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**Alumni Association Board of Directors**  
**Call for Nominations**

Dear Advancement Colleagues:

The UMass Amherst Alumni Association is currently accepting nominations for alumni interested in election to the Board of Directors. The Board oversees the Alumni Association's efforts to engage, advance and support the campus community and its students and alumni through a variety of programs, services and awards, as well as opportunities for volunteerism and advocacy.

Members of the Board of Directors are elected based on their demonstrated leadership, involvement, support and commitment to UMass Amherst and the Alumni Association. To that end, we hope to engage a diverse group of alumni as Board members who are eager to commit their time and share their wisdom in representing the alumni constituency, and who will accept a leadership and participatory role in working closely with the Alumni Association to further its mission and its strategic initiatives.

As members of the UMass Amherst community, you can help to ensure active and diverse representation on the Board by forwarding the names of qualified candidates to the Nominating Committee for consideration, particularly individuals from underrepresented groups including women and ALANA (African-American, Latino/a, Asian, & Native American) alumni. To be eligible for consideration, nominees must be UMass Amherst alumni, as well as dues-paying members of the Alumni Association, and must submit a complete nominee application. To submit an online nomination, please visit <http://www.umassalumni.com/about/elections.html>, or contact the Alumni Association at (800) 456-UMASS.

The call for nominations will conclude at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 6, 2009 and elections will take place during the months of March and April..

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Anna Symington".

Anna Symington '79, '83G  
Executive Director  
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