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# Governors State University Alumni Association



Dear Alumni,

GSU's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary events are being held all year long here on campus. Here are some of the fabulous events

## GSU Alumni Idol Contest – April 4, 2009

It's not too late to join your fellow alumni for an evening of fun at our first GSU Alumni Idol. What's your talent? Do you sing, dance, play an instrument, do stand-up comedy? Perform in the first GSU Alumni Idol competition! You must be a GSU Alumni to compete. Don't want to compete? Come join the fun and vote for your favorite performer! Admission is free to Alumni Association card-holding members. Non-member fee is \$30, which includes your Alumni Association membership (\$25 for seniors 60 and over) for one year. Guests of alumni are \$10 each. For more information, go to [www.govst.edu/alumni](http://www.govst.edu/alumni) and click on "activities" or call the Alumni Relations Office at 708.534.4128.

## Save the Date

Mark your calendar for Friday, November 6 and Saturday, November 7 for a special 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary concert and gala here on campus. You won't want to miss this event. Friday evening features a special "*Tribute to the Motown Greats*" at the Center for Performing Arts and a fabulous Gala dinner event on Saturday. Watch your mail for more details.

## Alumni Clubs

Join one (or all) of our many alumni clubs. A wide range of alumni clubs are available to alumni. But you must be an Alumni Association card-holding member to take advantage of the clubs. From Artforum to Trio, Addiction Studies to Steppers and Line-dancing, Book Club to Chemistry, and many more. Visit our website at [www.govst.edu/alumni](http://www.govst.edu/alumni) to sign up for alumni clubs, or call the Alumni Relations Office at 708.534.4128 for more information on joining.

## 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Writing Competition – Deadline: April 30, 2009

Now under way is the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Writing Competition. **What impact has GSU had on your life?** Put your story in words and be part of history. The top submissions will be announced at the GSU Gala Celebration on November 7, 2009 and will be published in IMPACT, a magazine commemorating the best submissions. For more information, go to [www.govst.edu/alumni](http://www.govst.edu/alumni) and click on "activities." Submission deadline is April 30, 2009.

## Calling all Alumni Artists

A juried show featuring GSU Alumni artists is being planned in conjunction with the GSU 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration. Two-dimensional and three-dimensional original artwork will be placed on display. For more information about submitting artwork, please call the Alumni Association at 708.534.4128

## Business, Banking, Finance, Investments, and Accounting Career Fair

A business career fair, which will include banking, finance, investments and accounting, will be taking place in October. Watch your emails for more details to follow.

Many more events are being planned. I'll send you updates from time to time to keep you up to date. But feel free to visit our website at [www.govst.edu/alumni](http://www.govst.edu/alumni) at any time for up to the minute details.

Sincerely,

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