

## MERTI HARVARD CLUB OF NEW JERSEY

2018 Newsletter

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings, everybody!

The next school year is here, are you excited? Either you, or someone you know, is going back to school.

It is very exciting for me, and I am humbled by this honor as I will serve as President of the Harvard Club of New Jersey for the academic years 2018-2020. Joining me in serving is our governing board, comprised of Mona Karim, Vice-President, Fabian Chen, Secretary, David Yu, Treasurer, and twenty Executive Committee members.

The HCNJ is the best liaison for alumni, students, and parents to get together and build Harvard ties in New Jersey. Here is some of the work we do:

Our very active Executive Committee organizes events and activities for members and non-members throughout the year. See some of the event highlights in this newsletter.

The HCNJ School Committee, in coordination with Harvard College admissions, ensures that every North Jersey applicant has the opportunity of an interview by an alumnus.

Your generous donations allow the HCNJ to sponsor internships in January and over the summer and provide funds to Harvard College to New Jersey Students in need of Financial Aid.

I am inviting you to join the HCNJ, as a Club member, an Executive committee member, and/or an interviewer. We need your talent to continue this mission. To become involved, please visit our website: <a href="http://hcnj.clubs.harvard.edu">http://hcnj.clubs.harvard.edu</a> or return the registration form printed in this newsletter.

I look forward to meeting you at one of our events.

Cheers,

Miriam Nolan, KSG'02 miriamnolan@post.harvard.edu

### WHAT'S NEW

We are looking into expanding our media communications. Instagram and Twitter are coming soon.

- Senior Group activity, in early development, in the process of selecting a chair person.
- Recent Graduate Activity, working with the College Alumni Program Office at the HAA.
- Harvard Book Award program, in early development, in the process of selecting a chair person.

Your talent is welcome, come join us!

### COMMITTEES YOU MAY WANT TO PARTICIPATE IN:

Audit • Communications • Membership Internship • Events • *Share your ideas!* 

### MEET OUR WINTER INTERNS

#### KIM BOERRIGTER -

Harvard Class of 2021, Malcolm X Shabazz High School (Newark) Class of 2017

Kim worked at the Newark School of the Arts during Winter 2018. Given that it is the school's 50th anniversary, Kim conducted research in the school archives and wrote many articles highlighting accomplished alumni, the school's history, and overall school development, most of



which will be published later this year. Kim is pursuing a career in medicine, possibly including a MD-PhD program after college.

#### NICHOLAS SANTIAGO =

Harvard Class of 2019, Science Park High School (Newark) Class of 2015

During Winter 2018, Nicholas worked at BRICK Academy where, among other assignments, he prepared a research brief on the feasibility of implementing a project-based learning model in the BRICK middle schools. Nicholas is considering a career in food policy and will intern this



summer at the Greater Newark Conservancy focusing on urban food policy and farming.

We pay for these internships through the generous donations of NJ Harvard alumni such as you!

Make a donation today to help us continue offering this amazing opportunity for Harvard students. Any level of donation helps. If you would like to sponsor an intern, winter interns are paid \$1,500 for three weeks and summer interns receive \$5,500 for ten weeks. You can make your donation online, please visit our website or mail the form in this newsletter!

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# Check our website for the details! http://hcnj.clubs.harvard.edu

- INTERVIEWERS SEMINAR
- SPEAKER EVENT ISRAEL DEPUTY AMBASSADOR
- VOLUNTEER NJ FOOD BANK
- SHAKESPEARE'S THEATER
- HABITAT FOR HUMANITY
- GLOBAL NETWORK NIGHT
- WELCOME TO YOUR CITY
- ANNUAL MEETING AND DINNER

Who was the First Harvard University President

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#### JOIN OR RENEW YOUR HARVARD CLUB OF NJ MEMBERSHIP

Who we are as a Club and what we do is determined by our members. As a member, you can make your voice heard about our events, activities and speakers. Some of our events are offered only to members or are offered to members at a reduced fee. As a member, you may also attend monthly HCNJ meetings and volunteer to become involved in the Executive Committee, which provides the leadership for our Club. Your membership dues and contributions support Harvard undergraduates through our scholarship fund and internship programs. Thank you for your support.

If you are a current Harvard undergraduate from New Jersey, you are automatically a member of the HCNJ while you are an undergraduate with annual membership dues waived. Parents of current undergraduates are invited to become HCNJ members at a reduced rate.

To join or renew your membership, either use the enclosed form or go online at http://hcnj.clubs.harvard.edu

### **ANNUAL DINNER**

The Annual Dinner is the HCNJ major fundraising event of the year and it is well attended by alumni, parents, students, new admits and guests. Your contributions provide funds to the Scholarship and Internship programs. We received over \$10,000 in donations and matching gifts. Please consider making a donation to continue offering this benefit to our NJ students. All donations and Dues are tax deductible. Please visit our home webpage: http://hcnj.clubs.harvard. edu or mail the enclosed form.



Elected Officers David Yu, Treasurer, Mona Karim, Vice President, Miriam Nolan, President, Fabian Chen, Secretary (L-R)

### **HONORED GUEST AND SPEAKER**

Victor Rud, Honored Guest and Speaker, graduate from Harvard College and Duke University Law School, presents a debatable topic: "The Iceberg Below the Russia Investigation".



### PARENTS CLASS 2022



#### MAKING FRIENDS



### FIRST HCNJ QUIZ BOWL

The Emotional Crimson beat out the Charles-Cry-Me-A-River in this year's inaugural Quiz Bow! Check our website for Quiz Bowl #2 next year.



### ANNUAL MEETING AND DINNER MAY 17, 2018

Our 114th Annual Dinner Meeting was held at The Manor, in West Orange, NJ.

While enjoying hors d'oeuvres and the display of the Harvard Memorabilia, the Silent Auction brought many contenders to capture those fabulous moments of history. Thank you to Joe Steinberg for chairing the Auction. See some of the treasures below:

### Harvard University Commemorative English Wedgewood Plater

Holden and Hollis Halls 1794 Johnathan Fisher View.



## **Lithography of Memorial Hall** Dated 1887,

by Leo De Colange



### CUMAC - PATERSON FOOD BANK VOLUNTEERS, JANUARY 2018



### GLOBAL NETWORK NIGHT IN HOBOKEN, NEW JERSEY



### **MORE EVENTS:**

- Shakespeare in Love
- Glass Roots at Glass Art Studio in Newark
- Harvard vs. Princeton Hockey game

- Healthy Italian night out
- Hasty Pudding
- The Sting at the Papermill Playhouse

### **SCHOOLS COMMITTEE AND INTERVIEWERS**

Barbara Mayer, past president 2004 and chair of the School Committee, said "We had a record number of applications and interviews."

Thank you to all the interviewers for their efforts and commitment to accommodate all the needed interviews in each area, an outstanding job!



From top to bottom:
Dennis Kim,
Rick Haan,
Carole Reading,
Barbara Meyer,
Lily Yu,
Denley Chew,
Hyeon Lee
and David Yu.

You can be one of the many HCNJ interviewers. To join this amazing group, visit our website.

### AMERICAN ART AT THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, NY.



### CALLING ALL HARVARD ALUMNI/AE:

Keep your contact information up to date at www.post.harvard.edu

Alumni and parents of current undergraduates are invited to join The Harvard Club of New Jersey

Please visit our home webpage: http://hcnj.clubs.harvard.edu

and our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/HarvardClubofNewJersey

### THE FRESHMAN PICNIC CLASS OF 2022

It has been the HCNJ tradition to sponsor a picnic for the new admits. We are very grateful to David and Lily Yu for hosting this gathering on August 5, 2018. Incoming freshmen have the opportunity to meet their NJ classmates and the proud parents to share their enthusiasm.



Cheerful crowd, everyone had a great time introducing themselves, sharing stories and making new friends!



These are the schools they attended: Academy for Mathematics, Science and Engineering, Academy for the Advancement of Science and Technology, Academy of the Holy Angels, Bergen County Technical HS, Blair Academy, Clifton HS, Don Bosco Preparatory HS, Dover HS, Dwight-Englewood School, Frisch School, Hasbrouck Heights HS, Highland Park HS, John P. Stevens HS, Livingston HS, McNair Academic HS, Millburn HS, Montclair HS, Montclair Kimberley Academy, Newark Academy, Northern Highlands Regional HS, Oak Knoll School of the Holy Child, Paramus Catholic HS, Pingry School, Pope John XXXIII Regional HS, Rahway HS, Ridgewood HS, Ridge HS, River Dell Regional HS, Saint Joseph HS, Tenafly HS, Torah Academy of Bergen County, West Morris Mendham HS.



### **Harvard Club of New Jersey**

# 2018-2019 Membership Form or online: http://hcnj.clubs.harvard.edu/

As a member, you can make your voice heard about our events, activities and speakers. Some of our events are offered only to members or are offered to members at a reduced fee. As a member, you may also attend monthly HCNJ meetings and volunteer to become involved in the Executive Committee, which provides the leadership for our Club.

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Current Name:		
Name at Harvard/Radcliffe (if different):		
Street Address:		
City, State, Zip code:		
Phone:		
University Degree(s) / Year(s):		
Email address:		
All dues and contributions to the HCNJ are fully tax-dedu	uctible.	
<u>Membership</u>	Your Payment	Consider making a Contribution
Annual Dues, Class 1969-2007	\$40	Scholarship
Recent College Grads, 2008 or later	\$20	Internship
Parents of current undergraduate students	\$20	
No Charge for current College undergraduates and Class 1968 and earlier  Class:		Matching Gifts:  If your company has a Matching Gift Program, please obtain the form from your employer and include it with this form.
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c/o 114 Canterbury Way Basking Ridge, NJ 07920		

Stay current with our events and news! Log into **www.alumni.harvard.edu** to ensure your email address is up-to-date and to enable emails from "Clubs and Special Interest Groups" under the Harvard Alumni Association section under Email Preferences.

Would you like to interview Harvard applicants? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_



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### A little bit of history...

### - HONORING HCNJ PAST PRESIDENTS

(Period served, Name, class) 1904-05 Joshua Reynolds, 1871 1905-06 Francis J. Swayze, 1879 1906-07 Cammillas Kidder, 1872 1907-08 Chauncey Parker, 1885 1908-09 Richard C. Newton, 1874 1909-10 Louis S. Osborn, 1873 1910-11 Walter I. McCoy, 1882 1911-12 Elias J. Marsh, 1896 1912-13 Gerrish Newell , 1898 1913-14 William Peckham, 1867 1914-15 Perry Trafford, 1889 1915-16 Cameron Blaikie, 1899 1916-17 John Reynolds, 1907 1917-18 Arthur Wendell, 1896 1918-19 Ralph Foss, 1903 1919-20 E. Kirk Haskell, 1899 1920-21 Alfred Moe, 1897 1921-22 Phillip Garrison, 1890 1922-23 Rufus Sprague, Jr. 1896 1923-24 D. Webb Granberry, 1899 1924-25 J.H.Thayer Martin, 1896 1925-26 R.Norris Shreve, 1908 1926-27 C.Chester Lane, 1904 1927-28 Ray D. Murray, 1908 1928-29 John C. Prizer, 1907 1929-30 Edward Katzenbach, 1905 1930-31 Walter Webster, 1897 1931-32 William Bostwick, 1908

1932-33 W.Herman Smith, 1895 1933-34 Arthur Deane, 1908 1934-35 Edgar Smith, 1905 1935-36 William Byrd, 1897 1936-37 Chester Barnard, 1910 1937-38 Lawrence Peirson, Jr. 1920 1938-39 Frederick Sutro, 1899 1939-40 John Montgomery, 1906 1940-41 Conant Webb, 1923 1941-42 Clifford Norton, 1900 1942-43 Theodore Lewis, 1913 1943-44 George Chace, 1906 1944-45 Edward Douglas, 1925 1945-46 Howard Moody, 1927 1946-47 Arthur Nelson, 1919 1947-48 Charles Crowe, 1921 1948-49 Frederick Crehan, 1916 1949-50 Warren Partridge, 1927 1950-51 George Wendell, 1925 1951-52 Samuel Hamond, 1923 1952-53 David Satz, 1914 1953-54 Theodore Mayhew, 1927 1954-55 William Doherty, 1927 1955-56 Robert Westervelt 1937 1956-57 Paul Rotter, 1937 1957-58 John Watson, 1923 1958-59 Henry Gray, 1924

1959-60 Edward McCue, 1927

1960-61 Frederick Groel, 1924 1961-62 Gordon Bowden, 1937 1962-63 Peter Bove, 1929 1963-64 Norman Cameron, Jr. 1943 1964-65 Neal Tonks, 1940 1965-66 Robert Harvey, 1940 1966-67 Lewis Sandler, 1942 1967-68 John Consentino, 1944 1968-69 Edward Kenyon, 1950 1969-70 Harold Dow, 1933 1970-71 Nicholas Hagoort, Jr., 1951 1971-72 Frederick Comins, 1937 1972-73 Joshua Levin, 1954 1973-74 Raymond Healey, 1940 1974-75 John Baruch, 1950 1975-76 Frank Willard, 1940 1976-77 David Satz, Jr., 1947 1977-78 Thomas Hagoort, 1956 1978-79 T. Carter Hagaman, 1960 1979-80 Timothy Ellard, 1956 1980-81 Joseph L. Steinberg, 1956 1981-82 Malcolm Bloch, 1952 1982-83 Paul G. O'Leary, 1956 1983-84 Richard Watson, 1954 1984-85 Kevin O'Brien, 1954 1985-86 Anne King Frange, 1960 1986-87 Jeffrey Laurenti, 1971 1987-88 Eugene Parker, Jr., 1946

1988-89 Ronald Janis, 1970 1989-90 Merle Bowser, 1956 1990-91 Gerald Kelly, 1959 1991-92 Robert Beller, 1968 1992-93 Thomas Monfrried, 1954 1993-94 Margaret Hellmold, 1962 1994-95 Stephanie Rosen, 1960 1995-96 Carl D. Biello, 1975 1996-97 Clifford Rand, 1957 1997-98 Rick A. Haan, 1975 1998-99 Herbert Neuwalder, 1955 1999-00 Thomas Keffer, 1977 2000-01 Gabriel Gruber, 1968 2001-02 Richard Sorensen, 1965 2002-03 Richard Dixon, 1958 2003-04 Gene Lipkowitz, 1960 2004-05 Barbara Meyer, 1962 2005-06 Irene Mendelson, 1980 2006-07 S. Martin Lieberman, 1957 2007-08 Denley Chew, 1987 2008-09 Carole Reading, 1974 2009-10 Anthony Obst, 1967 2010-11 Kenneth Abbott, 1983 2011-12 Noreen Verbrugge, 1981 2012-13 Jay Mattlin, 1982 2013-14 Warren Hrung, 1994 2014-16 Rodney Sunada-Wong. 1985 2016-18 Hyeon Lee, 1994

Our past presidents built a great legacy. Many of them remain very active in the Club after the end of their term. We cherish on their wisdom and support.