Frank E. Hartung was a professor in the Wayne State Department of Sociology from 1942 to 1978. He promoted the sociological study of crime and deviance. After Professor Hartung’s death, his family, colleagues, and students established the annual $1,000 Frank Hartung Memorial Award in his legacy to recognize students who wrote outstanding papers, theses, or dissertations in sociology.

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