

Chancellor's Report on Philanthropy

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The Fairbanks Daily News-Miner offered internships to four UAF students, who also benefited from generous new scholarships sponsored by the News-Miner. The students are (clockwise from top left) Ashley Briggs (news reporting), Matt Simpson (online reporting), Kortnie Westfall (sports), and Ashley Anklowitz (photography).

Highlights

Northrim Bank, the newest corporate partner of the UA Museum of the North, joins BP, *Fairbanks Daily News-Miner*, Flint Hills Resources, Holland America Line, Totem Ocean Trail Express and Wells Fargo. Northrim made a recent \$15,000 gift to the museum, in addition to an earlier \$30,000 gift to the School of Management general fund.

Rural Alaska Honors Institute recently received several generous renewal gifts, including \$50,000 from **Wells Fargo** and \$50,000 from **Alyeska**. RAHI, a vital bridging program for Alaska Natives going to college, starts its 26th summer with almost 70 students. In addition, **Boeing** generously renewed two gifts to RAHI and the Alaska Native Science and Engineering Program with \$10,000 total support. Other RAHI support comes from **Rasmuson Foundation**, which made a \$15,000 gift directed by board member Nadine Winters.

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A WORLD of THANKS!

The Annual Scholarship Breakfast is a success! With \$800,000 given via 464 awards and scholarships to students during the past academic year, UAF is proud to celebrate scholarships. More than 225 students, donors, UAF faculty and staff attended April 14, to hear guest speakers share their perspectives on scholarships in their lives.

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