



Dear Association of Alumnae member,

As the new president of the Association of Alumnae, I would like to welcome you to the start of our Alumnae year. This will be a very exciting year for the Association and I am happy that all of you will be joining us in this journey. I would like to welcome back our current members and thank the women who are new to this listserv for expressing an interest in the Association.

Over the summer, the officers and executive committee, along with the Office of Alumni Relations, worked diligently to prepare for our first business meeting of the academic year. If you are receiving this email, I know you are interested in how you can connect with the University and your fellow alumnae. We have a number of new programs for your participation and I cannot wait to share those opportunities with you on October 14, 2008 at 5:30 p.m.

The first meeting of this year will be a business meeting with dinner and will not include a program. This is a year of growth for the organization and we felt it was important to use the business meetings for more thoughtful discussions about our programming and next steps and to allow everyone time to contribute and socialize. Programs featuring keynote speakers from the University will still be offered by the Association as separate events so as not to compete with the importance of our meetings.

Once again, welcome to all and I look forward to a successful year.

Warm regards,

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