WHITMAN COLLEGE

Milestone Reunion Co-Chair

Volunteer Job Description Alumni Relations and Office of Annual Giving

Joining a Reunion Committee is a fun and important way to be involved with the college. Reunion Co-Chairs lead their committee to plan class events and encourage fellow classmates to come back to campus and reconnect with the college and classmates. Together, volunteers create a memorable experience. The 10th, 25th, 40th and 50th reunions are considered milestone reunions and the Reunion Co-Chairs will lead a philanthropic effort to rally classmates to make a special gift in honor this milestone event. The cumulative efforts of the class are recognized during reunion weekend when their class gift is presented to the college.

Responsibilities for Milestone Reunion Co-Chairs

- Attend Volunteer Summit with the Alumni Office and Development staff
- Act as a consultant to the Alumni Office as staff members plan the weekend schedule of events; most importantly, provide information on how best to engage classmates in various aspects of the reunion (networking, banquet program, etc.)
- Agree to have your name listed on letters, website and social media pages regarding reunion communications
- Author or co-author letters, emails and other communications to your class with your signature inserted.
- Identify classmates for membership on the reunion committee for networking and fundraising for the reunion.
- Steward Committee members throughout the year, encouraging them to attend Reunion Weekend and participate in the class gift.
- Commit to attending your reunion
- Take the lead make your own gift by December 31
- Ask classmates to attend reunion and participate in the class gift via email, phone calls, and/or personal notes
- Document communications and progress givecampus.com/vms/whitmancollege
- Post, like, and share about Whitman and reunion weekend on social media
- Thank your classmates when they make a gift via phone, email or hand-written card
- Actively participate in class committee communications
- Lead periodic conference calls with your committee
- Support fellow committee members in their social and philanthropic outreach to their classmates
- Present your class gift to the President during Reunion Weekend
- Maintain confidentiality