

Resolution of the University at Buffalo Council
March 9, 2020

Boehlecke naming resolution

- Whereas* Dr. Brian A. Boehlecke, MD '70, is a highly regarded and long-standing cardiovascular and pulmonary disease specialist in Chapel Hill, N.C., and a proud alumnus of the University at Buffalo and the Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences; and
- whereas* Dr. Boehlecke points to the education he received at UB as providing the framework for a highly successful career in medicine; and
- whereas* Dr. Boehlecke is celebrating his 50th class reunion and wants to honor that milestone with the creation of a need-based scholarship for medical students; be it therefore
- resolved* that in appreciation for the philanthropic support provided by Dr. Boehlecke, the UB Council hereby endorses the naming of the Albert and Loraine Boehlecke Memorial Medical Scholarship in memory of Dr. Boehlecke's parents; and be it further
- resolved* that this recognition be forwarded to the State University of New York System Administration for final review and approval by the SUNY Chancellor and the SUNY Board of Trustees; and be it further
- resolved* that this resolution be permanently entered into the records of the UB Council, and that a copy be presented to Dr. Boehlecke.

Coates naming resolution

- Whereas* Dr. Donald A. Coates, BS '64, PE, PhD, and Mrs. Patricia A. Coates place great value on higher education and understand the impact it can have on one's future and the opportunities for both professional and personal success that reach beyond the walls of a learning institution; and
- whereas* Dr. Coates, who is a proud graduate of the University at Buffalo School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, points to the education he received at UB as providing the framework for a highly successful career in engineering; and
- whereas* Dr. and Mrs. Coates not only hold education in high esteem, but also that which research, innovation and collaboration add to the learning experience for students and faculty—and how these areas leverage a university's national and global reputation; and
- whereas* these progressive and thoughtful contributions provide the focused research and teaching leadership needed to further develop UB's innovation-centered engineering curriculum and establish the school as a pioneer in understanding how to promote thinking that leads to innovation and innovative problem-solving to disciplines beyond engineering; be it therefore
- resolved* that in deep appreciation for the support of Dr. and Mrs. Coates, the UB Council hereby endorses the naming of the Donald A. and Patricia A. Coates Professor in Innovation Science in the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences; and be it further
- resolved* that this recognition be forwarded to the State University of New York System Administration for final review and approval by the SUNY Chancellor and the SUNY Board of Trustees; and be it further
- resolved* that this resolution be permanently entered into the records of the UB Council, and that a copy be presented to Dr. and Mrs. Coates.

Colucci naming resolution

- Whereas* in September 2017, the UB Council endorsed naming the Buffalo Law Review Suite in John Lord O'Brian Hall on the University at Buffalo North Campus the Anthony J. Colucci, Jr. Esq. '58 Buffalo Law Review Suite; and
- whereas* Mrs. Carmela M. Colucci wishes to honor and fulfill commitments originally made by her late husband, Mr. Anthony J. Colucci Jr., JD '58, who was a highly regarded citizen and community leader, an accomplished attorney and a proud alumnus of UB and the School of Law; and
- whereas* Mrs. Colucci and the entire Colucci family have demonstrated an extraordinary and enduring commitment to the UB School of Law, having served in volunteer leadership capacities and engaged in numerous initiatives and programs; and
- whereas* the Colucci family has been exceptionally generous to the university and the School of Law, providing substantial support to help foster and sustain excellence at UB and among its students; be it therefore
- resolved* that the UB Council hereby endorses changing the name of the Buffalo Law Review Suite in John Lord O'Brian Hall on UB's North Campus to The Colucci Law Review Suite to more accurately reflect the entirety of the Colucci family's contributions; and be it further
- resolved* that appropriate signage be placed in a position of prominence as a permanent testament to the beneficence and generosity of the Colucci family; and be it further
- resolved* that this resolution be permanently entered into the records of the UB Council, and that a copy be presented to Mrs. Colucci.

Nussbaum naming resolution

- Whereas* Mr. Paul A. Nussbaum, BA '67, is a highly regarded citizen and civic leader, an accomplished executive in the hospitality industry and a proud alumnus of the University at Buffalo and the College of Arts and Sciences; and
- whereas* Mr. Nussbaum has demonstrated an extraordinary and enduring commitment to UB, serving in various volunteer leadership capacities and thoughtfully engaging in numerous initiatives and programs of the university; and
- whereas* Mr. Nussbaum has been exceptionally generous to the university and the College of Arts and Sciences, providing substantial support to help foster and sustain excellence at UB and among its students, including establishing both an endowment to create the Paul A. Nussbaum Undergraduate Scholarship and an innovation fund to support construction of an experiential learning center within the College of Arts and Sciences; and
- whereas* Mr. Nussbaum actively supports and values the university's desire to provide unmatched experiences for our students across the disciplines—opportunities that will challenge them to think critically, communicate clearly, act independently and become increasingly aware of the real-world problems that need to be solved—preparing them to become well-informed professionals and engaged, proactive citizens; be it therefore
- resolved* that the UB Council hereby endorses naming the Experiential Learning Center in the College of Arts and Sciences the Paul and Christine Nussbaum Experiential Learning Center; and be it further
- resolved* that appropriate signage be placed in a position of prominence as a permanent testament to the beneficence and generosity of Mr. Nussbaum; and be it further
- resolved* that this resolution be permanently entered into the records of the UB Council, and that a copy be presented to Mr. Nussbaum.