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Anthony M. Fittizzi '97
Chair, Committee
on Reunions



c. 2016
(with wife Giselle)



c. 1995
(on left, with his brothers)

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The oldest of three brothers, Anthony Fittizzi grew up near Albany, NY. While he was committed to studying engineering in college, with Rensselaer Polytechnic just across the river, Anthony wanted a school that also embraced the liberal arts. Princeton was that school.

When he first arrived in the fall of 1993, having graduated from an all-male Catholic military academy, his first reaction was, "It didn't feel real. I had come from such a small community, and then here I was among people from all over the world." He quickly became acclimated: "It was a great environment, a place where people respected others and embraced those from different walks of life." He made new friends, and the bonds of friendship created relationships akin to family.

Family. The common thread through Anthony's life. His brothers Rocky ('99) and Garrett ('00) joined him as undergraduates, with all three on campus for Anthony's senior year. It was a special time when his real and Princeton families came together. And his favorite memory is of walking at the front of the 2016 P-rade with his children. "The University has been so good to my family and me," he shares, "that I'll always do my best to help when called on."

He has answered the call often since graduation. He has been an Alumni Schools Committee interviewer, a member of the Council of the Princeton University Community (CPUC) and a director of the Princeton Area Alumni Association. He was Reunions co-chair for his 10th reunion and has been on the Alumni Council Committee on Reunions (COR) since 2007, serving as the Committee chair for the past two years.

The Committee on Reunions is made up of past Reunions volunteers of all stripes, from former chairs and treasurers to tech and crew experts. Members act as liaisons to current Reunions volunteers, sharing best practices and tackling new initiatives. And, of course, notes Anthony, "its primary goal is to involve the greatest possible number of alumni, with family and friends, in the biggest and best family gathering of them all: Princeton Reunions."