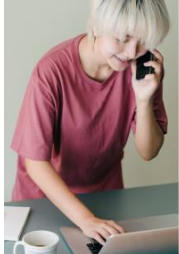




# CONNECT UMASS



The new Connect UMass platform is here! Designed exclusively for UMass Amherst, this dynamic mentoring and networking platform links alumni with one another and with current students, leveraging our powerful UMass community. Connect UMass offers enhanced features to make it easier for students and alumni to find one another for professional and personal connections. The platform also increases engagement, strengthens mentorship, and streamlines the process for alumni to keep their information up to date. In short, Connect UMass facilitates conversations across the commonwealth and the world, helping students and alumni benefit from a richer and more connected UMass community.

On this platform users can take advantage of many great features:

- A searchable alumni directory, which allows alumni users to find others who share their interests, work in the same industry, or live in the same region
- Groups based on shared interests, industries, or regions
- General and group-specific discussion boards
- A chat function to message others one-on-one for career networking or casual conversation
- A job board for finding or posting open positions
- Resources with advice on job searching, mentoring, and more
- Upcoming event listings

Connect UMass allows users to:

- Get career advice from experienced professionals, or give advice to newer ones
- Connect with others based on interests or other affiliations
- Get back in touch with old friends and make new ones
- Discover events and educational opportunities
- Find or share job postings, and use their UMass connections to support a successful job search

To get started, go to <https://www.connectumassalumni.com!>