



HARVARD CLUB OF NEW JERSEY

Summer 2013 Newsletter

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is my honor to serve as President of the Harvard Club of New Jersey for 2013-14. The Club has been helping New Jersey alumni (re)connect with each other, as well as maintain their connection to Harvard since the Club was founded in 1904.

In addition, the Club supports Harvard's admissions program as every applicant from our area receives an alumni interview. The number of applicants only seems to increase every year, and the efforts of our alumni interviewers are greatly appreciated.

The Club also raises scholarship and internship funds. Due to the generosity of our members, we make regular donations to the scholarship fund, and we also fund summer internships for current Harvard undergraduates working for New Jersey not-for-profit institutions.

We recently organized an event in Montclair as part of the Harvard Alumni Association's Global Night of Networking on June 25, and our annual picnic for incoming Freshman was held in late July. Looking ahead, we have many interesting and exciting events planned for the coming year. I encourage you to join or renew your membership (form enclosed), and I hope to see you at one of our upcoming events.

Sincerely,
Warren B. Hrungrud '94

"I am extremely excited and proud to be attending Harvard this Fall. I would also like to extend my deepest appreciation to the Harvard Club of NJ because part of my financial aid award is a direct result of your fundraising. I look forward to the day that I can give back to help future Harvard students like myself."

—K. Adams '17

HCNJ + HARVARD ALUMNI ASSOCIATION GLOBAL NIGHT OF NETWORKING

On June 25, a fun crowd of twenty alumni gathered for cocktails and connections at Halcyon Bar and Restaurant on Walnut Street in Montclair, NJ. Attendees from the College and six different graduate schools represented graduating classes from 1974 through 2013. In attendance was Judith Ezike '13, just two weeks out from her Commencement in Harvard Yard. She's back home in Northern New Jersey and looking for opportunities to gain some real world experience in her gap year before starting medical school -- alumni with ideas, please get in touch! Zoe Shalita-Keinan GSAS '01 and '05 was the veteran of the group, having also attended the January GNN event next door at Egan's. She helped organizers, Ceyan Birney HBS '10 and Alison Overholt '98, by making introductions among attendees and snapping photos that can be seen on the HCNJ Facebook page (facebook.com/HarvardClubofNewJersey).

Everyone else in attendance was new to GNN gatherings, looking to make new local career connections. After three hours of great conversations and many business ideas -- and cards -- exchanged, the group disbanded, with all hoping for an even larger crowd at the next event. Look for more news about future HAA Global Nights of Networking, along with more local HCNJ career and business-oriented mixers, to come. If you have ideas for locations to hold these events or specific themes or event topics you'd like to see the Club plan, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

UPCOMING EVENTS

2013

- Interviewing Seminar (Sept. 22)
- Eco-Cruise on the Hackensack River (Sept. 29)
- "Our Town" (Oct. 26 Matinee)
at The Shakespeare Theatre
- Craftsman Farm Tour
- Joint event with the Harvard Business School
Alumni Angels of New York
- Bicycle tour of Duke Farms
- Ski trip to Vermont

2014

- Rivalry on Ice: Harvard-Yale Men's Hockey
at Madison Square Garden (Jan. 11)
- Annual Musicales
- Hasty Pudding theatricals
- Raptor Trust Event
- Spring Habitat for Humanity
- Annual Meeting & Dinner

HCNJ BOARD MEMBERS

President Warren Hsung '94
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John Finney '61
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Mona Karim '93
Fran Schumer McNulty '74
Tanya Perkins '04
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Carole Reading '74
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Jay Mattlin '82

2013 HIRAM HUNN AWARD



We are pleased to report that long-time HCNJ member and Past President T. Carter Hagaman '60 is one of the 2013 recipients of the Hiram Hunn Award. Past recipients from the HCNJ include Paul E. Thornton '67, Barbara Meyer '62, Josh Levin '54, and Paul O'Leary '56.

The Hiram Hunn Award recognizes alumni and alumnae who have been especially effective in their interviewing and club work and for their unusual longevity serving the Harvard community. The award is named in honor of Hiram S. Hunn '21, who performed schools committee work for 55 years. Carter will receive his award in Cambridge this fall. Congratulations, Carter!

MEET OUR SUMMER INTERN



Kirkland House resident Eugene Vaios '14 will spend his summer at the Source Foundation of Red Bank integrating technology he developed at the Harvard Innovation Lab into the Foundation's fundraising campaigns. His internship is co-

sponsored with the Harvard Club of Princeton.

Eugene's platform, Simple2give, eliminates the need to solicit charitable donations. When users shop at a Simple2give partner, a browser extension notifies that retail vendor-partner and a percentage of any purchase is donated to the user's charity of choice. Funds raised through online purchases can then be tracked on users' profiles and through a charity's own portal. In the end, users become virtual donors and nonprofits are given a new source of support at no extra time or cost to both.

Many thanks to all of our contributors who helped fund Eugene's internship!

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or our Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/HarvardClubofNewJersey

109TH ANNUAL DINNER

In May, at our Annual Dinner, over 130 alumni and members of the Class of 2017 heard Trey Grayson '94, Director of Harvard's Institute of Politics, discuss the Institute's initiatives including the research effort exploring the political beliefs of Millennials (18- to 29- year-olds).





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THE YEAR IN ADMISSIONS

For the Class of 2017, 35,023 candidates applied to Harvard, and increase of 2% over last year. Nationwide, the admissions rate dropped to 5.8%. In our club's territory (NJ North of the Raritan River), 866 candidates applied; 53 were accepted (a 6.1% admissions rate), and of these, 10 chose another school. The list below also includes one student admitted last year who will matriculate with this class. We want to extend a huge "Thank You!" to all of the alumni interviewers who volunteered their time to this crucial aspect of the admissions process.

HARVARD ADMITS CLASS OF 2017

NAME	SCHOOL	NAME	SCHOOL	NAME	SCHOOL
Adams, Kyle J	Roxbury HS	Jung, Katherine	Ridgefield Mem HS	Rotatori, Carly W	Pingry School
Ahuja, Rohit	Carteret HS	Kim, Moses Y	Tenafly HS	Sani, Kevin O	North Plainfield HS
Carr, Stephanie A	Pingry School	Kunis, Steven	Seton Hall Prep Sch	Saraf, Avinash	J P Stevens HS
Chabanon, Benjamin J	J Dayton Reg HS	Lim, Keon Ho	Millburn HS	Shabaka, Amahdi A	Montclair HS
Chalom, Mayer M	Livingston HS	Mahr, Jason A	Montville Twp HS	Song, Kevin J	North Valley Reg HS
Chen, Christopher H	Delbarton School	Marks, Sylvia A	Highland Park HS	Stepansky, Jacob S	Montclair HS
Chew, Natalie	Acad Of Holy Angels	McNamara, Jacob M	Columbia HS	Welch, Alexandra P	Pingry School
Cordrey, Kyla M	Oak Knoll School	Nie, Alexander	Livingston HS	White, James P	Delbarton School
Dickstein, Edyt J	Kushner Yeshiva HS	Opel, Ann H	Gill St Bernards Sch	Williams, Austin R	Delbarton School
Dower, Justin A	Millburn HS	Oz, Zoe Y	Dwight-Englewood Sch	Xu, Jessica	Watchung Hls Reg HS
Farber, Alena	Newark Academy	Paek, Andrew	Leonia HS	Yamin, Liana E	No Highlands Reg HS
Feng, Sophia Q	Pingry School	Park, Caroline S	Whippany Park HS	Yuan, Yuan M	Millburn High School
Guo, Michelle	Acad Adv Science And Tech	Parmar, Shivangi	Bayonne HS	Zaib, Adnan	Hudson Cath Reg HS
Jeong, Ye Chan	Nutley HS	Pirola, Amanda M	Wstwd Reg Jr/Sr HS	Zhou, Ashley	Pingry School
Johnson, Vancliff	Delbarton School	Reading, David A	Montclair Kimberley		

Harvard Club of New Jersey

2013-2014 Membership Form

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Name: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Name at Harvard / Radcliffe (if different): _____

Street Address: _____

City/Town: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

University Affiliation: Degree(s)/Year(s): _____

Stay current with our events and news! Please log into www.post.harvard.edu to ensure that your email address is up-to-date and to enable emails from "Harvard Clubs" under Email Preferences.

Would you interview? We are always seeking additional alumni to interview applicants to Harvard College.
Any help, particularly from recent College graduates, is greatly appreciated.

Would you like to interview this year? _____ (yes / no)

Dues and Contributions Schedule: All dues and contributions to the HCNJ are fully tax-deductible.
The 2013-2014 membership year ends on June 30, 2014.

Recent College Graduates (Classes '03-'13: undergraduates only)	\$20
Senior Status (Class of '63 and earlier)	none (voluntary dues appreciated)
Current College undergraduates (automatic members)	none
All others, including parents of current undergraduates	\$40

Scholarship And Internship Contribution Recommendation \$100 (any amount appreciated)

(If you have a preference, please indicate below how you would like to allocate your contribution to the scholarship and internship programs by using the percentage lines below.)

Dues: _____

Scholarship & Internship: _____

(Use the lines below if you want to specifically allocate your gift.)

Scholarship %: _____

Internship %: _____

Grand Total: _____

Please make a check payable to the Harvard Club of New Jersey and mail with membership form to:
Harvard Club of New Jersey • c/o 12 Highland Avenue • Andover, NJ 07821

Matching Gifts: If your company has a Matching Gift Program, please obtain the Matching Gift form from your employer and include with this membership form.

*Please address any questions regarding HCNJ membership to Membership Chair Hyeon Lee at hyeon.lee2@verizon.net.
Further information is available on our website at www.hcnj.org*

Thank You For Supporting the Harvard Club of New Jersey.