



Williams was important for great learning, leadership development, and building lifelong valued friendships. While Williams has substantial resources, we stretched to make, for us, a significant 50th Reunion gift recognizing that Williams provides help to many who could not otherwise afford to attend. The Williams Today & Tomorrow plan offered us a way to give back using a combination of cash pledged over five years and an estate bequest. We chose to designate to the '68 Career Center, to bring the services offered to students preparing for "the rest of their lives" up to the level of excellence expected at Williams. We've personally been very involved with a similar project at St. Olaf College and have seen the important impact it's made on that campus.

— Tad '68 and Cindy Piper P'91, '94

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Williams
TEACH IT FORWARD

Williams Today and Tomorrow

A special 50th Reunion gift plan that provides gift credit for the total amount of your outright gift and bequest intention – while also supporting Teach It Forward: The Campaign for Williams

A Williams Today and Tomorrow gift enables you to make a significant 50th Reunion gift using your estate plan. It combines a pledge for an outright gift (minimum \$50,000 payable over 5 years) with an irrevocable pledge for a gift from your estate; the total of your entire gift must be \$300,000 or more. The estate plan portion of your gift can be a bequest in your will (or trust) or a beneficiary designation on a retirement account or life insurance policy. You will receive gift credit for your 50th Reunion and the Teach It Forward campaign for the total amount of your gift.

Today

Make a current outright gift of \$50,000 or more

- Use cash or appreciated securities
- Receive a federal income tax charitable deduction for the year in which you make your gift
- Five-year pledge is available

Tomorrow

Make an irrevocable estate gift commitment bringing the total of amount of your gift to \$300,000 or more

- Name Williams as a beneficiary of your will or trust
- or -
- Use your tax-deferred retirement plan or life insurance policy assets to fulfill your estate gift commitment by simply changing your beneficiary designation with your account administrator
- Sign a legally-enforceable gift and pledge agreement **and** share the relevant portions of your estate planning documents with Williams

Minimum Gift Amounts:

Today - A minimum of \$50,000 payable over 5 years

Tomorrow - An amount bringing the total amount of your gift to \$300,000 or more