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### **Your extraordinary generosity deserves recognition!**

The 1903 Society, named for the year Western Michigan University was founded, gratefully acknowledges and recognizes the generous alumni and friends who make a commitment to WMU through a will, living trust or some other form of planned giving. Gifts such as these provide a higher degree of opportunity for Broncos today, and for generations to come.

Benefits of membership in the 1903 Society include a WMU-branded commemorative pin we hope you will wear with Bronco pride and treasure for many years. In addition to this small expression of gratitude, you will receive exclusive invitations to select WMU events and gatherings, including the annual 1903 Society luncheon and admission to the 1903 Lounge. Finally, please watch for regular updates on WMU developments, as well as timely information, tips and ongoing professional gift planning advice from our Office of Gift Planning.

With your gift, you join an important circle of alumni and friends who are committed to ensuring the long-term success of our University, our faculty and our students.



## Have You Already Included WMU in Your Will?

Please let us know. Sharing your intention will:

- Ensure that your gift is properly executed to fulfill your intentions, when the time comes
- Allow our staff to clarify any questions or facilitate documentation regarding your wishes
- Inspire others to establish their own Bronco legacy



**If you would like to join the 1903 Society but haven't completed a will or trust, the Office of Gift Planning can help.** Call the office to request your Estate Planning Guide or visit FreeWill to start your plan today.

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