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Upcoming Events

Saturday, April 5, 2014 @ 12 Noon ***9th Annual Radcliffe College Alumnae Luncheon***

Location: The home of Isabelle Fox (Sherman Oaks)

Cost: \$30 per person

Tuesday, April 8, 2014 @ 6:30 PM ***Alumni Talk: David Schaberg PhD '96***

Location: UCLA Faculty Center (Los Angeles)

Cost: \$40, members/guests; \$45, non-members

Friday, April 11, 2014 @ 8:00 PM ***Salsa Dancing in Orange County***

Location: Tapas Restaurant (Newport Beach)

Cost: \$5 for the salsa lesson paid at the venue

Sunday, April 13, 2014 @ 3:00 PM ***Science Pub Series # 3 - Climate Change: Warming Up to a Heated Topic***

Location: Trattoria Neapolis (Pasadena)

Cost: \$25 per person

Thursday, April 17, 2014 @ 6:00 PM ***Harvard Faculty Talk/Dinner: Dr. Andrew Berry***

Location: The USC University Club (Los Angeles)

Cost: \$40, members/guests; \$50, non-members

Tuesday, April 22, 2014 @ 8:00 PM ***The Gershwins' Porgy and Bess and Diane Paulus Talk-Back***

Location: Ahmanson Theatre (Los Angeles)

Cost: 10% Discount using special code

Thursday, May 15, 2014 @ 6:00 PM ***2014 Friends of Harvard Football Dinner with Coach Tim Murphy***

Location & Cost: TBA

Wednesday, May 21, 2014 @ 6:00 PM ***Private Show at the Magic Castle***

Location: The Magic Castle (Los Angeles)

Cost: \$50, members

Wednesday, May 21, 2014, time TBA ***The Shot Felt 'Round the World, a documentary***

Location & Cost: TBA

Please visit www.Harvard-LA.org for a complete list of upcoming events and to register.



Come Join Us for the Sixth Anniversary of "Harvard Serves"

The Harvard Club of Southern California invites you to participate in Harvard's sixth annual Global Month of Service this April. Last year over 100 local alumni volunteered, and for 2014, the Club hopes to double that number.

Once again this year, the "Harvard Serves" Kick-Off event on March 26, 2014 held at the stunning architectural offices of Michael Lehrer, GSD '78, was a tremendous success, with 60 persons attending. Alumni met with representatives of 16 local non-profit organizations, each with its own Alumni Volunteer Coordinator. Service opportunities extend throughout the greater Southern California area, and encompass a wide variety of activities, ranging from the arts, to education, to human rights, to the homeless. It's not too late to volunteer. Please see the list of



Alumni shop for volunteer opportunities at the Kick-Off.

projects available to alumni, their family, and friends this April, listed in this newsletter. You can also sign up at <http://www.harvard-la.org/article.html?aid=581>.

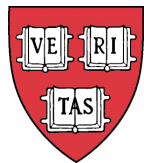
Harvard Alumni Association Director Liz Ryan AB '81 co-chairs the Global Month of Service for the HAA and is also the Harvard Club of Southern California's Public Service Coordinator. Last year, of the 53 cities who participated in this HAA initiative, Southern California's volunteer participation topped them all. "Whatever your skill, and wherever your neighborhood, we've got a volunteer activity for you. Come join the fun!" says Ryan.

Save the Date - May 15th @ 6:00 PM...



2014 Friends of Harvard Football Dinner With Coach Tim Murphy

Please visit www.Harvard-LA.org for updated details.



Internship Opportunity at Brain Health Alliance

Brain Health Alliance pursues a mission as an alliance of individuals and organizations networking to build bridges for better brain health.

High school, college and graduate students may apply for educational stipends to participate in the Summer 2014 Research Program at Brain Health Alliance. Students may choose a research topic related to at least one of the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) with potential application to the mission of Brain Health Alliance. **Additional information may be obtained via their website: <http://www.brainhealthalliance.org/Internships>.**



The Harvard Prize Book Program Needs Your Contribution

The Harvard Prize Book Program is underway! Each year the Harvard Club of Southern California administers the Prize Book Program for the greater Southern California area, encompassing the counties of Los Angeles, Orange, Ventura, San Bernardino and Riverside. The Club awards *The Harvard Book*, a collection of insightful essays penned by distinguished Harvard alumni over the centuries, to outstanding high school students in their junior year. The winners are selected by their respective schools. Please continue your generous support of the Harvard Club Prize Book Program. Our Prize Book Program is one of the largest in the world and last year came close to supplanting the Boston Club as the biggest. With your help, the Harvard Club of Southern California will be the most successful!

As an added incentive, for every three Prize Books that you sponsor, the Club will sponsor an additional Prize Book to a local high school in your name. For more information, contact Curtis Jang at curtisjang@sbcglobal.net or (626) 300-0818.

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This newsletter accepts items for publication. Materials must be submitted by the 12th of the prior month to appear in the following newsletter. Please include a phone number or email address with all submissions. Email submissions to: HarvardSoCal@gmail.com



2014-2015 CLUB ELECTION SLATE

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 1 of the Club By-Laws, the Nominating Committee is pleased to present the following nominations for officers and directors of the Harvard Club of Southern California for the year 2014-2015:

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Director	John Wang AB '88

This slate of candidates has been approved by the Board of Directors. All candidates are running unopposed. On or before April 15, 2014, any 25 or more active members of the Club are entitled to file with the Club Secretary a nomination of any other eligible member for any office. The Ballot will be sent out with the May Newsletter. Members may vote for every candidate on the Election Slate should they choose to do so.

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April 2014 is Harvard's Global Month of Service — Get Involved! — Volunteer Opportunities

Whatever your skill, and wherever your neighborhood, we've got a volunteer activity for you. **Register now at <http://www.harvard-la.org/article.html?aid=581>**. Each listing below includes a description of volunteer activities available, along with a date/time (if available), and person to contact. If you have any difficulty please contact the Community Service Committee Chair, Liz Ryan at 310-822-6042 or lryan.ryanworks@gmail.com.

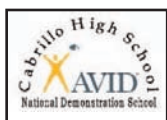


American Youth Symphony — (www.aysymphony.org)

When: Project 1: April 13 performance, 5:15 - 7:15 PM (other projects available)

Contact: Varina Bleil, 310-470-2332 or varina.bleil@aysymphony.org

Dedicated to the artistic development of a new generation of musicians and to guiding audiences to support them.



Cabrillo Ivy League Mentorship Program (<http://lbcabrillo.schoolloop.com/>)

When: Last Thursday of each month, 3 PM - 4 PM.

Contact: Ethel Laczko, 626-429-3138 or etheledu@yahoo.com

Need speakers to speak and mentor High School students interested in attending Ivy League Schools.



Collective Voices Foundation (<http://collectivevoices.org/>)

When: Dates per consultation of volunteers and coordinator

Contact: Rob Chan, 312-543-4895 or robchan2013@gmail.com

Aims to inspire the voice and consciousness of under-resourced youth through innovative educational programs in collaboration with teachers, schools, and community partners. EVERY voice matters. EVERYONE

has a value. Together...EVERYTHING is possible.



Global Education, Peru (www.gloaled.us)

When: Dates per consultation of volunteers and coordinator

Contact: Ethel Seminario-Laczko at 626-429-3138 or etheledu@yahoo.com

The program's purpose is to teach literacy in English to children from "barriadas" so they can become part of globalization process. There is a need for fundraising, reading to students in English, transporting books, implementing technology and more.



Harvard Tutors in the Schools

(https://secure.post.harvard.edu/olc/pub/HAA/event/showEventForm.jsp?form_id=172310)

When: One hour or more/week during school year. Time of day TBD.

Contact: Priscilla Heim at 310-472-4478 or priheim@verizon.net

Alumni are invited to tutor children K - 12 in all subjects. A knowledge of your subject and an understanding of children is helpful.



Hollenbeck Youth Center (<http://hollenbeckpbc.org/>)

When: April 10, 3:30 - 6 PM.

Contact: Elizabeth Johnson, 661-753-7889 or Eliz@Elizabeth-Johnson.com

Committed to the primary goal of preventing violence by deterring kids from gang and criminal activities through innovative recreation, education and entrepreneur programs.



International Orphan Care (<http://www.orphanproject.org/>)

When: Date per consultation of volunteers and coordinator.

Contact: Waheed Gardezi, 949-422-4363 or waheed.gardezi@gmail.com

Our mission is to provide the orphans of Afghanistan with HOPE (Help the Orphans be Productive and Educated). IOC provides education, healthcare, nutrition and vocational training.



Kids Enjoy Exercise Now (<http://www.keenlosangeles.org/>)

When: Sunday, April 6th - 10:15 AM - 11:00 AM Orientation, 11-12:00 PM Session (And 1st & 3rd Sundays of every month, with the exception of holiday weekends and the month of August)

Contact: Amy Chou, 415-830-1605 or amy.chou@post.harvard.edu

Provides one-to-one recreational opportunities for children and young adults with developmental and physical disabilities at no cost to their families and caregivers.

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LA's BEST (<http://www.lasbest.org>)

When: Depends on volunteer activity. After school hours and/or weekends.

Contact: Justin Fredericks, 310-625-7419 or justfred@post.harvard.edu

LA's BEST provides after school education, enrichment and recreation programs for elementary school students in Los Angeles. We have numerous volunteer opportunities; we tailor the program and location to fit you.



Los Angeles Leadership Academy (<http://www.laleadership.org/>)

When: Saturday, April 26, 9:30 AM - 4 PM

Contact: Roger Lowenstein, 213-381-8484 or rlowenstein@laleadership.org

A public charter school in Lincoln Heights, serving some of the poorest families in California. Volunteers are needed to help with physical labor on the terraced hillside – digging, mulching, planting, extending the terraces, etc.



Minds Matter of Los Angeles (www.mindsmatter.org/)

When: Volunteer's choice of Saturdays, during the school year

Contact: Leanne Huebner at 310-721-6228 or lpyott@yahoo.com

A transformative program assisting academically achieving low-income youth broaden their dreams through mentoring, summer college academic experiences, and school-year Saturday curriculum.



Monday Night Mission (<https://www.facebook.com/mondaynightmission>)

When: April 1, April 7, April 16, April 25, April 29. 7:30-10:00 PM.

Contact: Ryan Hanley, 443-534-4262 or hanley@post.harvard.edu

Monday Night Mission's sole aim is to feed the less fortunate of Skid Row who are turned away from Skid Row shelters. Volunteers meet every weeknight to prepare food and travel together to Skid Row to serve the people living there.



Partners for Potential (<http://www.partnersforpotential.org/>)

When: April 12 - April 13 (Sat - Sun), 9am - 3pm

Contact: Martha Notaras, 310-454-8094/ cell: 310-926-9670 or Martha@optimalcap.com

Programs for adults with developmental disabilities. Volunteers will be painting the exterior of a 4,000 square foot building that will be used as a new site-based day program for adults with autism, mental retardation and other disabilities. Children 12 and over are welcome to participate.



RK Squared (https://secure.post.harvard.edu/olc/pub/HAA/event/showEventForm.jsp?form_id=172301)

When: Saturday, April 5, 9 AM - 12 noon

Contact: Ramona Davenport Rogers, 805-588-2555 or ramonarogers@prucalcc.com

Collects and distributes new and gently used books among underprivileged children in Isla Vista, Lompoc and Santa Barbara County. In April, books are needed for donation to a SoCal shelter to establish a library, give the children some books of their own, and encourage staff to institute a story time to promote literacy. Also seeking a volunteer to coordinate ongoing inter-face between the shelter and collections.



Shelter Partnership, Inc. (<http://www.shelterpartnership.org/>)

When: April TBD, planning/staffing for April hospice training and for May 29 charity benefit event

Contact: Steve Renahan, 213-943-4589, srenahan@shelterpartnership.org

We collect new goods in our warehouse, for distribution to the nonprofit homeless service providers in Los Angeles County. Things often come to us on a large scale, and we have several large scale donations currently that we need help processing and sorting so that they can be put into inventory sooner, and distributed to the homeless.



YMCA of Metropolitan Los Angeles (<http://www.ymcala.org/>)

When: Saturday, April 26, 9 AM - 2 PM; and ongoing opportunities as well.

Contact: Piper Kamins, 310-985-9250 or piperkamins@gmail.com

The Y is a cause-driven organization that is for youth development, for healthy living and for social responsibility. Every day, we work side-by-side with our neighbors to make sure that everyone, regardless of age, income or background, has the opportunity to learn, grow and thrive.



Alumni Talk: David Schaberg PhD '96

Please join us for a talk entitled *Humanities Beyond the Crisis*, with David Schaberg, Dean of the Humanities and Professor of Chinese Literature, UCLA.

Dr. Schaberg has published articles on early Chinese literature, historiography and thought, as well as Greek-Chinese comparative issues, focusing more recently on the history of oratory in early China. He received a Ph.D. in comparative literature from Harvard University and a B.A. in comparative literature from Stanford University. He also studied Chinese literature at National Taiwan University from 1986 to 1988.

Deadline to register is April 1, 2014.

Date: Tuesday, April 8, 2014
Time: 6:30 P.M.
Location: UCLA Faculty Center
Cost: \$40 members/guests; \$45 non-members
Contact: Priscilla Heim, priheim@verizon.net



Science Pub Series #3 - Climate Change: Warming Up to a Heated Topic

Join us to celebrate EARTH DAY with this climate talk by Wayne Hayes, UC Irvine professor and visiting scientist at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, CA. Climate change has become more than just an interesting scientific curiosity. It is becoming a matter of policy, and even a matter of global urgency. Professor Hayes will discuss both the scientific issues and how scientists today are working to better understand climate change in order to make informed policy recommendations.

Seating is limited. Ticket price includes Chef Wigger's gourmet pizzas, house wine and/or non-alcoholic beverages (free parking).

Date: Sunday, April 13, 2014
Time: 3:00-5:00 P.M.
Place: Trattoria Neapolis (Pasadena)
Cost: \$25 per person
Contact: Ethel Seminario Laczko, etheledu@gmail.com



Salsa Dancing in Orange County

Come network and dance with fellow Harvard grads over mojitos at Tapas Flavors of Spain, a Spanish restaurant that turns into a Latin dance venue in the evening. We will meet around 8:00 p.m. for light dinner at a reserved table, followed by an introductory salsa lesson at 9:00 p.m. Around 10:00 p.m. the floor opens to general dancing. The basic step can be learned in the same evening, and you can also watch other people dance from the table.

Date: Friday, April 11, 2014
Time: 8:00 P.M.
Location: Tapas Restaurant (Newport Beach)
Cost: \$5 for the salsa lesson paid at the venue. Cover charge of around \$8 after 10pm.
Contact: Chi Bui at orthochi@yahoo.com, or German Enciso at enciso@uci.edu
RSVP: <http://www.Harvard-LA.org>



Harvard Faculty Talk and Dinner: Dr. Andrew Berry

Please join us for a discussion and dinner with Dr. Andrew Berry. Andrew Berry is a British evolutionary biologist and historian of science with a particular interest in Alfred Wallace. He was a Junior Fellow at the Harvard Society of Fellows and is currently a lecturer in Organismic and Evolutionary Biology at Harvard University. His research combined field and laboratory methods to detect positive Darwinian selection (i.e. adaptive evolution) at the molecular level in natural populations.

Date: Thursday, April 17, 2014
Time: 6:00 P.M.
Location: The USC University Club (Los Angeles)
Cost: \$40 members/guests; \$50 non-members
 Parking on campus is \$10
Contact: Kay Park, kayparkmd@yahoo.com



The Gershwins' Porgy and Bess and Diane Paulus Talk-Back

You're invited to join Tony-Award-Winner and American Repertory Theater (A.R.T.) Artistic Director Diane Paulus AB '88 for a special Harvard Night at The Gershwins' Porgy and Bess. Paulus will lead an exclusive post-performance discussion on the production's journey from Harvard's A.R.T. to Broadway--and now to Los Angeles. This evening is a wonderful opportunity to connect with friends and classmates and hear more about this incredible show.

Date: Tuesday, April 22, 2014
Time: 8:00 P.M.
Location: Ahmanson Theatre (Los Angeles)
Cost: 10% Discount using code HARVARD or HARVARDPREMIUM
Contact: Kay Park, kayparkmd@yahoo.com



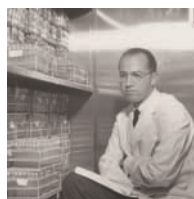
Private Show at the Magic Castle

Join us for an amazing night at the world famous Magic Castle in Hollywood.

As a magician and crossword puzzle constructor, David Kwong mixes puzzles and prestidigitation. With a background in film (and a Harvard degree in the history of magic), David is the founder of the Misdirectors Guild, an elite group of magicians that specialize in illusion for film, television and theater. David is also a frequent crossword writer for the New York Times.

Date: Wednesday, May 21, 2014
Time: 6:00 P.M.
Location: The Magic Castle (Los Angeles)
Cost: \$50, members
Contact: Jonathan Aibel, dins@post.harvard.edu

Save the Date - May 21st...



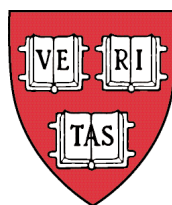
"The Shot Felt 'Round the World," a documentary

Save the Date of Wed. May 21, 2014 for a showing of the documentary film, "The Shot Felt 'Round the World," about the work of Dr. Jonas Salk in developing a vaccine against polio. This film, written and directed by Tjardus Greidanus and produced by Laura Davis and Carl Kurlander, has been accorded broadcasting's Cine Golden Eagle Award for excellence in science and technology.

Dr. Salk's sons, Dr. Jonathan Salk of Los Angeles and Dr. Peter Salk '65 of La Jolla, will be present for the Q&A after the showing of the film. Location and Time TBA.

Date: Wednesday, May 21, 2014
Contact: Diana Farnsworth, dvf@farnsworthmd.com

Save the Date - June 29th...



The 2014 Harvard Club Annual Dinner and Awards

Join us as we celebrate three incredible individuals:



Constance Rice AB '78, civil rights lawyer and community leader
John Harvard Award for Distinguished Community Service



Mary Ann Cummings, Master Piano Teacher - *Educator of the Year*



George Newhouse AB '76, past HCSC President
Fred Smith Award for Outstanding Club Service

More details to follow soon!



Q&A from 02138... Matthew Martindale '14

(These interviews are a regular contribution to the HCSC Newsletter and will spotlight students enrolled at Harvard who are from Southern California. Nominations to profile students from our region are invited.)

Matthew Martindale '14, a concentrator in Economics, was born in Laguna Hills, California and graduated from Laguna Hills High School. He resides in Quincy House. At Harvard, he is a two-time Ivy League Champion who played Outside Linebacker for the Crimson football team. He played in nine games and finished sixth on the team with 41 tackles. At 6'0" and 225 pounds, Martindale has football in his genetic profile. His grandfather played football at Holy Cross in 1952 and two uncles played football at UCLA. He is also a member of the Phoenix S.K. on campus and enjoys volunteering in organizations such as Special Olympics and Access Sports. He spent last summer interning at MC10, a Cambridge-based startup specializing in flexible electronics. He is also interested in the worlds of biotechnology and medical devices and plans to pursue a career in those fields.

HCSC: *When was the first time you visited Harvard and what were your impressions at that time?*

MM: Absolute wonder, from the ivy entangling the stadium to the grand columns at Widener, the place still feels like a dreamland.

HCSC: *What was your favorite class (or professor) and why?*

MM: My favorite class thus far has actually occurred outside my field of concentration. I am currently taking an Engineering Sciences class involving the innovation of new and useful prototypes. It is extremely rewarding to be leading an innovative production pipeline instead of studying how the production functions interact with supply shocks.

HCSC: *What has been your most memorable moment at Harvard?*

MM: My most memorable moments have occurred across the river. The ones that stick out in my mind are the Dartmouth game played in two feet of snow, watching the basketball team win multiple championships, and taking Yale to the woodshed four years in a row. The Harvard-Yale rivalry is an amazing event rich in history and tradition. The emotion and tenacity of both teams elevate the game to new heights providing an exceptional platform to demonstrate a year's worth of work in front of 40,000 fans.

HCSC: *How does Harvard's football program compare to other college teams you were considering?*

MM: Harvard's football program stood out from other programs I was considering in the way they operated as a family. The coaches and staff presented a winning attitude from day one, but also wanted their student athletes to succeed on the field and in their future endeavors. I cannot express the full gratitude I have for being able to play for the Crimson.

HCSC: *Any special memories (on or off the field) with your teammates?*

MM: The summer preparing for our senior season, the team orchestrated a float trip with over 40 crimson and friends. We boarded a bus early in the morning and headed out to a river in western Massachusetts where we tube-floated all day and enjoyed some well-deserved time off. This simple escape from the work/athletic grind was a special day for all in attendance.

HCSC: *What advice will you best remember from Coach Murphy?*

MM: "Treat the little people with respect." Coach Murphy always emphasized respect, whether it was a dean of a visiting college or a janitor on an away game, we were expected to treat them as one of our family members.

HCSC: *If you were President of Harvard or Athletic Director, what would change?*

MM: If I were President of Harvard University I would increase the enrollment of the college. Harvard University is a special place and I believe it should be shared with as many individuals as possible.



Martindale (45) forces a fumble against Holy Cross in the Crimson's triple-overtime win on October 5, 2013.

Photography by Mark Kelsey '15



Martindale (45) hauls down Columbia's tailback. Martindale finished the game with five tackles and a quarterback sack in the Crimson's 34-0 win on November 9, 2013.

Photography by Mark Kelsey '15



Interview with Alumni Interviewer... Hannah Zackson '76 - West Los Angeles Chair

Each admissions season, alumni interviewers, under the leadership of our Club's Schools Committees, help the Admissions Office evaluate applicants to Harvard College. The Schools Committee is the Club's largest volunteering activity. Each year, over 700 graduates of Harvard College and graduate schools interview over 2,700 candidates from our region. In the process, alumni participate in college fairs throughout the area and give presentations on Harvard, initiating and maintaining relationships with parents, guidance counselors, other alumni/ae, and the general public. Immediate Past President Daniel A. Medina, A.B. '79, M.B.A. '83 is our Club's vice president for Schools, and he coordinates the Schools Committee's work with the area chairs who divide up the interview assignments among alumni and manage the operations for their geographic area. The newsletter will feature profiles of the area chairs.

The West Los Angeles Area Schools Committee alumni interview applicants from 72 schools across Los Angeles including Malibu, the Pacific Palisades, Santa Monica, Playa del Rey, Marina del Rey, Culver City, Los Angeles, Beverly Hills and a few Downtown. 37 zip codes, to be exact. They also interview a handful of home schooled students.

This year, they had requests for interviews for 268 applicants, including 34 early action applicants. Ten of the early action candidates were accepted, and all of them will be attending Harvard in the fall.

Dr. Zackson has been an area chair for four years and an alumni interviewer for 23 years. She has interviewed more than 100 students.

She lived in Grays Hall freshman year. She recalls that 1972 was the first year women were allowed to live in the Yard. She was then a resident at Leverett House.

Dr. Zackson is an Adjunct Associate Professor of Medicine at the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA. She co-chairs and developed a course on social and ethical issues for medical students such as death and dying, the Affordable Care Act, and all kinds of medical decision-making especially as it relates to patient care. She also deals with curriculum development and professionalism training for interns, residents, and fellows.

Her outside interests include yoga, photography, and travel.

Dr. Zackson enjoys meeting the next generation, both as a medical educator and a Harvard Interviewer. She says, "Young people challenge and inspire me, they keep me on top of my game and I find I am constantly learning from them."

What was your most memorable interview?

So many in the running-- a few notable interviews include one applicant who had served in the Israeli military and diplomatic corps before landing in Los Angeles and applying as an older student, another who came from Tibet and was far removed from the typical (if there is a typical) West Los Angeles applicant. Many of those "typical" applicants are not typical at all, but stand out because of their passions and abilities. I've been impressed by the resolve and determination of these young people who see their future at Harvard and have worked incredibly hard to achieve that goal.

Finally, she reports that she is now the proud parent of two current Harvard students, Susanna Wolk, '14, who is currently directing CAROUSEL at the Oberon Theater, and Sam Wolk, '17, currently broadcasting late Friday nights on WHRB.



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**HARVARD FACULTY TALK WITH
 DR. ANDREW BERRY
 ~ APRIL 17, 2014 ~**

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON EVENTS AND GENERAL CLUB NEWS, VISIT THE CLUB WEB SITE AT
www.harvard-la.org

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

To recommend an event or volunteer for one, contact one of our Programs VPs. Contact information can be found on page 2.

*All checks for events are non-refundable unless explicitly stated otherwise. Unless specifically noted, RSVPs are not confirmed.

DATE/TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	COST*	CONTACT
April 4, Friday 8:00 P.M.	LA Phil: Colburn Celebrity Recitals	Walt Disney Concert Hall Los Angeles, CA	SOLD OUT	Kay Park, kayparkmd@yahoo.com
Apr. 5, Saturday 12:00 Noon	Ninth Annual Radcliffe College Alumnae Luncheon	The home of Isabelle Fox Sherman Oaks, CA	\$30 per person	Isabelle Fox, foxbethere@aol.com
April 8, Tuesday 6:30 P.M.	Alumni Talk: David Schaberg PhD '96	UCLA Faculty Center Los Angeles, CA	\$40, members/guests \$45, non-members	Priscilla Heim, priheim@verizon.net
April 11, Friday 8:00 P.M.	Salsa Dancing in Orange County	Tapas Restaurant, Newport Beach, CA	\$5 for the dance lesson	Chi Bui, orthochoi@yahoo.com
April 13, Sunday 3:00 P.M.	New Science Pub Series #3 Climate Change	Trattoria Neapolis Pasadena, CA	\$25 per person	Ethel Seminario Laczko, etheledu@gmail.com
April 17, Thursday 6:00 P.M.	Harvard Faculty Talk/Dinner with Dr. Andrew Berry	USC Faculty Center Los Angeles, CA	\$40, members/guests \$50, non-members	Kay Park, kayparkmd@yahoo.com
April 22, Tuesday 8:00 P.M.	The Gershwins' Porgy & Bess and Diane Paulus Talk-Back	Ahmanson Theatre Los Angeles, CA	10% discount using special code	Kay Park, kayparkmd@yahoo.com
May 15, Thursday 6:00 P.M.	2014 Friends of Harvard Football Dinner	Location TBA	Cost TBA	George Newhouse, gnewhouse@brownwhitelaw.com
May 21, Wed. 6:00 P.M.	Private Show at the Magic Castle	The Magic Castle Los Angeles, CA	\$50, members	Jonathan Aibel, dins@post.harvard.edu
May 21, Wed. Time TBA	"The Shot Felt 'Round the World," a documentary	Location TBA	Cost TBA	Diana Farnsworth, dvw@farnsworthmd.com