

Hastings Alumni Board of Governors Statement of Obligations

As a member of the Hastings Alumni Board of Governors, each member agrees to:

- Attend all board meetings (either in person or remotely). If attendance at a meeting is not possible, the member will inform the alumni office and the President. There are typically three meetings a year.
- Foster a sense of pride and community among Hastings alumni that will result in greater commitment to Hastings, improved resources and ultimately improved rankings and reputation that reflects Hastings' position as one of the top law schools in the country.
- Serve as an ambassador of Hastings, strengthening the relationship among students, faculty, alumni and the administration.
- Become familiar with and actively support Hastings' mission and activities.
- Consider, suggest and take actions to improve the image and reputation of Hastings.
- Use friend-raising to assist in fundraising. Potentially significant donors should be made known to the Dean.
- Set an example for alumni by making a monetary contribution to Hastings each fiscal year. There is no minimum, maximum or suggested contribution amount. Each member should make an annual contribution that is personally significant. The fiscal year ends on June 30. Members are encouraged to make their annual contribution prior to September 30.
- Endeavor to identify "lost alumni" and re-introduce them to Hastings. Consider joining or identifying individuals to join the member's reunion committee. Class reunions occur every five years.
- Identify a project or task each fiscal year that the member will personally take on and complete to the extent practicable within the scope of Hastings strategic plan and in coordination with the Board of Governors and the Alumni Center. Each year, the President will ask the members of their plans to support Hastings in the coming year. Each member should identify a specific project or task he or she will complete before the end of the year (e.g., host or organize a specific alumni event, or analyze a particular issue, e.g., a factor affecting ratings or alumni outreach) and report to the Board the results.
- Assist in planning alumni events.
- Attend and promote as many alumni events as is practicable in the member's region, but in no event less than three during the fiscal year. The three event minimum will not apply to members in regions with infrequent alumni events (e.g., New York, New Mexico, Washington, etc.).