

# College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences Alumni Association Agricultural and Consumer Economics (ACE) Vocational Director



## Mission Statement

The University of Illinois College of ACES Alumni Association inspires meaningful engagement and advocacy amongst the ACES family to advance the College of ACES.

## Board of Directors Composition

The College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences (ACES) Alumni Association Board of Directors is comprised of a president, vice-president, immediate past president, seven vocational directors, two major departmental representatives, eight district directors, a University of Illinois Extension Director, two young alumni directors, and two undergraduate student who also serves as the vice-chair for alumni relations on the Student Advancement Committee and a representative to ACES Council. Members are elected to serve two-year terms by the ACES Alumni Association. A person shall not be elected for more than three consecutive terms (6 years).

## Role of Vocational Director

Each vocational director is responsible for representing ACES alumni who graduated from a specific degree of study based on the seven departments and representatives of majors departments (Ag Education & Ag Communications) within the College of ACES. He/she communicates the needs and concerns of constituents from their department to the ACES Alumni Association Board of Directors. The Director communicates with the Department Head/Faculty or Staff and assists with departmental alumni events, advisory boards and other programs as needed.

The Board of Directors meets four times per year on a week day. Most of the meetings are held on campus, unless otherwise decided by the executive board.

Board members are expected to serve on a committee(s) to further the mission of the ACES Alumni Board of Directors. Standing committees are: Nominating Committee, Alumni Engagement, Award & Recognition, Student Engagement, Fundraising and ACES Family Academies. Additional committees are established on an as needed basis. These committees meet via conference calls between board meetings.

## Eligibility

Nominees must have received a degree in a course of study or shall have pursued a vocation or profession which involves the course of study within the Agricultural Consumer and Economics from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences.

The nominating committee requires the following information:

- A letter outlining why the alumnus or alumna wants to serve in this capacity and the skills or experiences that the alumnus or alumna will bring to the Board of Directors.
- Resume or curriculum vitae
- One letter of reference and two additional names which may be contacted.

## Please submit all materials via mail or email to:

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Urbana, IL 61801  
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The application is due by October 15, 2017. The nominating committee will make a decision regarding the slate and applicants will be notified of their decision by email.

For more information call 217-333-7744 or email [acesalumni@illinois.edu](mailto:acesalumni@illinois.edu) or Tina Veal, Director of Alumni Relations at [vealt@illinois.edu](mailto:vealt@illinois.edu).