Who are alumni?
All persons who attended one of the schools of the University for at least two semesters as a registered member in good standing of a class that has been graduated are considered alumni.

Mission
The mission of the Georgetown University Alumni Association (GUAA) is to generate goodwill and support for the university and to foster a lifelong connection among alumni, our alma mater and the global Georgetown community.

Fiscal Year 2014 Board Officers
The Board of Governors is the leadership body of the GUAA, a 501(c)(3) organization. Governors are elected by a vote open to all alumni and meet several times each year to review policies and procedures regarding Alumni Association business. They also serve as a channel of communication for alumni engagement and feedback. The five 2014 officers were:

Mary Beth Connell, M.D. (M’89) – President
Joseph L. Guarriello (B’71, L’74) – Treasurer
George J. Peacock (C’84) – President-Elect
Curtis J. Romig (C’94) – Parliamentarian
William G. Reynolds (C’79) – Executive Director
Mary Beth Connell, GUAA President 2012-2014

Mary Beth Connell, M.D. (M’89) is a specialist in physical medicine and rehabilitation. She has worked in private practice and held medical director positions for a non-profit research organization and a private corporation. She was as member of the Georgetown Medical Alumni Board for over a decade, serving as chair for five years, and is an active member of her medical class reunion committee. For the past 20 years, Connell has been a member of the Georgetown Clinical Society, a local medical society of Georgetown University School of Medicine graduates, serving as secretary/treasurer, vice president and president.

Connell completed two terms as a Governor on the Georgetown University Alumni Association Board of Governors and served as president from 2012-14. She received the Founder’s Award from the GUAA in 2016.

She is married to Marc D. Connell, M.D. (C’80, G’83, M’86, R’92) and they live in Bethesda, Maryland with their three children, Marc Jr. (F’79), Woods and Catherine.

Why did you decide to take on a leadership role in the GUAA?

I think it’s an incredible opportunity to give back to a university that gave me my professional career. When I was an undergraduate and a graduate student, mentoring was something that didn’t occur as often as it could have. I like to give to the students in any way that I can, whether it’s networking, career advice or a dinner in our home to speak about their futures.

I stepped off the work track for a while to be home with my children, and as I became more involved in volunteer activities through Georgetown, I decided to put off returning to paid employment until my volunteer service is complete. It has been a blessing.

What has surprised you since becoming president?

I’ve been pleasantly surprised by the presence and support of so many alumni who are dedicated to serving Georgetown. This collective effort helps preserve Georgetown’s preeminent status as a top-tier, global university. We have so many talented and generous alumni for whom the Jesuit motto "men and women for others" resonates.

What do you wish more alumni understood about the GUAA?

I wish that alumni of all schools knew they are all members of the alumni association at no cost, and that programming for alumni goes on in cities all over the world. The GUAA hosts intellectual, cultural, athletic, service, religious and social events that they may attend. The Alumni website and email provide great avenues for dissemination of information so please keep Georgetown apprised of email address changes.

What was one of the biggest accomplishments of the GUAA during the 2014 fiscal year?

We wanted to take our Georgetown events to other parts of the world where we have strong alumni populations. We selected Doha, Qatar for our International Leaders Weekend as we have a School of Foreign Service there with the first alumni ready to celebrate their five-year reunion. The attendance was four to five times what we anticipated and it brought alumni together from the U.S., Europe, Asia and the Middle East, engaging many who had attended John Carroll London in April of the year. The intellectual and cultural programs were representative of the best of Georgetown.

William G. Reynolds, GUAA Executive Director

William G. Reynolds (C’79) has been the Executive Director of the Georgetown University Alumni Association since 2002. After graduating from Georgetown, he earned his MBA from Cornell University in 1981. His background includes extensive marketing and management experience. He spent 17 years at Unilever, including five years as a marketing vice president for product lines including the Elizabeth Arden and Chesebrough Ponds divisions. He also was vice president of marketing at L’Oreal.

Reynolds has spent many years as an alumni volunteer leader at Georgetown. He is a past president of the GUAA and was a two-time chair of the Annual Fund in the 1990s. In addition to serving on the Board of Directors, Board of Regents and Board of Governors, he was a founding member of the London (UK) Club. Reynolds received Georgetown’s highest alumni honor, the John Carroll Award, in 1995.

Bill and his wife Jeanne have two children, Kevin (C’10) and Claire (C’12).

What was your philosophy in serving a dual role as Executive Director of the Alumni Association and Associate Vice President for Georgetown University’s Office of Advancement?

My goal is to create alignment between the Office of Advancement and the 170,000+ alumni that are members of the GUAA in order to create a better sense of community in support of Georgetown.

What’s special about the Georgetown alumni community?

A central value of Georgetown University is the Jesuit concept of cura personalis, which translates as "care of the whole person." Students at Georgetown hear a lot about this concept during their time in school, but it is also engrained in the Georgetown Alumni community. The alumni of Georgetown exemplify cura personalis by showing their support to the university, to society and to their classmates.

As we round out the 2014 year, what do you think was the biggest accomplishment?

GUAA had many successes in 2014 including the increase in the Annual Fund participation, the increase in dollars raised for Georgetown; a record number of career services participants (18,600+ webinar registrants); and a successful execution of Georgetown’s International Alumni Weekend in Doha (over 250 registered for the event).
Founded in 1881, the GUAA serves graduates of every class, every school and every program offered at Georgetown University, keeping them connected with each other, the university and the Jesuit ideals on which it was founded.

173,943
TOTAL LIVING ALUMNI
11,464
INTERNATIONAL ALUMNI
176
COUNTRIES REPRESENTED
81
REGIONAL CLUBS
31
INTERNATIONAL CLUBS
250
ALUMNI CLUB VOLUNTEERS

"WHEREVER WE ARE, WE ARE GEORGETOWN."
—Bill Reynolds, GUAA Executive Director

ALUMNI BY SCHOOL

Georgetown College 42,727
McDonough School of Business 13,557
Walsh School of Foreign Service 19,316
Graduate School of Arts & Sciences 41,968
Law Center 42,335
School of Medicine 10,393
School of Dentistry 3,855
School of Continuing Studies 4,559
School of Nursing & Health Studies 6,253
McCourt School of Public Policy 3,178

ALUMNI BY STATE

Alabama 461 Kentucky 489 North Dakota 57
Alaska 222 Louisiana 657 Ohio 2,426
Arizona 1,355 Maine 629 Oklahoma 345
Arkansas 202 Maryland 17,887 Oregon 1,080
California 15,113 Massachusetts 6,633 Pennsylvania 6,213
Colorado 2,095 Michigan 1,383 Rhode Island 811
Connecticut 4,384 Minnesota 1,037 South Carolina 1,050
Delaware 606 Mississippi 185 South Dakota 73
D.C. 16,106 Missouri 996 Tennessee 896
Florida 7,238 Montana 208 Texas 4,407
Georgia 2,349 Nebraska 210 Utah 453
Hawaii 626 Nevada 526 Vermont 469
Idaho 192 New Hampshire 788 Virginia 22,900
Illinois 4,270 New Jersey 7,498 Washington 2,182
Indiana 665 New Mexico 548 West Virginia 327
Iowa 278 New York 17,725 Wisconsin 821
Kansas 356 North Carolina 2,714 Wyoming 90

ALUMNI ALLIANCES

Georgetown Entertainment & Media Alliance (GEMA)
International Affairs Alliance
London City Alliance
Wall Street Alliance

Wall Street Alliance West
Chicago Business Alliance
Technology Alliance
Entrepreneurship Alliance

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ALUMNI HOUSE
At the heart of the GUAA is the Robert and Bernice Wagner Alumni House. Every year, thousands of alumni, students and friends of Georgetown visit the Alumni House to browse the extensive collection of yearbooks in the library, sit by the courtyard fountain, look for familiar names among the engraved bricks and enjoy the historic photographs and caricatures that enliven the Seminar and Winter Garden rooms.

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BRICK PAVERS
The Robert and Bernice Wagner Alumni House features a courtyard paved with personalized bricks. Each year, many alumni, parents and friends give limited-edition bricks to leave a message for future generations of Hoyas.

ALUMNI.GEORGETOWN.EDU
Page views*: 1,350,688
Users*: 183,925

SOCIAL MEDIA
Twitter followers: 5,605
Facebook Likes: 10,029
LinkedIn Alumni Group Members: 24,810

GEORGETOWN MAGAZINE
In 2012, the university’s flagship alumni publication, Georgetown Magazine, added a digital format designed to be viewed on a desktop, tablet or mobile device. New stories are added once a month and bring readers interactive content, videos and slideshows that are easy to share with friends. The magazine publishes a hard copy version each fall.

Georgetown Magazine Circulation*: 148,000 (alumni, parents and friends of the university)

GEORGETOWN TODAY
Georgetown Today is a monthly electronic newsletter that delivers news and information about Georgetown University and its various academic units to university alumni. Georgetown Today Subscribers (Email)* Approximately 150,000 (alumni/parents)

*Numbers as of 6/30/2014

WEBINAR PROGRAM
Alumni Career Services (ACS) produces more than 70 webinars each year on various professional development career topics and industry trends. These webinars feature industry leaders, CEOs, entrepreneurs, authors, career coaches and other experts from the Georgetown community. Webinars are one hour in length and are accessible to alumni in any part of the world.

In 2014, GUAA’s website, alumni.georgetown.edu, received 1,350,688 page views.

ALUMNI CAREER SERVICES EVENTS
The 13th Annual Georgetown Entertainment & Media Alliance (GEMA) Panel brought together undergraduate and graduate students to hear talented alumni panelists speak about trends affecting their professions, such as mobile streaming, consuming media through multiple devices at once. The 8th Annual Entrepreneurship Alliance Event brought alumni together in 1776, the popular incubator for budding entrepreneurs. Alumni discussed their business ventures and listened to 1776 leaders share their vision for DC entrepreneurs.

HOYA GATEWAY
Total Number of Hoya Gateway Meetings: 805
Alumni Volunteers: 341
Registered Students: 918

Ready, Set, Connect: On October 3, 2013, the Fourth Annual Ready, Set, Connect: Student and Alumni Speed Networking Event brought together 100 students and 100 alumni for a fast-moving evening of conversations about careers and the job/internship experience. Each student met with an alumnus for eight minutes before moving to the station of a different alumnus.

Hoya Gateway Live!: On April 10, 2014, the First Annual Hoya Gateway Live! was held at The City Tavern Club in Washington, D.C. This event was open exclusively to Hoya Gateway alumni mentors and students to promote face-to-face conversations. Some 800 alumni clustered around the room based on the industries: health & medicine, law, nonprofit, technology, entertainment & media, entrepreneurship, finance, government, and human resources & executive recruiting. Nearly 300 students navigated the reception according to their interests in the represented industries.

2014 Awards
Hoya Gateway received the CASE District II Accolades Award: GOLD for Best Practices in Alumni Relations
Webinar Program received the CASE Circle of Excellence Award: SILVER for Best Practices in Alumni Relations
Alumni Career Services’ blog (https://georgetownacs.wordpress.com) received the CASE Circle of Excellence Award: SILVER for Best Practices in Alumni Relations, Use of Technology
JOHN CARROLL WEEKEND
On Feb. 20-23, 2014 John Carroll Weekend drew more than 1,200 alumni and guests together to Miami. The GUAA bestowed its highest honors upon five alumni and one friend of the university in recognition of their dedication to Georgetown’s mission of excellence, service and leadership. The elegant, black-tie reception and banquet took place at LIV nightclub, inside the Fontainebleau Hotel.

The 2014 John Carroll Award recipients were:

• Jane Hopkins Carey (C’79, Parent’10, ’12)
• John C. Courtin (C’70, L’78, Parent’13)
• Robert M. Flanagan (B’67, Parent’93, ’95, ’99)
• Joseph L. Guarriello (B’71, L’74)
• J. Clifford Hudson (L’80, Parent’14)

The 2014 Patrick Healy Recipient was:


ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AWARDS BANQUET
The Annual Service Recognition Awards Banquet was held on April 11, 2014 during the Board of Governor’s Spring Leadership Weekend. This evening celebrated alumni, faculty, staff and clubs for their work in support of the GUAA mission.

GUAA President Mary Beth Connell and GUAA Executive Director Bill Reynolds presented 12 alumni and one faculty member with awards. Over 240 alumni and staff attended the event in Leo O’Donovan’s Hall. Alumni sponsored 50 students to attend the event.

John Carroll Weekend 2014 drew more than 1,200 alumni and guests to Miami.
ANNUAL GIVING

Annual Giving raised $43.7M from more than 34,350 alumni, parents and friends, which was a 16 percent increase in dollars raised for Georgetown. This increased the undergraduate participation rate from 32 percent to 33 percent.

All gifts to the Georgetown Fund were directed to the university’s top priority, the 1789 Scholarship Imperative. More than 14,000 donors contributed over $8.1 million to the Georgetown Fund, an increase of 14 percent.

CITY CHALLENGE

The GUAA helped the Annual Fund achieve its goal through the support of the Georgetown University City Challenge, designed to foster competition between our eight largest domestic alumni markets and increase overall participation. The Chicago Alumni Scholarship was established to recognize Chicago as the winner of the City Challenge.

LOYALTY SOCIETY

The Loyalty Society honors alumni giving to Georgetown with various degrees of loyalty—from Charter members, who are just beginning their lifelong commitment to annual giving, to Lifetime supporters, who have given to the university for 20 or more years.

The GUAA’s support of the Loyalty Society continued to yield increases in alumni philanthropic engagement. Between FY12 and FY14, the Loyalty Society grew by 10 percent.

Georgetown Fund Year-over-Year Growth

*figures as of June 30, 2014

DONORS DOLLARS

FY13 FY14

13,438 14,061

$7,139,809 $8,144,904

FY13 FY14

1,042 1,068

$11,593,600 $11,618,000
REUNIONS & EVENTS

HOMECOMING
Each fall, Georgetown alumni from around the world return home to the Hilltop. On September 27 – 29, 2013, more than 6,050 Georgetown alumni, students and friends headed to campus for 2013 Homecoming.

REUNION
Reunion 2013 was record-breaking in both attendance and number of donors. More than 4,000 alumni, family members and friends attended on May 30 – June 2, 2013, and 34.5 percent of Reunion 2013 classmates gave during their reunion year.


GEORGETOWN MCDONOUGH GRADUATE REUNION WEEKEND
On Oct. 4-6, 2013, the Georgetown McDonough Graduate Reunion drew more than 200 alumni to reconnect and celebrate with friends and former classmates. Alumni from all over the globe came back to the Hilltop to enjoy the weekend’s festivities, including a family-friendly picnic at the new Rafik B. Hariri building and dinner and dancing aboard the Odyssey Cruise Ship.

LAW SCHOOL REUNION
The Georgetown Law Reunion Weekend from Oct. 18-20, 2013 was the largest celebrated in its history with more than 1,400 alumni and guests. The highlight of the weekend was the Reunion Gala at the National Building Museum, where Dean William Treanor welcomed over 550 guests and presented the Robert F. Drinan S.J. Law Alumni Public Service Award to Congressman John Dingell (C’59, L’52) and the Paul R. Dean Alumni Award to Senator Mazie K. Hirono (L’78), Kevin Mchtyre (L’88), Patrick “Pat” Moran (L’73), Judge Patricia Seitz (L’73) and Jane Sherburne (L’83).

MEDICAL CENTER REUNION WEEKEND
More than 300 alumni returned to campus for the 2013 Medical Reunion Weekend from Oct. 24-17, 2013. Highlights of the weekend included the 2013 GUMC Legend Reception honoring John N. Delahay, M.D. (C’65, M’69, R’70, R’88), the Golden Jubilee Luncheon, honoring the 50th Reunion Class of 1963, the Alumni Welcome Home Reception and the All-Class Family Picnic, where the Reunion Cups were awarded.

DENTAL REUNION WEEKEND
Dental alumni who graduated in years ending in four and nine celebrated reunion from May 29-31, 2014. The highlight of the weekend was the School of Dentistry All-Class Party at the Mayflower Hotel, which was attended by more than 140 alumni and guests. Dr. Sally Cram (D’86) received the 2014 Distinguished Service Award in Dentistry and Dr. Kenneth Hargreaves (D’83) was awarded the Gustav O. Kruger Lifetime Achievement Award in Dentistry.

NOTABLE EVENTS
Lecture by Former President Bill Clinton
On April 30, 2014, Bill Clinton (F’68) visited historic Gaston Hall to speak to students about the purpose of service.

Black House Dedication
On Oct. 5, 2013, alumni, students, university leaders and current and former Black House residents celebrated the opening of its new location on 36th Street.