

Cleveland State University gift and estate planning news and stories.



CSU Donor Enriches Scholarship Through Estate Plan

Dr. Pamela (Pam) K. Rutar left an indelible mark on Cleveland State University as a dedicated researcher, faculty member and Associate Dean of the School of Nursing. From 2009 until her untimely passing in 2018, Pam dedicated herself to nursing education and furthering the capabilities of student nurses to ensure they were accomplished professionals when they graduated. To honor her many accomplishments, colleagues and family members established the Pamela K. Rutar Endowed Nursing Scholarship, which recently received a boost through a generous estate gift. [Read more about the scholarship.](#)



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IRA and 401(k) Designated Beneficiary Options

Each year, IRAs and 401(k)s are subject to required minimum distributions (RMDs). Because the distributions start at just under 4% at age 73 and then slowly increase, many IRA and 401(k) plans earn more than those payouts and will continue to grow. [Read more about these designated beneficiary options.](#)

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