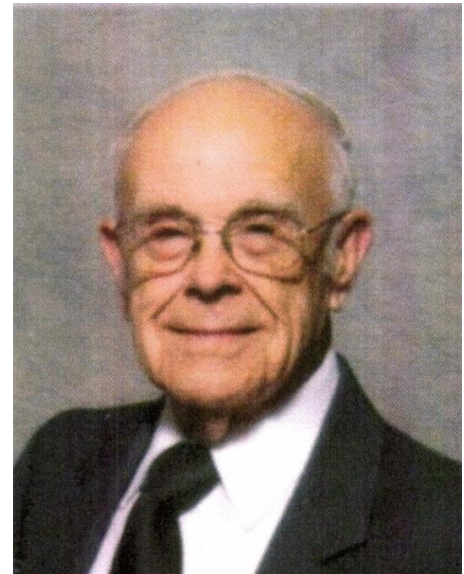


DUNCAN AND WILMA LAMPMAN AUTOMOTIVE SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT

Duncan and Wilma came to SIU in 1954 to be part of the new venture at SIU called the Vocational Technical Institute (VTI).

VTI predated community colleges and was the development ground for technical training for the State and nation.

Duncan taught in the Machine Drafting and Design. Wilma became the first librarian for the VTI campus. Later, Wilma went on to also work in Morris Library and Admissions during her career at SIU.



VTI was housed on a former military facility near Carterville, IL. The campus was rundown, but with everyone pulling together and hard work, VTI grew into a very special place. If something needed to be done, they did not question it. They did it because it would help the programs and students. With Automotive being one of the very first-degree programs in VTI, the faculty, staff, and students displayed the exceptional hard work necessary to become a world class program.

In their retirement, the Lampman's established this endowment to support students who display that same hard work, desire to learn, and passion for the University as those who developed VTI.