



Future Alumni Organization

Application for Officer Position and Scholarship

Future Alumni Organization Mission

The Future Alumni Organization (FAO) at Missouri State University-West Plains is an organization for students, run by students. The mission is to connect students with the University, alumni and the community. Together the group fosters spirit, tradition and pride throughout the University. The group's goal is to provide activities and programs to assist Missouri State -West Plains students in their development as leaders, scholars and future alumni who are proud to be Grizzlies.

Officer Scholarships

When available, the president and vice-president of FAO receive scholarships thanks to donations from Philanthropic Women for Education. The FAO president receives a \$300 scholarship award and the vice-president, \$200.

Officer Requirements

The FAO president will be a returning Missouri State-West Plains student who has earned a minimum of 18 credit-hours as of the end of May 2017. The vice-president will be an incoming freshman. FAO officers should be outgoing with a positive attitude, good leadership skills, excellent verbal/written communication skills, ability to multi-task, good time-management skills and social-media savvy. Other requirements include:

- Full-time student preferred or a student who is enrolled in a minimum of 9 credit-hours per semester
- 2.5 cumulative GPA or higher
- Be able to commit an hour a week for club meetings and an hour a week to meet with the assistant director of development for updates and planning purposes
- Be able to commit additional time to volunteer for alumni events, plan and implement FAO events and represent Missouri State-West Plains
- Cannot hold a position in a different student organization with equal or more responsibilities

Application

To apply for an officer position, complete the attached application and submit it by:

- Email to WPDevelopment@MissouriState.edu
- Hand-deliver to the office of development on the first floor of Kellett Hall

Mail to: Missouri State University-West Plains
Attn: Office of Development
128 Garfield
West Plains, MO 65775

A committee will review the applications, contact potential candidates for interviews and select successful candidates for the president and vice-president positions.

The deadline for submitting an application is: **5:00 PM, Friday, September 8, 2017.**



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Name: _____ Bear Pass ID#: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Hometown: _____

Home Phone: _____ Campus Email: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Non-campus Email: _____

What degree are you seeking from Missouri State -West Plains? _____

Number of credit hours earned through last May: _____ Number of credit hours enrolled this semester: _____

Do you plan to work during the school year? Yes: _____ No: _____ If yes, how many hours per week? _____

List and describe below other campus activities and organizations you plan to be involved with during the year:

List and describe below any past involvement in campus activities and organizations:

List and describe below your past involvement in community service:

Provide the names and phone numbers or email addresses of two references, with the first reference being a Missouri State -West Plains faculty or staff member and the second being a non-campus reference.

1. Name: _____ Phone or Email: _____

2. Name: _____ Phone or Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____