Saturday, February 24, 2018

Alumni Day

Lunch Program
Welcome to Alumni Day!

First held on Lincoln’s birthday in 1915, Alumni Day was designed to give Princeton alumni a glimpse of campus life when the University was in session, and faculty and students roamed the grounds, no doubt deep in conversation about their classes and research! Today, 103 years later, Princetonians continue to flock back to campus for this special midwinter celebration that allows us to honor fellow alumni and students, reconnect with classmates and friends, learn from prominent faculty and commemorate those who are no longer with us. It is a time to reflect and to look forward, but mostly a time to celebrate each other and the “Best Old Place of All.”

We are delighted this year to honor two distinguished alumni who have each made a profound impact on society in their own unique ways: veteran television journalist Charlie Gibson ’65, this year’s recipient of the Woodrow Wilson Award, and internationally best-selling author and critic Daniel Mendelsohn *94, who will be awarded the James Madison Medal. Alumni Day also affords us the opportunity to celebrate Princeton’s most accomplished undergraduate and graduate students, recipients of the Pyne Prize and Jacobus Fellowships, respectively, and to hear from them about their exceptional academic work and Princeton experience. Following the annual luncheon in Jadwin Gym, we hope that you will join your classmates and friends at the moving Service of Remembrance, held in the University Chapel, where Princeton will pay tribute to the alumni, faculty, staff and students who passed away in the prior year.

As the day comes to a close, all alumni and guests are invited to join together for a final cocktail reception and Tiger Toast in the spectacular new Lewis Arts complex, just opened this past October. We hope you will come before heading home!

Thank you for attending Alumni Day, and for being a part of Princeton’s extraordinary alumni community.

Tiger Cheers!

Jennifer A. Daniels ’93
President of the Alumni Association
11:30 a.m.  Reception

12:15 p.m.  Alumni Day Luncheon
Welcome from Jennifer A. Daniels '93
President of the Alumni Association

Blessing by Alison L. Boden, Dean of Religious Life

Announcements and Award Presentations

Alumni Trustee Candidates
Jennifer A. Daniels '93
President of the Alumni Association

Report on Annual Giving and 2017 Awards
Timothy M. Kingston '87
Annual Giving Chair

Porter Ogden Jacobus Fellowships
M. Taylor Pyne Honor Prize
Christopher L. Eisgruber '83
President of Princeton University

James Madison Medal
Woodrow Wilson Award
Kathryn A. Hall '80
Chair of the Board of Trustees of Princeton University

Remarks by President Christopher L. Eisgruber '83

Adjournment and singing of “Old Nassau”
Report on the Committee to Nominate Alumni Trustees

We are pleased to announce the 2018 candidates for Alumni Trustee At-Large and Alumni Trustee Region III. The election materials will be available to all alumni after April 16, 2018.

**At-Large**
- Isobel Coles Coleman ’87
  Locust Valley, NY
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  Mequon, WI

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  San Francisco, CA
- Thomas S. Souleles ’90
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- Carla B. Vernón ’92
  Minneapolis, MN

**Committee to Nominate Alumni Trustees**
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- Anthony J. Fiori *03
- Robert M. Fockler ’81
- Kevin M. Ghorm ’99
- Janet L. Holmgren *74
- Linda Francis Knights ’77
- Stephen R. Nickle ’83
- Jeffrey N. Wieser ’74, Ex Officio
ANNUAL GIVING provides unrestricted funds that support the core of the academic experience at Princeton. These funds enable Princeton to meet critical needs and seize new opportunities. Last year, alumni, parents and friends donated $74.9 million, with 56.8 percent of undergraduate alumni participating. This generosity allows Princeton to meet its highest priorities, including financial aid, and to sustain the quality and breadth of Princeton’s programs.

The 2017-18 Annual Giving Campaign is underway, and with the support of Princetonians around the world, we hope to reach our goals of $65 million and 58 percent participation by June 30.

The Harold H. Helm Award
This prize, first given in 1978, is named in honor of Harold H. Helm ’20, chair of Annual Giving’s first campaign in 1940. Mr. Helm, an ardent champion of Annual Giving, was also chair of the Alumni Council and a charter trustee of Princeton. The Helm Award recognizes “exemplary and sustained service to Annual Giving.” This year’s award goes to John O. “Dubby” Wynne ’67 of Norfolk, Virginia.
The Porter Ogden Jacobus Fellowship

Established in 1905 by the generosity of Mrs. Clara Cooley Jacobus, this honorific fellowship is conferred annually upon the graduate students who, in the judgment of the Faculty Committee on the Graduate School, display the highest scholarly excellence. The fellowship now provides full tuition and a stipend for the final year of study for four graduate students.

The following students have received Jacobus Fellowships for the 2017-18 academic year: Chantal Berman, Politics; Cole Bunzel, Near Eastern Studies; Matthew Edwards, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; and Georgios Moschidis, Mathematics.
The M. Taylor Pyne Honor Prize

Founded in 1921 in remembrance of the life and character of M. Taylor Pyne, class of 1877 and trustee of Princeton University from 1885 to 1921, by his cousin, Mrs. May Taylor Moulton Hanrahan, the Pyne Prize is the highest general distinction the University confers upon an undergraduate. The Pyne Prize is equivalent in amount to the prevailing undergraduate comprehensive fee for one academic year and is awarded annually to the senior who has manifested in outstanding fashion the following qualifications: excellence in scholarship, character, and effective support of the best interests of Princeton University.

This year's recipients of The Moses Taylor Pyne Honor Prize:

Newby Parton '18
Maggie Pecsok '18
The James Madison Medal

Named for James Madison, Princeton’s first graduate alumnus, the Madison Medal was established in 1973 by the Association of Princeton Graduate Alumni (APGA). Upon the recommendation of the APGA Committee on Nominations and Awards and the Madison Medal Selection Committee, this honor is conferred each year on an alumnus or alumna of the Graduate School who has had a distinguished career, advanced the cause of graduate education or achieved a record of outstanding public service.

This year the Madison Medal will be presented to Daniel Mendelsohn *94

For a list of past award recipients, please visit: http://alumni.princeton.edu/volunteer/awards/jamesmadisonmedal/
Woodrow Wilson Award

This prize was established by an anonymous donor in 1956 during the centennial year of Woodrow Wilson’s birth. It has since been conferred annually upon an alumnus or alumna of the undergraduate college whose achievements exemplify Woodrow Wilson’s memorable phrase “Princeton in the nation’s service.”

This year the Woodrow Wilson Award will be presented to Charles Gibson ’65

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OLD NASSAU

Karl A. Langlotz
Arranged by Ernest Carter, '88

Melody 1st Tenor

Animoso

1. Tune ev'-ry heart and ev'-ry voice, Bid ev'-ry care with-draw;
2. Let mu-sic rule the fleet-ing hour, Her man-tle round us draw;
3. And when these walls in dust are laid, With rever-ence and awe
4. Till then with joy our songs we'll bring, And while a breath we draw,

Melody 2nd Tenor

Let all with one ac-cord re-joke, In praise of Old Nassau.
And thrill each heart with all her pow'r; In praise of Old Nassau.
An-oth-er throng shall breathe our song, In praise of Old Nassau.
We'll all u-nite to shout and sing; Long life to Old Nassau.

Refrain

Plu mosso

**In praise of Old Nassau, we sing, Hur-rah! Hur-rah! Hur-rah!**

Melody 2nd Tenor

Our hearts will give, while we shall live, Three cheers for Old Nassau.

*The melody is in 2nd Tenor, except where, as indicated, it passes temporarily to 1st Tenor.

** Last verse, "Long life to"—

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