Dear ,

It was so nice to see so many of you at last week's annual Public Service Award (PSA) dinner. We had a splendid evening honoring George Vradenburg, HLS '67, and hearing about his commitment to giving to others and to bringing an end to Alzheimer's through research funding. I met some folks whom I had only seen previously on television or heard speak on the radio. The stories they told about George were inspiring. The time together gave me a renewed sense of hope and connection to the Harvard community. Check out a few of the event photos below.

Speaking of connection to the Harvard community, we have some upcoming opportunities. We've invited the Radcliffe Pitches to sing to us on Wednesday, January 21st. Please join the Harvard Club in welcoming Harvard students to DC and supporting Harvard's oldest gender-inclusive treble-voice a capella group at the University Club.

We've also joined other Clubs across the country in sponsoring a virtual event, "Embracing AI in CS50 at Harvard, Oxford, and Beyond" on Monday, January 26th. I can't wait to listen to Professor David J. Malan lecture, not from the Science Center or even Sanders

Theatre, but from the comfort of my own couch.

More than that, one of the underlying missions of the Harvard Club of DC is to support Harvard College by interviewing local high school seniors. Students have just applied for the Regular Action round, and our Schools & Scholarships Committee is looking for Harvard and Radcliffe College graduates who would be interested in interviewing. If you'd like to give back to the University while staying connected with eager applicants, please contact the Schools Committee at hcwschoolscommittee@gmail.com. We'd be thrilled to have you join the fun.

Finally, we have events listed below enabling you all to engage with other Harvard alumni in the DMV. For example, we have seats available for a dinner conversation on Tuesday, January 27th between ABC Chief Washington Correspondent Jonathan Karl, and former Crimson Editorial Board Member (and current Executive Editor at The Dispatch), Declan Garvey. They will provide a nonpartisan look at where we are, how we got here, and where we're going.

I'm looking forward to seeing you at any or all of our events. If you are eligible, please sign up to interview some phenomenal potential future Harvard students.

Best,
Katherine

Katherine Zeitlin Haskell '79
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Upcoming Events

Alumni–Student Mixer (Members Only)

Thurs., Jan. 15, 6:00pm-8:00pm
The Center for Hellenic Studies
3100 Whitehaven St NW

Washington, DC

HCW members in the Washington, D.C. area are invited to join Harvard College students for an informal evening dinner mixer at the Center for Hellenic Studies (3100 Whitehaven St NW) from 6:00–8:00 p.m. Light dinner will be provided by the organizers. The students are participating in a Harvard College Wintersession program examining democracy and transatlantic relations and are eager to connect with alumni to learn about professional pathways in D.C., including careers, internships, and experiences in public service. Attendance will be capped at 20 guests to encourage meaningful conversation. Please register by January 13.

Organizers: The Minda de Gunzburg Center for European Studies, the Center for Hellenic Studies, the Department of Government, the Harvard Foundation, and the Committee on Degrees in Social Studies.

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January Singles Mixer (SOLD OUT!)

Fri., Jan. 16, 6:00pm-8:00pm
Penn Social
801 E St NW,
Washington, DC

Mix, mingle, and make meaningful connections at our January Singles Mixer, where you can meet other members of our vibrant community across the DMV area. Join us at Little Penn (upstairs) for a night of fun, conversation, and

connection, (and dancing) here in DC!

As is our tradition, we invited all other Ivies-- Come for the networking, stay for the chemistry.

For our January Singles Mixer, Penn Social is offering us free entry to the Firehouse Fridays Country Dance Social starting at 8:30pm, just downstairs from Little Penn where we will be meeting. If you want to dance the night away, with someone special you might meet, don't miss this perfect opportunity!

Fees: To encourage attendance from those who sign up, we're charging $20. A ticket you can exchange for a refreshment will be included, and for our January Singles Mixer, you'll also have a free-ticket for the Firehouse Fridays Country Dance Social.

Note: this mixer is open to everyone - whether you're the class of 2024 or 1944 (or somewhere in between), we'll be delighted to see you, and we think you'll meet someone interesting!

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The Radcliffe Pitches

Wed., Jan. 21, 7:30pm-9:00pm
The University Club
1135 16th St. NW
Washington, DC 20036

Don’t miss an unforgettable evening with the Radcliffe Pitches, Harvard University’s oldest gender-inclusive (historically all-female) treble-voice a cappella group. Founded in 1975 at the

historic Hasty Pudding Club, the Pitches are a vibrant part of Harvard's musical legacy—blending tradition with fresh, contemporary flair.

The Radcliffe Pitches will delight audiences with timeless favorites like "Over the Rainbow," "Georgia On My Mind," and "Cheek to Cheek," alongside crowd-pleasers such as "Mr. Sandman," "Mercy," and "You're So Vain." We can't wait to share their beautiful voices with you!!

Your ticket includes one pre-concert light refreshment. Please note that Harvard Club of Washington D.C. has a **no ticket refunds** policy.

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Embracing AI in CS50 at Harvard, Oxford, and Beyond with David J. Malan | Virtual Event

Mon., Jan. 26, 7:00pm-8:00pm
Virtual Event

Embracing Artificial Intelligence (AI) in CS50 at Harvard, Yale, and Beyond is the first program in the Speakers Bureau Spotlight Series. This program will look at how CS50 has incorporated artificial intelligence (AI), including its new-and-improved rubber duck debugger, and how it has impacted the course already. 🦆

David J. Malan is Gordon McKay Professor of the Practice of Computer Science at Harvard University in the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, a Member of the Faculty of Education in the Graduate School of Education, and the Faculty Director of the Educational Innovation Laboratory at the Harvard Division of Continuing Education. He teaches Computer Science 50, otherwise known as CS50, which is among Harvard University's largest courses and edX's largest MOOC, with more than 6.9M registrants; CS50 has also been offered at Yale University and the University of Oxford. He also

teaches at Harvard Law School, Harvard Extension School, and Harvard Summer School and has also taught at Harvard Business School. All of his courses are freely available as OpenCourseWare, with more than 2.2M subscribers on YouTube.

Malan also operates the Regent Theatre, a 450-seat historic theatre in Arlington, Massachusetts, built in 1916 as a vaudeville house, now a performing arts space operating as a public benefit company, its mission "positive effects of artistic, charitable, cultural, educational, or technological nature through operation of community theatre and production of high-quality content.

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American Politics: Where Do We Go From Here? A Dinner Conversation with Jonathan Karl and Declan Garvey

Tue., Jan. 27, 6:30pm-8:30pm
Hogan Lovells
555 13th St NW
Washington, DC 200048

Join us for an engaging and wide-ranging conversation with Jonathan Karl, best-selling author and Chief Washington Correspondent of ABC News, and Declan Garvey, AB '17, former Editorial Board Member of The Crimson, and Executive Editor at The Dispatch.

Jonathan Karl has spent more than three decades covering American politics, foreign policy, and the military, earning a reputation as one of the most respected journalists in Washington. As ABC's Chief Washington Correspondent, he has reported from the White

House, Capitol Hill, and hotspots around the world, offering clear, in-depth coverage during some of the most pivotal moments in recent political history. His latest book, Retribution, reflects the breadth of that experience while offering a nonpartisan look at where we are, how we got here and where we are going.

We hope you'll join us for what promises to be a lively, thoughtful, and timely discussion over a buffet dinner at Hogan Lovells.

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Exclusive Wine Education & Tasting at WineLAIR (Members Only--SOLD OUT!)

Wed., Jan. 28, 6:30pm-8:30pm
WineLAIR
1120 22nd St NW
Washington, DC

We have an exclusive opportunity for a wine education session at the WineLair Club, a vibrant, members-only community of wine lovers.

The WineLair staff will teach us about wine through a guided tasting of four carefully selected wines, each paired with delicious snacks to complement their unique profiles. Whether you're a seasoned wine lover or just beginning your journey, this is the perfect chance to sip, learn, and connect with fellow HCW members.

Come curious and leave inspired with new wine knowledge!

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Re-Store | Community Service Event (SOLD OUT!)

Sat., Jan. 31, 2:00pm-5:00pm
Habitat for Humanity ReStore Rockville
1029 E Gude Dr.
Rockville, MD

Join us for a volunteer opportunity at the Habitat for Humanity Metro Maryland ReStore on Saturday, January 31, from 2:00–5:00 PM! Your time and effort will make a meaningful, hands-on impact while supporting local families and sustainability.

ReStore is a nonprofit home improvement store and donation center that helps fund Habitat for Humanity's mission of building and repairing affordable homes in our community.

Volunteers will work alongside staff and fellow volunteers on donation intake, merchandising, customer service, loading items into customers' cars, and general upkeep of the store.

For everyone's safety, volunteers must wear closed-toe boots or shoes (no open-toe shoes, Crocs, sandals, or high heels) and long pants made of sturdy material that cover the ankles, such as jeans, as there is build equipment in the store. Volunteers must be at least 14 years old, and those under 16 must be accompanied by an adult chaperone.

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February Chinese Table

Sat., Feb. 7, 10:30am-11:30am
Valley Brook Tea
2015 Massachusetts Ave NW
Washington, DC, 20036

Whether you're a beginner, intermediate, or fluent and just miss speaking Chinese, the Harvard Club wants to see you at the Chinese Table at Valley Brook Tea (2015 Massachusetts Ave NW, Washington, DC 20036) from 10:30am – 11:30am on Saturday, February, 7th! Come to Dupont Circle, order a cup of tea, and practice your Chinese in an intimate setting.

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Capital Area Food Bank | Community Service Event (SOLD OUT!)

Sat., Feb. 7, 1:00pm-3:30pm
Capital Area Food Bank

4900 Puerto Rico Avenue NE
Washington, DC, 20017

Join us for volunteer opportunity at the Capital Area Food Bank on February 7 (Saturday) from 1:00–3:30 PM!

The Capital Area Food Bank is the largest hunger-relief organization in the Washington, D.C. region, partnering with hundreds of local nonprofits to provide millions of meals and promote equitable access to nutritious food for people in need across D.C., Maryland, and Virginia.

Volunteers will help sort and pack food that will be distributed throughout the community to families, seniors, and individuals facing food insecurity. It is a great way to make a real impact, learn more about the work of Capital Area Food Bank, and connect with Harvard alumni community.

Please note that volunteers are required to wear close-toed shoes and are encouraged to wear comfortable clothing. Volunteers must be at least 12 years of age to volunteer. All under the age of 18 must be accompanied by and actively supervised by a parent or legal guardian.

If for some reason you cannot participate, please let us know as soon as possible so another volunteer can take your place.

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Men's Hockey Gamewatch: Harvard vs RPI

Sat., Feb. 21, 6:30pm-9:30pm
Crystal City Sports Pub
529 S 23rd St
Arlington, VA 22202

Let's support Harvard Men's Hockey Team as they go head-to-head with RPI! Join us for a co-hosted watch party with RPI Alumni in Arlington, in Crystal City Sports Pub on February 21–wear your crimson, bring your cheers!

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Events with Other Clubs & SIGs

Let Freedom Ring: The Harvard-Radcliffe Collegium Musicum Concert

Fri., Jan. 23, 8:00pm
First Congregational United Church of Christ
945 G St NW
Washington, DC 20006

Come and enjoy the Harvard-Radcliffe Collegium Musicum concert in DC!

The Harvard-Radcliffe Collegium Musicum is Harvard University's nationally acclaimed mixed-voice choral ensemble, devoted to performing a wide

range of repertoire spanning the fifteenth century to the present day. Founded in 1971 after the merger of Harvard and Radcliffe Colleges, Collegium was created to bring together and reimagine the choral traditions of both institutions. The ensemble is known for its adventurous programming and collaborative spirit, with performances that range from Renaissance motets and choral-orchestral masterworks to newly commissioned works, student compositions, and cross-disciplinary projects.
(This concert is free and open to public)

Spring Trivia Night

Thurs., March 5, 6:30pm-8:30pm
Blackfinn Ameripub
1620 I St NW
Washington, DC 20006

Whether you're a trivia master or just seeking a fun night out, this event is for you. Gather your friends or come solo and make new connections as you dive into questions across diverse categories like sports, music, history, and beyond!

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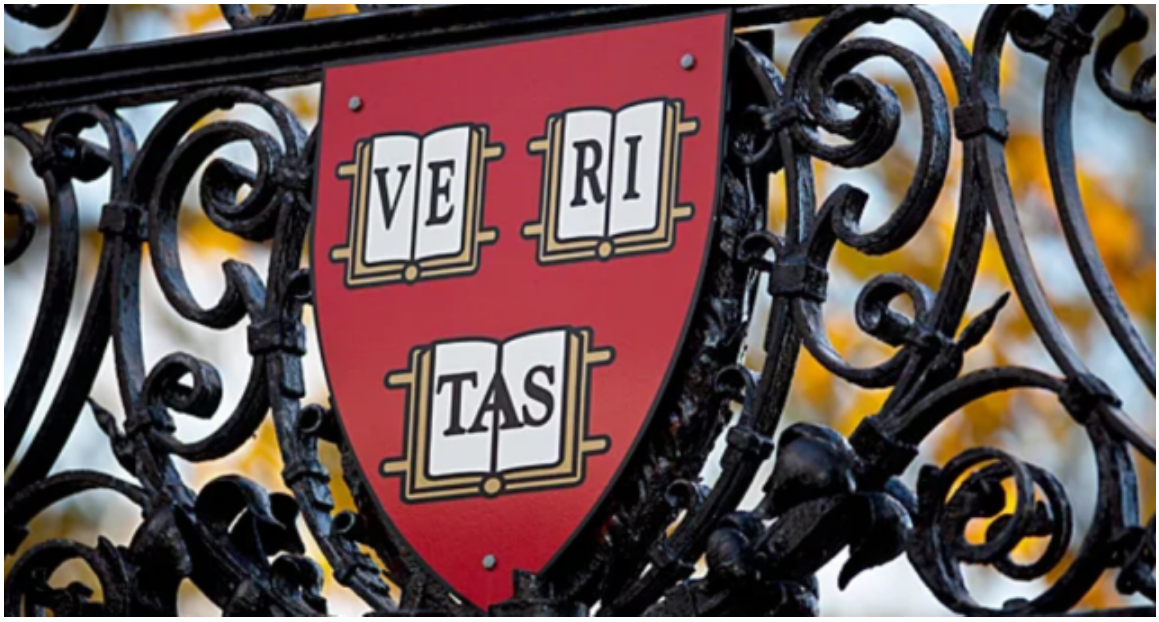

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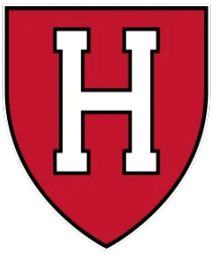

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