Dear Campus Community,

One of the questions the A-Team for Communications grappled with was "how can we better communicate with each other" and, more specifically, how can the president better communicate with the campus community? After conducting research and looking at best practices, one of their suggestions was that I have more in-person discussions with students, faculty and staff.

I took their suggestions to heart and we have scheduled three discussions for the remainder of this semester:

- Tuesday, March 28, during Common Hour (noon 1 p.m.) in the Gordinier multipurpose room. This first meeting is for students, faculty and staff and the first 75 attendees get a light lunch!
- Tuesday, April 4, 4 p.m. in the South Villages Great Room. This Campus Conversation is specifically for students.
- Thursday, April 13, 4 p.m. in the McNairy Garden Room. This Campus Conversation is specifically for faculty.

I look forward to seeing you at one of these informal sessions.

John M. Anderson, Ph.D. President