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To: The University Community

Stony Brook Responds

The New York State World Trade Center Relief Fund

As Stony Brook students, faculty, and staff struggle to deal with the events of September 11, one feeling unites us all: the desire to help. Our community has been touched by a historic tragedy—some of us personally, all of us profoundly.

We are all looking for a way to channel our grief and resolve in a positive direction. New York State has established a relief fund to aid victims of the World Trade Center tragedy. To support this effort as a University community, the Stony Brook Foundation has created a special fund: Stony Brook Responds. All contributions to the Stony Brook Responds fund will be presented to the New York State World Trade Center Relief Fund as a collective gift from the more than 32,000 women and men of Stony Brook University.

We are an extraordinarily diverse campus community, the Stony Brook Responds fund will give all of us—people of all faiths, cultures, and ethnic backgrounds—a chance once again to come together to assist the larger community in this time of need.

You can support Stony Brook Responds in several ways. Simply send a check, payable to the Stony Brook Foundation, to Stephanie Tarantino, University Advancement, 330 Administration, Z-1601. You can contribute using a credit card on our secure form at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/stonybrookresponds> . You can also download and print a form from the Web site and mail it in with credit card information. If you can not access the Web site, we will fax you a form, or you can pick one up at 330 Administration or at many locations around campus; just look for the Stony Brook Responds posters. For more information, call Stephanie at 632-4733 or e-mail [stephanie.tarantino@stonybrook.edu](mailto:stephanie.tarantino@stonybrook.edu).

As a community we can make a difference by sending a message of generosity, compassion, and support for the World Trade Center victims and their families. Please join Stony Brook Responds today.