JMU POSC Alumni Board Membership Expectations

The following are minimum membership requirements to be fulfilled over the course of a three-year term. The Board recognizes that each Board member's contributions to the Board and the POSC Department are unique; therefore, consideration will be given to the relative time, talent, and resources of each prospective Board member.

Board Terms

Board members will serve one three-year term, with the possibility of renewal for a second term.

Commitment

Board members are expected to attend the 2-3 board meetings per academic year, and attend on-campus alumni events when possible. Board meetings will be held on campus or at a location determined by the Board (typically in the greater Washington or Richmond areas).

Board members' responsibilities include:

- Active service on Board committees as assigned
- Leadership positions on the Board or Board committees as needed
- Personal travel & lodging expenses associated with serving on the Board

Expectations of Alumni Board Members

The POSC Department expects Alumni Board members to:

- Participate on Board committees
- Attend Board meetings and participate on conference calls
- Promote and be an effective ambassador for JMU and the Department
- Participate and support fundraising activities for the Department
- Support and participate in alumni programs
- Engage fellow alumni to raise awareness of Department alumni activities and to encourage alumni involvement, including:
- Identify and nominate worthy alumni
- Be informed about developments in the POSC Department