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November, 23, 2023

**Support our Lancers, and join us
before the rivalry game!**

Giving Tuesday

November 28, 2023

**Support CHS by making a gift - all
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THE ASSOCIATED ALUMNI OF
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THANKSGIVING BREAKFAST @ TIFFANY'S

8:15 AM - 9:45 AM
9010 ROOSEVELT BLVD,
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19115
\$35 - Breakfast and Game Ticket



**Support our Lancers, and join us
before the rivalry game at Tiffany's!**



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**HELP OUR LANCERS
DREAM THE IMPOSSIBLE
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Dedicate an Auditorium Seat to create a permanent legacy at Central for you, a recent graduate, a family member, or a beloved teacher.

Seat Purchase of \$500 includes a personal inscription for the plaque that will be affixed to the auditorium seat arm of the chair.



Welcome Remarks

President Kate Davis (264)



Abdalla Abou-Hatab 272

SR. CLINICAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

With over 10 years of clinical research experience. Currently, I oversee human pharmaceutical clinical research trials from beginning to end at various hospitals across the US. I work with local and international teams to make sure clinical operations are in tact. Currently focused on cancer medication but have worked on several fields including trauma neuro and many other.



Aisha Abdul-Wakeel 251

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE LABORATORY TECHNICIAN

Aisha Abdul-Wakeel of the 251st Class, is a Biological Science Laboratory Technician at the U.S. Department of Agricultural, Agricultural Research Service, at the Eastern Regional Research Center in Wyndmoor, PA. She has over 23 years of experience working in the areas of Characterization of Foodborne Pathogens in Food Safety, Nuclear Magnetic Resonance and the Investigation of Arbuscular Mycorrhizal Symbiosis.

Ms. Abdul-Wakeel received her B.A. in Biology at West Chester University and Graduate Studies at Temple University in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. She also has a Certification in Organizational Leadership from The Graduate School. She is a STEM Advocate and is very passionate about helping students. She enjoys mentoring students in and out of the Lab. Her personal goals involve developing outreach programs in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM), and encourage students toward science careers, to establish and develop an accessible database for students to exchange ideas for growth and scholastic opportunities.

Ms. Abdul-Wakeel is also a Veteran of the PA National Guard. She received the Federal Executive Board- Excellence in Government Award- Silver Medalist for Outstanding Public Service in May 2006.



Alan Bronstein 218

DISTRICT MANAGER
FORMER CHS FACULTY

Alan Bronstein grew up in West Oak Lane, attended Central (218), Dickinson College in Carlisle, PA with graduate work at Temple for International Business, St. Joe's for education, and Arcadia for a masters in chemical education.

After teaching right out of college for a few years including stints at Girls' High, Central, and Dobbins, Alan took a position in international marketing at Grove Crane Co. in Shady Grove, PA as a trainee to become an international marketing manager. After 3 years because of a recession he was appointed the district manager for S. America – a position he held for 3 years until the company brought him back in house to train others to do those jobs. (There's that teaching again.)

Two years later another recession hit and the company shrunk from 4000 employees to 1000. Alan and his wife had seen it coming and she had opened a video store. So, Alan just transitioned into it. Four years later he was injured in an auto accident and sustained a spinal cord injury, becoming paralyzed from the chest down. After going through rehab and seeing there was so much he had enjoyed doing in the shop that was no longer possible, they sold it and moved back to the Philly area.

After being a day trader for 2 years he felt the need to get back out among people . . . and found that he could still teach. Twenty-four years later he retired from teaching chemistry at Central.



Albert Tanjaya 275

PROGRAMS AND RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

Albert is a Program and Research Associate for Fairness, Transparency, Accountability, and ABOUT ML. He is passionate about artificial intelligence's role in society, significantly how technological advancements have historically discounted its impact on marginalized communities. He is committed to advocating for the responsible and ethical design and use of AI systems that empower societal benefit. Albert also has experience in community organizing spaces as a student at the University of Pittsburgh in Pittsburgh, PA, where he graduated with a B.S. in Computer Science. There, he grew disillusioned with how STEM students lacked critical thought in the intersection of STEM and the humanities leading him to pursue an unconventional career path.



Alexander Rivera 256

**SENIOR MANAGER, CORPORATE AND BUSINESS
DEVELOPMENT, YELP**

Alex works in the Technology and Media industry, having lived in New York City for 14 years and holding various executive leadership positions at Viacom(now Paramount), Flipboard, Time Inc and Fox Entertainment. Ever since moving back to Philadelphia 5 years ago, Alex has led corporate and business development at the Philadelphia Inquirer and now Yelp.

After graduating from Central (256), Alex earned his B.A. in Communications from UPenn and an M.B.A. from the Johnson School at Cornell University. Alex is the current co-president of the Penn Club of Philadelphia.

Alex now lives in Rydal with his wife Jessica and their rambunctious Australian Shepherd, Charlie Pretzel. In his spare time, he enjoys urban exploration, photography, and traveling to off-the-beaten-path destinations around the world. Recent trips have included Dubai, Egypt, Jordan and Greece.



Alicia Oglesby 258

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF COLLEGE COUNSELING AACHS BOARD OF MANAGERS

Alicia is currently the Associate Director of College Counseling at Winchester Thurston in Pittsburgh. She's spent the last 8 years working with 9th - 12th grade students using the ASCA model and the social justice framework by Teaching Tolerance, now known as Learning for Justice. After receiving state School Counselor of the Year for Washington DC in 2018, Alicia authored articles on mental health, equity, and belonging for ASCA and NACAC. She is also co-author of "Interrupting Racism: Equity and Social Justice in School Counseling", a text that highlights equity and advocacy in schools and the educational community. Alicia has also received the Equity and Justice Fellowship at the University of Pittsburgh where she is studying to earn a Ph.D. in Urban Education.



Alim Young 274

DIRECTOR OF INDIVIDUAL GIVING

AACHS CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE MEMBER

As a young advancement professional with a strong track record in clinical and academic fundraising, I have successfully spearheaded initiatives across leadership annual giving, planned giving, and major gift/principal gift fundraising. I excel in strategically stewarding existing donors, cultivating new prospective contributors, and implementing effective measures to minimize donor attrition.

In my role as Director of Individual Giving, I contribute significantly to a dynamic team dedicated to securing resources for low-income, first generation, black and brown Philadelphia students, ensuring their successful high school graduation and facilitating their journey toward economic mobility through college and workforce achievements. Reporting directly to the Vice President of Advancement, I play a crucial role in driving our fundraising objectives and fostering a robust culture of philanthropy among internal and external stakeholders.

Recognized for my exceptional ability to motivate teams, I am known for creating a culture of open communication, fostering innovation, and promoting a spirit of generosity. My collaborative approach and knack for consensus-building ensure that institutional priorities are strategically aligned to resonate with donors, thus effectively meeting operational requirements.



Amanda Huon 267

PROFESSOR

Dr. Amanda Huon, is an assistant professor of Physics at Saint Joseph's University. She is a condensed matter physicist and materials scientist. She received a BS in Physics with a minor in Mathematics from University of the Sciences and a MS and PhD in Materials Science and Engineering from Drexel University. Prior to a career in academia, Dr. Huon was a postdoctoral research fellow at Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Her research focuses on the synthesis of complex oxides and quantum materials, and exploring magnetism in thin films using neutron scattering techniques.



Andre Pak 278

SOCIAL MEDIA AT °1824 (UNDER UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP)

Andre Pak is a Philly-born creative from the 278th class. At Central, he was involved in a number of extracurriculars including music theater and choir. Pak recently graduated from Drexel University as a music business major and is now working at °1824 under Universal Music Group. Throughout his undergraduate career, he's worked for artists like Sabrina Carpenter and Demi Lovato, as well as festivals like Coachella and Head in the Clouds. While Andre's journey in the music industry is just beginning, he's excited to share his passion for music to a new generation of students.



Andrei Moroz 259

**SENIOR SPECIALIST, EMPLOYEE COMMUNICATIONS;
INFLUENCER**

Andrei Moroz, MD is a psychiatrist and psychoanalyst in private practice in New York City. He attended Temple University School of Medicine in Philadelphia, and completed his residency in psychiatry at the Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York. After residency, he completed psychoanalytic training at the New York Psychoanalytic Society & Institute (NYPSI). He is on the faculty of the Department of Psychiatry at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine. He is also on the faculty at NYPSI where he teaches and has held various leadership roles. He is a member of the American Psychoanalytic Association.



Andrew Cliver 255

HEAD OF COMPLIANCE — NORTH AMERICA

I spent the first 12 years of my career as a public prosecutor, ADA in New York City and Philadelphia, investigated the mob in New Jersey.

Now I am responsible for Compliance at Siemens Healthineers in North America, where we employ more than 10,000 people.

My team and I work to make sure our business is compliant with American law.



Andrew Kessler 243

PARTNER, WOOD SMITH HENNING & BERMAN, LLP

Andy Kessler is a partner in the Philadelphia office of WSHB with a national reputation for impressive results in complex commercial litigation. Widely recognized as a "go to" lawyer throughout Pennsylvania, he brings to every matter an impressive trial record of defense verdicts secured for clients over his 30 year career of representing physicians and hospitals in all facets of medical malpractice. His experience in this arena includes claims involving emergency medicine, surgery, failure to diagnose cancer, birth-related injuries, dentistry, primary medical care, ophthalmology, geriatric care, cardiology, orthopedic and podiatric care, pharmacy and prescription drug administration issues, rehabilitative medicine and infectious diseases. Andy has also defended numerous matters involving allegedly malfunctioning medical technology.

A skilled and talented litigator, Andy enjoys a diverse practice area that includes premises liability, construction, transportation, products liability, employment and professional liability including financial institutions, credit unions, architects, engineers, and design professionals. With an extensive background in medicine through his medical malpractice experience, Andy is particularly adept defending matters involving catastrophic injuries.

Andy's litigation practice is located in Pennsylvania, where he represents clients in multiple jurisdictions and includes arbitration, bench trials, jury trials and appeals before State and Federal Courts of Appeals. In 2021, Andy began serving as a Judge Pro Tempore in the Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County where he presides over Settlement Conferences in civil jury trial matters.



Aniyah Pinkney 276

**SENIOR SPECIALIST, EMPLOYEE COMMUNICATIONS;
INFLUENCER**

I'm a Philadelphia native who graduated from Indiana University of Pennsylvania. There, I earned a bachelor's degree in journalism and public relations. My professional background includes print, digital and broadcast journalism, media production, social media, public relations and marketing. I currently am the Senior Specialist for employee communications at Comcast.

In March, I began creating content on TikTok. I've worked with brands like SKIMS, Maison Margiela and more!



Annemarie Ward 264

ATTORNEY - CRIMINAL DEFENSE

Annemarie E. Ward was born and raised in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where she attended Central High School. She went on to continue her education at Temple University, graduating in 2009 with her Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminal Justice and distinction in her major.

Annemarie matriculated to Delaware Law Widener University in the Fall of 2015. At Delaware Law, Annemarie focused her studies on trial advocacy and developed strong trial advocacy skills as a competitive member of the Phi Alpha Delta Trial Team and Delaware Law's Moe Levine Trial Team. Annemarie was also a member of the Delaware Law Moot Court Honors Society and the George Read Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity International. She was also elected to the position of Vice President of Student and Alumni Relations for the Student Bar Association. Among her other accolades, Annemarie graduated Cum Laude in 2018 with her Juris Doctorate, receiving pro bono distinction.

While in law school, Annemarie interned with the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office. She also participated in the Youth Sentencing & Reentry Project in Philadelphia (YSRP), where she had the privilege of helping one of the many juvenile lifers be re-sentenced following the Miller and Montgomery decisions. During her time with YSRP she was trained in mitigation and gained insight into the other side of the Justice system. From then on it became her passion to fight for the rights of people who may not have the power or privilege to speak up for themselves. Her primary area of practice is criminal law and she has had the pleasure of working at Keller, Lisgar, & Williams since 2017.

Annemarie stays active in both the legal and local community. She is a member of the Delaware County Bar Association as well as the Philadelphia Bar Association. She has continued her involvement with Phi Alpha Delta Fraternity and currently serves as Justice of the Executive Board of the Magaw Alumni Chapter in Philadelphia.



Ashley Reed 264

REGISTERED NURSE/ NURSE INJECTOR

Ashley Reed is a Registered Nurse in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, with a history of over a decade in the medical field and more than seven years of experience in law. She earned her Bachelor's degree in Behavioral Health Sciences from the Drexel University in 2012, and in August 2021, she successfully completed an accelerated nursing program at the Community College of Philadelphia. After working in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Ashley met her calling and commenced her own business.

In addition to her diverse background, Ashley is also the proud Founder and CEO of Yofi Medical Spa, nestled in the heart of Old City Philadelphia. Here, she has the privilege of specializing in non-invasive injectable procedures that enhance and celebrate the natural beauty of their clients.



Barry Rosenberg 229

ATTORNEY AT LAW
AACHS BOARD OF MANAGERS

I have been practicing law for 47 years.
I represent clients in civil cases. I also owned and
operated a restaurant for 8 years.
I have been a member of the Alumni Association
board of directors for 25 years.



Bob Lane 229

CEO

Bob is CEO of Lane Services, LLC, a software consulting firm serving the association and not-for-profit community since 2003. 'Dr. Bob' holds a Ph.D. in information systems with a specialty in fundraising software as well as an MBA in strategic management. He served as Executive Director of COMMON Education Foundation, Chief Information Officer of Boy Scouts of America-GNYC, Adjunct Lecturer of Business Administration for CUNY & Senior Manager of Grant Thornton's not-for-profit technology group. He currently serves on the Board of Directors for NiUG International and was on the MASAE board from 2010-2012. He previously served on the boards of Learning for Life, COMMON – a Users Group and COMMON Education Foundation and was chair of the NYSAE technology committee.

He received the Albert Nelson Lifetime Achievement Award for his support of technology education in the not-for-profit community.



Brendon Kim 272

BUSINESS ANALYST

I graduated from Penn State University in 2017. I started my career at Accenture as a consultant. I was originally in technology, but eventually moved onto product. I am currently a business analyst at Signet Jewelers.



Brittany Griffin 264

COSTUME DESIGNER

Brittany Griffin works as a Costume Designer for Film and Television. Her most recent credits include Amazon's upcoming limited series WILDERNESS, the 2nd season of Amazon's THE WILDS, HBO's HIGH MAINTENANCE, Netflix's THE CREW and more. She started her career with an internship in the Costume Department of the original GOSSIP GIRL and over the course of 5 seasons ended the show as the Assistant Costume Designer. She often works with her union to fight for the labor rights of those in her craft. After spending most of her career living in NYC she now considers herself a nomad and strives to continue to work out of town, most recently in Vancouver and prior to that Australia.



Broderick Jones 255

SVP, GROWTH & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Senior executive with 20 years of experience working with premier global companies across the Healthcare and Life Sciences Industries. Enterprise-wide experience of driving top-line growth and building capabilities for ongoing commercial success and cost management. Track record of developing high quality business strategies and plans for enterprise investment and transformation to drive unparalleled customer experience and internal operational excellence globally.



Bruce Berger 225

DIRECTOR - NONINVASIVE CARDIOLOGY, RETIRED

After graduating from Central in 1966, I attended the University of Pennsylvania and Jefferson Medical College as it was known then. I did a medical residency at Lankenau Hospital and my cardiology fellowship at the University of Virginia Medical Center. I returned to Jefferson as Co-Director of Echocardiography and Nuclear Cardiology. Subsequently, I had similar positions at The Graduate Hospital and Abington Memorial Hospital (now Abington-Jefferson). I had teaching appointments at Jefferson, Penn, and Drexel medical schools and have assisted in the training of hundreds of medical students, residents and fellows.

I recently retired after 43 years of practicing academic and private practice cardiology. We reside in Huntingdon Valley and have 4 wonderful grandchildren. I still have many friends from the 225, and other friends and patients who attended Central. It is a unique bond. I will be forever grateful for the education and friendships that Central provided.



Bruce Boguslav 234

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

My name is Bruce Boguslav from CHS 234 (1975) class. I have a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Psychology from Temple University & a Masters in Business Administration (M.B.A.) from Northeastern University. I have spent the bulk of my career in management consulting in industries ranging from electronics and food production, to for profit and non-profit services companies. I have lead projects in the US and internationally ranging from groups of 3 up to 200+ people. I was the President of a ceramics design, production and distribution company. I founded, and am the Executive Director of HSI Trust-HomeSavers, Ltd a non-profit, nationally recognized Consumer Advocacy Organization since 2009. I am married for 40 years, have 3 amazing adult children, identical twin grandchildren and 2 wonderful dogs.

I split my time between Central Virginia and Central Massachusetts and stop in Philly as often as I can. CHS had, continues and will always be a large part of my life and I am proud CHS Alum.



Bruce Katsiff 220

RETIRED DIRECTOR/CEO FOR JAMES A. MICHENER ART MUSEUM

Born in Philadelphia, Bruce Katsiff studied photography at Rochester Institute of Technology and Pratt Institute earning BFA and MFA degrees after graduating from Central High School. He completed postgraduate studies at Oxford University. His work has been exhibited in many museums and galleries, including the Museum of Modern Art in NYC, the Philadelphia Museum of Art, the Delaware Art Museum, the Erie Art Museum, and the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Art. For 25 years he taught photography and was a college arts administrator. From 1989-2012, he served as Director/CEO of the James A. Michener Art Museum in Bucks County. Currently, he has served as a peer accreditation and MAP reviewer for the American Alliance of Museums and taught in the graduate Museum Leadership program at Drexel University. He continues to serve on many boards of cultural institutions and spends his time making pictures and enjoying retirement. His lifelong commitment to the arts continues in his retirement. Bruce and his wife Jo, divide their time between a condo in center city Philadelphia and a home in the country.



Bysim Harris 274

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

My name's Bysim and I absolutely love geeking out about the tech world. It all started with a fascination for computers and like everyone else – gaming. So, I decided to dive into computer science and, boy, did it open up a world of possibilities.

I've been lucky to work on all sorts of cool projects in my career. From working on military systems to currently working at the largest US bank in the world, I've picked up a bag of tricks that helps me thrive in this ever-changing tech landscape.

But the learning never stops. I'm all about exploring new programming languages and staying in the loop with the latest trends. I reckon that's the secret sauce to making it big in this field – being able to roll with the changes. And trust me, I'm all in on that.

When I'm not coding my heart out, you'll find me either gaming or going out, having a few drinks, and looking for a good time. I'm a firm believer in doing more than just programming. It's what makes this whole software engineering thing feel much more worth it – maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

So, whether I'm solving complex tech puzzles, mastering the newest coding languages, or sharing what I know with others, I'm thrilled about what lies ahead. There's still a lot to learn and stopping now would be a waste :)



Cameron Thomas 275

CLIENT ANALYST II

Class of 275, 2020 Temple Alum, majored in sociology with a focus on qualitative research; I've worked in a variety of fields (including the legal and clinical trial industries) and had many valuable and unique experiences because of it. In my free time, I enjoy hiking, spending time with my pets, writing poetry and short fiction, and reading. I use they/them pronouns.



Chaz Franklin 258

DIRECTOR OF PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

A member of the 258th class, Chaz played basketball while at CHS.

He was one of the league leaders in the city of Philadelphia.

Chaz walked on at Hampton, then transferred to an NAIA school, got on the court, got his degree, but couldn't give up the game.

He played overseas professionally for 15 years.

Germany, the Czech Republic, Venezuela, Kuwait, Bosnia, Guatemala, Finland, Colombia, El Salvador, Saudi Arabia, Iceland. He was a 5-foot-10 point guard, so the hardest job to get was the first one. Being in South Philly was key there.

He landed a job as director of player development for the WNBA's Chicago Sky. He credits this opportunity because of one Philly connection leading to another and then to this job.



Chris Costello 258

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Dr. Chris Costello, 258, is an Assistant Professor of Agricultural and Biological Engineering at Penn State University in University Park, PA. They are a first-generation college student born and raised in Olney, earned a BS from Temple University in environmental engineering, an MS and PhD from Carnegie Mellon University. She's worked as an academic researcher for 13 years and an educator for eight. Currently working at Penn State in the Agricultural and Biological Engineering Department and the Rock Ethics Institute. Research interests include determining the environmental impacts of food production and waste management, and the links between them.



Chris Guido 259

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

Chris Guido is a Business Development Director with RSM, one of the largest providers of consulting, tax and audit services in the United States, and also serves on the Board of Trustees with the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS). Chris attended the University of Pittsburgh spending 2 ½ years in software programming before deciding to make a switch and graduated with a BA in Economics. Following college, he accidentally fell into the consulting industry where the combination of technical expertise and financial understanding married greatly to help him excel in the consulting industry. Over the course of the last ~20 years, he held a number of positions within the industry. Chris initially started out focusing on small local businesses and supporting their finance, or ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning) systems. This began with the initial deployment and training of applications from Microsoft, Salesforce, Intuit, Sage and Oracle. As his career progressed, he moved into system design and architecture. In 2015 he joined RSM as a Project Manager overseeing the deployment of ERP & CRM solutions to midmarket companies where he was quickly identified as individual who can identify new opportunities for system and process improvements which led to him moving into a Business Development role.

Additionally, Chris was diagnosed with Non-Hodkin's Lymphoma (blood cancer) in 2019 which has driven his desire to be involved with the (LLS). He has been able to parlay this experience in to primarily serving non-profit organizations through his professional career.



Christian Hicks 259

DIRECTOR OF ENROLLMENT

A proud member of 259, Christian Hicks currently serves as the Director of Enrollment for the Graduate and Professional Studies department of Eastern University. While he has worked in higher education for over 10 years, his career has spanned venture capital, law, finance, retail, and ministry (he's currently a 2nd year seminary student). He received a degree in Business from Temple University in 2004 and an MBA from Drexel University in 2008. Currently, he lives outside of Philly with his wife, 8-year-old twins, and 2 fish...and trying to get a dog.



Christopher Lewis 231

PARTNER

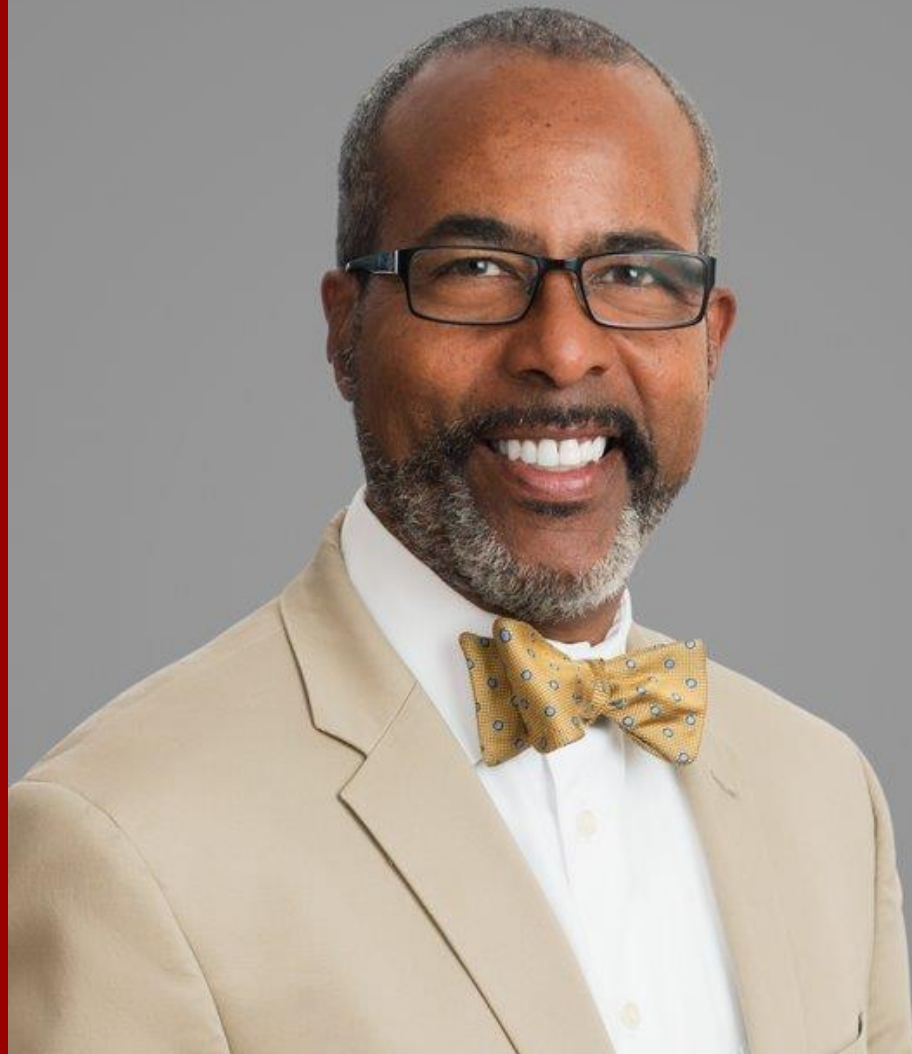
Christopher A. Lewis is a Partner at Blank Rome, where he concentrates his practice representing clients chiefly in the energy industry.

As Blank Rome's Chief Diversity and Inclusion Officer from 2011 through 2019, Mr. Lewis aligned the firm's diversity goals with its business strategies, increased the complement of minority attorneys at the firm, and led the firm's recruitment and retention initiatives for diversity. He was selected as a 2011 Minority Business Leader by the Philadelphia Business Journal.

Governor Casey appointed Mr. Lewis to serve as Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania from 1989-1991 and as Executive Deputy General Counsel for the Governor of Pennsylvania from 1987-1989. In 2000, Governor Ridge appointed Mr. Lewis to the Judicial Conduct Board of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the state agency that investigates and prosecutes judges for ethical misconduct, and in 2004, Mr. Lewis served as Chair of the Judicial Conduct Board.

Mr. Lewis chaired the board of directors of the Philadelphia Energy Authority from its inception in 2011 through 2021. As Chairman, Mr. Lewis led the development and growth of the organization, including the launch of several nationally recognized clean energy initiatives. Mr. Lewis also has served on numerous nonprofit and governmental boards, including serving as a Commissioner of the Delaware River Port Authority and a Trustee of West Chester University.

Mr. Lewis is a 1975 graduate of Harvard College, magna cum laude in Government, and a 1978 magna cum laude graduate of the University of Michigan Law School.



Corin Gearhart 266

MARKETING COORDINATOR

Corin Gearhart has been a creative professional in the nonprofit sector for more than a decade. Working from pretzel factories and cheesesteak stops in her youth, to the Philadelphia Art Museum and participating in the Mural Arts program, she's a Philadelphian through and through. She graduated from Philadelphia University (now Jefferson) majoring in Graphic Design Communications with a minor in Psychology. That experience has carried through her work in social media and her passion for photography. She recently transitioned to working for an architectural firm in Center City, and you can find her to be an energetic, movie-quoting machine who's always on the lookout for new music to enjoy.

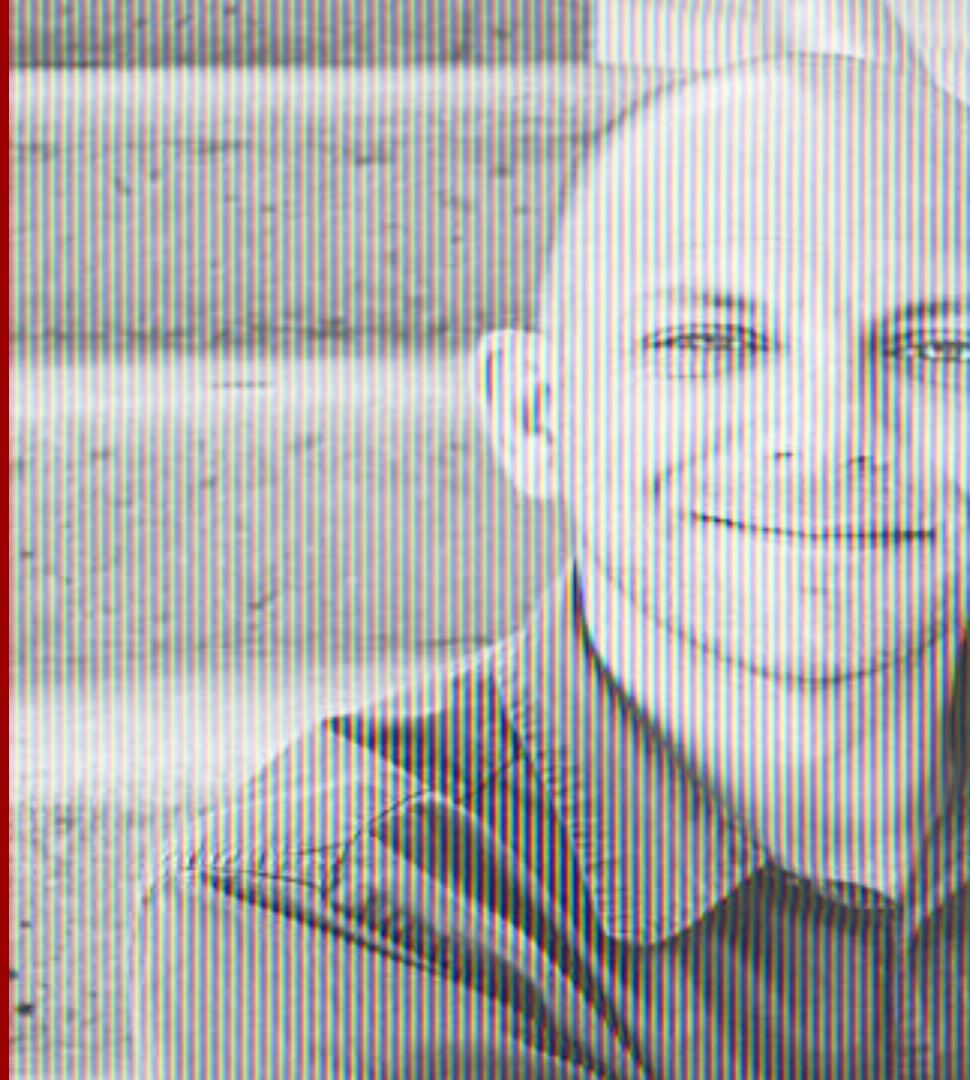


Cory Neale 249

PROJECT MANAGER (ARCH), SOUND DESIGN/COMPOSER (ARTS)

Cory Neale is an architect, sound designer, and visual artist based in Philadelphia, PA. He is a native Philadelphian and graduate of Temple University School of Architecture. As architectural project manager, his work focuses on improving learning environments through renovation, design, and construction administration for educational facilities, and exterior envelope design and detailing for high-performance buildings. He teaches Architecture and Interior Design at Moore College of Art & Design, and watercolor and urban sketching through the Philadelphia Department of Recreation. Cory is resident composer for Philadelphia contemporary dance company Kun-Yang Lin/Dancers, and San Francisco-based multi-media theater company KDMG. He serves as co-chair on the Board of Directors for thINKingDANCE, Philadelphia's journal for critical dance writing, and on the advisory board for KDMG, which explores the intersection of military and civilian life through multi-media workshops and performance with veteran and civilian community members. Cory is a co-producer for the E|MERGE Interdisciplinary Collaborative Arts Residency at Earthdance in Plainfield, MA. This international residency experiments with community life alongside conscious art practices to foster creative living, collaboration, and cooperation.

Cory was the recipient of the American Association of Community Theater Sound Design Award in 2011, and a 2015 Philadelphia Rocky Award recipient for collaborative contributions in the Philadelphia dance community. He was a peer artist for the 2020 Jacob's Pillow Curriculum in Motion Institute.



Daniel Farmer 272

**LIFE COACH / FACILITATOR / COMMUNICATIONS
MANAGER / ORGANICS HAULER**

Daniel Farmer is interested in leaving the world better than he finds it, and doing so on his own terms. He has lived in various countries around the world working for schools, universities, and non profit organizations, while also pursuing his own projects in various ventures. His professional career has been predominantly focused on climate change, social justice and education. He is also passionate about showing young people alternatives to the traditional paths laid before them and helping them define success for themselves.



Daniel Hallback 262

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF NETWORK PROGRAMS

Daniel Hallback MBA, MSN, RN has 15 plus years of healthcare experience including eight years serving as a US Army medic. During his time in the military, he served for three years as an army instructor. Daniel has been a registered nurse for 10+ years. Daniel spent several years working as a traveling nurse. Daniel has since transitioned to working in value based healthcare.



Danny Varughese 272

MENTAL HEALTH THERAPIST

I've been working as a mental health therapist the past 4 years in private practice and agencies. I'm also a singer songwriter / musicians with 2 albums out and play a lot of live shows in Philly and other states. I also put on original theatric productions in theaters around Philly featuring my original songs. I went to temple for undergrad and graduate school - got my masters in counseling psychology. During my time at Central, I was 272 class president sophomore year and SA president my senior year. It's always been a dream of mine to speak to CHS students at career day :)



Daryl Hinmon 251

**LEAD BUSINESS FINANCIAL MANAGER MARITIME PATROL PROGRAM
OFFICE, NAVAL AIR SYSTEMS COMMAND, AUTHOR, ENTREPRENEUR**

Daryl T. Hinmon was born in Philadelphia and graduated Central High School in 1992 (251) with a Bachelors Degree. Daryl earned a magna cum laude Bachelor of Science degree in Business Management from Morgan State University in Baltimore in 1996. He was on the Dean List all semesters, earned various academic awards and graduated with highest honors.

Upon graduation from Morgan State, Daryl started a career with the Department of the Navy as a Centralized Financial Management Intern where he excelled in the Office of the Comptroller of the Naval Air Systems Command at Naval Air Station Patuxent River, MD. After completing the internship, including a rotation at The Pentagon, Daryl worked his way up the chain of Command taking positions of increased responsibilities along the way. He has managed billions of dollars of funding for the following weapon systems over his 27-year career:

- E-2C Hawkeye Airborne Command and Control Aircraft
- AV-8B Harrier Fighter Jet
- C-2 Greyhound Logistics Aircraft
- V-22 Tilt-rotor V/STOL Aircraft
- F-35 Lightning Joint Strike Fighter Aircraft
- KC-130J Transport/Refueling Aircraft
- F-18 Fighter Jet

He currently serves as the Lead Business Financial Manager for the P-8A Poseidon Maritime Patrol and Reconnaissance Aircraft where he manages a \$3B budget to procure the weapon system to be used in defense of American shores.

He earned a summa cum laude Master's Degree in Business Management in 2000, has written two Black history books and is the owner and Head Coach of the Knowledge Boxing Center located in Lexington Park, MD.



Darryle Tillman 253

HOSPITAL PHARMACIST

Darryle Tillman is a pharmacist based in a hospital setting in a community academic hospital. After graduating Central, Tillman went on to earn a pharmacy degree at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. He has held multiple roles both in acute care settings, and pharmacy association work. Tillman was named Pennsylvania's Pharmacist of the year in 2022 by the PA Pharmacist Association. In 2023, he was elected VP of the state association, to take office in January 2024. In his free time, Tillman enjoys spending time with his wife and daughter.



Dave Brookstein 226

SENIOR ASSOCIATE DEAN OF ENGINEERING AT TEMPLE

Graduated with an undergrad degree in engineering from Georgia Tech and then received a doctorate in mechanical engineering from MIT in 1976. Was initially a professor of engineering at Georgia Tech, then worked as an engineering researcher in Boston. From there I was a dean of engineering at Philadelphia University then 10 years ago I became Senior Associate Dean of Engineering at Temple.

I have 13 patents in engineering and have worked on projects in aerospace, automotive, petroleum engineering and biomedical devices. Been a practicing engineering since 1975. In addition of working as an engineer I have been an expert witness for attorneys in over 50 legal cases.



Dave Kiss 264

TALENT BUYER

Concert promoters are like hermit crabs. They tend to grow and move from venue to venue like the way crustaceans move shell to shell as they too get bigger. Throughout my 15 year career of producing live events, I've been the in-house talent buyer at quite a few venues in Philadelphia. Kung Fu Necktie - a music venue / night club - in Fishtown has been my home the past 9 years, but that hasn't stopped me from taking concerts to bigger rooms like Union Transfer, Underground Arts, the First Unitarian Church, or being the exclusive talent buyer at the storied Trocadero before its closing in 2019.

My biggest concert to date was my first show back from Covid . Some considered the concert a troll since it took place at Four Seasons Total Landscaping. This particular "venue", made famous by a Rudy Giuliani press conference in 2020 when he protested the Presidential election, was the perfect place to host the trans-punk anarchist Laura Jane Grace. The show announcement trended on Twitter for three days and earned media from major outlets like Rolling Stone, The Hill, Pitchfork, etc...

I have had the pleasure of bringing Artists from all over the world to Philadelphia and relish in the role of being an ambassador for our great City.



David Galinsky 220

CLINICIAN / MEDICAL DIRECTOR OF
THE PA DEPARTMENT OF AGING

Most of my career was involved with taking care of sick patients. I was in teaching situations with med students, interns and residents. I was in private practice and also employed situations as the senior doc in a six person practice. I finished as the medical director of the PA Dept of Aging. Since retirement, I have been taking literature courses.



Delana Wardlaw 251

PHYSICIAN

Dr. Delana Wardlaw, Philadelphia native, is a board-certified family medicine physician with over 20 years of medical experience. She received her undergraduate degree from Temple University and her medical degree from Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine. Dr. Wardlaw currently practices at Temple Physicians, Incorporated where she is dedicated to providing exceptional health care to multigenerational families and community outreach. For her tremendous commitment, Dr. Wardlaw was awarded the 2020 Pennsylvania Family Physician of the Year Award.

Dr. Wardlaw is also one half of Twin Sister Docs, created with her identical twin sister to promote health, wellness, and self-advocacy. As health care advocates, motivational speakers, medical consultants and mentors they use various local, regional, and national platforms to address health care disparities. Their mission is to provide culturally sensitive, accurate medical information using the 3Ts, Trusted messengers that Translates to action, leading to Transformational outcomes. They have been featured on Good Morning America, The Drew Barrymore Show, in People Magazine, a Walgreen's Documentary and recognized by Target during the 2021 Pennsylvania Women's Conference. They have received multiple awards including Pennsylvania Medical Society's Community Voluntary Service Physician Award, Philadelphia Medical Society Practitioners of the Year Award, Maternity Care Coalition's Strengthening Families Award, WURD Radio Community Impact Award, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Incorporated Community Torch Bearer Award, the Links Incorporated Phenomenal Women Award, and the National Council of Negro Women Distinguished Community Leaders award.

Dr. Wardlaw is a fellow of the American Academy of Family Physicians, member of the Pennsylvania Academy of Family Physicians, Pennsylvania Medical Society, the American Academy of Family Physicians, and the Medical Society of Eastern Pennsylvania. Her most significant accomplishment is being a wife and mother of a set of twins.



Diane Kim 270

CLINICAL PHARMACIST SPECIALIST

Diane Kim, PharmD is a clinical pharmacist in Ambulatory Care at Penn Presbyterian Medical Center. She obtained her Doctorate of Pharmacy degree from Rutgers University in New Brunswick, NJ. She completed her PGY1 Residency Training in Community Pharmacy at Duquesne University in Pittsburgh, PA and her PGY2 Residency Training in Ambulatory Care at ChristianaCare in Newark, DE. She then started at Penn Presbyterian Medical Center as a clinical pharmacist. She is currently practicing in an Internal Medicine clinic, working amongst an interprofessional healthcare team to ensure medication regimens are safe and effective. She has clinical interests in diabetes and substance use disorders. Her favorite part about her job is working with patients longitudinally to improve their health and collaborating with prescribers to ensure medications are optimized.



Diane Sirajudeen 269

**ONCOLOGY NURSE PRACTITIONER, FAMILY NURSE
PRACTITIONER**

A member of the 269th graduating class, Diane now works as an oncology nurse practitioner. She graduated from Temple University with her Bachelor in Science in Biology and went on to complete her Bachelor of Science in Nursing through the accelerated program at Gwynedd Mercy University. She worked as a registered nurse on a surgical transplant floor but most of her nursing career was spent working on a bone marrow transplant oncology floor. She completed her Masters of Science and Doctorate of Nursing Practice degrees at the Medical University of South Carolina while working as a registered nurse. She now works as a nurse practitioner at Fox Chase Cancer Center in the Bone Marrow Transplant program. She also continues to work a registered nurse at the Thomas Jefferson University hospital on their BMT floor as well.

With her oncology experience, Diane enjoys providing for her patients through direct clinical care as well as through unit research and quality improvement projects.



Dimir Leftwich 276

**PRE-APPRENTICESHIP COORDINATOR IN TRADES
(PACT)**

My name is Dimir Leftwich, Class 276, I played football during my time at Central and went to college in Arkansas playing NAIA D1 football for Lyon College while studying Business Management and English. I now work for Philadelphia Academies and help high school students at Mastbaum High School figure out what they want to do post graduation. I also coach football and work to push my students and athletes to be their best selves. I want to leave a positive impact wherever I get the chance.



Doug Sanders 258

ATTORNEY

I am an attorney who works in-house with a large federal labor union based in D.C. My work centers around employee rights and support, and I also touch on the political sphere. I also teach Employment Discrimination and Employment Law at the University of Denver's law school. I love my high school, learned a lot about music and other subjects there, and would love to speak!



Dung Truong 265

PROJECT MANAGER

Graduated from Drexel University in 2011 with BS Architectural Engineering and MS in Civil/Structural Engineering. Currently with DCI Engineers as a project manager. Experience includes new builds, retrofits and renovations in residential, commercial, and industrial spaces. I have worked on homes, mixed used buildings, stores, schools, dealerships, and warehouses.



Elliot Brodsky 217

MANAGING DIRECTOR

Elliot Brodsky is a semi-retired problem solver. He has had an eclectic career spanning sixty years.

Elliot graduated with the 217, February 1962 with no clear idea of what he wanted to do with his life. He loved sailing and making furniture.

Paying his own way through college, he took a variety of courses at Temple, Penn and University of the Arts.

Over the next 7.5 years, he had many fun and challenging jobs with increasing levels of responsibility - in photography, design and theater. With more course credits at Temple, he got a Bachelors of Science in Communications - TV and film production.

Elliot worked for a dozen years at number a of corporations in various television production and executive capacities.

He started four companies. Three were successful.

Brodsky spent several years being the CEO of a number of early stage startup companies and advising others. Most of these companies were technology based - bioscience , engineering, sustainable energy, cancer and information research.

Elliot made time to be a substitute teacher in three rural school districts; currently advises non-profits and mentors people with new business ideas. He still loves sailing and tending his garden.



Ellis Freedman 231

OWNER, SERIOUS SCIENCE LLC

Ellis Freedman received a B.S. degree in Physics from Temple University in 1976, and an M.S. degree in Physics from Northeastern University in 1977. In 1978 he joined Veda, Inc. as a systems engineer. In 1983, he joined GE Aerospace (later Lockheed Martin Co.) as a systems engineer specializing in the calibration and processing of imagery, and the development of mathematical algorithms, modeling tools, and processing techniques for the correction, enhancement, and exploitation of remote sensing imagery. He has lectured and published papers on radiometry, calibration, and image processing. After achieving the title of Lockheed Martin Fellow, he left to form his own company, Serious Science LLC in 2010.



Evon Burton 264

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, MARKETING

Evon Burton is Associate Director, Marketing, US HIV where he manages consumer marketing strategy for people living with HIV. Prior to Merck, he served as Director of Communications at Philadelphia FIGHT, Philadelphia's largest AIDS service organization.

Evon has spent most of his career in communications roles at Philadelphia-based community organizations in many fields such as public health, education, youth programming, and the performing arts. In 2014, he joined Philadelphia FIGHT as the Communications Associate where he served as a spokesperson for the organization, maintained relationships with important external stakeholders, and created marketing materials. During his time at FIGHT, he also managed the organization's community engagement efforts increasing FIGHT's presence in the Greater Philadelphia area. In July 2020, he assumed the position of Director of Communications where he spearheaded the organization's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Evon graduated from Morehouse College in 2009, earning his B.A. in Business Administration with concentration in Marketing. He received his Executive MBA from Georgetown University in May 2021.



Felix Nhim 265

QUALITY ANALYST

I was born and raised in South Philly. After Central, I attended Villanova and graduated in 2010. I was the first in my family to graduate from college, and earned a B.A. in Business Administration with minors in Business Law and International Business.

When I entered the work force, the country was still recovering from 2008 recession. I had worked in many different positions (from retail to background work for a movie) before I my current position at Penn Medicine.



Gary Turetsky 228

TEACHER

I'm alumni, 228 class (June, 1969). I earned a history degree from Temple and J.D. from Temple Law and practiced law in the area for 20 years or so when I decided to change careers to teaching, first as an instructor at Rutgers Law in Camden. I then got my Masters in Education from Arcadia University and taught middle school social studies for 15 years in the North Penn School District before retiring in 2017 as department chair in my building. I would love to share my thoughts about teaching as a wonderful career choice for students who are interested, as well as sharing my feelings about career changes as a possibility throughout one's working life.



Geoffrey Glauser 230

CEO, SMALL CONSULTING FIRM

Over 40 years experience in Vaccine and Pharmaceutical manufacturing and supply chain, with special emphasis in new product introduction, logistics, distribution, international transit, cold chain, clinical and large scale packaging, bulk drug substances, sterile filling, inventory management, production planning, regulatory issues (Phase I, II, and III clinical trials), constraints management, throughput optimization efficiencies, and collaborative problem solving.

Work environments include Merck (25 years), Pfizer, Wyeth (childhood vaccines, Hepatitis-A and B, Pneumococcal, Haemophilus influenza vaccines) US Government (10+ years), medical countermeasures (childhood vaccines, Hepatitis-A and B, Pneumococcal vaccines, Ebola, COVID-19, Influenza, Anthrax, Smallpox vaccines, and therapeutics).

Biology degree. US Navy engineering (5 years). A variety of scientific and engineering educational courses.



George VanHook 231

RETIRED HUMAN SERVICES ADMINISTRATOR

George VanHook graduated from Central High School in 1972 as a member of the 231st class. Mr. VanHook attended the University of Pittsburgh where he earned both a Bachelor's and Master's Degree. He is a proud public servant who spent more than thirty four years serving the citizens of Pennsylvania and Maryland. His career included stints with the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare, Maryland General Assembly, Maryland Governor's Office and the Maryland Department of Human Services.

During his tenure as a Human Services Administrator, Mr. VanHook became a strong advocate of the Baltimore City Public School System. This advocacy led to his appointment to the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners from 2004 through 2010. In this capacity, he fought tenaciously to positively change the school system's policies regarding family and community engagement and improve academic performance.

Currently, Mr. VanHook serves as a guest instructor for the Baltimore City Schools. He specializes in teaching and mentoring elementary school children.

Additionally, Mr. VanHook spends countless hours collaborating with Baltimore City community leaders and stakeholders to promote the positive growth and development of citizens and neighborhoods. Mr. VanHook believes that the strength of our nation is based on the strength of the family. He is married and the proud father of three adult sons.



Georgiy Petrov 263

INVESTMENT VICE PRESIDENT AND PORTFOLIO MANAGER

After graduating CHS in 2004 I went to Penn State University Park Campus and received a B.S. in Economics. I then began working at Prudential Financial in Newark, NJ as an Investment Operations Associate. I supported a derivatives trading desk and learned a lot. Then I decided I wanted to make a switch into the “front office” and be an investment professional. So I applied/got accepted and received my MBA from New York University, that I completed part-time while working, in May 2015. In the meantime, I was able to get a job as an Investment analysts in Prudential’s Chief Investment office. During my time in CIO I held multiple roles including working in portfolio strategy position. I also received my CFA charter in Sep 2018. I was promoted a few times within the CIO organisation and currently manage portfolios for Life Insurance and Annuities businesses of Prudential that total about \$100 billion in assets under management. I am originally from Russia, was captain of both soccer and tennis teams at CHS and was also part of student government. I have a sister who is 273. Now am I happily married with two amazing kids.

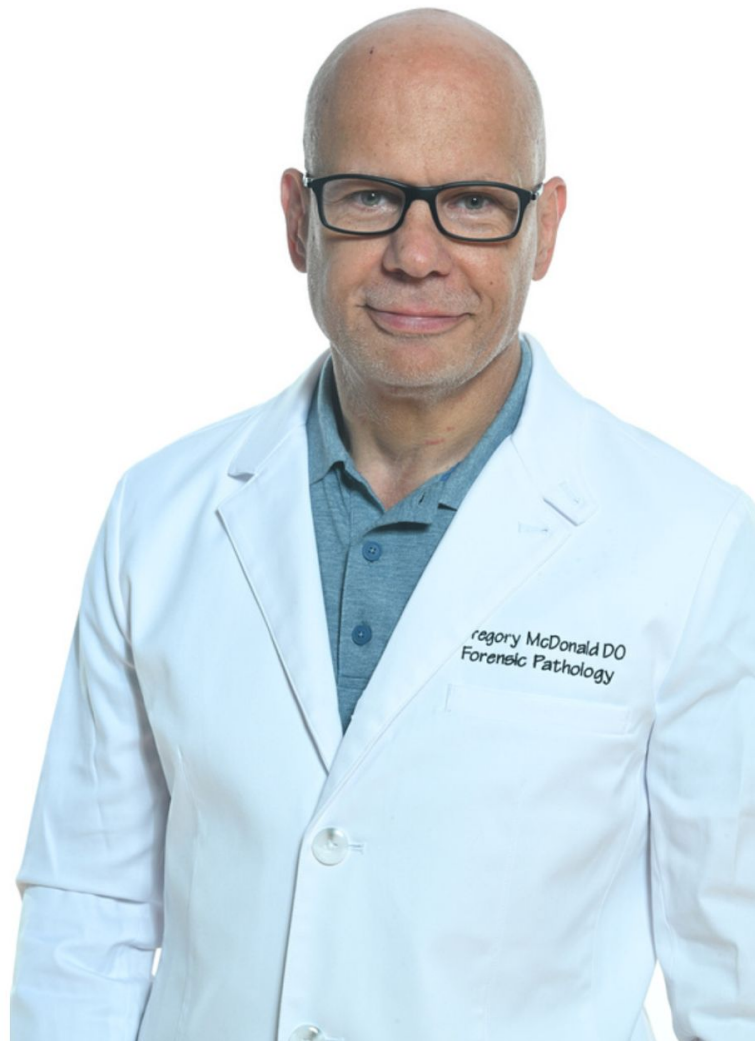


Gregory McDonald 240

FORENSIC PATHOLOGIST

Gregory, McDonald DO is a Central high school alumnus (240). He graduated from the Villanova university with a bachelor's degree in biology. He then attended medical school at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine where he earned his the DO degree in 1989. He went on to complete a residency in anatomic pathology at the Lankenau Hospital, followed by a forensic pathology fellowship at the University of Pennsylvania, and the medical examiners office in Philadelphia Pennsylvania. After completion of his fellowship, he served for 14 years as an assistant, medical examiner in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Dr. McDonald currently serves as the dean of the school of health sciences and the chairman of the department of forensic medicine and pathology at the Philadelphia College of, Osteopathic Medicine. He also serves as the chief deputy coroner of Montgomery county, Pennsylvania. Certified in both anatomic pathology and forensic pathology, he completed more than 8000 autopsies and has testifying in more than 800 court cases.

It has lectured extensively on subjects, including post Mortem change, cause and manner of death, blunt force trauma, sharp force trauma and firearm injuries. He's currently writing an article on the impact of mixed martial arts in forensic pathology.



Harris Klear 221

PODIATRIST

- 1964-1967 Temple University & Temple University School of Pharmacy
- 1967-1971 Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine (now Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine)
- 1971-1972- Rotating Surgical Residency Parkview Hospital-Phila., PA
- General Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, Podiatric Surgery
- 1972-1973- Private Practice - Rahway, N.J. Professional Podiatry Associates.
- 1973-Present- Private Podiatry Practice in New Jersey
- 1981- Board Certified by American Board of Podiatric Surgery- Re-certified 1991, 2001, 2011, 2022
- 1999 to Present- Alumni Board of Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine
- Hospital Affiliations:
 - Lady of Lourdes Hospital (Rancocas Hospital)- Willingboro, NJ 1973-2001 (Resigned)
 - Zurbrugg Memorial Hospital- Riverside, NJ 1974- 1995 (closed)
 - Surgical Center of South Jersey - Mount Laurel, NJ 1985-2019
 - Parkview Hospital-Phila., PA 1973-1997 (Resigned-closed)
 - Millennium Surgical Center-Cherry Hill, NJ 2009-2017
- Resident Selection Committee -Cooper Hospital-Camden, NJ
- Board of Visitors- Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine
- Past President of Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine Alumni Association 2014-2016. Member for the past 20 years
- Lecturer for Berman Medical Lasers- e-Learning programs 2021 and 2022



Harry Lipschultz 233

CONSULTANT/CLINICAL PHARMACIST; SCUBA INSTRUCTOR

Owned and operated Lipschultz Family Pharmacy, a community pharmacy until July of 1997. Duties involved all facets of community pharmacy operation including inventory control, dispensing of prescriptions, patient evaluation and education, physician contact and consultation, and claims and administrative reconciliation.

Worked as a "relief" pharmacist in various community pharmacies in addition to pharmacy consultant duties as Max-Well Pharmacy Consultant Services.

Owned and operated Max-Well Pharmacy Services from April 2004 to August 2016 providing community pharmacy services, nursing home and private Physician Pharmacy consulting assistance for Hospice and Home Bound patients.

Most recently assisted Bucks County Dept. of Health with COVID-19 Response.



Hayley Bartkus 272

JOHNS HOPKINS SCHOOLS OF MEDICAL IMAGING DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Hayley O. Bartkus (272) currently spends her days geeking out about all things ultrasound alongside her students at the Johns Hopkins Schools of Medical Imaging as their Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program Director. Hayley's sonography story began at the Rochester Institute of Technology where she graduated first generation cum laude with a Bachelor of Science in Diagnostic Medical Sonography in 2017. Hayley credits her passion for ultrasound education to her faculty at RIT, having gone on to earn a Master of Science in Health Professions Education from Boston University in 2022. Passionate about pulse-waves and patient-centered care, Hayley is committed to advancing the field of diagnostic medical sonography and improving patient outcomes through her work as an educator, as a sonographer, and her medical advocacy through her podcast, 256 Shades of Gray.

Hayley began her professional career in 2017 in the radiology department at Albany Medical Center. In 2018, Hayley returned to her home city of Philadelphia transitioning to high-risk obstetric sonography shortly thereafter at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. During her time at UPenn, Hayley participated in cutting edge clinical research including uterine transplantation and medical device trials for pelvic floor wellness. Additionally, Hayley aligned resident and advanced practice provider ultrasound education and continued to pursue her mission of advocacy for equitable, evidence-based medical care and high quality sonographic imaging.



Himmat Sembhi 276

SENIOR ANALYST, PLASMA END TO END FINANCE

Himmat is currently working at CSL Behring on their end to end finance team, specializing in their Plasma business. Previously, he completed his masters degree in International Health Policy (Health Economics) at London School of Economics and Political Science. Himmat has had Pharmaceutical Industry experience and consulting experience at GSK and McKinsey & Company in compliance and life sciences research roles. He is looking to utilize his degree as well as his experience to move into a high level strategic role in the Pharmaceutical Industry or in Healthcare Consulting.



Isaac Spear 276

COORDINATOR, GAME STATISTICS

I grew up in West Mt. Airy and followed my older sister Hannah's (274) footsteps to Central as part of 276. At Central, I was most interested in English and Social Studies, also studying Spanish for all four years and begrudgingly enjoying my Math and Science courses as well. After graduating from Central, I attended the University of Pennsylvania, where I majored in psychology. I worked for the varsity football and baseball teams while at Penn and completed research at the intersection of social psychology and player evaluation in football. This led me, after graduating from Penn in 2021, to my current role with the NFL league office in New York City, where I serve as the Coordinator for the Game Statistics Department. In this role, I manage in-stadium gameday employees, oversee gameday support operations, monitor the league's official data feed across games, and evaluate official stat changes postgame.

I've always been focused on and committed to pursuing a career in sports, and that goes back to my days at Central: playing on the baseball team, writing sports stories for the Centralizer, regularly attending Central Night at the Phillies (thanks Horwits!), and more. I wouldn't be where I am today without the exceptional educational and extracurricular opportunities available at Central—powered by the school's outstanding faculty—along with the lifelong relationships I forged through my classes and activities.



Jason Huber 248

**DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION AT QUADRAT ACADEMY, EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR OF TEENS INC, FOUNDER OF THE GLOBAL
CLASSROOM PROJECT**

Jason Huber is a dad, husband, innovator, traveler, award-winning entrepreneur, founder of the Global Classroom Project, executive director at Teens Inc and currently Director of Education at Quadrat Academy. He has been flipping the script for most of his life to find innovative approaches to education and personal success.

Currently, as Director of Teens Inc and Director of Education at Quadrat Academy Jason's focus is connecting teens to the world and providing an opportunity for students to see the world differently through international service and immersion trips and a curriculum called Mind Your Business. Mind Your Business uses short meditations and conversations to flip obstacles into opportunities, discover how helping others accelerates your goals, and identify how daydreaming is good for kids (and adults). At Quadrat Academy, a Montessori middle and high school, Jason has developed a hands-on curriculum called Quests. Quests focus on innovative projects, community service, and student choice.



Jason Weldon 256

ENTREPRENEUR / CEO

Jason is the President/CEO of Synergetic, an audio-visual company based in Philadelphia. He started the company while a student in Central. He attended Temple University where he continued to grow the company while graduating with a degree in Communications. Synergetic started out as a professional DJ business, but has since transformed to providing audio, lighting and video to concerts, fundraisers, and meetings. Jason loves to talk about being an entrepreneur and the great things that come along with it. 3 unique things about Jason: He has an extensive vinyl record collection; he eats the same thing for breakfast every day and he is an avid fan of the TV series The Office.



Jason Taing 274

SENIOR TAX ACCOUNTANT

I am a senior tax accountant at Marcum LLP where I focus on the real estate industry. Day to day task consists of checking emails, meeting with the client and partners, and preparing their financial information for our tax return and engagement software. I graduated in accounting at Temple University August 2019 and job hopped a few times to where I am now. On my free time, I usually play tennis, badminton and ping pong, travel, journal at a café, go to concerts, and explore new places to eat and things to do.



Jay Gottlieb 205

LAWYER
AACHS PAST PRESIDENT

Central High School
Temple University
Temple Law School
Practicing Lawyer 60 years



Jay Horrow 228

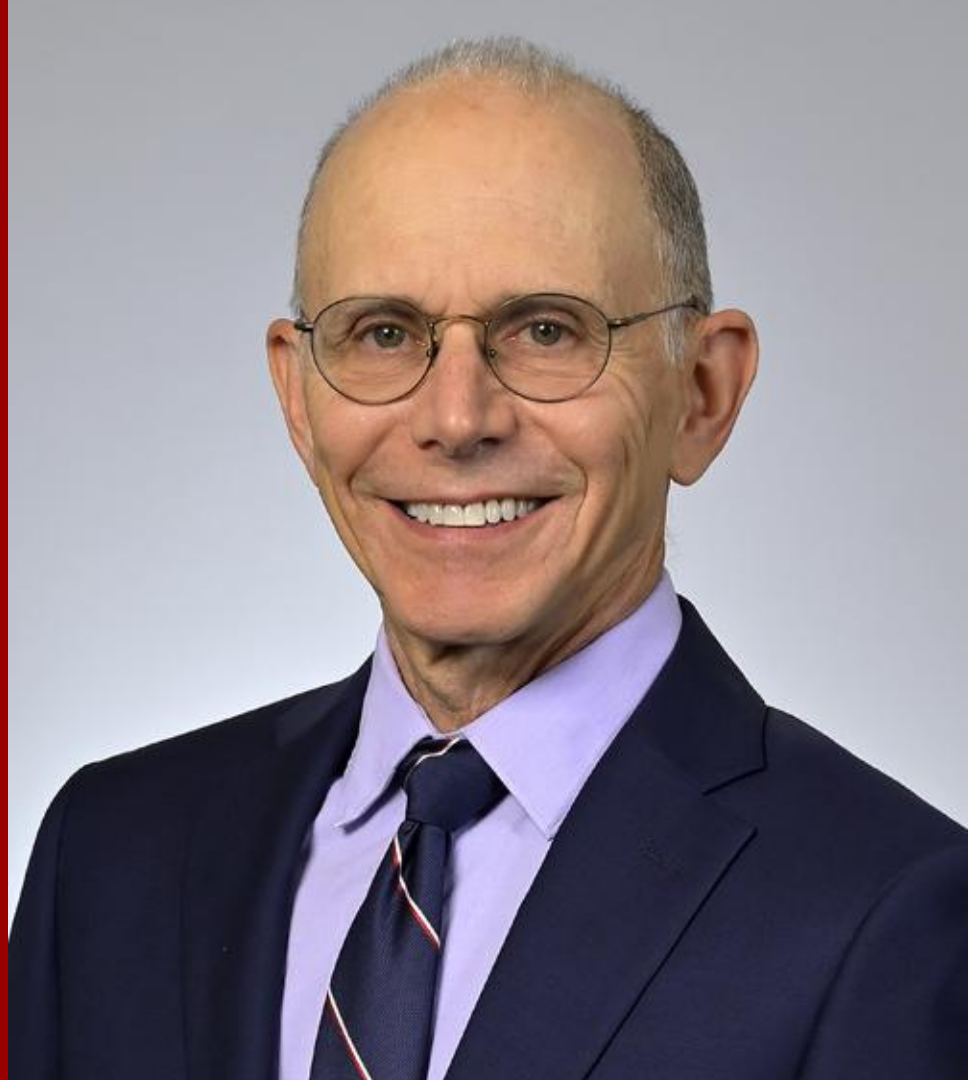
CLINICAL PROFESSOR UPENN /
DIRECTOR, BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB
1836 SOCIETY MEMBER

Upon graduating Central High School, Jay studied Electrical Engineering at Princeton University, then attended medical school at the University of Pennsylvania, where he trained in Anesthesiology and then subspecialized in Cardiothoracic Anesthesia. Twenty years later, he earned a Master's degree in Applied Statistics from Villanova University.

Dr Horrow has served on the faculties of Harvard Medical School, Hahnemann University, Drexel University, and the University of Pennsylvania. During his 18 years in academic anesthesiology, he chaired an Institutional Human Subjects Protection Committee, as well as the Department of Anesthesiology at Drexel. During his subsequent 25-year career in pharmaceutical medicine, he has developed medicines at IBEX Technologies (Montreal), AstraZeneca, Merck, and Bristol Myers Squibb. Throughout his pharmaceutical medicine career, he has continued to provide clinical anesthesia care and teach anesthesiology residents.

Jay has authored 42 book chapters and 120 articles in peer-reviewed journals. Currently, he develops new anticoagulants at Bristol Myers Squibb and is Clinical Professor of Anesthesiology at the University of Pennsylvania.

Jay lives in suburban Philadelphia. He has 3 grown children and 4 grandchildren. He enjoys hiking, cycling, and chairing the Executive Committee of the CHS 228 Class Gift Fund.



Jeff Thomas 233

RETIRED TAX EXECUTIVE

Over the course of 43 years, Jeff accumulated comprehensive tax experience that included the resolution of complex business and tax issues. His diversified experience included nearly twenty-six years in public accounting, where he served clients in many industries and seventeen years in the tax departments of multi-national companies. Jeff held key tax partnership or management positions for a Big Four accounting firm, multi-national real estate and energy companies and large regional accounting firms.

Jeff managed tax engagements for a wide range of clients including prominent public (NYSE and AMEX) and closely held multi-state and multinational companies. He delivered hundreds of tax and business related talks and led many classes in tax and business related subjects.

Jeff received his Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting (Summa Cum Laude) from Temple University's Fox School of Business.



Jeffy Joseph 269

MANAGER, TRAINING AND L&D

Since graduating from Penn State, I've been in multiple different industries. Started at Frito-Lay as a district manager, then moved to Chipotle as an Area manager. From there joined Carvana when it was a small start up and experienced exponential growth of a start up as the manager who oversaw the Philadelphia market. Since then I have been at Grubhub, starting in operations and now in the Learning and development side. I am also a licensed real estate broker and my family is in the restaurant industry, with two Indian restaurants in the Philly area. My wife and I met at central and started dating senior year. We actually did our engagement shoot at Central! We have a beautiful 2.5 year old daughter. Lancer pride runs deep in our family!



Jency Skaria 269

FORENSIC SCIENTIST 3

Hi! I am a forensic scientist with 8 years of laboratory experience. I graduated from Temple University with a bachelor's degree in Natural Sciences/Chemistry. Currently, I work for the Philadelphia Police Office of Forensic Science as a Forensic Scientist 3 in the Chemistry Unit. I am responsible for the analysis of evidence for the presence of controlled and non controlled substances. I use various analytical chemistry instrumentation and prepare reports identifying samples by explaining testing methods, findings, and conclusions.

Occasionally, I will testify as an expert witness regarding the results of scientific analyses. I am also a member of the clandestine laboratory response team assisting law enforcement with dismantling clandestine laboratories within Philadelphia.



Jerrold Walton 231

PRINCIPAL - THE WATERFALL GROUP, LLC

AACHS CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE MEMBER

1836 SOCIETY MEMBER

I was born and raised in Southwest Philadelphia. My first steady job (at the age of nine) was as a bootblack in a barber shop. I kept that part-time vocation until the age of 14. My occupation as a bootblack was crucial to formulating viewpoints about money, material wealth, class, personal discipline and interpersonal respect.

My father passed away when I was 13, during the height of the black consciousness period. Fortunately, with supportive extended family, inspirational cultural figures, and Central High, I managed to get through a significant fork-in-the-road. Central High was an oasis of learning for me. My current joy of learning in general and academic learning in particular, stems from my experiences at Central High.

My varied work career covers experiences in Treasury Management, Plant Operations, Human Resources, Real Estate Management, Portfolio Management, and Executive Coaching.

After receiving an opportunity to pursue an MBA (The owner told me: "any local accredited University, but Wharton!") I completed a dual major (Accounting and Finance) from LaSalle University. Driven by a need to understand and contribute to an ever-changing dynamic of organizational life, I completed by second and third Master's degrees in Organizational Dynamics (University of PA). And in 2021, I satisfied the requirements for a Doctor of Education from Columbia University.



Job Itzkowitz 255

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Job Itzkowitz is a civic leader, a public servant, and a lifelong Philadelphian. Job has spent over a decade working to make our neighborhoods safer, our streets cleaner, and make our city more inviting to businesses and visitors.

For the last eight years, Job has served as the top executive of the Old City District, the business improvement district for Old City. In that role, Job has overseen cleaning, safety, marketing, and economic development initiatives. In 2022 alone, under Job's supervision, the OCD team collected nearly 17,000 pounds of trash, removed over 600 instances of graffiti, and safely cleared almost 700 used needles from the streets of Old City.

For over two decades, Job Itzkowitz has been a fixture in Philadelphia's civic-minded non-profit realm. He co-founded Young Involved Philadelphia, which helped lift the voices of young Philadelphians in the halls of government and in the media. Job subsequently co-founded the Friends of Love Park, which secured a \$1mm sponsorship for Fairmount Park. As Co-Chair of the Board of Philly Fellows, Job fought Philadelphia's "brain drain" by helping train talent for the nonprofit sector. Job also served on the Board of East Point Breeze Neighbors and chaired its zoning committee.

An attorney by training, Job is a graduate of University of Pennsylvania School of Law, the University of Michigan, and, of course, Central High School of Philadelphia.



John Edathil 259

SENIOR AUDITOR, ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT

Since 2006, John Edathil has worked in the world of financial services in a variety of positions including: Loan Officer, Short Sale, testing, Sample & Test Development Quality Assurance, and most recently Internal Audit. John also has a data analysis background he leverages at his current employer, Citi for code validation. In addition to his work, John enjoys posting food for thought to LinkedIn and public speaking. John lives in Aston, PA with his spouse and children and enjoys football, video games, history, and comic books.



John Younge 232

JUDGE

AACHS HONORARY LIFE MEMBER

CHS, 232nd Class
1977 BS, BA Boston University
1981 JD, Howard University
2011 M of Jud. Stud., University of Nevada, Reno
1981-1985 Solo Practice
1985-1995 Philadelphia Redev. Auth.
1996-2019 Philadelphia Ct. Cmn. Pls.
2019-Present East. DT. of PA



Josh Chun 277

MASTER'S OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION STUDENT AT NYU WAGNER

Josh is a first-generation Korean-American born and raised in Northeast Philadelphia. Throughout his time in Philadelphia, Josh sought to amplify the voices of his local community by supporting outreach and education efforts in the area. A graduate of Temple University, Josh studied History and Political Science while working as an educator at several nonprofits that aimed to support majority immigrant communities. During this time, he interned with Congressman Jimmy Gomez of California and the City Commissioner's Office of Philadelphia while becoming a 2021 PPIA Junior Summer Institute Fellow. Josh recently completed a service year with City Year Philadelphia, where he supported public school students in language arts and social and emotional learning. He is currently a first-year MPA student as well as a Department of State intern.



Kate Cerrone 264

BILINGUAL NURSE PRACTITIONER

Kate Cerrone is a Family Nurse Practitioner, certified by the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC). Prior to becoming a Nurse Practitioner, she worked at Philadelphia FIGHT's John Bell Health Center as a nurse manager from 2015-2018. Kate has traveled extensively, taking on meaningful Public Health Projects in Ecuador, Chile, Brazil, Cambodia, and Malawi as well as working for 2 years as a Clinical Coordination Nurse at Delaware Valley Community Health in Philadelphia. She is fluent in English, Spanish and Portuguese.

Kate completed the Second Degree Accelerated Nursing Program at the Drexel University, where she graduated with a Bachelor's of Science in Nursing in 2012. Kate received her Masters of Science in Nursing from LaSalle University in 2018 with a focus as a Family Nurse Practitioner. Beyond her clinical experience, Kate graduated magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Public Health with a minor in Spanish from Rutgers University in 2009.

With her clinical and public health expertise, coupled with her passion for working with immigrants and urban populations, Kate remains an important part of our clinical team at the John Bell Health Center and FIGHT Pediatrics. Kate is assisting in facilitating our "Family Visits", where adult and teen parents are able to be seen with their child, in the same clinic, by the same provider, in the same exam room!



Katreena Thomas 270

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER - ENGINEERING EDUCATION

Katreena Thomas, Ph.D., currently serves as a postdoctoral researcher at Clemson University through the American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE) eFellows postdoctoral fellowship. Through her scholarly activities, she aims to broaden marginalized groups' participation in engineering by encouraging positive identity-centered experiences in engineering, supporting creative expression in engineering practice and design, and promoting equity-focused STEM education policy. Katreena received her Ph.D. from Arizona State University in Engineering Education Systems Design. Her dissertation explored the experiences of early-career Black engineering leaders. This work expands the engineering leadership scholarship by introducing the authentic voices of a historically marginalized group in engineering. She joined the Coley Shifting Perceptions, Attitudes, and Cultures in Engineering (SPACE) Lab research group during her doctoral education. She also served as the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Intern for the Journal of Engineering Education. Katreena received her B.S. in Industrial Engineering from the University of Pittsburgh and her M.S. in Human Systems Engineering from Arizona State University. Before starting her graduate studies, she worked in the tech industry in the operations field. Katreena is committed to justice, equity, diversity, and inclusivity and hopes that her work will impact the culture and environment of the engineering education ecosystem.



Keelan Thorn 278

**LEGISLATIVE & SPECIAL ASSISTANT
TO COUNCILWOMAN CINDY BASS**

My name is Keelan Thorn and I graduated in the 278 class from Central High School and class of 2023 from Temple University. I studied Psychology and Neuroscience at Temple doing some internships along the way. I first worked at One Bright Ray Community High School where adults were coming back to school to obtain their diploma instead of a GED. I then interned at a halfway house with Gaudenzia and designed/implemented weekly group therapy sessions that I had the opportunity to lead. I finished off working in Temple's Cognitive Neuroscience lab, thinking I might want to go on and get my PhD and work as a Clinical Psychologist. However, things change, and I quickly realized my efforts might be better placed in an administrative position. So, I applied for and went on to complete a summer internship as an Operations & Logistics manager for Myra Brown's companies. She's friends with Councilwoman Cindy Bass and recommended me to her. The Councilwoman interviewed me and asked me to join her team as a Legislative and Special Assistant. I had no idea what this meant but I knew I would be able to continue to help our community from the position, so I took it. I now realize how important it is for people to know what City Council does, so I want to come speak at Career Day to inform students and answer any questions they might have!

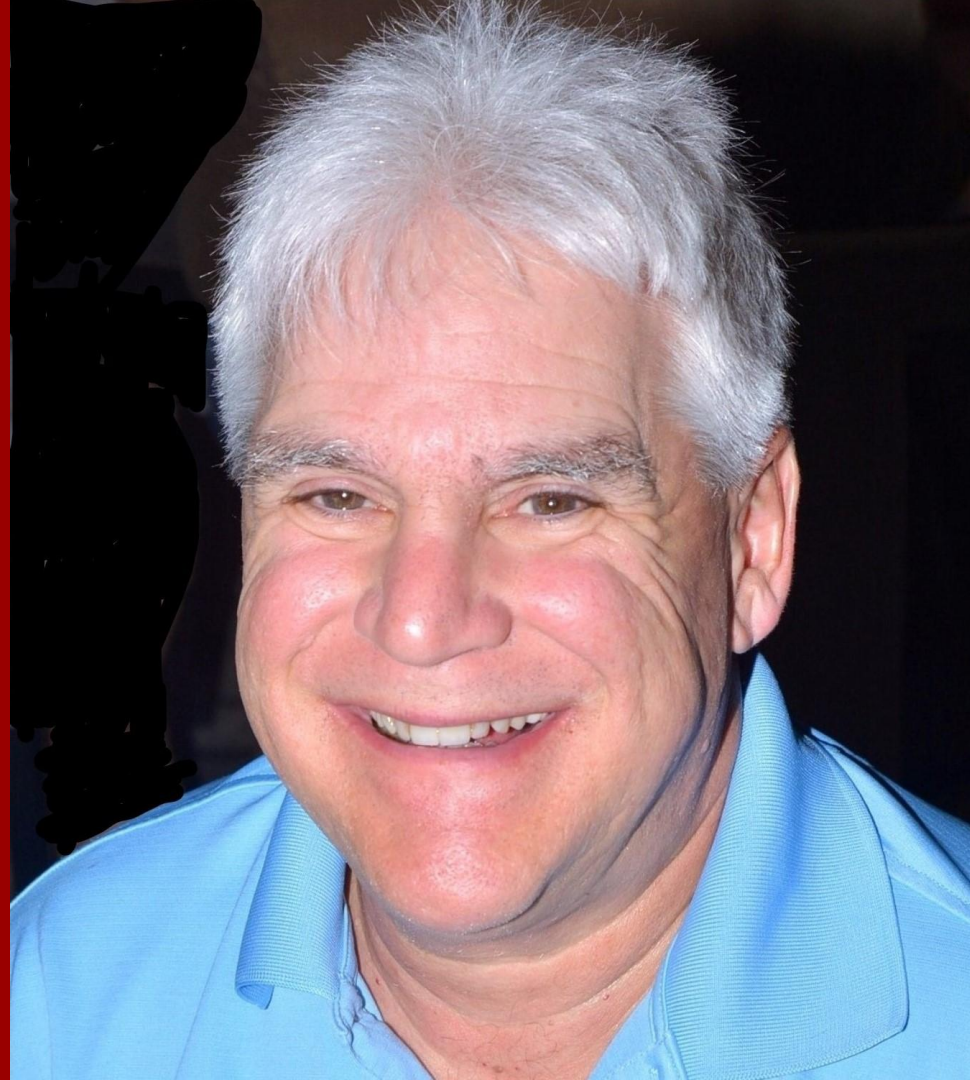


Ken Goldberg 237

SCIENTIFIC DIRECTOR, STATISTICS & DECISION SCIENCES

Dr. Goldberg graduated with a BA from CHS in 1978. Using 25 AP credits, three years later Lehigh University awarded him their first ever BS degree in Statistics. Dr. Goldberg was fortunate to find and start a job as a statistician at Wyeth Laboratories (now Pfizer) two days before his college commencement ceremony. He has remained in the pharmaceutical industry ever since, moving up the job ladder from “Programmer Trainee” to “Scientific Director,” while supporting research and development in all product lifecycle phases from discovery to post-marketing. After 21 years at Wyeth and 3 at Sanofi, Dr. Goldberg has been at Johnson and Johnson since 2005. He has worked extensively with vaccines and biologics as well as with traditional small molecule drug products. Through his career, he has supported scientists, doctors, and engineers to design experiments and interpret data in diverse areas such as pharmacology, safety, efficacy, and manufacturing.

While working full time, Dr. Goldberg attended Temple University in the evenings and weekends, receiving an MS in 1985 and a PhD in 1991, both in statistics. He coauthored 13 peer reviewed journal articles and presented original statistical research at numerous conferences. He enjoys supporting students and young professionals interested in science, technology, engineering, and math through many avenues. Those include judging at the Delaware Valley Science Fairs, tutoring, participating in various career days, mentoring formally and informally, and sponsoring high school, college, and graduate school externships and internships.



Ken Harris 225

PHYSICIAN - RADIOLOGIST

I enjoyed my 35 year career as a diagnostic radiologist. Following medical school and residency, I worked at Temple University Hospital and then Lehigh valley Medical Center. My presentation consists of about 40-45 minutes of slides demonstrating (and oftentimes, informally quizzing the students) how almost every diagnosis in medicine, whether it is a lump or a pain or difficulty breathing, etc etc , anything that brings a patient to a doctor or a hospital will ultimately be diagnosed with some type of imaging. Radiologists are the ones who sift through the many possibilities and make the diagnosis, then we hand the patient off to the surgeon or internist, etc, who treat the patient. This makes the field of radiology so interesting and stimulating.



Kenneth Miraski 263

SENIOR ARCHITECT

I am a licensed Architect in New York and Pennsylvania who currently works for the Philadelphia-based architecture firm, KSS Architects. KSS Architects focuses its design efforts on finding impact through the relationship between educational, cultural, and industrial spaces throughout the Delaware Valley, New Jersey, and New York. In addition to my full-time job, I provide services to several clients for their home renovation, building restoration, and design needs. I graduated from Thomas Jefferson University with a five-year Bachelor of Architecture degree. I have practiced Architecture for over thirteen years on a variety of projects that include K-12 schools, multi-family residential buildings, hotels, and building restoration.

In my spare time, I volunteer as a mentor for the Architectural League of NY, a non-profit and independent forum for the architectural profession, and as a contributor to the safe-streets activism work of Transportation Alternatives in New York City. I continue to shape my career by, and learn from, the communities I serve through design competitions, mentorship, and at the service of organizations that advocate for our built environment.



Kevin Dow 246

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Kevin always begins his story with the reflection that he was “born and raised in west Philly,” publicly school educated, and a doer of good in the hood. His career has spanned the corporate, non-profit, and public sectors. His early journey occurred in the financial services industry. In 2008, Kevin was appointed by Mayor Nutter to a dual role as the Senior Deputy Director and Chief Operating Officer of the Commerce Department for the City of Philadelphia.

Six years later, Kevin joined the executive leadership of United Way of Greater Philadelphia and Southern New Jersey where he led a team investing over \$150 million in resources across two states. After several leadership positions in nonprofits dedicated to improving public spaces and providing quality educational options to children, as well as a stay-at-home dad & teacher during the early stages of the covid pandemic, Kevin was named the Executive Director of the Regional Foundation, a philanthropic organization focused on neighborhood revitalization in low-wealth communities.

Mr. Dow’s formal education includes degrees from Morehouse College, Saint Joseph’s University, and various certificates from Boston College, the Center for Progressive Leadership and as a Diversity Practitioner.

Kevin’s community leadership is far-reaching and past board memberships are numerous and reflect Kevin’s commitment to neighborhood economic development, love of arts and culture, and commitment to improving educational options for children. He is currently on the board of the Cencora Impact Foundation, Fleisher Art Memorial, Harcum College, and Philadelphia Advisory Board for the Local Initiatives Support Corporation. He is also a founding member of the Philadelphia Black Giving Circle, a life member of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity and resides in the Radnor Pennsylvania community with his family.



Khalil Phillips 275

CEO

Now 25 years of age, he first began exploring his love for spinning in 8th grade. Dj Lil continued to hone his craft while attending the prestigious Central High School in Philadelphia, PA and continued that energy while in college at IUP. In 2017 Dj Lil gained recognition from DJ DiamondKuts for his impact in the city of Philadelphia as a DJ and entrepreneur. His entrepreneurship journey with the family's entertainment company, "WeWorkinENT" has led to opportunities to collaborate with artists such as The Jonas Brothers, Lil Uzi Vert, PNB Rock, Waka Flocka, Lil Durk, Playboi Carti, Travis Scott, Christian Combs and many more!

With a goal to become one of the best Dj's from the east coast, Lil has recently expanded his reach to the DMV along with his already recognized presence in the tri-state area as well. Now climbing for more of an international reach, Lil has collaborated with artists from the UK which can speak to his large UK following on SoundCloud.



Kyle Haines 249

PARTNER/OWNER

Kyle Haines is a Founding Partner of Build Consulting, a consultancy firm dedicated exclusively to empowering nonprofit organizations through technology. With more than 25 years of experience, Kyle has partnered with a diverse spectrum of nonprofits across North America, including organizations with a global footprint.

Specializing in crafting technology strategies tailored to each organization's unique needs, Kyle focuses on initiatives designed to expand their reach, increase revenue, and streamline operations. His consultative approach goes beyond mere IT advice. Leveraging his extensive experience, Kyle has guided numerous organizations in making judicious technology investments that touch upon various organizational dimensions including staffing, governance, and data management.

Far from being just an advisor, Kyle serves as a virtual CIO, offering services like comprehensive technology assessments, customized roadmaps, and impartial solution evaluations. His objective is to seamlessly integrate technology considerations into the nonprofit's strategic discourse. He is adept at developing insights that are accessible, compelling, and immediately actionable for leaders and stakeholders, regardless of their tech-savvy.

With a Bachelor of Arts in Urban Studies, Kyle brings an added layer of understanding to the table. His academic background equips him to bridge the gap between technology and its real-world implications, enabling leaders and stakeholders to better navigate the increasingly intricate landscape of technology and data.

In essence, Kyle's role transcends traditional consultancy; he is a catalyst for change in the nonprofit sector, transforming the perception of technology from a simple service to a pivotal strategic asset.



Kyle Robinson 255

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL MEDICINE

Following graduation from Central, I went to Drexel where i majored in Materials Engineering. I spent two summers working at NASA as part of the Drexel Co-op program. During this time I lived with family members who were physicians. This contributed to me deciding to become a physician. I attended Temple University School of Medicine, and also stayed at Temple for my residency in Internal Medicine, also doing a year as a Chief Resident. I moved to Portland, Oregon for my Hematology and Oncology fellowship, and moved back to Philly in 2014 to work at the Philadelphia VA medical center and at the University of Pennsylvania.



Larry Sklar 225

EMERITUS DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR AACHS HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

Larry A. Sklar (PhD, Physical Chemistry, Stanford), Distinguished Professor Emeritus/founding director University of New Mexico Center Molecular Discovery, has >450 publications and patents in biotechnology, drug discovery and repurposing. With Bruce Edwards and Fritz Kuckuck he invented the HyperCyt high throughput flow cytometry platform and co-founded the Albuquerque startup company IntelliCyt. His inventions contributed to several startup companies and clinical trials. IntelliCyt's acquisition by Sartorius represented a commercialization landmark for UNM. Recent leadership roles included UNM Chemical Biology Consortium Center for the NCI Experimental Therapeutics Program; NIH's Illuminating the Druggable Genome; Drug Repurposing Network for the UNM Clinical and Translational Science Center; Cancer Therapeutics Program/Budke and Anderson Chair in Cancer Drug Discovery for UNM Comprehensive Cancer Center, Scientific Advisory Board member Cures Within Reach; Director of Sustainability, UNM Autophagy, Inflammation and Metabolism, Center of Biomedical Research Excellence. Awards include: at UNM, 53rd Annual Research Lecturer, Innovation Fellow (2011), Presidential Award of Distinction (2016); as well as Fellow of the American Institute of Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE, 2011), Fellow of the National Academy of Inventors (2020), Central High School Hall of Fame (2022).



Larry Schwartz 229

**RETIRED DIPLOMAT - DEPUTY ASST SECRETARY,
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

Larry Schwartz served as a State Department foreign service officer and spokesman for over 34 years. As Deputy Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern Affairs from 2014-2017 he had leadership responsibility for U.S. public affairs, public diplomacy and educational engagement at 17 embassies across the Middle East and North Africa.

Mr. Schwartz held senior foreign affairs management roles in Washington and at U.S. Embassies in Egypt, Pakistan and India. He launched and co-chaired for 3 years the 38-nation Communications Working Group for the Global Coalition formed to defeat the “Islamic State (ISIS).” As part of this work, Mr. Schwartz launched counter-messaging initiatives with the United Kingdom and the United Arab Emirates. He also pressed U.S. efforts to block terrorists and criminal ganages from raising funds by trafficking legally plundered cultural heritage in the Middle East and North Africa - negotiating bilateral cultural property protection agreements with Egypt and Libya and advanced continuing discussions with many other governments.

Over the years, Mr. Schwartz served overseas and engaged in supporting critical transitional elections in Egypt, Tunisia, Afghanistan, Nepal, South Africa, and the Philippines. He served as U.S. spokesperson in Israel during peace negotiations and summits following the Oslo Accords and was commended in the South African Parliament for hosting negotiations in support of that country’s transitional broadcasting regulations.



Lauren Lam 270

PROJECT MANAGER

Lauren Lam is a hospitality and events professional with a Bachelor's degree in Tourism and Hospitality from Temple University. Lauren has been delivering customer service and operating events for over 14 years, on behalf of everyone from her dad's fundraising business to global hospitality brands such as Walt Disney World Resort and Starwood Hotels and Resorts. Lauren is currently a Project Manager at Cvent, providing white-glove planning and on-site services for attendee registration technology. This role has taken her to events all over the country, ranging in size from hundreds to thousands of people.



Lawrence Bozzelli 251

ATTORNEY

I graduated Central High School in 1992. I then went onto the University of Pennsylvania and Temple law school.

My first job was as a prosecutor in the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office. I currently run my own criminal law practice specializing in Federal Court, Philadelphia and New Jersey.



LeAnn Brodhead 257

SENIOR HEALTH INSURANCE SPECIALIST

Commander LeAnn D. Brodhead is a pharmacist and officer in the United States Public Health Service with experience in both the private and federal health sectors. She currently works at the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, a federal agency within the United States Department of Health and Human Services that administers the Medicare program and works in partnership with state governments to administer Medicaid, the Children's Health Insurance Program, and health insurance portability standards. As a senior health insurance specialist in the Marketplace Plan Management Group within the Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, LCDR Brodhead works on policy and operations related to Essential Health Benefits covered under the Affordable Care Act.

LCDR Brodhead holds a Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Rutgers University College of Pharmacy and a Master's of Public Health degree from Drexel University.



Leannie Jusino 277

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF STUDENT ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUTER

Leannie Jusino is currently employed at Ursinus College as the Assistant Director of Student Engagement and Commuter Central. She graduated in 2022 with a B.S. in Business Administration, B.A. in Communications, and two certifications in Event Planning and Human Resource Management from Cedar Crest College in Allentown, PA. In May 2023, she completed her Master's of Business Administration while serving as the Graduate Area Coordinator in the office of Housing and Residence Life at Cedar Crest College. Leannie has a passion for Student Leadership Development and Event Planning, both in which she gets to practice in her role at Ursinus. Thus far she has helped plan 58 events at Ursinus, aided in developing a Transfer Mentor Pilot Program, and is working to build more supports for non-traditional students such as Commuters, Transfer, Veteran, and Adult students.



Lester Wurtele 202

RETIRED RADIOLOGIST
AACHS HONORARY LIFE MEMBER

CHS, 202, 1954 Franklin & Marshall College, BS Chemistry, 1958, Internship AEMC Philadelphia, 1964, 1965, US Army Medical Corps 1965 until 1967, Radiology residency Mayo Clinic 1967 until 1970. Practiced in Phila. area 1970 until 2009 mainly at Holy Redeemer but also AEMC and Holy Redeemer Hospitals. Member of numerous professional societies. President of Greater Delaware Valley Ultrasound Society 1981-1982.



Lindsay Cummings 262

HEAD OF ADULT & YA SERVICES, UPPER DUBLIN LIBRARY

Lindsay Cummings, with 13 years of library experience, is the Head of Adult & YA Services at the Upper Dublin Library. She holds a BA from Temple University and an MSLIS from Drexel University, including membership in the Beta Phi Mu International Honor Society. Lindsay believes that libraries play a pivotal role in molding community connections, cultivating critical thinking, and sharing the profound influence of storytelling.



Lorenzo Jackson 260

BUSINESS OWNER

Lorenzo graduated from Hampton University. During his time at Hampton he was honored to become a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Incorporated and to have received his Bachelors of Science in Business Management.

Lorenzo received his Real Estate Sales License in 2008. Afterwards, Lorenzo quickly found his niche in property management, he smoothly worked his way up the corporate ladder holding positions as a leasing consultant, assistant property manager and property manager. While working full time in his corporate positions he built a multi million dollar real estate portfolio and decided to run his property management (Jackson Rental Homes) and construction (Jackson Home Remodeling) company full time. His company Jackson Rental Homes currently manages 300+ units in the Philadelphia area and are growing at a rapid rate.

Mr. Jackson has received awards as the top leasing consultant for Berkshire Properties, Outstanding Service for Berkshire Properties and was recently recognized for his real estate work as “40 under 40” for Philadelphia Real Estate Week, has been highlighted for his community work on networks Fox29 and CBS3.

Mr. Jackson is an advocate in the city of Philadelphia and surrounding counties to teach entrepreneurship within the schools and programs assisting disadvantaged minorities. He regularly attends career days, panels and accepts mentorship programs. Lorenzo resides in the Philadelphia area with his wife and two children.



Manuel Mathen 269

VICE PRESIDENT

Manuel Mathen is a Vice President at Blackrock, the world's largest asset manager with \$9+ trillion in assets under management.

After graduating from CHS in 2010, Manuel attended the Fox School of Business at Temple University, dual majoring in Finance and Accounting. He started his career at Discover Financial Services supporting the Capital Markets team and building forecasts.

Manuel is currently a Fixed Income Portfolio Manager building investment solutions for various clients.

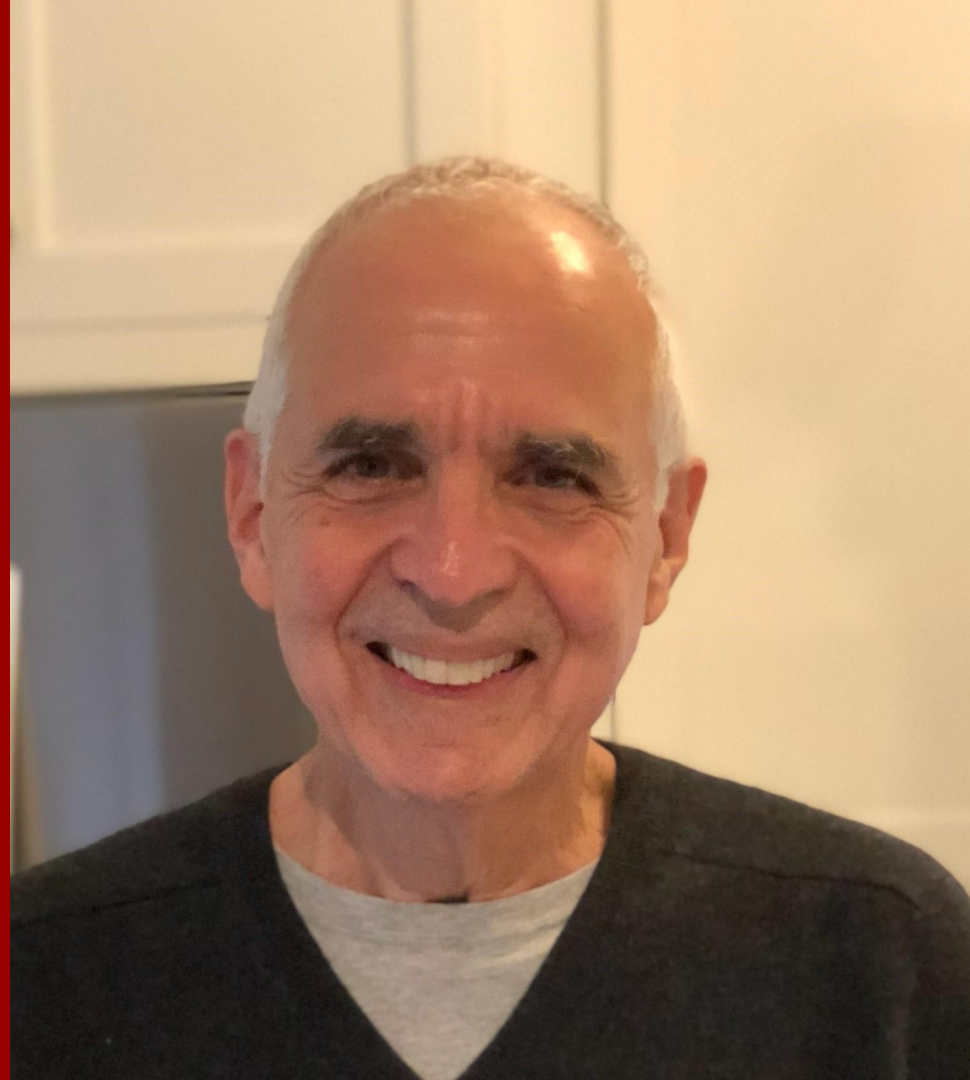
Manuel and his wife are based in the Philadelphia region with his daughter, two sons, and golden retriever.



Mark Hammel 225

COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGIST

At age 21 I dropped out of college to live on a kibbutz in Israel. I became a soldier and a farmer. At age 30 I changed career path and completed my BA in psychology at Penn and then a Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology at Teachers College, Columbia University. Training and early career at the VA. Then community mental health and then private practice, specializing in treating injured patients with PTSD and chronic pain in addition to general psychotherapy with adults. I am a New York State approved Impaired Driver Evaluator. I will retire next year after 43 rewarding and productive years as a psychologist.



Marlena Brandstein 269

OWNER AND BCBA

Marlena Brandstein is a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA), Licensed Behavior Specialist (LBS) and owns Brandstein Family Services, an applied behavior analysis (ABA) therapy agency serving children with autism. She attended Central in class 269 and then attended Northeastern University for her Bachelors of science in Psychology and Regis College for her Masters in ABA.

She became a BCBA in 2016 and opened Brandstein Family Services in 2019. Her company provides in home therapy using the science of human behavior to teach new adaptive skills and decrease interfering behaviors. Marlena also mentors clinicians seeking their BCBA credential. Marlena has a passion for working both with her clients and mentees to see their growth and develop complex new skill repertoires. She also has an interest and specialty in parent training to support families and teach these strategies to ensure long term gains.



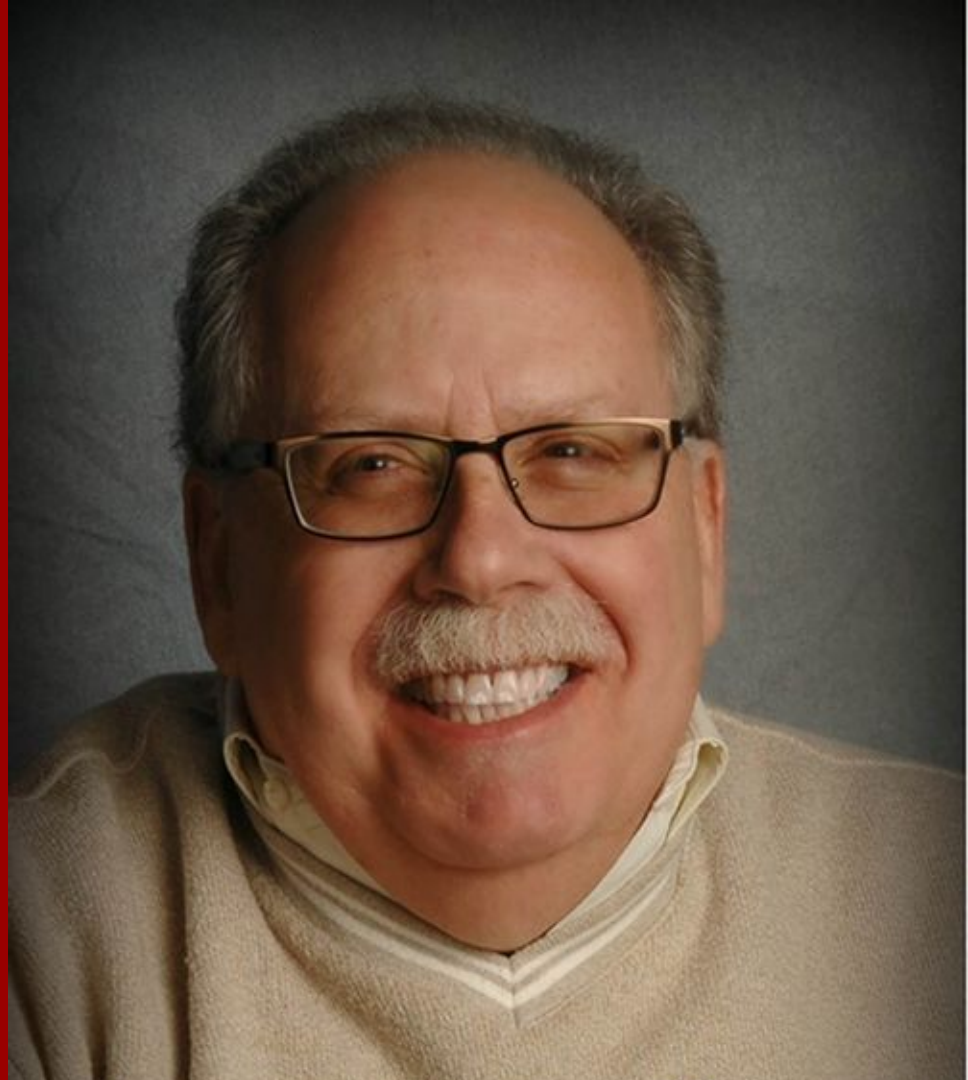
Michael Kaufman 229

OWNER, AD AGENCY / PROMOTIONAL PRODUCTS DISTRIBUTOR

Born and raised in the Philadelphia area, Michael Neil Kaufman is the principal owner of Kaufman Advertising and Wear It's At. A seasoned professional in the marketing and promotion field for almost 50 years, he earned a B.S. degree in Radio-Television-Film from Temple University's School of Communications and Theatre in 1974.

An award-winning, full service marketing/communications agency, established in 1983, Kaufman Advertising provides complete creative/production/printing services as well as media research, buying and coordination for a diversity of small business clients including home builders and property management companies in and around the Delaware Valley area and nationwide. Kaufman Advertising's Wear It's At division was launched in 1998, and offers custom imprinted wearables and promotional products.

A music aficionado and lyricist, Michael has personally written jingles for radio & TV ads as well as performed as a voiceover talent for both commercials and narrations. An avid writer, Michael has authored numerous print articles and internet blogs on advertising and promotional products topics. His passions are professional and college sports of every stripe, music, especially Doo Wop and classic rock, as well as politics and history. He also collects die-cast cars and scale models as a hobby. Michael resides in Abington, PA with his wife of over 43 years, and has 2 grown sons, a daughter-in-law and is a grandfather for the first time.



Michael McMaster 240

PRINCIPAL & SENIOR CONSULTANT

Mike McMaster is an independent Quality Systems/Regulatory Compliance consultant that helps pharmaceutical, medical device and allied industry companies meet the stringent requirements of the FDA and international regulatory bodies and the ever-increasing needs of the patient.

Mike spent the early part of his career working for contract pharmaceutical manufacturers PCI, Cardinal Health and DPT Laboratories. Mike then moved on to Gerresheimer Glass, where he was the Director of Quality Systems for the Tubular Glass Americas division and a member of the Global Quality Council. Since 2013 Mike has focused on consulting as Principal and Senior Consultant for Master Quality Consulting. As a consultant, Mike has performed compliance audits around the world, helped multiple companies respond successfully to FDA inspection and other regulatory actions and has filled several staff augmentation assignments including Director and VP level roles.

Mike earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Penn State University and is also an American Society for Quality Certified Quality Auditor, Certified Pharmaceutical GMP Professional, Certified Quality Engineer, Certified Supplier Quality Professional and Certified Manager of Quality/Operational Excellence.

Mike was born and raised in Philly, Kensington to be more specific, and now lives in South Jersey. Mike is married, Beth, and has three children, Emily, Michael, and Julia. Mike is a four-for-four Philly sports fan (five-for-five if you include the Big Five). Mike also enjoys spending time on the beach and mixes in an occasional sprint triathlon.



Michael Segal 264

CEO OF SKYLIGHT

Michael is founder and CEO of Skylight, which makes smart home products that millions of families use every day. Before starting Skylight, Michael was a venture capitalist at Bessemer Venture Partners. He has a BA from Harvard College and MBA from Harvard Business School.



Molly Bevenour 278

REGISTERED NURSE

My name is Molly Bevenour and I am a member of 278! I graduated in 2019 and then attended the University of Pittsburgh where I completed a 4 year BSN program. During my senior year at Pitt I worked as a Patient Care Technician on the Transplant unit at UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh. I took my NCLEX in June of this year and started working as a Registered Nurse at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia on their Cardiac Care Unit.



Nancy Abraham 272

DIRECTOR OF PATIENT EXPERIENCE

Nancy Abraham's path to her current role as the Director of Patient Experience reflects the diverse journey within healthcare. Her career began at Temple University Hospital, where she worked as a Patient Care Assistant while concurrently pursuing her nursing degree at Temple University. These early experiences at the hospital deepened her understanding of healthcare, emphasizing the importance of teamwork and leadership in delivering quality patient care.

After completing her nursing education, Nancy transitioned into the role of a Neuroscience Nurse at Temple University Hospital, where she discovered her passion for neurology and dedicated herself to improving patient care in this specialized field.

The onset of the COVID-19 pandemic brought unprecedented challenges to healthcare, reshaping the role of bedside nurses. Nancy responded with resilience and eventually joined the Patient Experience team, where she found her calling in supporting the community and enhancing the patient experience, skillfully applying her developed leadership skills.

Nancy Abraham exemplifies the qualities of a compassionate nurse, a determined leader, and a devoted Central Alum. Her diverse healthcare experiences and deep community connections underscore her commitment to making a positive impact in the healthcare field.



Olivia Weisner 273

CARDIAC SURGERY PROGRESSIVE CARE NURSE

I've been working at Penn as a progressive care nurse on a cardiac surgery floor for 3 years. I am Unit Council chair on the floor and regularly precept new hires. Prior to working at Penn, I worked as a PCT at a hospital in Pittsburgh on a Surgical Oncology Floor. I am also working towards becoming an Acute Care Nurse Practitioner through UPenn's program.



Parmpreet Mann 272

NATIONAL ACCOUNT MANAGER

Parmpreet Mann (Parm), National Account Manager, supports the Account Management team by implementing and servicing Progyny's mid-sized to large employer segment. Prior to joining Progyny, Parm worked in Operations at Collective Health. He earned a bachelor's degree in Health and Societies with a focus on Health Care Markets and Financing from the University of Pennsylvania.



Paul Toub 225

CHIEF MARKETING OFFICE AND FREELANCE VOICE OVER ARTIST

Paul E. Toub is the Chief Marketing Officer of NAPAC, the National Association of Professionally Accredited Contractors, and Kachina Lead Paint Solutions, an EPA-approved training company ensuring contractors follow the Lead Paint Laws.

His first experience in the home improvement industry was between 1976 and 1980 as the head of an in-house advertising agency for Anthony, The Family Plumber, operating in five states from Pennsylvania to Virginia. In 2001, he returned to work with the founder of this company to diversify their business.

Between 1980 and 2001, he worked for two major retail public companies (Charming Shoppes d/b/a Fashion Bug and David's Bridal) as the head of marketing and advertising.

He is a nationally recognized, award-winning professional with experience in all aspects of advertising and marketing. Additionally, he is an exciting motivational speaker and trainer.

After graduating from Central in 1966, Mr. Toub attended Temple University where he majored in Radio, Television and Film. With a dream of becoming a radio announcer (DJ and news person), he landed his first job on the air in Philadelphia, and later worked in other markets. After returning to radio in Philadelphia in the '70's, he decided to enter the world of advertising but always had a dual career as an announcer for commercials and other projects needing a strong, friendly voice. He was most recently the worldwide news voice of Boss Jock Radio (.com) and is currently in negotiations with other radio outlets to air his reports.



Portia Fullard 264

PRINCIPAL

Portia Fullard is the Principal/Owner of MOV Solutions, LLC -is a strategic organizational development consulting firm that prioritizes designing transformative and impactful strategies to support the growth and sustainability for organization

With over 15 years of experience in the nonprofit, education, and government sectors, she continues to develop into a dynamic and highly effective professional who can interface with internal and external stakeholders. She credits her professional background to her passion for ensuring access to resources and opportunities that position individuals from underprivileged communities to achieve upward socio-economic mobility. Portia has extensive experience in project management, front-line fundraising, community engagement, special events, organizational development, and strategic planning.



RaeShelle DraytonGreene

269

SENIOR BUILDING ADMINISTRATOR UPENN

RaeShelle DraytonGreene is a member of 269th class. She was apart of the Central Girls basketball team that won 101 consecutive public league wins and 6 back to back championships.

DraytonGreene attended North Carolina Central University in Durham, NC and finished her graduate course work at University of North Carolina Wilmington.

DraytonGreene's professional career has included at University of Georgia, VCU, LaSalle University and currently works at UPENN.

DraytonGreene enjoys advocating for students and watching them develop from freshman to senior. DraytonGreene thinks it's amazing feeling to be apart of a student's journey into adulthood.



Ramzy Raihan 276

REGISTERED NURSE

Hey, I'm Ramzy of the 276 class. I am a Clinical Nurse 1 at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. I have been a nurse for 3 years working during the height of COVID in the adult population and now in pediatric cardiology in the Cardiac Care Unit. I work closely alongside Doctors, Respiratory Therapist, Social Work, and others to provide the best care for sick kids.



Reuneshia Williams 275

Sr. ENGINEERING PROJECT MANAGER

Reuneshia is a PMP certified Sr. Engineering Project Manager with a deep-rooted passion for driving innovation and fostering operational excellence at Under Armour. With a solid foundation in engineering and a keen understanding of Distribution Network intricacies, she has had the privilege to lead multifaceted projects. She doesn't just oversee projects; she collaborates with cross-functional teams, harnessing the collective expertise to elevate UA's Distribution Capital Projects. Her journey has taught her the art of translating complex technicalities into actionable strategies, defining project scopes, resource allocation, and setting the rhythm for seamless execution. She is driven to positively impact the next generation of medicine. She's motivated by being the change she wants to see in the world and increasing the demographic of minority women in engineering. Reuneshia is class of 275th who graduated from Millersville University with a Bachelor of Science in Applied Engineering & Technology Management in 2019 and a Master of Science in Engineering Management from the University of Maryland Baltimore County in 2022. During her time at CHS she played varsity basketball and throw shot put which resulted in her going to college on a basketball scholarship where she continued her athletic career. She was an activity member of her community where she was the member of several clubs and organizations.



Robert Master 227

**ADJUNCT CLINICAL ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR -
STANFORD UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SCHOOL
1836 SOCIETY MEMBER**

After attending Central High School, I participated in the Honors Program in Medical Education at Northwestern University in which I attended both the undergraduate and medical schools and received an MD degree in 6 years. I then did an internship and residency at the University of California at San Diego for 3 years then did a Cardiology Fellowship at the University of Colorado Medical School. I practiced clinically at a multi specialty group for nearly 35 years (Initially Sunnyvale Medical Group, then Camino Medical Group, and finally the Palo Alto Foundation Medical Group which were the result of mergers etc.) before joining the Adjunct Clinical Faculty at Stanford.



Richard Cubbage 251

SENIOR DIRECTOR QUALITY OPERATIONS

I was born and raised in Southwest Philadelphia. I attended Philadelphia public schools and was an avid lover and participant in sports (football and basketball). In 1992, I graduated from Central High School, and matriculated to West Chester University (WCU) and subsequently graduated with a degree in Microbiology. Upon graduation from WCU, I started my career in the Pharmaceutical Industry in which my current occupation is Sr. Director of Quality Operations. My current responsibilities are to manage/direct my staff to oversee domestic and international Contract Manufacturing Operations (CMOs) who produce contrast media for commercial distribution and ensure the products are compliant with registered dossiers and FDA regulations. I also provide Quality oversight for Warehouse and Distribution activities for domestic products.

Lastly, I'm in the preliminary stages of opening an Outpatient Mental Health Clinic in Havertown PA (target opening 2Q2024).



Rodney Robbins, Jr. 262

OWNER/INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT

Rodney D. Robbins, Jr. is the owner of iCre8te Impact and consults in the areas of Corporate Social Responsibility and Diversity, Equity & Inclusion. Most recently, Rodney served as the Inaugural Director of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion for Viatrix, a Fortune 200 pharmaceutical company that empowers people worldwide to live healthier at every stage of life. He was primarily responsible for providing global thought leadership, strategic design and execution for their DEI initiatives and policies.

Prior to joining Viatrix, Rodney worked as Director of Corporate Social Responsibility for Highmark Wholecare (formerly Gateway Health), Global Corporate Social Responsibility Program Manager for T. Rowe Price, and Manager of Community Engagement, Diversity & Inclusion for DTLR/VILLA. Additionally, Rodney has served as Youth Wellness Coordinator for the Philadelphia Department of Public Health's Get Healthy Philly initiative and has held a number of roles with the Philadelphia Department of Parks & Recreation.

Rodney received his B.S. in Business Administration (Marketing) and B.A. in Communication Arts (Broadcasting), summa cum laude, from Cheyney University of Pennsylvania, J.D. from Indiana University Maurer School of Law, and LL.M. in Taxation from Temple University Beasley School of Law. Rodney also has the "Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in the Workplace" certificate from the University of South Florida Muma College of Business. Rodney is a member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. and has served as a board member for various non-profit organizations.



Sakeena Hubbard 262

OPERATIONS DUTY MANAGER, AIRPORT AND AVIATION PROFESSIONALS

Sakeena is a proud member of the 262nd graduate class and the P.E.P SQUAD!

Sakeena began her aviation career in 2005 as a Customer Service/Ramp Agent with AirTran Airways in PHL. During her tenure with AirTran, and subsequently Southwest Airlines with their merger, she held various leadership roles, including Operational Supervisor and acting Station Manager.

In 2013, Sakeena joined American Airlines team as a Customer Service Manager and quickly promoted to Customer Care Duty Manager in 2015. She was a graduate of American Airlines inaugural Emerging Leader program in 2016, where she assisted in multiple projects, including the integration of American Airlines and US Airways reservation systems.

In 2017, Sakeena became General Manager of American operations in AVP (Wilkes-Barre/Scranton) with oversight of multiple carriers.

In 2019, Sakeena was promoted again to Manager of Customer Operations, where she would have oversight of Los Angeles Ramp Operations, including training, hiring, budget control and more.

Most recently, Sakeena has opened a small retail e-commerce, and is pursuing her dream of opening a Coffee/Wine Bar in Philadelphia.



Sarah Cadbury 249

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF PROSPECT DEVELOPMENT,
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE MEMBER**

Sarah Cadbury is the Executive Director, Prospect Development at Temple University where she leads a team of six talented professionals to provide research and business practice development to support fundraising efforts at Temple. She is also Vice President at the fundraising consulting firm Grenzebach Glier + Associates (GG+A) where she works with a variety of clients to build impactful prospect development functions. Sarah was the Director of Prospect Research and Management at the Philadelphia Museum of Art and La Salle University and was a Prospect Researcher at World Wildlife Fund and National Parks Conservation Association. She is a member of the campaign committee for the AACHS and is the former President of the Alumni Association of Greene Street Friends School.



Scott Gould 228

SELF-EMPLOYED - TRADING IN FINANCIAL MARKETS - STOCKS, FUTURES, OPTIONS

My college years at Temple (BA, 1973, Psychology and MS, 1974, Biokinetics) left me "up a tree" in the tight job market during a very severe (mid 1970s) recession. I stumbled into a career in the financial markets through a series of fortunate accidents - and with the help of a few very kind and patient mentors.

Although raw intelligence helps, it by no means the primary determinant of success. Discipline, humility, a "no-bull" understanding of your own psychology (both strong and weak points), and a gut-level ability to know when something doesn't pass the "sniff test" are far more important.

I am one of those lucky few who stumbled into the right career. My career is not a job. It is a challenge and fascination for me. The word "retirement" is not in my vocabulary.



Seth Bluestein 266

CITY COMMISSIONER

Seth Bluestein currently serves as the Republican City Commissioner in Philadelphia. Prior to serving as Commissioner, Seth was Deputy Commissioner for Al Schmidt for ten years. Seth served as the Chief Deputy Commissioner from 2017-2022 and oversaw the ballot counting process at the Pennsylvania Convention Center during the contentious 2020 Presidential election.

During the 2020 election cycle Seth Bluestein worked with then Commissioner Al Schmidt to respond to allegations of voter fraud and push back against mis and disinformation. They worked to expand voter access during the pandemic and defended the integrity of the vote counting process. For his role in overseeing the ballot counting process Seth received antisemitic harassment and death threats and his wife and children needed police protection while he remained at the Pennsylvania Convention Center through the certification of the election.

Seth is a nationally respected election administrator with over a decade of experience serving Philadelphia voters, ensuring the elections remain fair, secure, and accessible. He is also a member of the Bipartisan Policy Center's Task Force on Elections.

A lifelong Philadelphian, Seth earned a Bachelor of Arts in political science and history from the University of Pennsylvania and a Master of Public Administration from Penn's Fels Institute of Government.



Sofia Pham 267

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Dr. Pham is currently an Assistant Professor at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine (PCOM). She is a licensed psychologist and a Nationally Certified School Psychologist (NCSP). Dr. Pham has extensive experience in assessment and consultation in schools as well as expertise in advanced quantitative research methods and psychometrics. She is interested in addressing educational disparities through improving cross-cultural practices in schools with data-driven decision-making processes. She has published in peer-reviewed journals, presented at national and international conferences, and led many school-wide trainings on these topics.

Prior to joining PCOM, Dr. Pham practiced as a school psychologist in New York City. She served as a regional school psychologist for KIPP: NYC, and later as the district representative for the New York City Department of Education's Committee on Special Education. In addition to providing direct services to students, she has collaborated with more than 25 different New York City schools to help create, implement, and monitor Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) for students with learning and developmental disabilities.



Stacy Hawkins (Holmes) 248

PROFESSOR OF LAW (FORMER VICE DEAN)

Professor Stacy Hawkins is an award-winning teacher and scholar. She formerly served as the Vice-Dean of Rutgers Law School in Camden where she teaches courses in Constitutional Law, Employment Law and an original seminar on Diversity and the Law. Her scholarship focuses on the intersection of law and diversity and can be found in journals published by the University of Michigan Law School, Fordham Law School, UCLA School of Law, the University of Pennsylvania Law School, the University of Maryland School of Law, and Columbia Law School, among others. Professor Hawkins is a recognized expert on employment law and diversity. She has given testimony before the U.S. House Judiciary Committee, and has been interviewed or quoted in various news outlets, including The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal, Newsweek, CNN, CNBC, NBC, The Washington Post, Bloomberg News, Courier Post, Law 360 and Philadelphia Magazine. Professor Hawkins has held or holds a number of professional and civic appointments, including as a member of the New Jersey Supreme Court Committee on Diversity, Inclusion & Community Engagement, as an Advisory Board Member of the Public Interest Law Center, and as an inaugural member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association Diversity Team. She earned her B.A. from the University of Virginia and her J.D. from the Georgetown University Law Center, where she earned various honors including the title of national champion of the Frederick Douglass Moot Court Competition.



Stanley Sokolove 225

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE EMERITUS

AACHS BOARD OF MANAGERS

Stanley J Sokolove was with CMS for 16 years and was a CFO Technical Compliance Monitor. He provided oversight of the banking, finance and internal controls for CMS relating to NHIC, Corp., the DME MAC for Jurisdiction A. He also provided CFO oversight services for CMS relating to Novitas Solutions, Inc. Stanley also implemented the Office of Inspector General audit findings, affecting hospitals in Region 3. Stanley J Sokolove was previously a Policy Advisor for CMS Region III in Philadelphia, specializing in Part A and Part B reimbursement and billing issues for hospitals, inpatient rehabilitation facilities, and ambulatory surgical providers.

Prior to this position, Mr. Sokolove served as an Administrative Law Judge as a Member of the Provider Reimbursement Review Board in Baltimore, MD from January 2000 to January 2003. He was appointed to this position by former HHS Secretary, Donna E. Shalala. In this position Mr. Sokolove served collaboratively with four other Administrative Law Judges to provide an administrative appeals forum for healthcare service providers, such as hospitals and nursing homes participating in the Medicare program, to resolve program payment issues. Prior to these positions, he served as CFO of a regional chain of skilled nursing facilities. Earlier in his 45-year career in healthcare, he was a Partner with a regional public accounting firm, Director of Reimbursement for a national hospital operating company, American Mediacorp, Inc. and a Supervisor in the healthcare department of Ernst and Young.

Mr. Sokolove is a previous member of the PICPA Healthcare Committee and served as a member of the Temple University Fox School of Business Administration Accounting Advisory Board. He graduated from Temple University in 1970 with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, and has been a CPA since 1974.



Stephanie Fennell 262

DEPUTY DEFENDER

Stephanie A. Fennell (she/her/hers), originally from Fishtown, graduated from Central High in 2003 (262, Girls' Soccer Co-Captain), before graduating from the University of Pennsylvania in 2007 with a B.A. in Political Science (magna cum laude). Stephanie then attended Temple University's Beasley School of Law (Beasley Scholar Award recipient), and after interning at the Defender Association of Philadelphia, found her passion in indigent criminal defense. Stephanie found a home at the Defender Association upon graduating law school in 2010, and has remained there for the past 13 years. After rotating through the trial units, Stephanie entered the Homicide/Special Defense Unit in 2015, becoming the Assistant Chief of that unit in 2020. In 2022, Stephanie became a member of the Defender Executive Team, where she currently serves as Deputy Defender overseeing critical trial units (Major Trials, Municipal Court, Children & Youth Justice, Felony Waivers), as well as Training, Internships, and Clinical Programs. Stephanie lives with her husband (Will Weiss, also 262), and their twin 9-year old daughters, in Huntingdon Valley, PA.



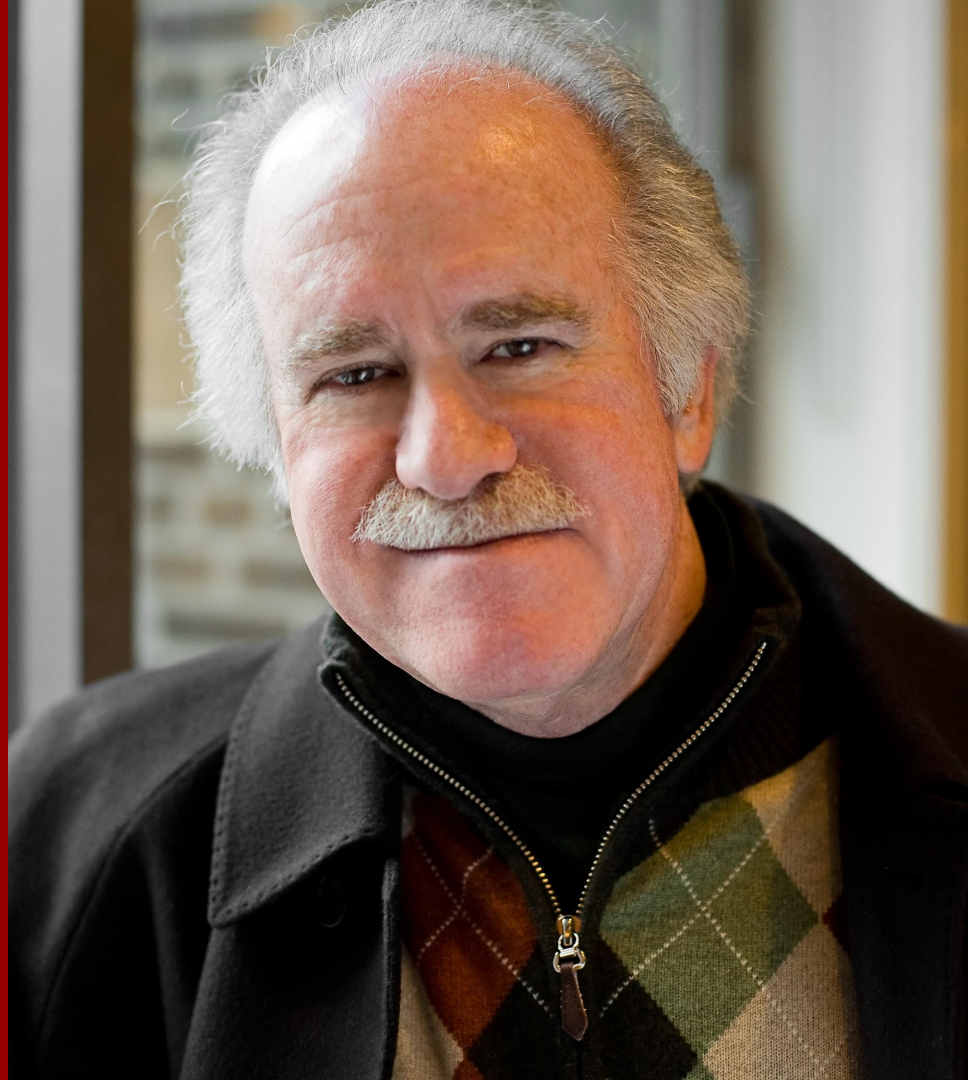
Stephen Burnstein 222

RETIRED PHYSICIAN, RHEUMATOLOGY/IMMUNOLOGY
AACHS HONORARY LIFE MEMBER

Dr. Burnstein obtained a second B.A. degree from Temple University in 1968, majoring in English (with Honors) and his medical degree (D.O.) from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine. After completing a 3 year residency in Internal Medicine, Dr. Burnstein completed a 2 year fellowship in Rheumatology. He is Board-Certified in Internal Medicine and Rheumatology and a Fellow of American College of Osteopathic Internists and the American College of Rheumatology. Dr. Burnstein was Vice-Chairman of the Department of Internal Medicine, and Chief of the Rheumatology Section at The University of Medicine and Dentistry, School of Osteopathic Medicine (UMDNJ), and was appointed Chairman of the Department of Internal Medicine in 2006. He continued as Clinical Professor of Medicine at UMDNJ, teaching medical students, residents and fellows after he returned to private practice.

Dr. Burnstein has authored over 30 scientific papers in medical journals. He has retired from private practice as a rheumatologist with Arthritis, Rheumatic and Back Disease Associates in South Jersey where he was recognized as a “Top Doc” in Rheumatology 3 times since 2000, having served as an Investigator in numerous clinical research trials over the years.

Dr. Burnstein was elected to the Board of Managers in 2012 and enjoys giving back to “the best school I ever attended.”



Stephen Heinsinger 240

CRYPTOLOGIST / CONSULTANT

Stephen Heinsinger is a native of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and a graduate of Central High School Class 240. His passion and talent for foreign language from a young age enabled him to find his calling in a successful 25 year career in the U.S Navy as Crypto-linguist/Cryptologist. He held numerous jobs of increasing responsibility in the cryptologic field beginning his career as an enlisted airborne Russian linguist and completing his career as an Executive Officer when he retired at the rank of Lieutenant Commander in 2006. In his final active duty Navy assignment, he validated thousands of intelligence requirements for the entire U.S. intelligence community and coordinated with more than 30 intelligence and law enforcement organizations on a broad spectrum of intelligence-related issues.

His expertise in intelligence requirements was critical to being hired by General Dynamics Advanced Information Systems (GDAIS) to support the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) headquarters in managing intelligence requirements for a variety of policy, law enforcement, and other customers within the DHS enterprise.

Taking his expertise in intelligence requirements to the next level, he was hired by Deloitte Consulting to support federal agencies in strategic transformation, operational performance, and decision support by leveraging data analytics, process design, and consensus building.

He received his Bachelor's degree in Russian Studies from University of Maryland, a Masters in Administration from Central Michigan University, and a Graduate Certificate, Cybersecurity from University of Maryland. He is fluent in Spanish and Russian, and proficient in German.



Steven Hausman 219

PRESIDENT

1836 SOCIETY MEMBER

Dr. Steven J. Hausman is a recognized futurist, technology consultant, and nationally top-ranked speaker in the area of emerging and disruptive technologies. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania in 1972 in the field of immunogenetics and transplantation biology. After completing a postdoctoral fellowship at the Institute for Cancer Research in Philadelphia he joined the National Institutes of Health (NIH) as a researcher and eventually rose to become Deputy Director of the National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases. His professional affiliations include the: American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Association of Immunologists, American Chemical Society, American Society for Cell Biology, Society for In Vitro Biology, Transplantation Society, National Speakers Association and the Global Speakers Federation. Following a 31 year career at the NIH he started his own consulting and speaking firm, Hausman Technology Presentations and Consulting (www.Hausmantech.com) where he provides presentations on emerging and disruptive technologies that include nanotechnology, 3D printing, bionics and human enhancement, robotics, artificial intelligence, wearable technology, biometrics, the Internet of Things, aging, nutrition, brain-machine interfaces, and cybersecurity. He will be talking about how a career can evolve over time and what skills and temperament are needed to succeed in the federal government and the private sector.



Steven Kasloff 228

RETIRED LAWYER AND COMMUNITY ACTOR

AACHS HONORARY LIFE BOARD MEMBER

AACHS CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE CHAIR

A lawyer, writer, ethics professional, lecturer and occasional community actor. He has been involved in organizational ethics for more than two decades, having served as the ethics officer of one of the world's largest security services firms and leading that company's nationally recognized, award winning corporate ethics program.

Played an active role in national ethics organizations, and has taught and lectured on business ethics at Pennsylvania State University, the Philadelphia Bar Association, the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, the University of Memphis and other venues.

He has taught the Pennsylvania Supreme Court-mandated Bridge the Gap ethics and professionalism class for newly admitted lawyers in Pennsylvania for more than 10 years, and was part of the state-wide committee to make the course more interactive and add the areas of diversity and inclusion and substance abuse to the program.

Aproud member of the 228, serves actively as a Life Member of the Alumni Board of Managers, having previously been Vice President and Secretary of the Board, and chairs the Capital Campaign Committee for the future of Central. He earned his B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania and his J.D. from the University of Pennsylvania Law School.

He is affiliated with the ethics and compliance consulting organization Resiliti and has written numerous pieces on ethics, compliance, leadership, character, law, culture and philosophy.



Steven Khov 258

PHYSICIAN - PULMONARY, CRITICAL CARE, AND SLEEP
1836 SOCIETY MEMBER

Central High School alumnus 258. First generation college student. Attended Penn for undergraduate, PCOM for medical school, Penn State Hershey for residency and fellowship, postgraduate diploma in sleep medicine from Oxford University (UK). Also a fellow of the American College of Chest Physicians (FCCP) and fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics (FAAP). Currently a physician at Penn Medicine Lancaster General Hospital, specializing in pulmonary medicine, critical care medicine, and sleep medicine. A fellow of the American College of Chest Physicians (FCCP) and fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics (FAAP). As a pulmonologist, I address lung issues (COPD, Asthma, Sarcoid, Pulmonary nodules, Interstitial Lung Diseases). As an ICU doctor, I treat very sick patients in the hospital (such as those requiring ventilators). As a sleep specialist, I deal with sleep problems (sleep apnea, parasomnias, hypersomnias, insomnias, etc)



Steven Thornton 253

EXECUTIVE ONCOLOGY ACCOUNT SPECIALIST

I am an altruistic, empathetic and driven sales executive & leader focused on leaving everyone I meet better off for the experience. I am passionate in finding the one thing in any given area that makes everything else easier or unnecessary.

Focus and consistency on a growth mindset has served me well and enabled me to prosper and enjoy success in every facet of my career.



Supriya Nair 273

MANAGER - GROWTH ADVISORY

Supriya Nair is a Manager in Grant Thornton's Growth Advisory practice. She has experience working with Fortune 100 and mid-size clients in the supply planning, source-to-pay, project management, contracting, and technology solutioning process. She has a deep understanding of end-to-end supply chain strategy, with a focus on integrated business planning, indirect procurement, process identification, and improvement. Prior to joining Grant Thornton, Supriya worked at IBM for 3 1/2 years in their procurement consulting department. She graduated from Penn State University in 2018 with a major in Supply Chain Information Systems.



Tarik Bassal 272

SALES

Since 2014 I have been growing a sales business. I sell computer parts / tools and other misc. Items. I work for myself and by myself, and I believe I can provide a unique potential that most students aren't even aware exists.



Teron Richardson 266

DIRECTOR OF RISK AND CONTRACT MANAGEMENT

Teron Richardson is the Director of Risk and Contract Management at Widener University where he is responsible for managing a comprehensive risk management and insurance program. Teron has several years of experience in insurance operations, commercial lines underwriting, and corporate risk management. Teron earned a BBA in risk management and insurance and MS in human resource management from Temple University. Teron also holds an MBA from Baker College.



Terrell Green 267

PROJECT MANAGER

Terrell M. Green (MSDMM) is an artist, advocate, and educator based in Los Angeles, CA who works in digital marketing & advertising, as a Project Manager. Hailing from Philadelphia, PA, Terrell has attended: the University of Southern California, Annenberg School of Communication & Journalism (M.S. in Digital Media Management); Marymount Manhattan College in NYC (B.A in Theatre Performance); The British American Drama Academy at Oxford University's Magdalen Campus in Oxfordshire, England (Professional Certificate in Shakespeare Performance); and marionette puppetry training in Cork and Dublin, Ireland.

For 10+ years, Terrell has created arts-integrated youth programming in literacy enrichment, social and emotional learning, sexual and reproductive health, and conflict resolution, that used media and storytelling as data collection metrics. Terrell's work and advocacy have been featured in American Theatre Magazine, Philly Mag, Philly Gay News, Shoutout LA, Voyage LA, Bold Journey Mag, LA Sentinel, Annenberg Media, The Philadelphia Inquirer, WHYY, and Philly's KYW news radio. Terrell is on the Young Professional Council for USC's Black Alumni Association, a mentor for USC Annenberg, and is an ambassador for USC Annenberg's Digital Media Management master's program.



Terron Graham 272

UX RESEARCHER

Terron is a quantitative UX researcher who has served a role in building experiences at organizations like Microsoft and Chase. He attended Penn State University and studied actuarial science/Italian for undergrad and UPenn for a master's in statistics.



Tiffani Donaldson-Berry 264

PROGRAM DIRECTOR AND CEO & FOUNDER

Tiffani Donaldson – Berry, M.Ed., is currently the Program Director of Training & Consulting at The Ladipo Group. Tiffani brings many years of experience in training development, focusing on e-learning design and instruction.

At The Ladipo Group, she has successfully balanced and managed existing, new, and potential clients and new and current staff. She has assisted with conducting over 200 workshops across 6 industries and trained over 16,000 individuals during a global pandemic. Tiffani also oversaw a successful virtual DEI Assessment while increasing various scopes of work with significant clients. She has overseen multi-year projects assessing racial equity within workplaces to ensure a safe and welcoming environment for all by way of training staff, conducting in-person interviews and distributing and analyzing surveys. In addition to overseeing assessments, Tiffani has managed multiple projects within the technology, transportation planning, workforce development, urban redevelopment planning, and social services industries ensuring their staff was provided training on topics such as microaggressions, unconscious bias, race, gender, and LGBTQ concepts.

Outside of The Ladipo Group, Tiffani is the CEO & Founder of Work Week Wonders, which is a Philadelphia-based training firm that has a mission to prepare students for the workforce through career readiness workshops. We are committed to providing students with the tools necessary to enter the working world to gain employment, secure internships and to become productive citizens of society.

Tiffani holds a Master's degree in Adult & Organizational Development from Temple University and a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from West Chester University. She also has an E-Learning Instruction Design Certificate from the Association of Talent Development and a Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in the Workplace Certificate from the University of South Florida Muma College of Business.



Tony Maisano 242

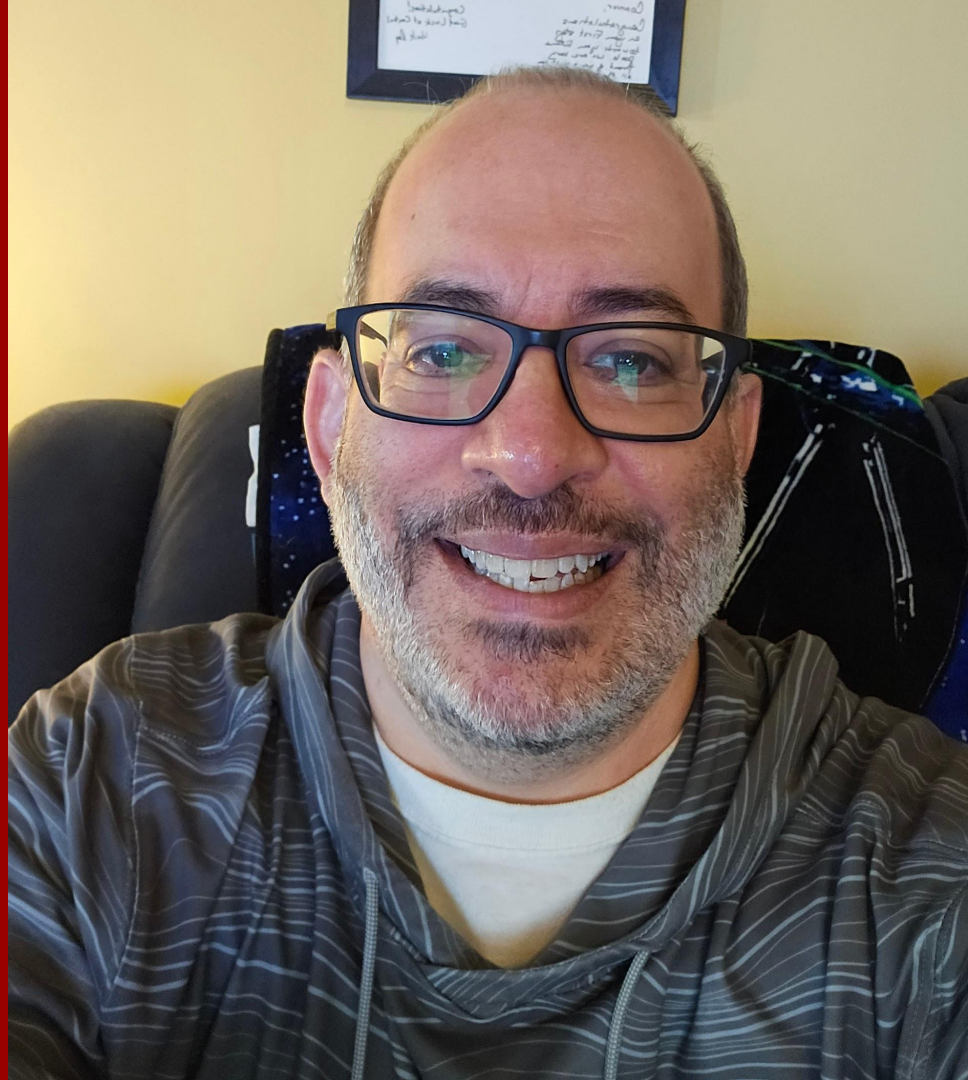
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF PHILADELPHIA PASSPORT AGENCY

I'm a lifelong resident of Philadelphia, going through the Philadelphia public school system. I graduated from Central High School in 1983, as a member of 242. I went straight to Temple University, where I was pre-med. While there, I attended a lecture about medical school, and soon realized it wasn't for me. I switched to psychology, where I entered the honors program. I subsequently went to grad school at the University of Akron, which specialized in Industrial/Organizational Psychology. I entered the MA/PhD program but left with my master's, realizing I didn't want to spend my life in the ivory tower, and ironically, I was studying the psychology of work without ever really having a "real" job.

When I came home, I immediately started applying to HR departments all over the city, but no one was hiring. I also applied for various government jobs and was eventually hired by the Philadelphia Passport Agency as a passport specialist in 1992. My job was to review applications and documents to issue passports to US citizens. It requires attention to detail and the ability to think critically to make decisions.

I spent the next 30 years there, rising through the ranks as a supervisor, Adjudication Manager, and finally the Assistant Director. As of 2008, I was responsible for the day-to-day operations of the entire agency, covering physical/information system security, hiring, procurement, and financial issues.

In 2022, I retired. I am currently looking for the next chapter of my life.



Trinh Nguyen 272

PHYSICAL THERAPIST

My name is Trinh Nguyen and I am a proud 272 Lancer. I was born and raised in Philadelphia my entire life. I traveled 1 hour every day just to attend the beautiful school of Central High. During my time at Central, I was captain of the tennis team, team member of the blood drive community, and danced with IPCO for International Day. I attended Temple University for my undergraduate and graduate school education from 2013 to 2020. I have my Bachelors in Kinesiology and Doctorate in Physical Therapy. I have been practicing for 3 years and have loved every minute of my job. I specialize in pediatrics, vestibular, concussion, balance, and general orthopedics in the outpatient setting. I am getting married in 2024 and dabble in real estate on the side. I dedicate my success to my family but my foundational education to Central High.



Tyreek Cunningham 260

SERGEANT

I graduated Central in 2001 class 260. I entered the Police Academy in November 2003. I graduated the Academy in June 2004. I was a Police Officer from June 2004 to October 2010. I was promoted to Sergeant in October 2010. I am currently a Sergeant at Southwest Detective Division, in the Philadelphia Police Dept.



Walter Pegues Jr 273

**YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST,
MONTGOMERY COUNTY (MD) GOVERNMENT**

A dedicated educator, coach and podcast producer/host. Co-Founder of Belief Knowledge Reward, a positive youth development nonprofit organization serving the Philadelphia and South Jersey communities.

Also, serving as a Youth Development Recreation Specialist with the Montgomery County Government Department of Recreation. My focus lies in overseeing middle school recreation and enrichment afterschool programs.

I lead the impactful "Summer Leadership Challenge" program, equipping high school students with essential leadership qualities and job readiness skills, ensuring they thrive in their first jobs and beyond.

Before my career in recreation, I spent three years in higher education and college athletics, focusing on student athlete development, mentorship and career readiness.



Whaine Norman 243

DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR

Whaine Norman 243 graduated Central High School in 1984 (along with the first girls in the schools 148 year history). I earned a from B.A. in Applied Computer Studies from Penn State in 1989 and was hired a month later by Thomas Jefferson University as a Computer Programmer. I programmed for five years while focusing on learning how to learn, database design, Oracle and anything relating to object-oriented programming.

I've been a Oracle Database Administrator (like a mechanic for database systems) for more than 20 years. During my career I have maintained database systems for banks, hospitals, universities, and several federal agencies. I am now retired. In my spare time I volunteer, run a small business, DJ and plot to take over the world. And now I am learning to dance.



Wiktor Pac 275

CLINICAL OPERATIONS MANAGER - FELLOWSHIP

Wiktor (pronounced "Victor") is the current Global Clinical Operations Fellow at Takeda Pharmaceuticals in partnership with Purdue University. Originally from Philadelphia, PA, Wiktor is now based in the Boston area for a post-doctoral fellowship. Through the fellowship, Wiktor independently leads study execution teams to successfully plan and carry out first-in-human phase 1 drug trials. He also spend free time lecturing and mentoring future pharmacists at Purdue's College of Pharmacy. Wiktor graduated from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy (PCP) with a Doctor of Pharmacy in May 2022. During his time in pharmacy school, Wiktor was active with the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, American Pharmacists Association, and Pennsylvania Pharmacist Association. Having previously done research evaluating sedation medication use at Penn Presbyterian Medical Center as well as patient access to substance-use-disorder medications at PCP, Wiktor is passionate about conducting research to improve healthcare systems and patient outcomes.



William Siegenthaler 225

DIRECTOR

Senior risk and financial consultant with extensive experience in designing, evaluating auditing and implementing business strategies and related processes and related information systems. Strengths include communication, relationship building, problem solving, and client-facing, interpersonal and organizational skills. Proven track record of utilizing management skills in internal and external audit, risk management, accounting, and operations within the banking, insurance and financial services industries.



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