Dow Matching Gift Program



INSTRUCTIONS: The Donor must complete all of Section A. Once Section A is complete the Donor must mail the form to the recipient academic institution which will then complete Section B and mail to The Dow Chemical Matching Gift Program.

SECTION A: DONOR SECTION Donor Information:	SECTION B: RECIPIENT SECTION Recipient Information:	
Dow Employee/Retiree Number	Name of Institution	
Dow Division/Work Location (If Retired, List Previous)	Street Address	
Full Name	City, State, Zip	
Home Address	Phone Number	Email Address
City, State, Zip	Donor Name (Please Verify Information from Section A)	
Phone Number Email Address	\$ Amount of Gift	Date Received
Recipient Institution (If TV/Radio Station, Please List Affiliated College)	Bank Name	Account Number
Brief Description of Gifts Specific Use	Bank Number	Swift Code (Foreign Banks)
Contribution Information:	Financial Officer Nam	e (Please Print)
\$ Amount of Gift (Min. \$250) Form of Gift: Cash Check Credit Card Securities/Shares Number of Shares:	We certify that the contribution detailed in Section A of this form has been received and will only be used to support the primary educational objectives of our institution. We agree that this contribution abides by The Dow Chemical Company Foundation's Non-Discrimination Statement and the Program Guidelines of the Dow Matching Gift Program.	
I certify that all the information submitted is correct and that my contribution complies with the guidelines of The Dow Chemical Foundation Matching Gift Program.	Signature of Financial Officer	
	Mail signed and completed forms and additional enclosures to:	
	The Matching Gift Office The Dow Chemical Company Foundation	
Signature Date	2030 Dow Center Midland, MI 48674	

Please see the reverse side of this form for detailed Program Guidelines and Eligibility Requirements of The Dow Chemical Company Foundation's Matching Gift Program. Additional copies of this form are available at: <u>http://www.dow.com/friends/contact/forms.htm</u>

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The Dow Chemical Company Foundation Matching Gift Program is an academic-based philanthropy program designed to match the personal financial contributions of North American employees, retirees and board members to eligible institutions of higher education. Requests will be reviewed, approved and processed on a monthly basis.

Eligible Participants

- Full-time U.S. employees of The Dow Chemical Company or its wholly owned subsidiaries
- Retirees of The Dow Chemical Company or its wholly owned subsidiaries. Retirees of acquisition mergers must have retired after the official date of their acquisition by Dow
- Board members of The Dow Chemical Company

Eligible U.S. Institutions

- Institutions accredited by 1 of the 6 nationally recognized regional accrediting commissions approved by the U.S. Department of Education. Accreditation status for any university can be found at: <u>http://ope.ed.gov/accreditation/Search.aspx</u>
- Approved two-year colleges in plant communities serving Dow employees
- Public television and radio stations directly associated with an approved institution of higher education
- The United Negro College Fund, American Indian College Fund, Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities, and PFLAG
- Non-profit U.S. associations for eligible foreign education institutions

Gift/Match Amounts

- The minimum contribution to any institution is \$250
- Dow will match approved requests 1:1
- Donors may only annually match \$5,000 to a single educational institution
- The annual matched contribution maximum is \$10,000 per donor
- Dow's match to any individual institution will be annually capped at \$100,000
- Only gifts that support the primary educational objectives of these institutions will be matched

Ineligible Gifts

- Contributions made by a spouse or made jointly by several individuals
- Cumulative monthly gifts combined into a single match request. Each contribution must meet the \$250 contribution minimum
- Gifts to elementary and secondary schools
- Non-cash contributions (other than securities) such as personal property, works of art and donated labor
- Gifts matched by other Dow companies or subsidiaries will not be matched
- Gifts intended to fulfill a person's pledges, tithes, or other church-related financial commitments
- Gifts for non-scholastic programs, such as athletics or stadium construction and scholarship funds for athletics
- Payments that cover tuition, books, student fees, subscriptions, insurance premiums, tickets or other considerations
- Gifts that designate specific individuals/recipients of scholarships or financial aid
- Dues payable to national or local alumni groups

Contributions

Your contribution must be a personal gift and it must be directly paid, not merely pledged, to an approved institution in cash or securities. The basis for matching securities is the value at time of transfer. If you have indicated a specific department or purpose for your contribution, the matching gift will be designated for that same use.

Administrative Conditions

The Dow Chemical Company Foundation reserves the right to suspend, change, or terminate this program at any time. The interpretation, application and administration will be determined solely by The Dow Chemical Company Foundation, whose decision will be final. Dow will only process matching gift program requests within twelve months from the original contribution date. It is also assumed that the academic institution will acknowledge receipt of The Dow Chemical Company Foundation's check to the donor.

Non-Discrimination Statement

By accepting funding from The Dow Chemical Company Foundation, or any of its affiliates, all grant recipients agree that no person will be excluded from agency services, employment or volunteer participation on the basis of gender, race, HIV/AIDS status, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, age, ethnic origin or other inherent personal characteristic protected by law.