

# HARVARD CLUB *Established* 1883 WASHINGTON, D.C.

January-February 2015

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## -New Feature-

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## Global Networking Night - FREE

Join us for GNN at a NEW location! GNN is Global Networking Night, your opportunity to network and mingle with 400 fellow alumni while enjoying the beautiful space and delicious food and drinks provided by our sponsor, Il Canale Ristorante. Because space is limited and GNN has always sold out, please submit your registration with HAA soon (required). While attending GNN is free for all Harvard alumni, food and drinks are available for purchase, with net proceeds benefiting the Harvard Club of Washington, DC. For your convenience—and to save \$1 per drink—you will be able to pre-purchase food and drinks tickets in advance at [www.pivvit.com/harvard-gnn](http://www.pivvit.com/harvard-gnn).

**When:** Tuesday, January 13, 2015  
6:00pm - 9:00pm

**Where:** Il Canale Ristorante  
1063 31st St NW  
Washington, DC 20007

## You Don't Find the Job; The Job Finds You: The Why and How in Branding Yourself, with Scott Talan MPA '02

Fewer companies are posting jobs online. Learn how to understand your brand, create it, and put it online - so that the job finds you! Prof. Talan has expertise in social media and personal branding honed through communications experience in TV News, Politics, Nonprofits/NGOs, and Higher Education. \$15 Members and their Guests; \$35 Non-members.

**When:** Tuesday, February 17, 2015  
6:00pm - 6:30pm: Networking (open bar, hors d'oeuvres)  
6:30pm - 7:30pm: Program  
7:30pm - 8:00pm: Wrap-up and Networking

**Where:** Hogan Lovells, Litigation Center (Concourse Level)  
555 13th St NW  
Washington, DC 20004



## African American Medicine in Civil War Washington, DC: Dinner Conversation with Heather Butts MPH '98

Author Heather M. Butts recounts the heroic lives and work of the African American medical community in Washington, DC, during the Civil War. Dinner and drinks prepared by Chef Chris! \$35 Members and their Guests; \$60 Non-members.

**When:** Friday, February 27, 2015  
6:30pm - 8:30pm

**Where:** Hogan Lovells, Litigation Center (Concourse Level)  
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Dear Harvard Club Members,

As we start a new year, I thank you for your past support of the Club and hope that we can count on your continued support. Your membership dues and additional donations make it possible for us to offer events and programs that keep you and your fellow alumni connected to one another and to Harvard. I thank you, too, for your generosity with the time and effort that you contribute to the Club as volunteers. Our dedicated volunteers organize or help at events such as Book Club meetings, Ivy Tennis tournaments, and Ivy Singles dances, interview applicants to the College, attend college fairs, chair committees, monitor listservs, and serve on the Board of Directors.

Please consider joining the Board of Directors in the 2015-2016 Club year, which begins this July 1. We are accepting nominations now until January 31. We need you and your skills and talents, especially for the following roles: director of communications, newsletter editor, website manager, social-media manager, assistant secretary, and co-chair of the Community Service Committee. Also, if you are interested in organizing an alumni sports team - flag football, softball, or cycling, for example? - we want you! If you enjoy envisioning and organizing events, we need you! Recent grads are most welcome, and we seek to build a diverse Board that is representative of the entire alumni community. To nominate yourself or someone else, please contact David Greene, Immediate Past President and Chair of the Nominating Committee, at [nominations@harvard-dc.org](mailto:nominations@harvard-dc.org). For more information, please see the notice below.

In 2015, we look forward to hosting plenty of extraordinary events for you, and we begin the new year with a bang. On January 13, join us for Global Networking Night, your opportunity to meet and mingle with 400 fellow alumni and enjoy the beautiful space and delicious food and drink provided by our sponsor, Il Canale Ristorante, in Georgetown. GNN is our most popular event and has always sold out, so please register soon.

Then, weather the winter with us at enlightening events on topics as timely and diverse as international conflict resolution, personal branding and social media, basketball analytics (at a Wizards game!), African American medicine in Civil War Washington, and Persian cuisine.

I look forward to seeing each of you at these and other upcoming events!

Best wishes,

Yi-Fun Hsueh AB '87, JD '91  
President  
Harvard Club of Washington, DC



### Would you like to join the Board of Directors of the Harvard Club of Washington, DC?

If you would like to nominate yourself or someone you know to become a member of the Board of Directors of the Harvard Club of Washington, DC, please contact David Greene, Immediate Past President and Chair of the Nominating Committee, at [nominations@harvard-dc.org](mailto:nominations@harvard-dc.org).

Candidates should be members of the Harvard Club, be available to attend monthly, lunchtime Board meetings in downtown Washington, DC, and be willing and able to volunteer for various Club-sponsored events over the course of the year.

Preference is given to candidates who have a demonstrated history of service to either the Club or Harvard University. The deadline for candidate applications is January 31, 2015.



## In Memoriam

Richard Pentlarge Kleeman AB '44

June 24, 1923 - December 5, 2014

We remember him for his dedicated service to the Harvard Club of Washington, DC.

Vice President of Membership 1994-1996 • Secretary 1996-2002, 2003-2004 • Director 2002-2003

## Celebrate Local Emerging Designers/Entrepreneurs - FREE

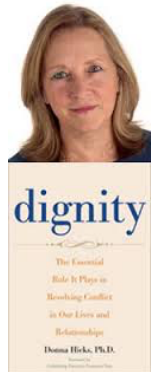
Meet four young designers/entrepreneurs in their pop-up store in Cady's Alley in Georgetown. Browse fashionable clothing and accessories for both men and women! Bring a bottle of white wine to share with friends and we'll provide the glasses and some food. Free!

**When:** Saturday, January 3, 2015  
5:00pm - 7:00pm

**Where:** Pop-up Shop at Cady's Alley  
330 M St NW  
Washington, DC 20007

## Dignity: The Essential Role It Plays in Resolving Conflict, with Dr. Donna Hicks, Associate at Harvard's Weatherhead Center

An Associate at the Weatherhead Center for International Affairs at Harvard University and author of *Dignity: The Essential Role It Plays in Resolving Conflict*, Donna Hicks has 20 years of experience as a facilitator during international conflicts in the Middle East, Sri Lanka, Columbia, Cuba, and Northern Ireland. Her unique focus on dignity, and the essential role it plays in resolving conflict, has transformed work environments for the world's most prominent companies, nonprofits, and governmental agencies. \$20 Members and their Guests; \$45 Non-members.



**When:** Friday January 23, 2015  
5:30pm - 6:00pm - Networking (open bar, hors d'oeuvres)  
6:00pm - 7:10pm - Program  
7:10pm - 7:45pm - Q&A and Presentations  
7:45pm - 8:00pm - Networking  
8:00pm - Optional Happy Hour at Chef Geoff's (tentative location)

**Where:** Hogan Lovells  
555 13th St NW  
Washington, DC 20004

## Basketball Analytics at the Wizards Game, with Jason Rosenfeld AB '12



Watch the Washington Wizards challenge the Toronto Raptors, and enjoy a pre-game talk by Jason Rosenfeld AB '12, the NBA's Director of Basketball Analytics. Free Wizards T-shirt for each attendee. \$25 Members and their Guests; \$50 Non-members.

**When:** Saturday, January 31, 2015  
6:00pm - 10:00pm

**Where:** Verizon Center  
601 F St NW  
Washington, DC 20004

## Introduction to Persian Cuisine 101, with Chef Maziar Farivar of the Peacock Café

Chef Farivar brings over 30 years' experience to the Peacock Café! The three-course menu will appeal to a variety of different preferences, including gluten-free and vegetarian options. This event is open to members and their guests only: \$40 without wine; \$58 with wine pairing. Price includes tax and gratuity.

**When:** Monday, February 23, 2015  
6:30pm - 8:30pm

**Where:** Peacock Café  
3251 Prospect St NW  
Washington, DC 20007



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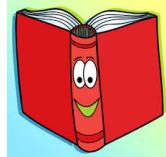


## ***A Chosen Exile: A History of Racial Passing in American Life, with Allyson Hobbs AB '97***

Join the author, Allyson Hobbs, who received her AB in Social Studies *magna cum laude* from Harvard, in a discussion of this book, which is published by the Harvard Press. Free!

**When:** Friday, February 27, 2015  
12:00pm - 1:00pm

**Where:** National Archives, McGowan Theater  
700 Pennsylvania Ave NW  
Washington, DC 20408



## ***Country Girl: A Memoir by Edna O'Brien***

Join the Book Club and explore how O'Brien's novels were banned in her native Ireland for indecency and now her fiction is seen as richly illuminating and candid depictions of women's needs and desires. Call 202-445-9125 for additional information. Free! Bring your own food and drink.

**When:** Tuesday, January 27, 2015  
6:30pm - 8:30pm

**Where:** 1327-B St NW (Between N and O Sts in Dupont)  
Washington, DC 20036

## ***In Concert at Anderson House***

For each concert, the doors open at 1:00pm. Seating is on a first-come-first-served basis. Concerts last approximately one hour. A reception with punch and cookies as well as tours of the historic house museum are offered following each concert. Children are welcome to attend. Free!

**Where:** Anderson House-The Society of the Cincinnati  
2118 Massachusetts Ave NW  
Washington, DC 20008

## ***Soprano Chelsea Camille and Classical Guitarist David Isaacs***



Camille and Isaacs perform an enticing fare of music that will delight your ears and calm your spirit while offering historic background and delightful anecdotes about the composers, their lives, and their music. Their current repertoire spans the centuries from the Renaissance to the 21st century while traversing six languages. Free!

**When:** Saturday, January 17, 2015  
1:00pm - 3:00pm

## ***Gridiron Reception and Reprise***

The 128th annual Washington Gridiron Club's annual white-tie dinner with satire and songs that skewer Presidents, politicians, and lobbyists! Reservations must be made by February 27, 2015, at noon. \$80. No refunds.

**When:** Sunday, March 15, 2015  
2:00pm - 3:00pm - Reception with open bar  
3:00pm - 4:30pm - The Show

**Where:** Washington Renaissance Hotel, Ballroom  
999 9th St NW  
Washington, DC 20001



The Gridiron Club  
of Washington, D.C.

## ***DC Central Kitchen - Volunteer Event***

Come join us in doing morning meal preparation that includes chopping, peeling, and other, related tasks. Free!

**When:** Sunday, January 18, 2015  
9:00am - 12:00pm

**Where:** DC Central Kitchen  
425 2nd St NW  
Washington, DC 20001



## ***Violinist Akiko Kobayashi***

New-York-born violinist Akiko Kobayashi performs both solo and chamber works in venues ranging from international music festivals to Carnegie Hall. Her interests include Baroque performance and compositional practices, Baroque violin bows, and violin and harpsichord works. Free!



**When:** Tuesday, February 17, 2015  
1:00pm - 3:00pm



## All Harvard Happy Hours at Paper Moon

Happy hour may be a state of mind, but it's also a great way to meet alums from all of Harvard's schools. All are welcome to attend. We ask that you purchase a drink at special happy-hour prices in consideration of Paper Moon's providing a free buffet of pasta and salad.

**Where:** Paper Moon, 1073 31st St NW, Washington, DC 20007

### January All Harvard Happy Hour

**When:** Monday, January 5, 2015  
6:00pm - 8:00pm

### February All Harvard Happy Hour

**When:** Monday, February 2, 2015  
6:00pm - 8:00pm

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**At the 2014 Public Service Award Luncheon on October 21, the Harvard Club of Washington, DC, Awarded Its Highest Honor to US Secretary of Labor Thomas E. Perez JD '87, MPP '87**

***PROCLAMATION***



***IN RECOGNITION*** of his distinguished public service to his County, State and Country as a career public servant, first at the federal level as a federal prosecutor for the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, Deputy Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights, Chair of the inter-agency Worker Exploitation Task Force overseeing initiatives designed to protect vulnerable workers, and Special Counsel to Senator Edward Kennedy advising on civil rights, criminal justice and constitutional issues; then at the local level as the first Latino elected to the Montgomery County Council which he later headed as its President and where he promoted protections against predatory lending, worked to extend health care and affordable prescription drugs, and fought for a minimum wage for domestic workers; then at the State level as Maryland Secretary of Labor where he fought to end the practice of falsely classifying employees as independent contractors; and then returning to federal public service, initially as Assistant Attorney General for the Department of Justice Civil Rights Division in the administration of President Obama where he challenged voter ID laws and led federal investigations into bias against Latinos, individuals with HIV/AIDS, and those with disabilities, and subsequently as U.S. Labor Secretary, protecting the rights and opportunities of the working men and women of America;

***ACKNOWLEDGING*** the extraordinary role that this son of immigrants has played as the conscience of the nation, fighting to fulfill the promise of our nation's treasured laws that advance equal opportunity, level the playing field and protect the rights of all citizens, while making sure that the ladder for increased opportunity and social mobility is always down for the disenfranchised, the dispossessed and the downtrodden among us, and also attending vigilantly to the infrastructure of democracy by securing and protecting the right to vote and ensuring that law enforcement is as effective in respecting the rule of law as it is at reducing crime, all while exemplifying courage and dignity in public service.

***IT IS WITH PRIDE*** that the Harvard Club of Washington, D.C., whose mission includes actively promoting public service, this 21st day of October, 2014, hereby proclaims Thomas E. Perez, JD '87, MPP '87, prominent son of Harvard, dedicated public servant, guardian of the gates of justice and spirited sentinel for equal opportunity under law, as the recipient of its ***2014 PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD***.



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