

Lindsey Crist
Social Chair Platform
MBAA Elections 2010

According to the MBAA Constitution, the Social Chair is responsible for the following duties:

- Organize and be responsible for all social activities of the Association and make certain that when funds of the Association are involved, all members are invited to the activity.
- Purchasing items and materials as needed for the activity, in cooperation with the Treasurer.
- Coordinating social activities with any recruiters or faculty members who may be sponsoring or interested in attending the events.
- Administer the sign up and dispersion of football tickets.
- Strive to meet the objectives of the MBAA as stated in Article II, Section 1 of the MBAA Constitution.

It is truly an honor to have been nominated by my fellow classmates for the position of MBAA social chair for 2010-2011. As a member of the MBA Association, I feel that the existence of social events is what helps create such a strong bond between all of its members. I consider myself a well-suited candidate for this position because I am truly passionate about helping people and take pleasure in coordinating events for the enjoyment of others. I am extremely organized and would take the responsibility of this position very seriously. I enjoy working with others and feel I have what it takes to excel in this leadership position. I am very open-minded and would be more than willing to accept suggestions from others about what type of events they would like to see take place. My biggest goal is to be creative and plan events which will allow all members of the MBAA to take a much needed break from the stresses of school and come together to enjoy one another's company.

In addition to the traditional MBAA events, such as Wine and Cheese, the Mentor-Mentee night, and the MBA Crawfish Boil, the following are some ideas I have in mind:

- MBAA Prom 2011—to take us back to our high school glory days
- “Be a Tourist in New Orleans” day—arrange a trip to New Orleans to explore the city and all it has to offer. I have a passion for the city of New Orleans and would especially like to bring those who have never been to explore the city I love so much.
- Camping trip—people's true colors come out in the great outdoors
- Tailgating for football and baseball games—complete with DJ speakers, good food, and horseshoes
- Holiday parties—Halloween, Christmas, Valentine's Day, Super Bowl, St. Patrick's Day
- Bowling nights—with the option to throw up the bumpers if needed
- Young Professional Nights
- Work closely with the Recreational Chair to coordinate sports-related events
- Work closely with the Philanthropy Chair to help others and have fun at the same time

I look forward to the opportunity to serve as Social Chair for the MBA Association. I believe strongly in the importance of friendships and think they are one of the most important things we can take away from our time here in the Flores MBA Program. I would love nothing more than to be apart of the development of life-long relationships and everlasting memories.