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*Catholic College Preparatory School for Girls*

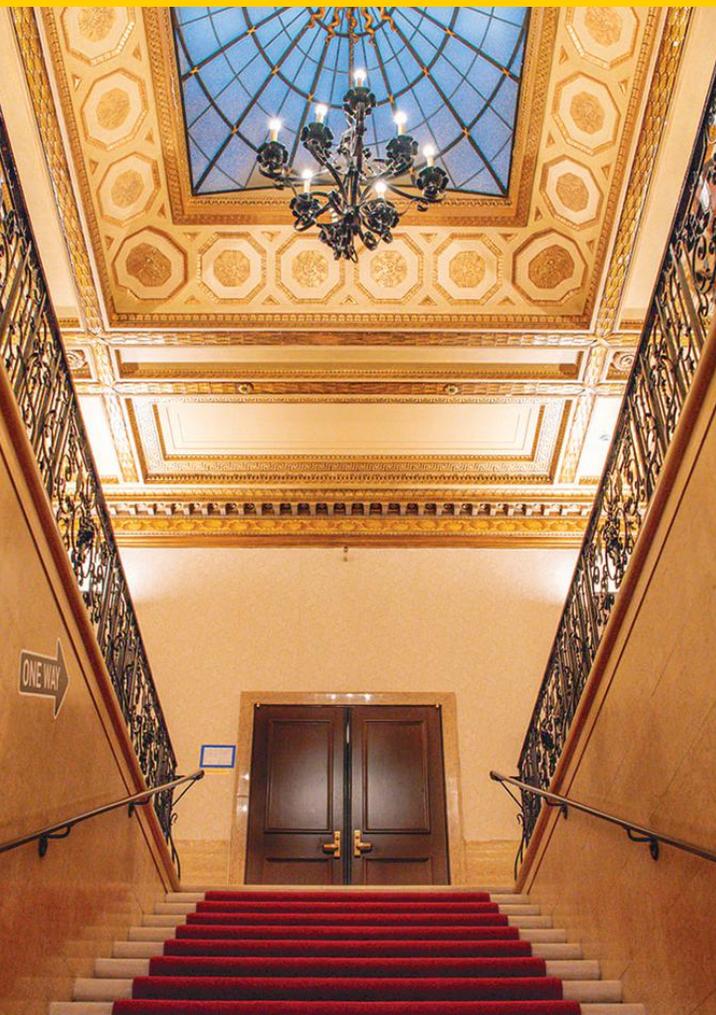
# O U R P L E D G E

In the Dominican tradition, we pledge to search for truth through study, work to create a caring community, reach out to others by preaching and just actions, and enfold our lives in prayer.

# W H O W E A R E

Dominican Academy, a Catholic secondary school for young women, is dedicated to academic excellence and community building through study, prayer, and action. In the tradition of St. Dominic, our intellectual and spiritual program guides and challenges students to seek truth and justice in their world and to make meaningful contributions to society.

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“ Your support enables Dominican Academy to continue as one of the top schools in New York City. ”



## Letter From the

# P R E S I D E N T

### DEAR PARENTS, ALUMNAE AND FRIENDS,

It is my pleasure to share our annual report as we approach the close of the 125th Anniversary celebration of Dominican Academy.

Our anniversary year has been one of commemoration of D.A.'s many milestones, contemplation upon our Dominican charism, and reflection on our four pillars.

We have faced a great deal this past year as we continue to navigate and live with COVID-19. We have weathered many twists, turns and pivots with resilience, understanding, good humor and grace. I am proud to share that all members of our community are vaccinated, and we have begun to reinstate many of our school activities and programs that were put on hold during the pandemic.

During this holy season of Advent, I feel extremely blessed to have had the opportunity to serve as president of Dominican Academy now for six months. The warm and hospitable greetings I continue to receive from each member of our community recall Jesus' words from Matthew's Gospel: *When I was a stranger you welcomed me*. Hospitality is a response to the human desire to be in relationship and belong to a community. It is intrinsic to who we are and who we are called to be as God's people. As I continue to engage with our alumnae and friends, our students and their families, hospitality resounds and reverberates. Each D.A. story and connection that I hear reflects an appreciation of being welcomed and cared for. Every person has expressed in different ways, that ultimately the D.A. community is one that

recognizes, accepts, and celebrates everyone who enters our building as people who are formed and shaped into being, and loved as a reflection of the Divine.

All that is achieved here on East 68th Street is because of the abundant generosity of every one of you, our benefactors, who are always so gracious, and respond to our needs selflessly and wholeheartedly, many times without even being asked. The sharing of your gifts, treasure, and talent, reflects what it truly means to be in relationship as a hospitable community. Your support enables Dominican Academy to continue as one of the top schools in New York City.

I wish each of you and your families the many blessings and joys of this Advent season and all the love that comes with the birth of our Savior. May the coming year be filled with good health, happiness, and enduring peace. You will all be remembered with great gratitude in my prayers this Christmas and throughout the new year.

Peace and all good,

*Alexandria M. Egler, Ph.D.*

Alexandria M. Egler, Ph.D., P'10  
President

# FINANCIAL

TOTAL  
\$1,646,794

## MONIES RAISED



- Annual Fund for Excellence: \$244,681
- Annual Gala: \$276,674
- 125th Anniversary Endowment: \$543,640
- 125th Anniversary Fund (non-endowed): \$68,519
- Capital Campaign: \$528,465
- Endowed Scholarships: \$155,939
- President's Fund: \$39,742
- Scholarships: \$183,745
- Arts: \$5,000
- Other/Non-scholarship: \$50,000

## Leadership

### PARENTS' ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

- Meghan Joye, P'24**  
President
- Zack Miller-Murphy, P'25**  
Vice President
- Pamela Tom, P'23**  
Treasurer
- Isabel Guerrero, P'26**  
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- Anastasia Schmidt, P'25**  
Communications Secretary
- Laura Brennan, P'22, '26**  
Liaison to Admissions
- Rachel Gelis, P'24**  
Liaison to Development
- Karen Schumacher, P'24**  
Parent Ambassador  
Coordinator

### ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE BOARD

- Co-Presidents  
**Nicole DeFilippi, '10**  
**Roseanne LoBue Morrison, '70**
- Communications/Class Rep Coordinators  
**Katie Hennessy, '08**  
**Madeleine Metzler-Sousa, '07**  
**Allison Scacalossi, '13**  
**Aleksandra Swiech, '13**

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- Kristin Shea, '82, P'19,**  
*Board Chair*
- Virginia Connor, '77**  
*Board Vice Chair*
- Mark Butler**
- Alison Andrews-Weber, '97**
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- Noreen Doyle, '67**
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- Mary Ann O'Toole Long, '82**
- Russell P. Quiñones**
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- Krystina L. Woods, M.D.**

# R E V I E W

## REVENUE

	2021-2022*	2020- 2021
Tuition & Fees	\$4,791,435	\$ 4,791,836
Development & Fundraising		
Annual Fund, Scholarship Fund & Other Donor Giving	2,695,626	712,027
Interest & Dividend		141,223
NY State Funding		234,996
PPP Loan Forgiveness	672,981	
Auxiliary Services	10,605	4,590
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$8,320,353</b>	<b>\$ 5,884,672</b>

## EXPENSES

	2021-2022*	2020- 2021
Instruction & Student Activities	\$3,651,880	\$3,408,792
Administration & General	1,564,383	1,336,776
Development Office	463,323	321,309
Food Services	167,138	107,148
<b>Total Operation Expenses</b>		
Scholarships & Aid	1,205,855	1,272,028
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 7,052,579</b>	<b>\$6,446,053</b>

## ENDOWMENT & OTHER MANAGED INVESTMENTS

	2021-2022*	2020- 2021
Amount Invested at the Beginning of the Year	17,826,160	\$13,400,120
New Interest and Dividends Earned	292,019	141,223
Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss)	(2,467,564)	4,098,680
Donations of Stock	290,089	334,455
Other Transfers	(837,244)	(148,318)
<b>Closing Balance at the End of the Year</b>	<b>\$ 15,103,460</b>	<b>\$ 17,826,160</b>
Students	248	239
Tuition*	19,100	\$18,800

\*\*Figures for the 2021-2022 fiscal year had not been audited as of the date of this publication.

“ A heartfelt  
thanks for your generous,  
continued support. ”

# Alumnae & Friends G I V I N G

## LEADERSHIP SOCIETY

\$50,000+

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Noreen Doyle, '67  
The Grove Creek Fund  
Kathleen Krank Mooney, '64 &  
Philip F. Mooney  
Robert & Suzanne Robotti  
William Rue & Joan Morrow Rue, '65  
Jay & Mary Sullivan, P'13

## LADY WELLESLEY SOCIETY

\$25,000 – \$49,999

Anonymous  
Dominican Sisters of Peace, Inc.  
Dorothy C. Filoramo, '58  
Carl I. Icahn Foundation  
Kathleen Walsh Murnion, '61

## VERITAS SOCIETY

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Koch Foundation  
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The Michael Gordon Foundation, Inc.  
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Howard Gilman Foundation  
Armand Pastine & Sadhvee  
Hansraj-Pastine, '86  
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& James Robertson  
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& James Weldon

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## *The Executive Director of Development*

### DEAR FRIENDS OF DOMINICAN ACADEMY,

#### **What an amazing 125th Anniversary at Dominican Academy!**

I am excited and honored to join D.A. as the new Executive Director of Development during this milestone year of celebration. Also, I am very grateful for Dr. Alexandria M. Egler, P'10, Dorothy C. Filoramo '58, Kathy Murnion '61, Br. Jim Simon C.O., Melissa Wieler '86 P'26, the faculty, and staff for their assistance in transitioning into this position. Following in Br. Jim's footsteps will not be easy, but together with your partnership, input, prayers, and support, we can ensure that the Dominican Academy community has a bright future ahead. My goal is to preserve and build upon the incredible legacy of Dominican Academy, while embracing the future with tremendous growth in mind.

A little bit about myself. D.A. feels like home! I was taught by the Dominican Sisters at St. Augustine's School in Ossining, NY. Then in undergrad, I was taught by the Ursuline Sisters at the College of New Rochelle, where I was greeted, daily, by a beautiful red staircase in Maura Hall.

Fundraising is my calling, and I love cultivating meaningful relationships. Prior to D.A., I served in non-profit leadership

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On behalf of Dominican Academy, thank you for your prayers and support as we continue to provide a safe environment to teach and empower young women to be leaders of tomorrow.

As we move forward with more in person events and visits, I look forward to meeting each of you.

With sincere gratitude,

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