

Trent University Alumni Advisory Committee (TUAAC)

Council Officer volunteer position description

About the Council

The Trent University Alumni Advisory Council (TUAAC) is a volunteer body that provides strategic insight, advocates for alumni interests, and strengthens lifelong connections between graduates and the University. Members advise on alumni programming, participate in key committees, and serve as ambassadors within the Trent community. The council is powered by alumni like you.

Your Role:

As an Officer of the Council, you'll support your alumni community in three ways:

1. Advisory Functions

- Provide advice to the director of Alumni Engagement & Services on strategic directions, annual priorities, Alumni programming and engagement activities
- Offer the unique perspective of alumni to ensure that the vision for Alumni Engagement & Services aligns with alumni needs and interests

2. Participatory Opportunities

- Recommend alumni candidates for the University Honours Subcommittee
- Recommend alumni candidates for the University Senate
- Recommend alumni candidates for the Senate Teaching Awards Subcommittee
- Recommend alumni candidates for the CUPE Award for Excellence in Teaching Selection Committee
- Approve new Council members
- Approve honorary members of TUAAC
- Join the Alumni Awards & Recognition Committee (optional)

3. Advocacy

- Work closely with the Alumni Engagement & Services Office to play an active ambassadorial role, connecting with fellow alumni as opportunities arise

What You'll Gain:

- Meet and connect with fellow Trent alumni in your area
- Grow your personal and professional networks
- Reignite and strengthen your relationship with Trent University
- Develop leadership, communication, and event-planning skills

What We're Looking For:

- Strong communication and organizational skills
- Enthusiasm for the Trent experience and alumni community
- Commitment to a 3-year term
- Commitment to attend 3 virtual meetings per year
- Willingness to:
 - Sign a confidentiality agreement
 - Be featured (by name) on the Trent Alumni website

If you have any questions, please contact us at alumni@trentu.ca.