

alumni/aecorner

Notable Events

Alumni/ae came together at two social events in the past year. Carla Bortolini Jentz (RUP '67) hosted a Goddard gathering in December in Boston, and Heather VanDam (IMA '03) hosted a party in June in Portland, Maine.

The college's alumni/ae relations team presented a strategic alumni/ae plan to the

Goddard Board of Trustees in June, outlining the next stages of development in Goddard's alumni/ae relations effort.

Key to the plan are three overall initiatives: establishing an online alumni/ae community, providing regular communications, and defining the path a student takes, beginning with enrollment and leading through graduation and beyond.

When you love Goddard >>>>>

Goddard has a way of growing on people. Just ask the staff members on the next page. All are either Goddard alumni/ae or students today.

Did they start as students and stay for their careers? Or did they start as employees and decide to take a crack at being students? No matter. The important thing is they're committed to the magic of this place. In fact, 43 percent of Goddard staff and 17 percent of the faculty are alumni/ae or current students. Those pictured here are:

1 Jennifer Tripp Mead, director of academic services, with daughters Aenea (left) and Ciara.

2 Lucinda Garthwaite, IBA program director

3 Shelley Vermilya, IBA/SBC faculty member, with her children, Dashiell and Zora

4 Judy Fitch, dean of planning and assessment

5 Manuel O'Neill, financial aid counselor

6 From left: Dustin Byerly, mailroom and library assistant; Chris Riddell, chief information and technology officer; Angela Kennison, staff accountant

7 Erin Fristad, Port Townsend campus director

8 From left: Jennifer Herrington, academic services staff; Em Delaney, web coordinator; Lisa Fantelli,

admissions staff; Phillip Robertson, admissions specialist

9 **Front row**, from left: Karen Campbell, IBA/IMA faculty; Larken Bunce, HAS faculty; Patty Younce, education faculty; Julie Martin, dean of institutional advancement; Katherine Tanner, human resources staff, and her children. **Middle row**, from left: Celia Hildebrand, HAS faculty; Annette Thompson, registrar's office staff; Jeanne DeForge, registrar's office staff. **Back row**, from left: Nicola Morris, MFA faculty; Mark Whitcomb, facilities staff; Paul Shper, campus services staff; Robin Miscetti, business office staff; Brian Height, information technology staff.

Other alums who work at Goddard but aren't shown:

- Jennifer Isaacs, WGDR staff
- Brenda Hawkins, marketing staff
- Lee Mason, IT staff
- Kyle Bass, MFA faculty
- Darrah Cloud, MFA faculty, Port Townsend
- Geraldine Lyn-Piluso, education faculty
- Gus Lyn-Piluso, education faculty
- Danielle LaFleur Brooks, education faculty
- Peter Hocking, MFAIA faculty
- Cynthia Ross, MFAIA faculty
- Danielle Boutet, MFAIA program director
- Annie Abdalla, IBA faculty
- Lori Wynters, HAS faculty
- Adam Kaplan, PSY faculty
- Susan Pearson, HAS faculty

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The On-Line Goddard Member Community

With features like...

- Member registration (password protected)
- Member profile pages
- Updatable information
- Member blogs with searching, tagging, file uploads
- Selected privacy options
- Social networking connection lists
- Personal photo albums
- Send/receive community messages
- Program/region/decade group access & discussion forums
- Group home pages managed by selected members
- Group-specific events
- Group photo gallery
- Group index lists
- Alumni directory searching
- Adding members to connection list
- Quick-link to personal profiles
- Send members messages through the site
- News and announcements, event calendar
- Browse categorized news items
- Download documents & media
- Administration directory
- Wiki/collaboration via sitewide and custom pages

And within the next 1-2 years...

- Online store
- Career and volunteer center
- Search for alums in the field
- Member resume database
- Life planning tools
- Interactive surveys
- Links and resources
- Links to external sites

COMING
YOUR WAY
THIS FALL

KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN. WE WILL BE SENDING INSTRUCTIONS AND UPDATES DIRECTLY TO YOU.

