Overview of UR Involved
Alumni and Parent Admissions Volunteers

Current Volunteer Opportunities

- **Interviewer** - meets with individual prospective students 1-1, at a group interviewing event, or assisting a counselor for an evening or afternoon in their region. Summarizes key points of conversation and submits to Admissions for inclusion in application materials.
- **College Fair Representative** - attends local fair(s) to meet student/families interest in UR and provides information and handouts about the University.
- **Admissions Event Host or Participant** - attends scheduled admissions events and represents UR alumni to help answer questions and promote the College.
- **Admitted Student Contact** - emails and calls to admitted students to congratulate and welcome them; offer to answer remaining questions and/or facilitate campus connections prior to their enrolling.

For the 2015-16 Season

- 27 Number of college fairs at which alumni represented the University
- 139 Active alumni interviewers
- ~10 Admissions Event Host/Attendees
- ~200 Alumni making admitted student congratulatory calls and emails

UR Involved FAQs

- How many college fairs are there?
  - This is not a static number and changes each year based on the number of college fair invitations we receive.
- How many interviews do alumni volunteers conduct nationally?
  - The number varies from year to year. One factor is the length of the “active recruiting season.” For example, in 2015-16 season, alumni conducted about 1,000 interviews through the 1:1 program over the course of 7 weeks. In previous years, with a 5-month recruiting season alumni may conduct 1500-2000 interviews.
- How many interviews are done in group settings?
  - Approximately 500 prospective students are interviewed at interview events.
- What is the typical turn-around time from the student’s request to the volunteer’s response?
  - We ask alumni to respond to a student request within 48 hours.
- What is the typical turnaround time between date of interview and when the volunteer submits the interview summary?
  - We ask volunteers to complete and submit the summary within 24 hours because the interview will be fresh in the memory.
- How many requests for interviews go unfulfilled each year?
  - None. If a student submits a request by the deadline date but hasn’t been contacted by their interviewer and is still interested in having an interview, we will reschedule him or her with another alumnus, admissions counselor, or senior student interviewer.