



After serving in the Marines for 9 years and then starting a family, Patrick Marvil relies on scholarship support to help with medical school expenses.

**PATRICK MARVIL (MED '18)**

Husband, Father, Veteran, Future Physician

**BACKGROUND**

*Flew a helicopter in Iraq to pick up wounded Marines*

**A PASSION FOR MEDICINE**

*"I'm interested in primary care and family medicine, where I can make a difference in a whole community."*



**A DONOR'S OUTLOOK**

*"We had our chance, and now it's somebody else's turn. To finish medical school with a debt of \$100,000 or more over your head is awful. So wherever I can help, I like to do that." ●*

-Ed Lyons, MD  
UVA Class of 1962

## CREATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION: SCHOLARSHIPS



he UVA School of Medicine is dedicated to educating the best applicants to be physicians of tomorrow, regardless of their financial circumstances. UVA has a well-deserved reputation of graduating compassionate, thoughtful doctors who become leaders in their field, improving patient care and expanding medical knowledge.

Recently, governmental support for education has decreased while more expensive, faculty-intensive teaching methods have been mandated. Without scholarship support, many students would find medical education today too great a cost to bear. A scholarship can make the difference between an outstanding candidate choosing to come to UVA over another medical school. It can provide a medical student with the freedom to choose a specialty based not on compensation, but on inspiration. A scholarship can lead a student to fulfill a dream of becoming a physician, rather than opting for a profession that involves less debt. A gift to support medical scholarships is an investment in the people who will provide our medical care in the future. ●

**WHY DO SCHOLARSHIPS MATTER?**



*Attract Best Students*



*Retain Career Flexibility*



*Reduce Debt Burden*

**HOW CAN YOU HELP?**

UVA School of Medicine tuition and fees for 2015-16:

- \$48,036 in-state
- \$58,842 out-of-state

Scholarships help open the profession to all talented students, regardless of their finances. They also promote student success and offer medical alumni an opportunity to leave a legacy to the next generation.

**\$250,000**

*creates a named, endowed scholarship to support medical students at UVA in perpetuity*

**\$1 MILLION**

*will establish a named, endowed fund to support full (4-year) scholarships for sponsored students in perpetuity*