

Trent University Alumni Strategic Advisory Committee

Terms of Reference

Trent University's Guiding Statement on Alumni:

With a transformative, collaborative, and personal student experience as the foundation, Trent University considers its graduates invested and important lifelong stakeholders and members of its inclusive intellectual and social community. Through its decision-making, outreach, program and initiatives aimed to sustain and nurture relations with its alumni, Trent endeavours to involve the network of alumni worldwide in achieving the University's mission.

The Trent University Alumni Strategic Advisory Committee (ASAC) provides volunteer leadership through service, skills, networking, knowledge and strategic business acumen. The ASAC is established to provide a variety of perspectives and knowledgeable guidance that will help inform the work and priorities of the Alumni Engagement & Services Department and the Trent University Alumni Association. Committee members are chosen based on their career and community leadership experience, as well as previous involvement and interest in advancing Trent University. The committee members are asked to attend four meetings per year and make a two-year commitment to the committee. The terms can be renewable without limit for an additional two-year term.

Criteria for membership to the Alumni Strategy Committee

- 1. Committed to the Mission and Vision of Trent University & the TUAA
- 2. Willingness to share their talents and expertise in support of the priorities of Trent University Alumni
- 3. Interest in interacting with Trent University and members of the TUAA at a higher level
- 4. A good record of service to Trent University through advisory boards, the Alumni Association, Career Services, recruitment and / or financial support.

Roles and Responsibilities

- Committee meetings will be held four times per year (March, June, September, December).
 Meetings will include a University / TUAA update and members will provide feedback and
 engage in discussion on key strategic initiatives (i.e. TUAA Leadership Succession planning,
 Community Building, Diversity & Inclusiveness, Digital Engagement, Priority Setting).
- 2. Committee members are requested to host and attend events of Trent University and the Alumni Association as schedules allow.