

UTICA COLLEGE

For the Year Ended
May 31, 2009

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees
Utica College

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of Utica College (a nonprofit organization) as of May 31, 2009 and 2008, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the College's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Utica College as of May 31, 2009 and 2008, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, Utica College adopted the recognition provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 158, "Employers' Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans, an amendment of FASB Statements No. 87, 88, 106, and 132(R)," for the year ended May 31, 2008, which changed its method of accounting for its defined benefit postretirement plan.

D'Arcangelo + Co., LLP

September 21, 2009

Utica, New York

UTICA COLLEGE
STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
May 31, 2009 and 2008

	2009	2008
Assets		
Current Assets		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 3,253,888	\$ 485,012
Tuition and Fees Receivable, Net	2,344,674	2,380,397
Grants and Other Operating Receivables	380,621	440,399
Unconditional Promises to Give	55,541	86,696
Supplies Inventory at Cost	31,610	34,059
Prepaid Expenses	<u>161,157</u>	<u>146,107</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>6,227,491</u>	<u>3,572,670</u>
Long-Term and Restricted Assets		
Restricted Cash - Construction	0	567
Deposits with Bond Trustees	3,669,599	3,530,243
Perkins and Gate Loans Receivable, Net	1,547,067	1,831,146
Unconditional Promises to Give	11,024	39,267
Investments, at Fair Value	<u>16,473,108</u>	<u>19,450,589</u>
Total Long-Term and Restricted Assets	<u>21,700,798</u>	<u>24,851,812</u>
Capital Related Assets		
Construction in Progress	0	2,119,663
Land, Buildings, and Equipment, Net	65,419,409	60,857,262
Bond Issuance Costs, Net	<u>499,469</u>	<u>922,476</u>
Total Capital Related Assets	<u>65,918,878</u>	<u>63,899,401</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 93,847,167</u>	<u>\$ 92,323,883</u>
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 3,819,662	\$ 4,856,443
Lines of Credit	1,100,000	1,500,000
Deposits and Deferred Revenue	3,597,928	3,473,894
Current Portion of Postretirement Liabilities	611,001	534,686
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt	<u>673,365</u>	<u>494,000</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>9,801,956</u>	<u>10,859,023</u>
Long-Term Liabilities		
Charitable Trust Obligations	297,566	309,024
Federal Student Loans Deferred	885,408	901,152
Bond Premium, Net	258,605	390,191
Postretirement Liabilities	6,026,971	5,912,387
Long-Term Debt	<u>38,514,126</u>	<u>34,246,368</u>
Total Long-Term Liabilities	<u>45,982,676</u>	<u>41,759,122</u>
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	21,294,534	17,015,878
Temporarily Restricted	5,399,796	12,034,299
Permanently Restricted	<u>11,368,205</u>	<u>10,655,561</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>38,062,535</u>	<u>39,705,738</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 93,847,167</u>	<u>\$ 92,323,883</u>

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of These Financial Statements.

UTICA COLLEGE
STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended May 31, 2009
(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended May 31, 2008)

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total	
				2009	2008
Revenue, Gains, and Other Support					
Tuition and Fees	\$ 61,456,387	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 61,456,387	\$ 56,133,397
Less: Scholarship Aid	<u>(21,677,990)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(21,677,990)</u>	<u>(19,855,586)</u>
Net Tuition and Fees	39,778,397	0	0	39,778,397	36,277,811
Government Grants and Contracts	5,231,578	0	0	5,231,578	2,909,177
Private Gifts and Grants	802,602	651,543	735,938	2,190,083	2,438,579
Investment Return	(95,243)	(2,519,164)	(107,953)	(2,722,360)	(110,328)
Change in Value of Annuity Obligations	0	0	11,459	11,459	10,941
Sales and Service of Auxiliary Enterprises	8,642,090	0	0	8,642,090	7,760,891
Other Sources	<u>948,467</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>948,467</u>	<u>694,599</u>
Total Revenue and Gains	55,307,891	(1,867,621)	639,444	54,079,714	49,981,670
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	<u>4,693,682</u>	<u>(4,766,882)</u>	<u>73,200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Revenue, Gains, and Other Support	<u>60,001,573</u>	<u>(6,634,503)</u>	<u>712,644</u>	<u>54,079,714</u>	<u>49,981,670</u>
Expenses					
Educational and General					
Instructional and Research	21,300,554	0	0	21,300,554	19,597,131
Academic Support	5,491,387	0	0	5,491,387	5,204,591
Student Services	10,022,308	0	0	10,022,308	9,718,736
Institutional Support	<u>13,938,158</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>13,938,158</u>	<u>14,373,892</u>
Total Educational and General	50,752,407	0	0	50,752,407	48,894,350
Auxiliary Enterprises	<u>4,970,510</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,970,510</u>	<u>4,529,749</u>
Total Expenses	<u>55,722,917</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>55,722,917</u>	<u>53,424,099</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Prior to Adoption of Recognition Provision of FASB 158					
	4,278,656	(6,634,503)	712,644	(1,643,203)	(3,442,429)
Effect of Adoption of Recognition Provision of FASB 158					
	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>825,122</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	4,278,656	(6,634,503)	712,644	(1,643,203)	(4,267,551)
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	<u>17,015,878</u>	<u>12,034,299</u>	<u>10,655,561</u>	<u>39,705,738</u>	<u>43,973,289</u>
Net Assets, End of Year	<u>\$ 21,294,534</u>	<u>\$ 5,399,796</u>	<u>\$ 11,368,205</u>	<u>\$ 38,062,535</u>	<u>\$ 39,705,738</u>

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UTICA COLLEGE
STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended May 31, 2008

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total 2008
Revenue, Gains, and Other Support				
Tuition and Fees	\$ 56,133,397	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 56,133,397
Less: Scholarship Aid	<u>(19,855,586)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(19,855,586)</u>
Net Tuition and Fees	36,277,811	0	0	36,277,811
Government Grants and Contracts	2,909,177	0	0	2,909,177
Private Gifts and Grants	798,280	1,205,834	434,465	2,438,579
Investment Return	303,197	(380,568)	(32,957)	(110,328)
Change in Value of Annuity Obligations	0	0	10,941	10,941
Sales and Service of Auxiliary Enterprises	7,760,891	0	0	7,760,891
Other Sources	<u>694,599</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>694,599</u>
Total Revenue and Gains	48,743,955	825,266	412,449	49,981,670
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	<u>2,248,619</u>	<u>(2,263,184)</u>	<u>14,565</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Revenue, Gains, and Other Support	<u>50,992,574</u>	<u>(1,437,918)</u>	<u>427,014</u>	<u>49,981,670</u>
Expenses				
Educational and General				
Instructional and Research	19,597,131	0	0	19,597,131
Academic Support	5,204,591	0	0	5,204,591
Student Services	9,718,736	0	0	9,718,736
Institutional Support	<u>14,373,892</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,373,892</u>
Total Educational and General	48,894,350	0	0	48,894,350
Auxiliary Enterprises	<u>4,529,749</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,529,749</u>
Total Expenses	<u>53,424,099</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>53,424,099</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Prior to Adoption of Recognition Provision of FASB 158	(2,431,525)	(1,437,918)	427,014	(3,442,429)
Effect of Adoption of Recognition Provision of FASB 158	<u>825,122</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>825,122</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	(3,256,647)	(1,437,918)	427,014	(4,267,551)
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	<u>20,272,525</u>	<u>13,472,217</u>	<u>10,228,547</u>	<u>43,973,289</u>
Net Assets, End of Year	<u>\$ 17,015,878</u>	<u>\$ 12,034,299</u>	<u>\$ 10,655,561</u>	<u>\$ 39,705,738</u>

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UTICA COLLEGE
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
For the Years Ended May 31, 2009 and 2008

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Cash Flows from (Used by) Operating Activities		
(Decrease) in Net Assets	\$ (1,643,203)	\$ (4,267,551)
Adjustments for Noncash Transactions		
Depreciation	3,680,526	3,440,564
Amortization of Bond Issuance Costs	423,007	219,670
Bad Debt Expense	64,518	630,085
Effect of Adoption of FASB 158	0	825,122
Gifts of Marketable Securities	(45,996)	(267,472)
Realized (Gain) on Long-Term Investments	(50,234)	(1,393,389)
Unrealized Loss on Long-Term Investments	3,455,116	2,599,713
(Increase) Decrease in Assets		
Tuition and Fees Receivable	(38,575)	(383,638)
Grants and Other Operating Receivables	59,778	689,801
Unconditional Promises to Give	59,398	17,957
Inventories	2,449	1,533
Prepaid Expenses	(15,050)	232,631
Perkins and Gate Loans Receivable	284,079	126,832
Other Receivable	0	350,000
Increase (Decrease) in Liabilities		
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	(1,036,781)	1,256,098
Deposits and Deferred Revenue	133,814	(4,017)
Charitable Trust Obligations	(11,458)	18,379
Federal Student Loans Deferred	(15,744)	(58,647)
Postretirement Liabilities	190,899	326,434
Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities	<u>5,496,543</u>	<u>4,360,105</u>
Cash Flows from (Used by) Investing Activities		
Purchases of Investments	(667,424)	(9,628,596)
Proceeds from Sales of Investments	823,720	10,327,198
Reinvested Interest and Dividends	(537,701)	(853,147)
Restricted Cash - Construction	567	3,067,079
Payments for Capital Assets	<u>(6,123,010)</u>	<u>(7,670,031)</u>
Net Cash (Used by) Investing Activities	<u>(6,503,848)</u>	<u>(4,757,497)</u>

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UTICA COLLEGE
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
For the Years Ended May 31, 2009 and 2008
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	2009	2008
Cash Flows from (Used by) Financing Activities		
Repayment of Long-Term Debt	(567,677)	(467,000)
Proceeds of Long-Term Debt	5,014,800	0
Bond Premium	(131,586)	(131,585)
Change in Deposits with Trustees Related to Construction Financing	(139,356)	(108,550)
Proceeds from Line of Credit	5,000,000	7,150,458
Repayment of Line of Credit	(5,400,000)	(5,650,458)
Net Cash Flows from Financing Activities	3,776,181	792,865
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	2,768,876	395,473
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Year	485,012	89,539
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Year	\$ 3,253,888	\$ 485,012

Supplemental Cash Flow Disclosures

Cash Paid During the Year for:		
Interest	\$ 2,345,304	\$ 2,147,305
Income Taxes	\$ 722	\$ 0

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UTICA COLLEGE

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Operations

Utica College (the College), located in Utica, New York, was established in 1946 to educate undergraduate students, preparing them to achieve distinction in their chosen professions. The College offers four-year programs leading to the Bachelor of Arts or the Bachelor of Science degrees in a broad variety of majors in the liberal arts and sciences and in professional studies. In addition, the College offers several degrees for graduate programs. The College's main sources of revenue are derived from tuition and fees charged to students, government grants and contracts, and sales and services related to auxiliary enterprises.

Financial Statement Presentation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements, presented on the accrual basis of accounting, have been prepared to focus on the College as a whole and present balances and transactions according to the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. This has been accomplished by reporting information regarding financial position and activities according to three classes: permanently restricted, temporarily restricted, or unrestricted.

Classification of Net Assets

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared to present balances and transactions according to the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets and changes therein are classified as follows:

Permanently Restricted Net Assets - Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that are permanently maintained by the College. Generally, donors of these assets permit the College to use all or part of the income earned on related investments for general or specific purposes.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets - Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or may not be met by actions of the College and/or the passage of time.

Unrestricted Net Assets - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations. Unrestricted net assets may be designated for specific purposes by action of the Board of Trustees.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Revenue Recognition

Revenues are reported as increases in unrestricted net assets unless use of the related assets is limited by donor-imposed restrictions. Expenses are reported as decreases in unrestricted net assets. Gains and losses on investments and other assets or liabilities are reported as increases or decreases in unrestricted net assets unless their use is restricted by explicit donor stipulation or by law. Expirations of temporary restrictions on net assets are reported as reclassifications between the applicable classes of net assets.

Contributions and Donations

Contributions, including unconditional promises to give, are recognized as revenue in the period received. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until they become unconditional, that is when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met. Contributions of assets other than cash are recorded at their estimated fair value.

Income (losses) and realized and unrealized net gains (losses) on investments of endowment and similar funds are reported as follows:

- As increases (decreases) in permanently restricted net assets if the terms of the gift or the College Board's interpretation of relevant State law require that they be added to (subtracted from) the principal of the Permanent Endowment Fund;
- As increases (decreases) in temporarily restricted net assets if the terms of the gift impose restrictions on the use of income;
- As increases (decreases) in unrestricted net assets in all other cases.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

With respect to temporarily restricted net assets, the College follows the optional accounting policies as permitted by the various provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 116:

Release of Restriction of Net Assets - The College has adopted the provisions of SFAS No. 116 concerning the release from restrictions on temporarily restricted net assets upon the occurrence of an expense when both unrestricted and temporarily restricted net assets are available for that purpose.

Contributions With Restrictions Met in the Same Year - Contributions received with donor-imposed restrictions that are met in the same year are reported as revenues in the temporarily restricted net asset class, and a reclassification to unrestricted net assets is made to reflect the expiration of such restrictions.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Collections

Contributions of works of art, historical treasures, and similar assets held as part of a collection for education, research, or public exhibition rather than resale have been recognized as revenue at their estimated fair market value at the date of receipt based upon appraisals or similar valuations. Such items, along with purchased works of art, have been capitalized.

Auxiliary Enterprises

The College's auxiliary enterprises exist primarily to furnish goods and services to students, faculty, and staff. Managed as essentially self-supporting activities, the College's auxiliaries consist of residence halls and dining halls. Auxiliary enterprise revenues and expenses are reported in the statements of activities in unrestricted net assets.

Endowment Spending Rate Policy

The College's endowment fund investments are managed to achieve the maximum long-term total return. The College's Board of Trustees has authorized a policy permitting the use of total returns at a rate (spending rate) of up to 5.25% of the four-year average market value of the endowment portfolio on the last day of the preceding calendar year for current operations. The remainder is retained to support operations of future years. This policy is designed to preserve the value of the portfolio in real terms (after inflation) and provide a predictable flow of funds to support operations.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities. In addition, estimates and assumptions are used to determine disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Estimates are used in the determination of allowance for doubtful accounts, depreciation, post retirement benefits, and certain accrued liabilities.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statements of cash flows, cash equivalents include time deposits and certificates of deposit with original maturities less than 90 days, except that such investments purchased with endowment assets or deposits with trustees are classified as long-term investments.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Fair Value Measurements

On June 1, 2008, the College elected to apply the provisions of Statement on Financial Accounting Standards No. 159, "The Fair Value Option for Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities" solely to its investments. The fair value option was chosen to measure any fluctuations in the fair value of investments as reflected in the statements of activities as unrealized gain (loss) on investments, which is included in investment income.

Fair values of securities traded on a national securities exchange are based on the last reported sales price on the last business day of the year; government securities and corporate notes for which no sale was reported on that date are valued at the last reported bid price. Securities for which reliable quotations are not readily available, are valued at fair value, as determined in good faith pursuant to procedures established by the Board of Trustees. Cash and cash equivalents are valued at cost, which approximates fair value.

On June 1, 2008, the College adopted Statement on Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements" (SFAS No. 157). SFAS No. 157 applies to all financial instruments that are being measured and reported on a fair value basis. Current items that the College elected to apply SFAS No. 157 include all investments listed in Note 6.

SFAS No. 157 further defines, "fair value" as the price that would be received to sell an asset or transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Based on the observability of the inputs used in the valuation methods, the College is required to provide information according to the fair value hierarchy as specified by SFAS No. 157 (see Note 6). This hierarchy ranks the quality and reliability of the information used to determine fair values.

Capital Assets

Capital assets are stated at cost if purchased or at fair value (on the date of receipt) if donated. Certain land and buildings were recorded at fair value on the date of transfer from a former affiliated entity. Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method over estimated useful lives of assets as follows:

Land Improvements	5 to 20 Years
Buildings and Improvements	20 to 40 Years
Leasehold Improvements	20 Years
Equipment	5 to 8 Years
Library and Art Collections	10 to 100 Years
Other Capitalized Costs	10 Years

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The College's capitalization policy requires that all donated or purchased property with a cost or fair market value exceeding \$1,000 is recorded as a capital asset.

Expense Allocation

Expenses are reported by functional classification which include instructional and research, academic support, student services, institutional support, and auxiliary enterprises. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among programs and supporting services benefited.

Advertising

The College expenses the cost of advertising as it is incurred. Advertising expense for 2009 and 2008 was \$220,547 and \$242,466, respectively.

Adoption of New Accounting Standard

In September 2006, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 158, "Employers' Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans – an amendment FASB Statements No. 87, 88, 106, and 132(R)" (SFAS No. 158). SFAS No. 158 requires an employer that sponsors one or more single-employer defined benefit plans to (a) recognize the overfunded or underfunded status of a benefit plan in its statement of financial position, (b) recognize as a component of unrestricted net assets the gains or losses and prior service costs or credits that arise during the period, but are not recognized as components of net periodic benefit costs pursuant to SFAS No. 87, "Employers' Accounting for Pensions," or SFAS No. 106, "Employers' Accounting for Postretirement Benefits Other Than Pensions," (c) measure defined benefit plan assets and obligations as of the date of the employer's fiscal year end, and (d) disclose in the notes to the financial statements additional information about certain effects on net periodic benefit cost for the next fiscal year that arise from delayed recognition of the gains or losses, prior service costs or credits and transition asset or obligation. SFAS No. 158 is effective for the College's fiscal year ending May 31, 2008, and was adopted by the College on May 31, 2008.

The effect of adopting SFAS No. 158 on May 31, 2008, resulted in an increase to the postretirement liability and a reduction in unrestricted net assets of \$825,122. Refer to Note 16 for further discussions on the effect of SFAS No. 158 on the College's accompanying financial statements.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 2 TAXABLE STATUS

The College is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and utilizes May 31 as its fiscal year end. In addition, the College has been classified as an organization that is not a private foundation.

NOTE 3 RECEIVABLES

The tuition and fees and Perkins and Gate Loans receivables are presented in the statements of financial position at cost net of an allowance for uncollectible accounts. The College allows for estimated losses on accounts receivable based on prior bad debt experience and a review of existing receivables. The following is a summary of those receivables and their respective allowances as of May 31, 2009 and 2008:

	2009		
	<u>Gross</u>	<u>Allowance</u>	<u>Net</u>
Tuition and Fees Receivable	\$ 5,351,858	\$(3,007,184)	\$ 2,344,674
Perkins and Gate Loans Receivable	\$ 1,789,409	\$ (242,342)	\$ 1,547,067
	2008		
	<u>Gross</u>	<u>Allowance</u>	<u>Net</u>
Tuition and Fees Receivable	\$ 5,206,632	\$(2,826,235)	\$ 2,380,397
Perkins and Gate Loans Receivable	\$ 2,064,436	\$ (233,290)	\$ 1,831,146

During the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, the College recognized bad debt expense of \$64,518 and \$630,085, respectively, related to tuition and fees and Perkins and Gate Loans receivable. Accounts receivable are written off as they are deemed uncollectible by management. The College considers its other receivables to be fully collectible; accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts has been established.

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NOTE 4 UNCONDITIONAL PROMISES TO GIVE

Unconditional promises to give are recognized as contribution revenue in the period received and as assets, decreases of liabilities, or expenses depending on the form of the benefits received. Promises to give are recorded at net realizable value if expected to be collected in one year and at fair value if expected to be collected in more than one year.

Unconditional promises to give expected to be collected in:

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Less Than One Year	\$ 55,541	\$ 86,696
One to Five Years	0	28,243
More Than Five Years	<u>11,024</u>	<u>11,024</u>
Total Unconditional Promises to Give	<u>\$ 66,565</u>	<u>\$ 125,963</u>

The College considers all amounts to be fully collectible; accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts has been established. Promises to give expected to be received beyond one year have not been discounted due to immateriality.

NOTE 5 DEPOSITS WITH BOND TRUSTEES AND RESTRICTED CASH

Bond proceeds and related investment income not yet expended for new construction, and/or equipment purchases, and used to establish debt service funds are held on deposit with bond trustees. The College has entered into a financing agreement to finance construction projects and has deposited funds with trustees for such projects. Bond proceeds, including interest income in excess of construction costs are reserved for future debt service obligations. Additionally, under the financing agreement, deposits with bond trustees represent required reserves for debt service combined with earnings on such funds. At May 31, 2009 and 2008, the College maintained required debt service reserves of \$2,612,024 and \$2,543,743, respectively.

Deposits with bond trustees at May 31, 2009 and 2008, are comprised of cash and cash equivalents invested in interest-bearing accounts, and was \$3,669,599 and \$3,530,243, respectively.

Restricted cash of \$0 and \$567 at May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively, consists of money held for construction costs as a result of the Capital Campaign.

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NOTE 6 LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS

Investments at May 31, 2009 and 2008, are comprised of the following:

	2009		2008	
	Market	Cost	Market	Cost
Endowed Cash and Cash				
Equivalents	\$ 122,483	\$ 122,483	\$ 906,196	\$ 906,196
Corporate Equities	29,803	29,803	107,554	107,302
Mutual Funds	8,235,140	9,675,979	9,279,679	9,208,303
Multi-Asset Fund	7,752,861	9,475,179	8,771,039	8,574,143
Life Insurance – Cash				
Surrender Value	<u>332,821</u>	<u>305,429</u>	<u>386,121</u>	<u>338,413</u>
Total	<u>\$ 16,473,108</u>	<u>\$ 19,608,873</u>	<u>\$ 19,450,589</u>	<u>\$ 19,134,357</u>

For the periods ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, the components of the College's investment return are as follows:

	2009	2008
Interest and Dividends	\$ 699,196	\$ 1,118,013
Net Realized Gain	50,234	1,393,389
Net Unrealized (Loss)	(3,455,116)	(2,599,713)
Less: Investment Fees	<u>(16,674)</u>	<u>(22,017)</u>
Total Return on Investment	<u>\$ (2,722,360)</u>	<u>\$ (110,328)</u>

The College classifies and discloses its financial assets and liabilities in one of the following three categories:

Level 1: Valuations based on quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the College has the ability to access. Since valuations are based on quoted prices that are readily and regularly available in an active market, valuation of these products does not entail a significant degree of judgment.

Level 2: Observable market based inputs or unobservable inputs that are corroborated by market data including quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active (i.e. markets in which there are few transactions for the asset or liability), or inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability (i.e. interest rates, yield curves volatilities).

Level 3: Unobservable inputs that are not corroborated by market data. These values are generally estimated based upon methodologies utilizing significant inputs that are generally less observable from objective sources.

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NOTE 6 LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Based on the above criteria, the following fair value hierarchy table presents information about the College's assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis at May 31, 2009:

<u>Investments</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Fair Value Measurements at Reporting Date Using the Above Criteria</u>		
		<u>(Level 1)</u>	<u>(Level 2)</u>	<u>(Level 3)</u>
Endowed Cash and Cash				
Equivalents	\$ 122,483	\$ 122,483	\$	\$
Corporate Equities	29,803	29,803		
Mutual Funds	8,235,140	8,235,140		
Multi-Asset Fund	7,752,861	5,130,068	1,670,742	952,051
Life Insurance – Cash				
Surrender Value	<u>332,821</u>			<u>332,821</u>
Total	<u>\$ 16,473,108</u>	<u>\$ 13,517,494</u>	<u>\$ 1,670,742</u>	<u>\$ 1,284,872</u>

In addition, information about Level 3 assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis must be reported. Both observable and unobservable inputs may be used to determine the fair value of positions that the College has classified within the Level 3 category. As a result, the unrealized gains and losses for assets and liabilities within the Level 3 category presented in the tables below may include changes in fair value that were attributable to both observable (i.e., changes in market interest rates) and unobservable (i.e., changes in unobservable long-dated volatilities) inputs.

Changes in Level 3 assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis for the year ended May 31, 2009 are as follows:

Beginning Balance 06/01/2008	\$ 1,765,806
Realized (Losses)	(41,047)
Net Purchases/(Sales)	(57,164)
Transfers In and/or (Out) of Level 3	1,569
Unrealized (Losses)	<u>(384,292)</u>
Ending Balance 05/31/2009	<u>\$ 1,284,872</u>

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NOTE 7 CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST

The College is the beneficiary of a charitable remainder trust which is administered by a third party. A charitable remainder trust provides for the payment of distributions to the donors' designated beneficiaries over the trust's term (designated beneficiary's lifetime). At the end of the trust's term, the remaining assets are available for the College's use. The portion of the trust attributable to the present value of the future benefits to be received by the College was recorded in the Statement of Activities as a temporarily restricted contribution in the period the trust was established. Net distributions for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, totaled \$21,073 and \$23,325, respectively. Assets held in the charitable remainder trust totaled \$291,961 and \$398,111 at May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively, and are reported at fair market value in the College's long-term investments on the Statements of Financial Position.

On an annual basis, the College revalues the liability to make distributions to the designated beneficiaries based on actuarial assumptions. The present value of the estimated future payments (\$176,354 and \$183,950 at May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively) is calculated using a discount rate of 6.4% and applicable mortality tables. The change in the present value of the estimated future payments of \$7,596 and \$7,625 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, is recorded in the Statements of Activities.

NOTE 8 ENDOWMENT NET ASSETS

The College has adopted FASB Staff Position (FSP) FAS No. 117-1 which improves the disclosures about an organization's endowment funds (both donor-restricted endowment funds and board-restricted endowment funds), whether or not the organization is subject to UPMIFA.

The enhanced disclosure shall disclose information to enable users of the financial statements to understand the net asset classification, net asset composition, changes in net asset composition, spending policies, and related investment policies of its endowment funds (both donor-restricted and board-designated).

Endowment net asset composition by type of fund as of May 31, 2009 are as follows:

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total Net Endowment Assets</u>
Donor Restricted Endowment Funds	\$ 0	\$ 2,305,817	\$11,161,358	\$13,467,175
Board Designated Endowment Funds	<u>2,243,277</u>	<u>115,653</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,358,929</u>
Total Funds	<u>\$ 2,243,277</u>	<u>\$ 2,421,469</u>	<u>\$11,161,358</u>	<u>\$15,826,104</u>

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NOTE 8 ENDOWMENT NET ASSETS (Continued)

Changes in endowment net assets for the year ended May 31, 2009 are as follows:

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total Net Endowment Assets</u>
Endowment Net Assets at 06/01/08:	\$ 2,740,759	\$ 5,510,682	\$10,352,221	\$18,603,662
Contributions:				
Donor Contributions to Endowments	0	4,291	735,937	740,228
Transfers from Developing Endowment	0	0	69,109	69,109
Income Returned to Principal Per Donor Stipulation	0	0	4,091	4,091
Transfer to Board Designated Quasi Endowment Funds	45,983	0	0	45,983
Investment Income, Net	95,108	380,498	0	475,606
Depreciation, Net	(483,780)	(2,869,729)	0	(3,353,509)
Amounts Appropriated for Expenditure	<u>(154,793)</u>	<u>(604,273)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(759,066)</u>
Endowment Net Assets at 05/31/09	<u>\$ 2,243,277</u>	<u>\$ 2,421,469</u>	<u>\$11,161,358</u>	<u>\$15,826,104</u>

Permanently Restricted Endowments are carried at historical dollar values, based on the stipulations of the donors.

The Permanently Restricted Endowment has 90 out of 279 endowments underwater, for a total loss of \$627,784, which is reflected as Temporarily Restricted Net Assets.

NOTE 9 CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY

In addition to a charitable remainder trust, the College also administers several charitable gift annuities. The gift annuities provide for distributions to the donors for the remainder of their lives. Upon the death of the donors, the remaining assets are available for College use, subject to donor restrictions, if any. At May 31, 2009 and 2008, the College's obligation on these annuities totaled \$121,211 and \$125,074, respectively. The obligations were calculated similar to the charitable remainder trust using discount rates varying from 3.8% to 6.2%. Distributions under these annuity arrangements were \$13,137 and \$12,073 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

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NOTE 10 LAND, BUILDINGS, AND EQUIPMENT, NET AND CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS

A detail of the College's land, buildings, and equipment, net at May 31, 2009 and 2008, consisted of the following:

	2009	2008
Land	\$ 6,205,850	\$ 6,205,850
Land Improvements	3,923,058	3,572,744
Buildings and Improvements	63,972,940	57,699,492
Leasehold Improvements	922,949	898,852
Equipment	13,239,837	12,049,698
Library and Art Collections	8,721,295	8,320,144
Other Capitalized Costs	124,009	120,484
Accumulated Depreciation	(31,690,529)	(28,010,002)
Net Land, Buildings, and Equipment	\$ 65,419,409	\$ 60,857,262

Total depreciation for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, was \$3,680,526 and \$3,440,564, respectively, and was allocated to the College's functional expense categories.

Construction in progress of \$2,119,663 at May 31, 2008, consisted of costs related to the CIMIP Building and the Science and Technology Center which was completed during the year ended May 31, 2009.

NOTE 11 BOND ISSUANCE COSTS

The College has incurred costs associated with the issuance of bonds. Such costs are deferred and amortized using the straight-line method over the life of related debt. Amortization expense of bond issuance costs was \$423,007 and \$219,670 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. Bond issuance costs net of accumulated amortization at May 31, 2009 and 2008, were as follows:

	2009	2008
Bond Issuance Costs	\$ 2,055,355	\$ 2,055,355
Accumulated Amortization	(1,555,886)	(1,132,879)
Bond Issuance Costs (Net)	\$ 499,469	\$ 922,476

NOTE 12 LINES OF CREDIT

The College has an unsecured \$4,000,000 revolving line of credit with a bank, bearing interest at a rate of 3.25% and 5.00% for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. The line expires December 31, 2009. The College borrowed \$5,000,000 and \$7,150,458 against this line during the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. The College paid \$39,414 and \$8,246 in interest for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. The College had an outstanding balance of \$0 and \$1,500,000 on its line of credit at May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

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NOTE 12 LINES OF CREDIT (Continued)

In January 2008, the College entered into an agreement for a non-revolving line of credit with a bank in the amount of \$3,000,000 bearing interest at a rate of 6.75% for both the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008. The College borrowed \$1,100,000 and \$0 against the line during the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. The outstanding balance was \$1,100,000 and \$0 at May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. The line of credit expires January 7, 2013. Interest expense was \$36,713 and \$0 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

NOTE 13 LONG-TERM DEBT

The College's outstanding debt at May 31, 2009 and 2008, consisted of the following:

	<u>Maturity</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Academic Building Bonds –				
1969	10/09	3.000%	\$ 56,368	\$ 110,368
Revenue Bonds – 1998	08/08	5.300%	0	165,000
Revenue Bonds – 1998	08/28	5.750%	7,005,000	7,005,000
Term Bond – 2001	12/11	6.375%	930,000	1,205,000
Term Bond – 2001	12/21	6.750%	4,815,000	4,815,000
Term Bond – 2001	12/31	6.850%	9,300,000	9,300,000
Term Bond – 2005 Series A	10/25	3.600%	4,110,000	4,110,000
Term Bond – 2005 Series B	10/34	2.720-		
		4.500%	8,030,000	8,030,000
Term Note	07/13	7.900%	351,911	0
Mortgage	02/19	6.530%	<u>4,589,212</u>	<u>0</u>
			39,187,491	34,740,368
Current Maturities			<u>(673,365)</u>	<u>(494,000)</u>
Total Long-Term Debt			<u>\$ 38,514,126</u>	<u>\$ 34,246,368</u>

The 1969 series bonds are secured by the revenues of the related project and all income and receipts earned on funds held by the trustee.

The 1998 series bonds are secured by all the monies and securities held by the trustees, a first mortgage lien on the facility, and a first priority security interest on the equipment, receipts, revenues, and income received by the College from the operations of the facility.

The 2001 series bonds are secured by a mortgage lien on and security interest in certain real property and buildings and structures located on its campus.

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NOTE 13 LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

The 2005 series bonds are secured by a letter of credit with Citizens Bank in an amount equal to outstanding principal and (a) 2005 Series A - thirty five days of interest at the maximum rate under the indenture agreement and (b) 2005 Series B – 183 days of interest. The bonds are further secured by the monies and securities held by the trustees and accounts established under the indenture and investment earnings thereon.

The term note is secured by a security interest in a Turnkey Chiller and Cooling Tower System.

The mortgage is secured by a mortgage lien on and security interest in certain real property and improvements located on its campus. Principal and interest payments are based on a 25-year amortization. Interest is fixed at a rate of 6.53% for the first five years and then adjusted and re-amortized at January 28, 2014. Prepayment fees are a percent of the outstanding balance and apply if refinanced with a different lending institution.

Total interest expense incurred on Long-Term Debt was \$2,367,060 and \$2,303,259 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

The various bonds are collateralized by the related property and equipment. The Academic Building Bonds and Revenue Bond agreement requires the establishment of a debt service reserve which is recorded in the Statements of Financial Position at year end. At May 31, 2008, the College was not in compliance with one of the covenants regarding additional borrowed monies contained in the 2005 series Letter of Credit Agreement, but subsequently received a waiver. The College was in compliance with debt covenants at May 31, 2009.

The future annual requirements to amortize long-term debt outstanding at May 31, 2009, are as follows:

Year Ending <u>May 31,</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2010	\$ 673,365
2011	773,404
2012	1,095,673
2013	1,168,874
2014	1,140,252
To Maturity	<u>34,335,923</u>
Total	<u>\$ 39,187,491</u>

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NOTE 13 LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

Advance Refunding

On November 29, 2005, the College refunded and defeased in substance its outstanding 2004 Series bonds of \$7,840,000 with the Series 2005B bonds. All of the issuance costs were funded from the bond proceeds. The net proceeds of \$7,923,656, in addition to the 2004 Series bond reserve of \$639,209, were deposited into an irrevocable trust to provide funding for the debt service on the 2004 Series bonds to the call date in the year 2009. The excess costs of \$722,865 necessary to defease the 2004 Series bonds will be amortized over the remaining life of the bonds and are included in bond issuance costs.

NOTE 14 BOND PREMIUM

The College recognized bond premiums in conjunction with the sale of the Series 2005 and 2004 bonds. The bond premiums of \$258,605 and \$390,191 at May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, respectively, are being amortized as interest income over the life of the bonds.

NOTE 15 LEASE COMMITMENTS

On August 13, 1998, the College sold the Burrstone House Building to St. Luke's Memorial Hospital Center (Hospital). As a condition of the sale, the College is allowed to lease back space in the building for a period not to exceed 10 years as specified in the initial lease agreement. A lease extension and modification agreement has extended the provisions of this lease for an additional 5 years through May 31, 2013. Under the agreement, the College or the Hospital can terminate the lease providing certain time restrictions are met.

The lease agreement set forth monthly rent payments, allocated based on percent of square footage occupied by the College (currently 75%), of the mortgage, land lease, and depreciation costs incurred by the Hospital offset by plant operation costs incurred by the College. Total lease expense was \$140,079 and \$126,837 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

On May 11, 2001, the College entered into two lease agreements with the Upper Mohawk Valley Memorial Auditorium Authority (Authority) for the Utica Memorial Auditorium (Auditorium).

The first agreement provides for the College to lease the ice arena to facilitate its collegiate ice hockey program which began during the 2001-2002 academic year. The terms of the lease are for 10 years beginning October 1, 2001, with the ability to renew and terminate in accordance with the specifications outlined in the agreement. Rent is paid in the amount of \$95 per hour. The Authority reserves the right to increase this rate during the remaining years, not to exceed an increase of 10%, in any one year. The agreement also outlines terms for concessions and admissions. Facilities rental expense was \$90,978 and \$71,323 for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

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NOTE 15 LEASE COMMITMENTS (Continued)

A separate agreement with the Authority dated the same, is for a term of 20 years, beginning June 1, 2001, for \$10 annually. The College leases a parcel of land adjacent to the Auditorium which will be used to construct a locker room facility. The College is responsible for utilities and repairs for the locker room facility. The lease has certain options for renewal and termination as outlined in the agreement. Total capitalized leasehold improvements related to this project amounted to \$717,008 at May 31, 2009 and 2008.

NOTE 16 POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS

The College sponsors two defined benefit postretirement plans which cover substantially all employees that attain the age of 55 years with one year of service. For new employees hired after May 31, 2004, an individual must be at least 55, with a minimum of 5 years of service and a minimum combination of service and age at retirement equaling at least 65. All employees age 50 or older as of May 31, 2004, are exempt from this provision. Three postretirement plans offered are Blue PPO, Blue EPO, and High Deductible Health Plan through Excellus Blue Cross Blue Shield. For coverage after age 65, retirees are covered by the same medical plans provided for active employees (Blue PPO, Blue EPO, and the High Deductible Health Plan), with the option to elect Medicare Advantage. These plans are contributory (effective January 1, 2006 the contributory portion is 17%) for retirees under age 65, and are noncontributory for those 65 through 69. Coverage under the health care plan ceases once a retiree reaches the age of 70 years. Retirees 70 or older may continue their coverage on a full payment basis. All retirees are provided life insurance benefits of \$3,000 which continue beyond the age of 70 until death of the retiree.

Upon Utica College becoming a separate fiscal entity, Syracuse University assumed the liability for all Utica College retirees as of that date. In accordance with the provisions of SFAS No. 106, "Employers Accounting for Postretirement Benefits Other Than Pensions," Utica College recognized the accrued postretirement benefit cost they had previously accrued as of June 30, 1995, while financially affiliated with Syracuse University, with the exception of the Accumulated Postretirement Benefit Obligation for retirees as of the date of separation.

The College adopted the recognition and disclosure provisions of SFAS No. 158. SFAS No. 158 required the College to recognize the funded status (i.e., the difference between the fair value of plan assets and the projected benefit obligation) of its pension and postretirement plans in the May 31, 2008 accompanying statement of financial position, with a corresponding adjustment to unrestricted net assets. The adjustment to unrestricted net assets at adoption represents the unrecognized net actuarial losses and unrecognized prior service costs, which were previously netted against the pension and postretirement plan's funded status in the College's statement of financial position

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NOTE 16 POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS (Continued)

pursuant to the provisions of SFAS No. 87, Employers' Accounting for Pensions. These amounts will be subsequently recognized as net periodic benefit costs pursuant to the College's historical accounting policy for amortizing such amounts. Further, actuarial gains and losses that arise in subsequent periods and are not recognized as net periodic benefit costs in the same periods will be recognized as a component of unrestricted net assets. Those amounts will be subsequently recognized as a component of net periodic benefit costs on the same basis as the amounts recognized in unrestricted net assets at adoption of SFAS No. 158.

The incremental effects of adopting the provisions of SFAS No. 158 on the College's accompanying statement of financial position at May 31, 2009, are presented in the following table. The adoption of SFAS No. 158 had no effect on the College's excess of revenues over expenses for the year ended May 31, 2009, or for any prior period presented, and it will not affect the College's operating results in future periods. Had the College not been required to adopt SFAS No. 158 at May 31, 2009, it would have recognized an additional minimum liability pursuant to the provisions of SFAS No. 87. The effect of recognizing the additional minimum liability is included in the table below in the column labeled "Prior to Adopting SFAS No. 158."

	<u>Prior to Adopting SFAS No. 158</u>	<u>Effect of Adopting SFAS No. 158</u>	<u>Reported as of May 31, 2008</u>
<u>Postretirement Benefits:</u>			
Postretirement Benefit Liability	\$ (5,621,951)	\$ (825,122)	\$ (6,447,073)
Unrestricted Net Assets	\$(17,841,000)	\$ 825,122	\$(17,015,878)

Information with respect to the plans is as follows:

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Change in Benefit Obligation		
Benefit Obligation at Beginning of Year	\$ 6,447,073	\$ 6,408,754
Service Cost	302,494	313,203
Interest Cost	424,179	391,074
Plan Participant's Contributions	41,123	48,397
Amendments/Curtailments/Special Termination	0	0
Actuarial (Gain)/Loss	13,537	(250,138)
Benefits Paid	<u>(590,434)</u>	<u>(464,217)</u>
Benefit Obligation at End of Year	<u>\$ 6,637,972</u>	<u>\$ 6,447,073</u>
Change in Plan Assets		
Fair Value of Plan Assets at Beginning of Year	\$ 0	\$ 0
Employer Contribution	549,311	415,820
Plan Participant's Contributions	41,123	48,397
Benefits Paid	<u>(590,434)</u>	<u>(464,217)</u>
Fair Value of Plan Assets at Year End	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

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NOTE 16 POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS (Continued)

	2009	2008
Components of Prepaid/(Accrued) Benefit Cost		
Funded Status	\$ (6,637,972)	\$ (6,447,073)
Unrecognized Transition Obligation	0	0
Unrecognized Prior Service Cost	0	0
Unrecognized Actuarial Net Loss	0	0
(Accrued) Benefit Cost	<u>\$ (6,637,972)</u>	<u>\$ (6,447,073)</u>
Components of Net Periodic Benefit Cost		
Service Cost	\$ 302,494	\$ 313,203
Interest Cost	424,179	391,074
Amortization of Gains and Losses	34,950	70,540
Amortization of Unrecognized Prior Service Cost	(32,563)	(32,563)
Net Periodic Postretirement Benefit Cost	<u>\$ 729,060</u>	<u>\$ 742,254</u>

A summary of the estimated unrecognized net actuarial loss and prior service cost amounts to be amortized from unrestricted net assets into net periodic benefit cost during the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, is presented below:

	2009	2008
Amortization of Net Actuarial Loss	\$ 13,537	\$ 1,108,052
Amortization of Prior Service Cost	0	(282,930)
Total	<u>\$ 13,537</u>	<u>\$ 825,122</u>

The College expects to contribute \$611,001 to the plans, net of employee contributions for the year ending May 31, 2010.

The weighted average assumptions used to determine the benefit obligation and net benefit cost are as follows for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008:

	Discount Rate	
	2009	2008
Benefit Obligation	6.87%	6.84%
Net Periodic Benefit Cost	6.84%	6.15%

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NOTE 16 POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS (Continued)

Estimated Future Benefit Payments

Shown below are expected benefit payments which reflect expected future service for the fiscal year:

	Gross Payments
2010	\$ 611,001
2011	\$ 659,912
2012	\$ 605,637
2013	\$ 612,998
2014	\$ 628,557
2015-2019	\$ 2,850,506

The assumed health care cost trend rate information is as follows:

Assumed Pre-65 medical trend rates at May 31

Health care cost trend rate assumed for next year	8.00%
Rate to which the cost trend rate is assumed to decline (the ultimate trend rate)	5.00%
Year that the rate reaches the ultimate trend rate	2015

Assumed Post-65 medical trend rates at May 31

Health care cost trend rate assumed for next year	6.95%
Rate to which the cost trend rate is assumed to decline (the ultimate trend rate)	5.00%
Year that the rate reaches the ultimate trend rate	2015

Assumed Prescription Drug trend rates at May 31

Health care cost trend rate assumed for next year	10.00%
Rate to which the cost trend rate is assumed to decline (the ultimate trend rate)	5.00%
Year that the rate reaches the ultimate trend rate	2015

Assumed health care cost trend rates have a significant effect on the amounts reported for the health care plans. A one-percentage-point change in the health care cost trend rates would have the following effects:

	1-Percentage Point Increase	1-Percentage Point Decrease
Effect on total of service and interest cost components	\$ 86,540	\$ (76,501)
Effect on postretirement benefit obligation	\$ 584,410	\$ (530,853)

Utica College has chosen not to apply for the Medicare Part D prescription drug federal subsidy. Therefore, the above disclosure does not reflect the impact of Medicare Part D. Authoritative guidance on Accounting for the Act's federal subsidy is pending and that guidance, when issued, could require changes to previously reported information.

The College measures the obligations and related asset values as of May 31 of each year.

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NOTE 17 PENSION PLANS

The College participates in the Teachers' Insurance and Annuity Association/College Retirement Equities Fund (TIAA/CREF) program. TIAA/CREF is a not-for-profit organization which provides benefits through annuity contracts. The retirement program is a defined contribution retirement plan.

The College contributes up to 11% of eligible employees' earnings to TIAA/CREF on an annual basis and for the years ended May 31, 2009 and 2008, the College's required contributions amounted to \$1,597,868 and \$1,543,858, respectively.

NOTE 18 RELATED PARTIES

The College conducts business with various vendors throughout the Greater Utica Area. Several of the College's vendors have principals or employees currently serving on its Board of Trustees. In accordance with College's by-laws, each vendor serving on the College's Board of Trustees is required to disclose the details of transactions and other business involvements with the College. Significant related-party transactions for the year ended May 31, 2009, include certain lines of insurance coverage (approximately \$30,000), automobile sales, leases, or rentals and parts and service (approximately \$100,000), janitorial, landscape, and building maintenance service (approximately \$2,300,000 annual contract), government relations services (approximately \$60,000), and data processing, printing, mailing, and e-mail marketing for the Development Office (approximately \$40,000).

NOTE 19 AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

Effective July 1, 1995, the College became a legally and fiscally independent institution of higher education. However, the College continues to be academically affiliated with Syracuse University.

NOTE 20 CONTINGENCIES

Federally funded financial aid programs are subject to special audit. Such audits could result in claims against the resources of the College. No provision has been made for any liabilities that may arise from such audits since the amounts, if any, cannot be determined at this date.

NOTE 21 NET ASSETS

The College's net assets are comprised of the following at May 31, 2009 and 2008:

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Unrestricted		
Unrestricted Net Assets (excluding endowments)	\$ 19,051,257	\$ 14,516,768
Quasi-Unrestricted Endowment-Principal	1,589,471	1,543,488
Unrestricted Realized/Unrealized Gains	<u>653,806</u>	<u>955,622</u>
	<u>21,294,534</u>	<u>17,015,878</u>

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NOTE 21 NET ASSETS (Continued)

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Temporarily Restricted		
Restricted Fund Balances (from Donor Gifts and Distributed Endowment Income)		
Campus Development	166,908	3,941,168
Faculty and Program Development	883,064	810,628
Library	89,690	91,887
Scholarship	1,018,214	795,305
Prizes	14,062	12,844
Development Endowment	112,070	150,705
Restricted – Other	694,319	632,212
Temporarily Restricted Endowment Principal	276,693	358,700
Restricted Realized/Unrealized Gains	<u>2,144,776</u>	<u>5,240,850</u>
	<u>5,399,796</u>	<u>12,034,299</u>
 Permanently Restricted		
Permanently Restricted Endowment Principal	11,161,358	10,352,221
Annuity and Life Income	<u>206,847</u>	<u>303,340</u>
	<u>11,368,205</u>	<u>10,655,561</u>
 Total Net Assets	 <u>\$ 38,062,535</u>	 <u>\$ 39,705,738</u>