

### RESEARCH

# Make a discovery

If you want to contribute to solving the world's critical problems, from climate change to security, the Pardee School is a great place to start. Research here combines rigorous scholarship with relevance to policymaking, and it cuts across disciplines—because big problems cut across disciplines, too.

The urgent issues our faculty members tackle cross international borders as well. So our research teams travel around the world to pursue projects, often in conjunction with international partners, that will affect the lives of people in every part of the globe.

### Support the Pardee School's research efforts!

Many schools foster this kind of international perspective, but they often focus solely on relationships between governments. That's where Pardee goes a step further, exploring the tough, knotty issues that transcend borders and will take multiple disciplines and skills to solve.

Pardee has another advantage: the specialized centers and institutes we host, which focus on specific regions or areas of study. (See the back of this page to learn more.) In addition, several Pardee research programs cross disciplines to advance policy-relevant knowledge: the Global Economic Governance Initiative, the Initiative on Forced Migration and Human Trafficking, the Project on the Political Economy of Security, and the Policy and Security Initiative.

## WHAT YOU CAN DO

Some donors support research by endowing a professorship or a center in a specific area. But even a relatively modest gift can go a long way in advancing research at Pardee. Some options:

- Contribute to the general fund: \$5,000
- Support one graduate assistant for an academic year: \$10,000
- Endow a named research fund: \$250,000
- Endow a named distinguished visitors fund: \$1 million
- Endow a position for a distinguished practitioner in residence: \$2 million
- Endow and name an existing faculty position: \$2.5 million
- Endow and name a new faculty position: \$4 million

Pardee's interdisciplinary approach allows you to develop your own intellectual agenda, and to find your own voice. That's exciting. That's liberating!"

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