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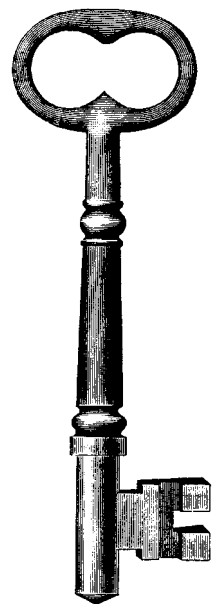
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Inside this edition, meet Ashley Chase, learn about an epic competition, and find out how you can be featured online. There's a lot going on at the University of South Carolina—too much for one mailer—but here's a little information to get you started.



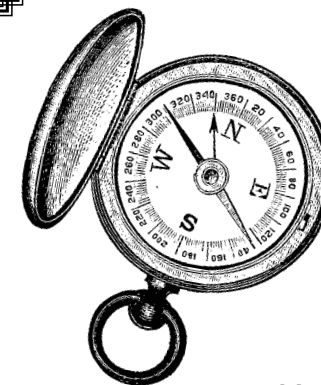
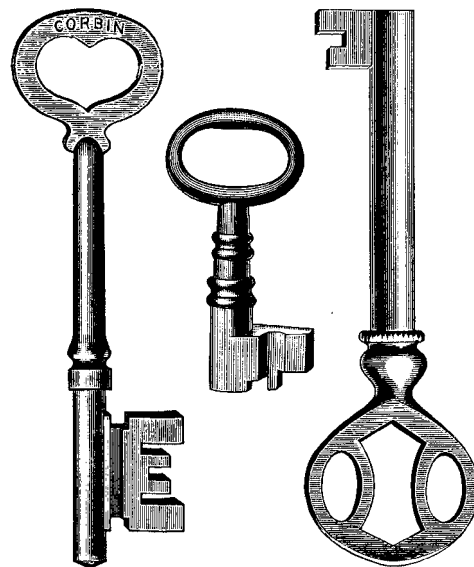
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Donors and Friends

At the University of South Carolina, high-achieving students, world-class faculty, and nationally ranked programs are only part of the story. Many accomplishments would not be possible without the annual support of donors and friends of the University.

Those friends include longtime supporters, businesses, foundations, and South Carolina's own alumni, students, faculty, and staff—many of whom are regular contributors to the Annual Fund.

Through annual gifts that sustain Carolina, the University is able to maintain academic excellence, recruit top students and faculty, upgrade facilities, and enable groundbreaking research, all while strengthening the student experience.



Where does the money go?

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