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When you set up a monthly, quarterly or annual donation to the University of Sheffield, you’ll become a member of our Silver Arrows Circle. You’ll be part of an amazing community of regular donors who are committed to changing lives through the gift of education – and make an incredible difference to the University and its students for years to come.

Making a remarkable difference

Your regular gifts will enable the brightest students to study at Sheffield, regardless of their backgrounds. You will ensure that every student is able to thrive here and you’ll give them the support they need in difficult times. Regular support for research will also help our academics tackle the big issues of the future, from health to sustainability.

Supporting future Sheffield students

As a Sheffield donor, every penny you donate will go directly to our causes, and your regular gifts will provide crucial support well into the future. Your ongoing donations will encourage the very brightest prospective students from low-income backgrounds to come to Sheffield. For these talented students, knowing that they will receive a scholarship is a tremendous inspiration, and this can often be the difference between them being able to continue their education and not.

A pioneering and generous community

Over 1,400 alumni, parents, staff and friends of the University have already become members of the Silver Arrows Circle and joined the long tradition of giving to the University of Sheffield. Founded by penny donations from the city’s workers in 1905, the University vowed to be an institution for the workers’ children. The Silver Arrows not only represent the local silver-making industry, but also recognise the important relationship between the University and the city’s inhabitants. Today, Silver Arrows members are proud to stay true to the University’s roots, by promoting equality for all in higher education.

As a member of the Silver Arrows Circle, you will receive:

- A Silver Arrows pin badge – specially handcrafted in Sheffield
- An invite to our annual donor event where you can meet the students who have benefited from your generosity
- Updates on how your gifts are making a difference across campus

Become a member

For more information and to set up your regular direct debit donation, please contact us by phone on 0114 222 5598 or email giving@sheffield.ac.uk

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“Studying at the University of Sheffield afforded me the chance to gain the best possible tuition in a supportive and empowering environment. I became a Silver Arrows member to give something back and help others to achieve their potential. I give in support of a wonderful and prestigious institution that made me the person I am now, so I want to help new students as much as possible.”

Silver Arrows Member

Thank you so much for supporting the University of Sheffield.