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Claire Foerster ’87 (chemistry and economics) has spent her career working as a teacher and educational advocate with a focus on promoting K-12 science education as well as encouraging young women to pursue studies in STEM. She advises and supports organizations that help to provide high-quality education for all children and serves on the Board of Directors for New Beginnings Family Academy, a public charter school in Bridgeport, CT. She is also a current member of the Trinity Board of Visitors at Duke. Claire and her husband, Daniel Bernstein, live in Westport, CT, and have two daughters who attend Dartmouth College.
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Caroline was the recipient of the 2016 Forever Duke Award, and was the Law School’s Young Alumni Award. She is a senior member of the Law School Board of Visitors, and is a former member of the Law Alumni Association Board of Directors. She was chair of her law school class’ 25th reunion, was a founding member and serves on the advisory board of the Duke Law Club of New York, and regularly participates as a panelist in Duke Business Law Society’s annual ESQ Forum. Through her continuing involvement with the Law School, Caroline enjoys working with current students (particularly women) to provide guidance and career advice.

Caroline is co-chair of the Professional Development Committee of Women of Dartmouth New York, and is a former member of the board of directors of New York City Outward Bound Schools. She received an A.B. from Dartmouth College in 1984. She lives in New York and has two children. Her son Benjamin is a member of the Class of 2019.

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Active in her community, Lora has served as the co-chair of the Annual Parents’ Fund at Seton Hall Preparatory School where she also serves on the Board of the Mothers Auxiliary, and is an active volunteer with the Griffin Bridges Program. She has co-chaired several fundraisers for the Visual Arts Center of NJ, and served on the Board of Directors of Millburn-Short Hills Youth Baseball.

For Duke, Lora has served for many years as an active member of the NJ AAAC as well as the NJ Women’s Forum. She has recently served as a member of the Athletics Leadership Group, and was a co-chair of the 25th Reunion Committee. She and her husband Jeff Hersh T’88 live in Short Hills, NJ, and have four children, Zachary ’19, Morgan ’19, Casey, and Brandon.

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Barbara Janulis ’83

Barbara Janulis ’83 graduated from Duke University with an A.B. in Economics and went directly on to earn an M.M. from Northwestern’s J.L. Kellogg Graduate School of Management. After a career in fixed income sales at Goldman Sachs and Bear Steams, she retired in 1993 to be a full time mother and volunteer.

Barbara has proudly served for over a decade as a National Board Member of The Posse Foundation, a leading national college access, success and leadership development program. She, along with her husband Ted, are also focused personally and professionally in the environment/conservation space and are co-owners of EcoWatch, an environmental media site where Barbara contributes to the company's audience development and social media strategy.

At Duke, Barbara serves as a member of the DukeEngage National Advisory Board and has joined her fellow DukeEngage board member, Linda Sterling ’82, also an avid cyclist, in supporting Dana-Farber Cancer Institute by participating each summer in the Pan-Mass Challenge – 200 mile, two-day bike ride across Massachusetts. She was a co-chair of her Duke 30th reunion and currently serves as a co-chair of her 35th reunion. Barbara and Ted live in New York City and have three grown children, Peter, Helena, and Christina.

Mary Brantley Johnson N’09, N’12, N’15 (DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, CWP)

Mary Brantley Johnson N’09, N’12, N’15 (DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, CWP) completed a bachelor of science degree in molecular biology at Meredith College, then earned an accelerated bachelor of science degree in nursing, a master of science in nursing as a family nurse practitioner, and a doctorate of nursing practice at Duke University. She returned to Meredith in 2015 after working for several years as an urgent care provider. In April 2017, Dr. Johnson was awarded with the National Wellness Institute’s Certified Wellness Practitioner designation, which symbolizes an individual’s strong academic preparation, professional competency in wellness programming, and commitment to continuing education, scholarship, and professional development.

Dr. Johnson serves on the National Consortium for Building Healthy Academic Communities, the North Carolina Immunization Coalition, and the Beta Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society. At Meredith, Dr. Johnson serves on the Incident Management Team, Wellness Advisory Committee, Safety and Health Committee, and Orientation Committee, as an advisor for Peer Educators Advocating Responsible Lifestyles (PEARLS), and a preceptor for both UNC and Duke nursing students.

She enjoys traveling, autocrossing her MINI Cooper, and attending Duke sporting events. Dr. Johnson lives in Cary with her husband, Brice Johnson B.S.E. ’02, M.Eg.M ’03, and fur children: Lewis (Great Dane), Bailey (Beagle), and Gonzo (Maine Coon).
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Kathy Crommelin Lieb ’69, P’03 (French) worked almost ten years for the American Society for Testing and Materials in Philadelphia, retiring as Editor of Periodicals to raise a family. She has volunteered with her local schools, Girl Scouts, and other community groups, most recently as a founding trustee of her local educational foundation for the past nine years. Kathy is an active volunteer in the Philadelphia area. Kathy was on the task force for the Women in Leadership and Philanthropy initiative, which led to the creation of the Duke Women’s Impact Network (WIN). Kathy serves on the Sanford Institute Board of Visitors and the Duke Forward Sanford Campaign Committee. At Duke Kathy was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Kathy and her late husband Rick Lieb ’69 have three children: Amy, Benjamin and Suzanne ’03.

Tracy Tang Limpe ’84 graduated from Duke with a bachelor’s in history. She later earned an MBA from the Stern School of Business at New York University. Tracy is retired from a 19-year career in book publishing. She was President and Publisher of the Children’s Paperback division of Penguin Group USA from 1995 to 2004. Prior to that, she was Executive Editor at HarperCollins Children’s Books. Tracy now works in her family’s investment business, overseeing investments in hotels, campgrounds, software, and printing business. Tracy has served in various volunteer capacities. She retired in 2017 as Chair of the Board of Trustees for The Masters School, a co-educational, college preparatory school in Dobbs Ferry, NY, and currently acts as Chair of the School’s capital campaign. Tracy is a former trustee of The Marymount School of New York and The Gateway School. At Duke, Tracy served on the Trinity Board of Visitors (1994-2000), and the Executive Leadership Board – New York (1992-1995). She and her husband Stephen Limpe live in Greenwich, CT, with their daughters Emily and Alexandra.

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Sharon currently serves on Duke’s Trinity College of Arts & Sciences Board of Visitors. She previously served on the Duke Annual Fund Executive Committee and the DukeDC Women’s Forum, and co-chaired her 25th and 30th Reunions. Sharon serves on two other non-profit boards in the Washington, DC area: Women for Women International and the Center for a New American Security.

Sharon and her husband, Thomas L. Monahan III, have two children, Elizabeth and Caroline.

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Terri serves as the Vice President of the Board of the Lawyers’ Trust Fund of Illinois, and is a member and past Chair of the Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law Board. At Duke she was a member of the Duke University Marching Band, the Alpha Omicron Pi sorority, and was secretary of the Associated Students of Duke University. She serves as a member of the Board of the Duke Band Alumni Association, and has co-chaired the fundraising committees for several of her Duke reunions. Terri and her husband Thomas Abendroth live in Evanston, Illinois, and have two daughters, Eliza and Kate ’16.

Catie Meyer A.B. ’90

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Janis was a biomedical engineering major at Duke and earned an MBA at the University of Chicago. She is a former chair of the Engineering Board of Visitors and chairs Pratt’s Capital Campaign Committee. She is an active Engineering Class Agent and Pratt Ambassador, and serves on the Leadership Gifts Committee for Duke Forward. In 2011, she was awarded Pratt School of Engineering's Distinguished Service Award and, in 2009, the DAA’s Charles A. Dukes Award. Janis and her husband Jim are chairs of the Braxton Craven Society. They have three sons, James ’07, Jason E’10, and Jordan E’12.

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Webber, Inc. and Cowen and Co., and accounting for Ernst and Young. She has more than thirty years of experience with capital aggregation for corporate and non-profit organizations seeking positive growth and impact. Laurene graduated from Duke with a degree in management science and accounting, and went on to the Harvard Business School to receive her MBA in 1982.

She is chair of the Bell Foundation, a national leader in after-school and summer programs for children at risk. In addition, she serves on the Board of Dean’s Advisors for Harvard Business School, the Deans Advisory Board for Harvard’s Graduate School of Education, the Dana Farber Cancer Institute Women’s Cancers Visiting Committee, the Brigham and Women’s Hospital Women’s Health Leadership Council, The Board of Combined Jewish Philanthropies where she co-chairs the Taskforce on Measurement, and the Board of Temple Shir Tikva where she is a co-chair of Development. A member of the Duke University Library Advisory Board from 1997 until 2010, she served as Chair from 2006 through 2010.

Elected to the Board of Trustees in 2010, Laurene serves as a member of the Executive Committee, is chair of the Institutional Advancement Committee, serves on the Medical Center Academic Affairs Committee and serves on the Subcommittee on Trusteeship. She and her husband live in Wayland, Massachusetts, and have four children.

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At Duke, Danielle was president of the Alpha Phi Omega community service fraternity serving both the Duke and Durham committee. Continuing her love of development of girls, she restarted the Girl Scout troop at EK Powe Elementary school and served as Troop leader for years. Additionally, Danielle led a student group in Asian and African Literature and Languages in a cross-border project to Beirut, Lebanon creating learnings and dialogue between Duke and Beirut Arab University. After Duke, Danielle served on the Annual Fund Executive council for seven years, co-chaired her 10th reunion, and was a member of the committee for the Commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Matriculation of African-American students at Duke. After the 50th, Danielle served on the President’s appointed council, Duke Proceed, to continue alumni connections with and development of all those who celebrated the 50th. She is currently the president of Duke Black Alumni (DBA).

Danielle holds Bachelor of Arts degrees in Comparative Area Studies and Italian from Duke University with a concentration in economics. While at Duke she worked as a phonathon caller for the Annual Fund. She and her husband, Stephen Silvera, live in Charlotte and have twin daughters, Cameron and Charlotte.

Barbara Hoover Sutherland T’75, P’03, P’06 graduated from Duke with a BA in Economics and received her MBA from Villanova University in 1983. She has been an active volunteer leader with several non-profits in the Philadelphia area, most recently with the St. David’s Church Outreach Commission and Episcopal Community Services. She also serves on the Executive Committee of the Free Library of Philadelphia.
Foundation Board. In 2015, she and her husband Fred Sutherland ’73 established the Access & Opportunity Challenge at Duke, a $10 million gift to establish a financial aid challenge match. Barbara has served on the Leadership Gifts Committee, the Trinity Board of Visitors, and the Financial Aid Initiative Development Committee. The Sutherlands live in Haverford, Pennsylvania, and have two sons, Matthew E’03 and Mark ’06.

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Kathy has been involved in philanthropic work throughout her career. From 2005 to 2008, she served as the Duke Medical School liaison to the Financial Aid Initiative Development Committee, which oversaw one of President Brodhead’s earliest mini-campaigns. In this capacity, she spearheaded a successful effort to raise over $12 million for permanently endowed medical school scholarships, part of a university wide $230 million overall goal for scholarship support. She recently was on the Steering Committee for fundraising for the Mary Duke Biddle Trent Semans Center for Health Education.

Outside of Duke, she was the physician lead of the American College of Rheumatology “Within Our Reach” campaign which concluded in 2011 and raised over $30 million to support research towards a cure for rheumatoid arthritis. She is currently Vice Chair of the Board of the Massachusetts Medical Society and Alliance Foundation, which identifies and funds national and international requests for worthy projects on behalf of underserved populations. Kathy and her husband Dr. Ronald Takvorian live in Concord, MA, and have three children: Kate, Sam and Sarah Takvorian ’10.

Sarah Hawkins Warren ’04, JD ’08 currently serves on the Board of Visitors for Duke Law School. She has previously served on the Annual Fund Executive Committee, on the national board of directors for the Young Alumni Development Council, and as the National Chair of Young Alumni Leadership Giving. She has also co-chaired the Class of 2004 5th and 10th Reunions and chaired Duke Law School’s Law Alumni Association—New Lawyers Division. In 2013, Sarah received the Duke University School of Law Young Alumni Award. Outside of Duke, Sarah is an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Georgia and the Vice President of the Westminster Schools Alumni Association Governing Board. She lives in Atlanta with her husband Blaise and their children Elizabeth and William.

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Alison has remained engaged with Duke since graduation in fundraising and reunion leadership activities, most recently co-chairing her 30th reunion. Alison's other volunteer leadership roles have included Trustee of The Pingry School (Basking Ridge, NJ) where she was on the Executive Committee and chaired the Committee on Trustees, parent director of Trinity College (Hartford, CT), board member of The Connection for Women and Families (Summit, NJ), board member of the Reeves-Reed Arboretum (Summit, NJ), and rector search committee member for Calvary Episcopal Church (Summit, NJ).

Alison is married to Scott Zoellner and lives in Summit, NJ and Nantucket, MA. They have two sons, Teddy and Jaime.