
01. UNIVERSITY NEWS

'Onward!' Eisgruber exhorts Princeton graduates to work together for larger purposes
At the University's 270th Commencement on Tuesday, June 6, President Christopher L. Eisgruber '83 gave a tribute to former Princeton President William G. Bowen *58 and urged graduates to learn from Bowen's trust in institutions to address the needs of society.

Tracy K. Smith, Princeton professor of creative writing, named U.S. Poet Laureate
Tracy K. Smith, the Roger S. Berlind '52 Professor in the Humanities and professor of creative writing in the Lewis Center for the Arts at Princeton, has been named U.S. Poet Laureate for 2017-18.

Princeton reaffirms climate pledge
Princeton has issued a statement reaffirming commitments it made in 2015 to playing a leadership role in research and teaching on environmental issues and to developing and implementing high standards of sustainability in its campus operations. The statement added that "Princeton welcomed and continues to support the action that was taken in Paris in December 2015 under the auspices of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change."
http://www.princeton.edu/news/2017/06/05/princeton-reaffirms-climate-pledge

Six elected to Princeton Board of Trustees
Princeton has named six members to its Board of Trustees, effective July 1. The trustees are: Yan Huo *94 and Laura Bilodeau Overdeck '91, who were elected by the board to serve four years as term trustees; Beth F. Cobert '80, Ann Kirschner *78 and Melanie C. Lawson '76, who were elected by alumni to serve four years as alumni trustees; and Achille Tenkiang '17, who was elected by the junior, senior and two youngest alumni classes to serve four years as a young alumni trustee.

Kulkarni appointed dean of the faculty
Sanjeev Kulkarni, dean of the Princeton University Graduate School and a professor of electrical engineering, has been appointed dean of the faculty, effective July 1.
http://www.princeton.edu/news/2017/06/05/kulkarni-appointed-dean-faculty-princeton-university
02. ACADEMIC DIGEST

Rising sea levels will boost moderate floods in some areas, severe floods in others
Rising seas are making flooding more common in coastal areas around the country. Now, a new study by researchers at Princeton and Rutgers universities finds that sea-level rise will boost the occurrence of moderate rather than severe flooding in some regions of the United States, while in other areas the reverse is true.

Valedictorian Chow finds connection, purpose in language and life at Princeton
Jin Yun Chow ’17’s studies in Latin, German and Old Irish, as well as literature classes in Chinese and French, have taken the Princeton senior to the top of her class. A comparative literature major, Chow is the valedictorian of the Class of 2017.

Research identifies methods to protect against online privacy attacks
Researchers at Princeton have developed methods to detect and defend against network-level attackers who seek to identify users of the Tor internet privacy system.
http://www.princeton.edu/news/2017/06/01/research-identifies-methods-protect-against-online-privacy-attacks

' The Many Deaths of Jew Süss': Mintzker grapples with truth in history
Yair Mintzker, an associate professor of history, joined the Princeton faculty in 2009. He studies early modern and modern Germany, with a particular focus on the "Sattelzeit," or the transitional period between the early modern age and the late modern age. This spring, Mintzker's latest book, "The Many Deaths of Jew Süss: The Notorious Trial and Execution of an Eighteenth-Century Court Jew," was published by Princeton University Press.

Chemical coatings boss around bacteria, in the bugs’ own language
Princeton researchers have developed a way to place onto surfaces special coatings that chemically "communicate" with bacteria, telling them what to do. The coatings, which could be useful in inhibiting or promoting bacterial growth as needed, possess this controlling power over bacteria because, in effect, they "speak" the bug's own language.
03. ALUMNI INTEREST

Awards for Service to Princeton presented during Reunions festivities
In recognition of their outstanding service to the University, four members of the Princeton family received the Award for Service to Princeton at the annual Alumni Council luncheon on Friday, June 2, during Reunions. The winners were Susan Conger-Austin ’83, Kendall Crolius ’76, Anthony Fittizzi ’97 and Judith McCartin Scheide W36 P84. Read about them at: http://alumni.princeton.edu/volunteer/awards/servicetoprinceton/

Highlights from Reunions weekend
Relive the excitement of Reunions weekend. See who carried the Class of 1923 cane at the front of the P-rade. Learn about this year’s alumni volunteer award winners. Check out Reunions videos, photos and posts from social media throughout the weekend. Or, if you have more Reunions highlights to share, post them on social media using #PrincetonReunions. http://alumni.princeton.edu/goinback/reunions/2017/

The Alumni Association welcomes new graduates
The Princeton experience means a lot more than your years on campus. Alumni find Princeton just as exciting, inspiring and enriching after graduation, and the connection lasts a lifetime. Various alumni communities provide a wide range of opportunities for socializing, networking and community service, and contribute significantly to the rich alumni experience that defines Princeton. To learn more, visit: http://alumni.princeton.edu/communities/

Young alumni volunteers recognized by the Alumni Council
Each spring in The Daily Princetonian, four young alumni volunteers are highlighted by the Alumni Council for their exceptional work. These volunteers can be found in a variety of alumni activities across the country and around the world. To read about these young alumni and their service, go to: http://alumni.princeton.edu/volunteer/profiles/

President Eisgruber to visit alumni in Detroit
President Christopher L. Eisgruber ’83 will be visiting Detroit on Tuesday, June 27. All undergraduate and graduate alumni, students and parents are invited to hear Princeton’s 20th president provide an update from campus and discuss priorities for Princeton’s future. More information is available at: http://alumni.princeton.edu/calendar/president/detroit/
Experience gray whales up close with Princeton Journeys
Discover the Sea of Cortez in the company of Study Leader D. Graham Burnett ’93, professor of the history of science and author of "The Sounding of the Whale," on our educational adventure for all ages, "Among the Whales aboard the National Geographic Sea Bird,” March 10-17, 2018. In Bahía Magdalena off the western coast of Mexico, enjoy the rare privilege of witnessing the magnificent gray whale in its natural habitat. Search for dolphins, blue-footed boobies, pelicans, cormorants and the quirky frigatebirds as we travel in true expedition style. Contact the Princeton Journeys team at 609-258-8686 or journeys@princeton.edu to reserve your space today. For more information: http://alumni.princeton.edu/learntravel/journeys/roster/seacortez18/index.xml

Alumni Trustee election results announced
The Committee to Nominate Alumni Trustees is pleased to announce the election of Beth F. Cobert ’80 for At-Large Alumni Trustee, Melanie C. Lawson ’76 for Region II Alumni Trustee, and Ann Kirschner ’78 for Graduate Alumni Trustee. All Princeton alumni can participate in the election of alumni trustees not only by voting but also by suggesting names to the Committee to Nominate Alumni Trustees. To learn more about the committee and to submit a nomination, go to: http://alumni.princeton.edu/volunteer/committees/ctnat/

From the PAW: What’s next for the parties?
After a topsy-turvy election, PAW asked alumni on both sides of the aisle — in and out of government and in and out of Washington — to contemplate the future of our two major political parties. https://paw.princeton.edu/article/whither-republicans-wither-democrats
President’s page: https://paw.princeton.edu/article/free-speech-princeton

04. GIFTS TO PRINCETON

Watch out, Stephen Colbert — Here comes Charlie Baker ’17
Charlie Baker ’17, host of Princeton's monthly late-night talk show "All-Nighter with Charlie Baker," planned to pursue a career in the performing arts, but also wanted a solid liberal arts education — and he needed financial aid. When his Princeton aid package arrived, he thought, "Oh my gosh, this is actually going to happen!" A recipient of the Barry S. Freidberg ’62 Scholarship, Baker says, "Being able to come to Princeton and not worry about money is the biggest gift of my life." http://giving.princeton.edu/impact-stories/watch-out-stephen-colbert-here-comes-charlie-baker
Princetonians forge connections through Projects for Peace

Two projects designed by Princeton students to help make the world a better place have been awarded $10,000 by Davis Projects for Peace. Rising senior Kyle Berlin plans to break down political divides through storytelling, and rising seniors Kabbas Azhar and Lydia Watt and rising sophomores Amanda Cheng and Alice Vinogradsky will help bring clean drinking water to communities in Guyana. Projects for Peace was established by philanthropist Kathryn W. Davis in 2007, the year she celebrated her 100th birthday. Until her death at age 106 in 2013, Mrs. Davis was intent on advancing the cause of peace and sought to motivate tomorrow’s promising leaders by challenging them to find ways to prepare for peace. The Davis family continues to honor her legacy by funding Projects for Peace.


Video: Chance’s Pathbreaking Journey

Rising senior Chance Fletcher, from Oologah, Oklahoma, is a citizen of the Cherokee nation. He took a “Great American College Road Trip” with his grandmother; when they reached Princeton, he knew he’d found his destination. As a sophomore, he hiked 900 miles of the Trail of Tears, and then focused his junior independent research project on the forced removal of the Cherokee people from their ancestral lands. His journeys have taken him far from home, but closer to understanding his roots — and his dreams for the future.


05. MULTIMEDIA FEATURES

Video: Reimagining space with public art

New works of art on the Princeton campus are sparking conversation and increasing cultural understanding and community. Two pieces by Shahzia Sikander, a New York-based artist hailing from Lahore, Pakistan, have helped transform the former Frick Laboratory into the new Julis Romo Rabinowitz Building and Simpson International Building.


Video: Through the gates: The myth surrounding FitzRandolph Gate

Students often avoid walking out of the gate until Commencement out of fear that they won’t graduate on time or at all. This year’s graduates discuss this myth and their hopes for life after walking through the gate.

http://www.princeton.edu/news/2017/05/30/through-gates-myth-surrounding-fitzrandolph-gate

Video: Senior thesis: Rosales transforms his immigrant experience on page and stage

Edwin Rosales ’17, a first-generation college student who emigrated from Guatemala as a child, drew on his own family stories and extensive research to write two senior theses: a collection of short stories and a play.

06. EXHIBITS & EVENTS

Summer Chamber Concerts celebrates its 50th season
Summer Chamber Concerts will offer four concerts from Wednesday, June 29, through Wednesday, July 26. All concerts are free and will take place at 7:30 p.m. in Richardson Auditorium in Alexander Hall. For more information and to see the guest artists, visit: http://www.princetonsummerchamberconcerts.org/

Summer Film Series: 'A Knight's Tale'
Inspired by the exhibition "Great British Drawings from the Ashmolean Museum," this summer's outdoor film series at the Princeton University Art Museum features British directors, actors or themes. On Thursday, July 6, in the Brown/Dod courtyard, the selection is "A Knight's Tale," a 2001 film starring Heath Ledger as a peasant fueled by his desire for glory who creates a new identity for himself as a knight. All films begin at sundown. In the event of rain, films will be shown at 8 p.m. in 101 McCormick Hall.

A Festival of the Arts will celebrate the opening of new Lewis Arts Complex in October
The Lewis Center for the Arts and Department of Music have announced the diverse programming for a four-day festival being held on campus Thursday, Oct. 5, through Sunday, Oct. 8, to mark the opening of this exciting new arts venue on campus.

07. SPORTS UPDATES

Season wrap-up: Tiger men's basketball alums in the pros
The season has come to a close for Princeton's men's basketball alums playing overseas.

After return to IRA medal stand, lightweight senior rowing duo claims 2017 All-America honors
Juliette Hackett '17 and Christina Warren '17 experienced plenty throughout their four years in the Princeton women's lightweight varsity eight, much of which came during a trying rebuilding process that has left the program in terrific shape moving forward. However, the duo capped their terrific careers with two special honors — Princeton's first IRA medal since 2011 and CRCA All-America honors.
Cameron Porter '16 making headlines for soccer and software
Cameron Porter '16 was recently named one of the World's Top 20 Most Tech-Savvy Athletes by SportTechie. The MLS soccer player majored in computer science at Princeton and has a dual role with MLS as a software engineer.

Ratcliffe earns third first-team All-America honor with sixth-place finish in hammer throw
For the third time in her career Julia Ratcliffe '17 earned first-team All-America honors as she won a spot on the podium for the third year. She is the first Tiger in program history to earn three first-team All-America honors in the same event during her career. Ratcliffe was 11th as a freshman, the national champion as a sophomore and the national runner-up as a junior.

Princeton baseball in the pros
Get updates on the 10 Tigers playing in the minor and major leagues.

08. PRINCETON WEB CONNECT

- Princeton University - http://www.princeton.edu/
- Office of Alumni Affairs - http://alumni.princeton.edu/
- TigerNet Services - http://alumni.princeton.edu/tigernet/
- Class pages - http://alumni.princeton.edu/communities/classes/
- Graduate alumni pages - http://alumni.princeton.edu/communities/graduate/
- Giving to Princeton - http://giving.princeton.edu/
- Public events calendar - https://www.princeton.edu/events
- Visiting Princeton - https://www.princeton.edu/meet-princeton/visit-us
- Princeton Alumni Weekly - http://paw.princeton.edu/
- Princeton Social Media - http://socialmedia.princeton.edu/
- Princeton University Bulletin - https://pwb.princeton.edu/

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