



Contact Former Classmates

Don't forget that you can search for and contact your former classmates using the [Shimer Alumni online community](#). Using the [search function](#) of the alumni website, you can search for a classmate by name, as well as by class year. Once you find the alum you are looking for you can view their profile and contact that person. The two main ways to contact your classmates are by sending a note or an e-mail.

E-mails can be sent to an alum by clicking on the [Send Member E-mail](#) link in their profile or the [envelope icon](#) in the search results. You can write them an e-mail just like you would using your regular e-mail service provider. The e-mail will be delivered to them as any other e-mail. If there is no icon or link with their profile than they do not have an e-mail address in the system.

Notes can be sent to an alum by clicking on [Send Note](#) link in their profile or the [notebook icon](#) in the search results. You can write a brief message in the allotted space much like the e-mail option. The note will be delivered to them when they next log into the alumni community.

For more help, please reference the [help page of the online community](#) or feel free to contact alumni@shimer.edu.

Montaigne Scholarship Competition

The deadline for the Montaigne Scholarship competition, February 1st, is fast approaching. On the weekend of February 13-14, prospective students will be visiting Shimer and competing on the basis of their merit in writing and discussion--the kind that Shimer students undertake every day. The Montaigne Scholarship competition awards two full-tuition and two half-tuition renewable scholarships for the 2010-2011 academic year. If you know of a prospective student who may be interested in the competition, please forward them to www.shimer.edu/montaigne. Don't forget the [any student referred by an alum will have their application fee waived](#).



Upcoming Events

Student & Alumni Social

1/17/2010 4:30 PM

All alumni are invited to come and socialize with current Shimer students.

Shimer Assembly Meeting

2/7/2010 4:00 PM

As members of the larger Shimer community, Alumni are invited to participate as non-voting members of the Assembly.

Montaigne Scholarship Competition Weekend

2/13/2010

Prospective students will be visiting Shimer and competing for two full-tuition and two half-tuition scholarships.

News From Shimer

Shimer-type Electives

This fall Shimer offered electives in *German For Reading*, *Feminist Theories*, and the *I Ching*. Read more about these electives and what is planned for spring.

Alumni, if you are interested in volunteering during the weekend of the competition, please let us know by e-mailing alumni@shimer.edu. We are looking for a limited number of alumni to have lunch with prospective students, as well as possibly serve on informational panels.

Help Usher in the Next Generation

The 1 best thing you can do is refer 1 prospective student and now they will have their application fee waived.

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