Honoring Drs. David and Mary Zamierowski
2018 Johnson Countians of the Year

Saturday, November 10, 2018
Overland Park Convention Center

A Scholarship Benefit for Johnson County Community College
Some Enchanted Evening in 2018 will launch a yearlong celebration of the College’s 50th anniversary, and honor Drs. David and Mary Zamierowski for their contributions to the community. To accommodate more organizations and individuals, the gala will be at the Overland Park Convention Center.

The JCCC Foundation helps thousands of students pursue their dreams of a college education. **Last year, the JCCC Foundation disbursed nearly $1.2 million for student scholarships, but this covered only a fraction of student need.** In fall 2018, a Johnson County resident taking 15 credit hours will need $1,395 per semester for tuition and approximately $800 for books. This does not include additional costs such as tools and supplies that are required by specific programs.

![Pie chart showing 18% and 82% of students receiving and applying but not receiving JCCC Foundation scholarships.](chart.png)
Drs. David and Mary Zamierowski  
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Drs. David and Mary Zamierowski, Overland Park, have been named by the Johnson County Community College Foundation as the Johnson Countians of the Year for 2018. David, a retired plastic surgeon, and Mary, a PhD biochemist, have dedicated their retirement years to supporting healthcare education across the Kansas City area and around the globe.

The couple met at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine in the fall of 1967. David was a senior medical student and Mary was a first-year graduate student in biochemistry. David proposed three weeks after they met, and the couple married over spring break. This year in late March, they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

After internship, David served two years in the Army during which time he twice earned the Bronze Star for Achievement in Vietnam. He then completed surgical residencies becoming doubly boarded in plastic and general surgery and later obtained certification as a wound care specialist. Following his residency training, the couple established a successful 25-year plastic surgery practice in Johnson County and raised their daughters, Amy and Nancy.

David also founded the Wound Care Centers of Kansas City and became a prolific physician inventor, holding more than 50 patents on medical products, particularly surface dressings and surgical wound devices. In retirement he became very interested in simulation education, beginning with his volunteering at JCCC School of Nursing. With the introduction of the V.A.C. external wound dressing in 1995, launch of the Prevena surgical incision dressing in 2009, and most recently the SAFingerStick glucose testing simulation kit that JCCC markets, David is part of a very elite group of physician inventors who have had more than one commercially successful product.

Since retirement in 2003, the Zamierowskis have continued to use their skills and expertise to support education and healthcare initiatives in Kansas City and around the world in places such as Las Pintas, Mexico, and Gulu, Uganda. Local entities such as the Medical Mission Foundation, Rockhurst University, Shawnee Mission Health, The University of Kansas Medical Center and The University of Kansas Hospital have all benefitted from their leadership and support. This is all in addition to their transformational involvement at Johnson County Community College over the last 15 years.
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Making a difference with funds for scholarships

Some Enchanted Evening is the primary scholarship fundraiser for the JCCC Foundation. The evening includes an elegant five-course gourmet dinner served with fine wines, a social hour, entertainment and dancing.

Sponsors may direct their contribution to support students interested in specific areas of study, such as engineering and technology, healthcare, and many other professional and vocational fields.

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SCHOLARSHIPS
Helping students pursue their dreams

Johnny Carter
Margaret F. and Maron J. Lorimer Nursing Scholarship
“Education has become one of my most rewarding accomplishments. I am the first in my family to graduate college. I acquired a strong motivation, and pushed through many hurdles because I was told I would not be able to. I used this sadness and frustration to motivate myself into the leader I am today. I will complete my RN degree in May 2018 and pursue my dream of being a pediatric nurse.”

Brittani Sloan
Child Care Assistance Grant
“It is only because of this grant that I’ve been able to go to school and work, knowing my children are getting the education they need to become stronger in everything they do and to excel in the future. Getting this grant was a miracle for all three of us. I knew coming to JCCC would change my life, but I didn’t realize how much it would impact my children.”

Christopher Crates
Spencer Duncan Make It Count with Books Scholarship for Veterans
“The scholarships that we receive are extremely important to us. They help with books, school, rent and even food so that we can continue to pursue better lives for ourselves and our families. But even more important than the scholarship is the fact that there is someone standing beside us saying, ‘We believe in you, we believe in the dream you have, and we’ll help you achieve it because we believe you are worth it.’”

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