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Albertus Magnus College's 4th Annual Golf Classic is a Success *Event Benefits Student Scholarships*

New Haven, Conn., July 21, 2022 – Rain fell but plenty of dollars were raised as Albertus Magnus College held its Fourth Annual Golf Classic on July 18, 2022 at the iconic New Haven Country Club in Hamden, Connecticut. The outing attracted 88 players representing Albertus alumni, benefactors, and businesses throughout the state. This event garnered \$50,000 towards essential scholarships for students. Since its inception, this tournament has raised more than \$250,000 in support of scholarships that transform and empower lives through education.

"We are so grateful to the businesses, individuals, and volunteers who support this important event year after year," said Albertus Vice President for Advancement Mary Young '91. "These funds are essential to make our students career-ready when they graduate and immediately make valuable contributions to their community."

For the past six consecutive years, Albertus graduates outpaced the national average when it comes to finding jobs or continuing their education within six months after earning their bachelor's degree. The graduating Class of 2021 alumni achieved a 97-percent success rate versus the most recent 82-percent national comparison rate, according to the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) Destination Survey results. Each of the College's last six graduating classes have achieved at least a 95-percent success rate in the important early career success and return on investment metric.

For photos and highlights:

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About Albertus Magnus College: Albertus Magnus College, founded in 1925, is a Catholic College in the Dominican tradition. It is recognized by external rankings such as *US News & World Report*, *Money Magazine*, and the *Wall Street Journal/Times Higher Education*, and has been named a Top 10 Military Friendly School. The College has an enrollment of approximately 1,500 students across its traditional undergraduate program, accelerated adult degree program, and 12 graduate programs. Recently, the College launched new Bachelor degree programs in Interdisciplinary Studies, Supply Chain Management, and Game and Computer Arts, and among its graduate programs is the State of Connecticut's only Master of Arts in Art Therapy and Counseling program. Also recently, the College received two significant federal grants in support of student success and well-being: a \$300,000 grant from the Department of Justice and a \$1.9 million Title III grant from the Department of Education. Just four years out from its historic 100th Anniversary Year, Albertus is implementing its new strategic plan, *Albertus 2025: Lighting the Way to a Second Century*, which identifies and outlines a bold vision for the future in which the College will be a destination liberal arts-based college, distinguished in its interdisciplinary and experiential approach to education, rooted in Dominican values, that prepares students for lifelong civic engagement and success.