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### ADMISSIONS AMBASSADORS

UIC needs your help to recruit the best and brightest! Too many students are admitted to UIC and then for various reasons, choose to go elsewhere to begin their college education. By doing so, they miss the most excellent, diverse, educational experience this city has to offer. Help them make the right choice and join a new outreach activity by the UIC's Alumni Association and Office of Admissions and Records (OAR). Called the Alumni/Admissions Outreach Program, the Alumni Association is recruiting pharmacy alumni to call pre-pharmacy students who have been admitted to the undergraduate program and to answer any questions they might have about coming to UIC.

Alumni will be asked to phone approximately six (6) undergraduate students within a one-week period. Pharmacy alumni will be matched by college major (pre-pharmacy) and when possible by residence location. Volunteers will receive a training packet with all the information they need to prepare them for their calls. For more information, contact Ben Stickkan at [bstickan@uic.edu](mailto:bstickan@uic.edu), or (312) 996-6330.

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CHALLENGE OF THE DEANS

Dean Rosalie Sagraves will join other health science deans in a free-throw competition during half-time at the Flames basketball game on Thursday, February 7. The game against the UW-Milwaukee Panthers begins at 7 p.m. in the newly renovated UIC Pavilion.

Pizza, pop and beer will be available before the game starting at 5:30 p.m. Dinner and game ticket is \$12 in advance or \$15 at the door. Minors are \$5 in advance/\$8 at the door. To RSVP, call UIC Athletic Ticket Office (312) 413-8421 by January 30, 2002. Please indicate that you are with the College of Pharmacy. Discover, MasterCard and Visa accepted.

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## COHEN TO "LIGHT THE FLAME"

Edward S. Cohen (BS '75) will "Light the Flame" before the start of the Monday, January 21, 2002 Flames basketball game against Youngstown State. Cohen was recently selected as the 2002 Alumnus of the Year by the College of Pharmacy Alumni Association. The game, to be held on Martin Luther King Day, will begin at 3 p.m. Tickets cost \$10. To RSVP for tickets, contact the Pharmacy Alumni Office at (312) 996-3376 or [pharmacy@uic.edu](mailto:pharmacy@uic.edu).

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FIGHTING ILLINI HEAD TO SUGAR BOWL

The University of Illinois Alumni Association is organizing a trip to New Orleans to support the Fighting Illini at the Sugar Bowl on January 1, 2002. Because this is the Official University of Illinois Bowl Tour, sponsored by the University of Illinois Alumni Association, the trip will have the best hotels, chartered flights, access to official Illinois functions, luggage handling and welcome receptions—details that make a bowl tour unforgettable. For more information, visit <http://www.uiaa.org/urbana/01bowlbound.htm>

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## EMPLOYERS SOUGHT FOR VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR

The University of Illinois Alumni Career Center is sponsoring a Science and Health Virtual Job Fair during the month of March 2002. The enrollment fee is \$100 for employers. The fee allows for an unlimited number of job postings throughout the fair. The service is free to job seekers. The fair is open to students and alumni throughout the University of Illinois system. Internships, full- and part-time positions may be posted beginning January 15th. For further information, visit <http://www.uiaa.org/careers/jobfairfaqs.html>

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WINDY CITY CLASSIC

The Windy City Classic, a men's collegiate gymnastics championship, will be hosted by UIC on Saturday, January 12, 2002. Tickets are free to alumni, but limited to four per alumni. The meet begins at 7 p.m. at the Physical Education Building (901 W. Roosevelt). Call (312) 996-8535 or email scoon@uic.edu before Friday, December 28, 2001.

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## LOOKING FOR VETERANS

The Alumni Association seeks to identify veterans for a special project. If you served in any branch of the military, please contact the Pharmacy Alumni Office at (312) 996-3376 or [pharmacy@uic.edu](mailto:pharmacy@uic.edu).

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YEAR-END GIFTS

For alumni looking to make a gift before the end of the calendar year, consider making an on-line gift to the Pharmacy Annual Fund. Gifts must be made by Monday, December 31, 2001, to qualify for a 2001 charitable tax deduction. Visit http://www.uic.edu/pharmacy/offices/alumni/gift_form.htm

Support your alma mater and future pharmacists.

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#### COLLECTING CLASS NOTES

Please send your news (employment changes, family events, volunteer activities, new degrees, and other items) to the Pharmacy Alumni Office at the College of Pharmacy, 833 S. Wood Street (M/C 874), Chicago, IL 60612, or fax to (312) 996-3272 or e-mail at [pharmacy@uic.edu](mailto:pharmacy@uic.edu).

Your news will be published as class notes in the UIC Pharmacist (as appropriate).

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