Charter of the  
University of Wisconsin School of Veterinary Medicine  
Alumni Advisory Board

Objectives:
To promote the advancement of the University of Wisconsin School of Veterinary Medicine by providing fellowship and the furtherance of professional relationships among the alumni, students, faculty, staff and friends of the School.
To encourage private giving to the School in support of the school’s strategic priorities including alumni communications and activities, academic initiatives, scholarships, and facility and equipment improvements, etc.

Membership:
Membership on the advisory board is on a volunteer basis. Should the number of volunteers exceed 15 the board may implement elections and/or term limitations. The board is open to graduates of the UW School of Veterinary Medicine and up to 3 positions will be dedicated to MS/PhD alumni of the Veterinary Sciences/Comparative Biomedical Sciences Graduate programs. It may also include on an ad hoc basis the following ex-officio members: Associate Dean for Advancement and Administration; Dean of the School; Associate Dean of Student Academic Affairs, a current student and/or current faculty member. The membership shall include at least one representative from the School’s Board of Visitors.

Roles and responsibilities:
The Alumni Advisory Board shall meet at least twice a year (once in the spring and once in the fall). Meetings may be conducted via teleconference. One of the annual meetings shall be held at the School or in conjunction with another school-hosted event.

The Alumni Advisory Board shall establish an Alumni Council for the purpose of communication between and among classes. Each class shall have at least one person from their class to serve on the Alumni Council. The Council Members will serve as principal resources for the school for organization of class reunions, class newsletters, and other announcements.

Dues:
No dues required.

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