



# Enactus Canada Alumni Activity Examples

## Quick Guide

### Overview

Each alumni chapter is responsible for hosting their own events and activities throughout the course of the year. Which events each chapter decides to host are at the discretion of the chapter. Chapters are expected to run a minimum of three events throughout the course of the academic year to be considered active.

### Activity/Event Examples

There are many examples of events that chapters can run.

**Event:** Pitch Your Project Plans

**Ideal Date:** Early Fall

**Description:** Early in the school year, an Enactus Alumni Chapter can run a “Pitch Your Project Plans” event where local Enactus teams will come in and deliver a presentation on their plans for the year. Following each presentation, alumni could ask questions and provide insight to help nurture the ideas. In addition, Enactus teams could come with specific requests that alumni could sign-up to assist with.

**Event:** Enactus Alumni Social (or dinner)

**Ideal Date:** Any time of year

**Description:** Sometimes alumni would like to hang out and mingle with just other alumni. This event is pretty self-explanatory. Chapters that are located in cities where there will be a Regional Exposition are encouraged to run a social that aligns with that event.

**Event:** Enactus Team Training Event

**Ideal Date:** Depends on the content, but usually Fall

**Description:** What better way to give back than to train current teams on how to best operate their Enactus team or run an excellent project! While Enactus Canada has training resources readily available, we encourage alumni members to create their own training that draws on both their professional experiences and their experience as an Enactus student.

**Event:** Enactus Alumni Give Back

**Ideal Date:** Any time of year

**Description:** Enactus alumni love to give back, as it was always a core value instilled within them during their time in the program. As a fun way to volunteer, an Enactus Alumni Chapter could organize a volunteer day at a local food bank or perhaps organize a walk to support a local cause (or even their chapter).

**Event:** Enactus Alumni Professional Conference and/or Workshop

**Ideal Date:** Any time of year

**Description:** Enactus is known for providing exceptional leadership and entrepreneurial experiences for students. To develop the skills of Enactus alumni, the alumni chapter could invite in guest speakers and workshop facilitators that could deliver training specifically for alumni.



**Event:** Enactus Team Showcase

**Ideal Date:** One to two weeks prior to the National Exposition

**Description:** To help teams prepare for the Enactus Canada National Exposition, alumni chapters could organize a showcase event where local teams will come and deliver their National presentations to attending alumni. It could also be a great opportunity for the alumni to invite and engage other supporters within the network, including academic and industry supporters.

**Event:** Host a Booth at an Enactus Canada Regional and National Exposition Career Fair

**Ideal Date:** During the event

**Description:** The best way to get the involvement of Enactus alumni is to grab them before they graduate! We encourage chapters to take advantage of the career fair to set-up a booth and actively recruit graduating Enactus students to join their chapter.

**Activity:** Mentorship

**Ideal Date:** All year round

**Description:** Enactus Alumni Chapters are encouraged to pair members of their group with local Enactus teams to serve as mentors to the team. Each mentor should periodically attend meetings and provide high-level guidance and advice to the teams. Enactus Canada will be assisting with facilitating connections both through direct connections and through a new mentorship platform called Enactus Connects, which will be available in May 2015.