



ST. PIUS X HIGH SCHOOL  
Dominican Sisters of Houston ★ 1956

## Alumni Association Board of Directors Application Form

### INTRODUCTION

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The purpose of the St. Pius X High School Alumni Association is to provide means for a continuing relationship between St. Pius X High School and its alumni. The St. Pius X High School Alumni Association promotes the long-term welfare of the school and serves as a vehicle through which all school alumni, friends, and community members can support SPX.

We are seeking talented leaders to serve on the Board of the St. Pius X High School Alumni Association to represent our diverse alumni population, increase alumni engagement, and support the school's strategic goals.

### QUALIFICATIONS

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Candidates should meet several of these qualifications:

- Graduate of St. Pius X High School
- History of financial support to the school and a willingness to demonstrate financial support within the term of board service
- Experience with non-profits, board service & governance, fundraising, events planning, etc.
- Availability and interest in serving and engaging in SPX activities and alumni board meetings
- Willingness and ability to identify and recruit potential donors and sponsors
- Demonstrated advocacy for the school
- Willingness to openly interact and engage students and other fellow alumni
- Past volunteer for school events and programs
- Leadership experience

### EXPECTATIONS

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A volunteer board of directors leads the Alumni Association. Our success depends on the personal commitment and active involvement of the individuals who embrace the privilege to serve and the responsibility to lead. Board members agree to support the school and the Alumni Association, to uphold the association's mission and meet the duties and expectations detailed below:

#### Advocacy and Personal Involvement

- Serve as school and association ambassador by staying well informed and helping broadcast the school's mission, successes, strategies, programs, strengths, and needs

- Attend alumni board meetings
- Actively participate in meetings and discussions, ensure association plans and programs will help to best leverage limited resources and most effectively achieve SPX and association goals
- Actively participate on at least one standing committee
- Support, promote and attend association initiatives and events
- Proactively volunteer your expertise, time, and support where needed
- Promote and attend school events
- Inform SPX board leaders and staff of issues impacting or of interest to alumni
- Identify new potential board and committee candidates to represent the alumni effectively

#### Financial Support

- Make a significant personal leadership gift annually. Our goal is 100% board participation; you determine the level at which you can participate
- Help identify and recruit potential donors and sponsors

#### PROCESS

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- Submit the board application with a copy of your resume.
- In February of a year with open positions, the members of the Board of Directors shall propose a slate of candidates for election to the Board. Each board member is responsible for bringing forward at least one potential alumni to be considered for membership. The Executive Committee will select the top candidate(s) by simple majority. The selected candidates will then be presented to the Board at the last meeting of the fiscal year for approval by the Board in line with the election guidelines.
- Candidates will be notified once the Alumni Board elects new officers, for a term of two (2) years. New Board members will be encouraged to join existing committees (as applicable) to shadow the current board for orientation purposes and to allow for smooth board growth and transitions.
- The Alumni Board of Directors term officially begins on August 1 each year.
- An officer may be re-elected to the same office for two (2) terms provided that no member shall serve more than nine (6) consecutive years as member and/or officer including any unexpired term.



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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of attendance at SPX: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation year: \_\_\_\_\_

### Home Information:

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Employment Information:

Current Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Profession/Industry \_\_\_\_\_

### Education:

Degree (s) (e.g., BA, MS) \_\_\_\_\_

**Board Committee Interest:**

Please list committee preferences:  
(Executive, Career/Mentoring, Social, Ad Hoc)

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If nominated, what will you contribute to the Board?

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What professional skill set, experience or characteristics do you possess, and how will it benefit the Alumni Association?

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Please list boards/committees on which you've served, when, and in what capacity.

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Please describe relevant leadership experience and/or experience motivating others.

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Please describe relevant civic/community volunteer experience.

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What was the highlight of your student experience at SPX?

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Do you know other SPX alumni in your network? Socially? Professionally?

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Have you ever volunteered with the SPX Alumni Association? If yes, when/how?

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When were you last on the SPX campus?

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