Dear Colleague,

This is a reminder that proposals for Alumni Class Funds for 2022-23 are due on Friday, January 28, 2022. Proposals should be submitted to alumnifunds@mit.edu.

The Alumni Class Funds were established by the Classes of 1951, 1955, 1972, and 1999 for projects that use innovative approaches to education and teaching to enrich the MIT undergraduate experience. You are encouraged to think creatively and collaboratively about undertaking a curricular or pedagogical innovation. The committee welcomes projects that will:

- make a novel or creative contribution to MIT’s educational excellence
- test ideas about effective education including ways in which innovative pedagogies can facilitate learning and teaching within the MIT residential educational system
- demonstrate the special and specific value of a residentially based education
- improve student-faculty engagement and/or student self-efficacy

Guidelines, necessary forms, and descriptions of previously funded projects can be found on the Funds website. If you have questions about applying for a grant, please contact Assistant Dean Genevra Filiault (filiault@mit.edu).

I hope you are inspired by the availability of these funds and the committed support of our alumni to propose innovative projects that contribute to education at MIT.

Sincerely,

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