

Resolution No. 2023.05/28
Authorization to Name
Barb Dallinger Crew Room

Resolution

Whereas, the Board of Trustees, as authorized by the Board of Trustees Governing Document, Section C, Policies, Subsection IV-C, Naming of Facilities, shall approve the naming of all facilities at the University; and

Whereas, the Crew Room (Room 36) in the Braden Auditorium is located in, Normal, IL; and

Whereas, Barb Dallinger has committed financial resources to Illinois State University; and

Whereas, the University Naming Committee has recommended, and Interim President Tarhule has endorsed the recommendations as described herein:

Therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Trustees in regular meeting assembled, approves the naming of the Crew Room (Room 36) in the Braden Auditorium the "Barb Dallinger Crew Room" in recognition of financial support to Illinois State University.

Board Action on: Motion by:			Postpone: Amend:		
Second by:			Disapprove:		
Vote:	Yeas:	Nays:	Approve:		
			ATTEST:	Board Action,	May 12, 2023
				Secretar	ry / Chairperson

Board of Trustees Illinois State University Authorization to Name Barb Dallinger Crew Room

The Division of Student Affairs, in consultation and support from University Advancement, respectfully requests the naming of the Crew Room (Room 36) in the Braden Auditorium as the Barb Dallinger Crew Room. This naming reflects and recognizes the generous financial commitment by Barb Dallinger to Braden Auditorium.

Barb Dallinger, B.S. '81, M.S. '01, is a 30-year employee of ISU and has devoted her entire adult life to ISU. Beginning her work at Illinois State in 1991 in the College of Fine Arts, Barb went on to hold various positions in the Division of Student Affairs, including the following departments: University Housing Services, Campus Dining Services, the Dean of Students Office, the Bone Student Center/Braden Auditorium, and Event Management, Dining, and Hospitality until her retirement in 2022.

Barb has worked with groups such as PRIDE, UPB, and the InfoCentre staff at the Bone Student Center/Braden Auditorium. She is also credited with creating the LGBTQA Alumni Network, which has served hundreds of ISU Alumni.

With a reputation of mentoring and impacting the lives of countless students, Barb has received the Illinois State University Distinguished Service Award, the Neal R. Gamsky Quality of Student Life Award, and numerous Division of Student Affairs STAR Awards. She has served as the chair of the Triangle Association and the LGBTQ Faculty-Staff organization. Barb has also served on the boards of the LGBT Queer Studies Institute, the Illinois Soldiers & Sailors Children's School Historical Preservation Society, and Illinois State University's Friends of the Arts.