to go back to South Korea, and I hope to teach children about philanthropy and enable them to help others in their community.



TIMOTHY MORGAN

I will continue to work for Healthy Smiles for Employability through August 2013. Then I'd like to travel and write. Ideally, I will go to South America. I'd like to study philanthropy among cultures that truly fascinate me, and if I'm in South America during the summer of 2014, you will probably find me at the World Cup tournament in Brazil.



AMBER SMITH

I will be starting at Project Lead The Way on the north side of Indianapolis as their Director of Grant Development.



**The following students are also 2013-2013 graduates.
We invite you to learn more about them on our website.**

**Dual Master of Arts in Philanthropic Studies
& Master of Public Affairs with a Concentration
in Nonprofit Management**

Janelle Miller

Master of Arts in Philanthropic Studies

Edith Carpenter
Juanita Galvis
Ming Hu
Rachel Kizielewicz
Daniel Pennington
Dorothy Reed
Sarah Weishaar
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