

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

CRIMINAL JUSTICE ALUMNI ADVISORY BOARD

WHAT IS THE ALUMNI ADVISORY BOARD?

The Board is an organization dedicated to mentoring the next generation of criminal justice professionals. The Board provides advice, career counseling, and references for new graduates. In addition, the Board offers social networking and fellowship for Alumni.

The mission of the Board is to build bridges between criminal justice professionals, government leaders, students, faculty of the Department of Criminal Justice, and the University. The primary task is to improve communication and offer assistance to Alumni.

WHAT IS THE GOAL OF THE ALUMNI ADVISORY BOARD?

The goal of the Board is to develop a social network that will be educational and informative. The Board will accomplish this by setting a number of objectives for its members. These objectives are:

- ❖ To serve as liaisons for The University of Alabama
- ❖ To make recommendations to the Department of Criminal Justice regarding prospective students
- ❖ To assist undergraduate and graduate students through internships and scholarships
- ❖ To make recommendations to the Department of Criminal Justice regarding education programs, courses, and initiatives that provide a competitive advantage to graduates seeking employment
- ❖ To apprise the faculty of the Department of Criminal Justice of state, regional, and national research opportunities
- ❖ To advise students of career opportunities in the criminal justice field and to offer sound individual guidance from experienced professionals
- ❖ To support nominations by the Department of Criminal Justice for University awards where students and faculty are eligible
- ❖ To apprise the Department of Criminal Justice of service initiatives in the state where the department has the capability to make a significant contribution

WHY SHOULD I JOIN?

The Board is organized exclusively for the benefit of students, faculty, and alumni. Dues are not collected; however, donations will be accepted. Any donations collected are to be spent with the approval of a faculty advisor and the Board. Board members are asked only to give of their time and expertise. The Board offers members an opportunity to give back to the community.

HOW DO I JOIN?

You can join the Board by contacting either Chad Allen at allen4cj@yahoo.com or the Department of Criminal Justice.



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