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Our **2023 Annual Report** is ready! Learn about the individuals and businesses that provide access to educational opportunities and invest in our colleges to foster excellence for the next generation of workers.

## THANK YOU!

## **Meeting Emergency Needs**

For some college students whose finances are stretched razor thin as they pursue a better future, one unexpected expense may be all it takes to derail their goals. A new emergency grant program will help students complete their degrees by assisting with food, housing, childcare, and transportation expenses. The Student Emergency Aid Fund, established with a gift of \$80,000 from Granite Edvance, will provide community



college students with short-term financial support for non-academic emergency needs. Learn more here.



## **Alum Spotlight**

Corey Riendeau, an NHTI alum, the warden of the Northern New Hampshire Correctional Facility in Berlin since 2018.

Riendeau credits NHTI for providing a practical foundation to launch his career. "The professors I had were working or had worked in the field, so you got a real-life perspective." Having the police academy adjacent to campus

also provided a unique opportunity for students to see what it would be like to be a recruit.

He also serves on an advisory committee for White Mountains Community College (WMCC) in Berlin. He and other committee members provide feedback about the curriculum and help spread the word about WMCC. "It's a collaboration," Corey says. "I'm always thinking about recruitment and retention (at the prison)...I had no idea how much the community college actually does and how much they invest in their students."

Read more of Corey's story.

## Your Dollars at Work

"I am returning to school to pursue a career change. The radiologic technology program has been both challenging and rewarding so far. It's nice to feel I have found my place. The generous support will help me focus on my studies while balancing the increased course load." -Jon, scholarship recipient

Every day, you make dreams possible for students like Jon. You help ensure that anyone at any point in their life can become a scientist, engineer, or caring medical professional who will help our communities thrive.

Your gift, no matter the size, directly helps students succeed.



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