

Donor Bill of Rights

Charitable giving to Western Seminary is based on voluntary action for the fulfillment of the Seminary's mission to produce gospel-centered transformation. These rights are presented to honor the generous giving of our donors, merit the trust they have granted to us, and ensure their full confidence in the Seminary. We believe every donor should be treated with the utmost respect and we commit to upholding the following rights on behalf of our donors:

- 1. To be informed of Western Seminary's mission, of the way we intend to use the donated resources, and of our capacity to use the donations effectively for their intended purpose(s).
- 2. To be informed of the identity of those serving on Western Seminary's board of trustees, and to expect the board to exercise prudent judgment in its stewardship responsibilities.
- 3. To annually obtain a copy of Western Seminary's most recent financial statements.
- 4. To be assured their gifts will be used for the intended purposes for which they were given.
- 5. To receive appropriate acknowledgment and recognition.
- 6. To be assured that information regarding their donations are handled with both respect and confidentiality to the extent provided by law.
- 7. To expect that all relationships with individuals representing Western Seminary to the donor will be professional in nature.
- 8. To feel free to ask questions when making a donation and to receive prompt, truthful and forthright answers.

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