

**ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETING**  
**Sunday, September 14, 2014**  
**10:00 a.m.**

Conversation: Merle reviewed the finances with the board. Her review of the finances included information about the Alumni Insurance Program which generates some money for the Alumni Association's use. She also shared a draft of the Association's funding priorities which include: University capital campaigns, student travel stipends for conferences/posters/presentations, student community outreach, and commencement awards. With regard to the commencement awards, Merle explained that the Dean of Student Affairs recently conducted a review of all of the University's commencement awards and would be meeting with the Director of Institutional Advancement and Provost to discuss his findings. The outcome of this conversation will help inform the Alumni Association on how to more equitably present its annual commencement awards.

Action: Lynne Corboy, Director of Institutional Advancement will meet with the Dean of Student Affairs and Provost.

**Item 5:** Student Council Update – Jenna Roney and Alex St. Pierre

Conversation: Jenna and Alex explained that student council has not been very active in recent years and they are making a concerted effort to increase the organizations presence in student life. Already the organization held its first student organization information event in the form of an outdoor festival complete with steel drums and food trucks. The event, called *Salus Scoop* was tremendously festive and successful.

**Item 6:**

The board also discussed the format for the weekend and potentially incorporating an inter-professional education program to the on campus activities. The consensus was that this could provide an interesting incentive to attend the alumni weekend if attendees could get continuing education credits.

Action:The alumni office will task the Office of Professional Studies with researching the feasibility of creating an interprofessional program that could offer continuing education credits to all of our alumni professions.