

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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Daemen University Faculty and Staff

Dear Colleagues,

I hope the new academic year has begun smoothly for you and that you are ready for another exciting semester.

I am delighted to report that Daemen has just received a coveted (and very competitive) 2.2 million dollar Title III grant from the federal government. Title III grants help institutions "expand their capacity to serve low-income students by providing funds to improve and strengthen the academic quality, institutional management, and fiscal stability of eligible institutions."

This is a major accomplishment for the university. I want to recognize the hard work of Robin King, Irene Moyer, Kristen Luppino-Gholston, Leah Walsh, and Sabrina Fennell, who all played major roles in this project. Their unyielding persistence, commitment, and dedication is the main reason that this effort has been such a success. We are all proud of their dedication to Daemen.

I want to thank Provost Mike Brogan for his vision and leadership in seeing this effort to fruition. His optimism that we would eventually succeed was infectious.

I look forward to seeing you over the next few days at the various Founders Celebration events.

Cordially.

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