

Student Alumni Leadership Board

Application 2009

Due: 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4

Return via e-mail to sgerson@kualumni.org or in person at the Adams Alumni Center, 1266 Oread Ave.



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About the Student Alumni Leadership Board

The Student Alumni Leadership Board supports the KU Alumni Association in its mission of strengthening loyalty, friendship, commitment and communication among all those who take pride in KU. SALB members serve as the official student representatives and volunteers of the KU Alumni Association. SALB is considered the link between past, present and future Jayhawks, and represents the University at various functions throughout the year. Additionally, members facilitate spirit functions, serve as campus ambassadors and organize community service projects. The SALB office is located in the Adams Alumni Center, as the SALB works directly with the Alumni Association staff to create meaningful interaction between alumni and current students. Being a member of SALB allows you to interact with some of the best student leaders, campus officials and alumni who bleed crimson and blue. It also offers many leadership opportunities, and above all—it's a lot of fun!

Student Alumni Leadership Board Commitment and Requirements

The following are requirements in order to be in SALB:

- Be a current Student Alumni Association member (student membership \$20 in KUAA).
- Attend all bi-weekly meetings. Only one excused absence is allowed per semester. Meetings occur on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in the Adams Alumni Center.
- Attend all major SALB events or find ways to assist before or after these events if attendance is not possible. These events include but are not limited to Ice Cream Social, Celebrate KU, Home Football Fridays, Ring Ceremony and Grad Grill.
- Support and endorse all Student Alumni Association programming and events, and assist in recruiting members.
- Volunteer to assist with KUAA events and attend as many events as possible such as Rock Chalk Ball, Alumni Weekend, Jayhawk Generations Picnics and Kansas Honors Programs.
- Represent KU at Alumni Association and official University events.
- Time commitment is approximately 20-30 hours per semester depending on events.

Application Process

1. Attend the SALB information meeting 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 1, at the Adams Alumni Center (This is not required but is highly recommended.)
2. Complete page 2 of this application and submit by 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4 by e-mail (sgerson@kualumni.org) or return to the Adams Alumni Center. You will be notified by Wednesday, Sept. 9, whether you have been selected for an interview. Please be aware that we will be contacting you via *e-mail*.
3. If invited, attend the interview.
4. You will be notified within several days following your interview whether you have been selected for the Student Alumni Leadership Board. All new members are expected to attend the first SALB meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 15.

Questions? Please contact SALB Adviser Stefani Gerson (sgerson@kualumni.org or 785-864-4795) or SALB President Brent Blazek (bblazek@ku.edu).

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Name _____

Local address _____ City/State/ZIP _____

Home address _____ City/State/ZIP _____

Phone # _____

*E-mail Address _____

**PLEASE print legibly. We will use email as our primary method of communication throughout this process.*

Major _____ Full-time student (12 hours or more) YES NO

Are you a student in good standing? (GPA 2.0+) YES NO

Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Student

Application Questions

Please answer the following questions. Attach your typed responses and be sure to put your name on each page. Please keep your responses to each question between 150-350 words.

- 1.) Introduce yourself. Give us an idea of who you are.
- 2.) How did you hear about the Student Alumni Leadership Board?
- 3.) What do you know about the Student Alumni Leadership Board? Why are you interested in joining?
- 4.) Attach or describe your current resume (leadership involvement, jobs, community service, etc.).
- 5.) What other organizations and jobs do you plan to be involved in this year? How will this impact your commitment to SALB?
- 6.) For you, what does it mean to be a Jayhawk?

By completing this application, I acknowledge my commitment to SALB's purpose and will continue to build pride in KU. I have read the above, and if selected, confirm that I understand the mission of SALB, agree to attend meetings and fulfill my obligations as an SALB member to the best of my ability.

Interviews

You will be notified by e-mail whether you have been selected for an interview. Interviews will take place 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 10, for those invited to attend.

Additional information about the Student Alumni Leadership Board and a printable copy of this application form are available on the SALB Web site: www.kualumni.org/salb