



# BRYN MAWR COLLEGE

September 2025

Dear Friend,

For many poets, spring represents renewal and change, but on college campuses like Bryn Mawr, it is the fall that represents new beginnings and excitement for the future.

As Wendy Cadge begins her second year as President of Bryn Mawr, the College itself is in a moment of renewal. And Wendy is ambitious for Bryn Mawr. We know that now, more than ever, our mission is needed in the world as we face unprecedented challenges to higher education and to society more generally.

Even as there are moments of crisis that seem like they can overwhelm us, Wendy has encouraged the College to also take the long view with a focus on the future of Bryn Mawr. Indeed, she spent her first year listening to our constituencies – students, faculty, staff, parents, and alumnae/i – while building on two years of strategic planning that preceded her arrival. In September, she came forward with a draft of Bryn Mawr's Building the Next Chapter, which will serve as the strategic direction for the College for the next ten years. And concurrently with that plan, the College is undertaking our first comprehensive campus planning exercise in many years, which will simultaneously preserve the rich history of the buildings and grounds, as well as create modern spaces that match our modern delivery of the liberal arts.

These initiatives will lay the foundation for Bryn Mawr to thrive in the coming years and lead a resurgence in higher education. Wendy can be bold for Bryn Mawr because she knows that she can count on all of us to be there for the College – in our volunteerism, in our advocacy, in our engagement, and, yes, in our philanthropy.

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Great ideas remain just that without the resources to make them reality. As Bryn Mawr faces the current environment, and as we look to our future with optimism, I want to ask you to join me in supporting the College with a gift to The Bryn Mawr Fund. The Fund provides much needed budgetary support that creates the stability upon which we will build these comprehensive plans.

Together, we can ensure that Bryn Mawr continues to thrive, not only today, but well into the future. Thank you for joining the thousands of others who have made Bryn Mawr a priority in their giving. We are stronger because of you.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bob", written in a cursive style.

Robert A. Miller  
Vice President, Alumnae/i Relations and Development

P.S. To learn more about the initiatives mentioned above and to make your gift, please visit: [mawr.life/CollegeMessages](http://mawr.life/CollegeMessages).