

Harvard and Radcliffe Class of 1987

30th Reunion Schedule of Events

October 12–15, 2017



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12

- 4:15 PM **Social Justice and the New Food Activism**
Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Knafel Center, 10 Garden Street
The Radcliffe Institute is hosting a lecture by Julie Guthman RI '18 on the origins of the food movement, its development through success and critique, and three cases that reflect an emerging new food activism.
- 7:30–9:30 PM **Welcome Back to The Yard!**
Loeb House, 17 Quincy Street
The presidential location may be formal, but our gathering will be a warm, welcoming, and casual affair—more like an evening hanging out at the house grill. Please join us at Loeb House for an open bar with premium cocktails, beer and wine, hors d'oeuvres (pub-style bites and mini-sandwiches, as well as vegetarian and gluten-free options), and joyful conversation with old friends and new. Dress business casual.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

- 8:00 AM–6:00 PM **Reunion Registration Headquarters**
Ticknor Lounge, Boylston Hall
- 8:00–10:00 AM **Continental Breakfast**
Ticknor Lounge, Boylston Hall
- 10:30–11:30 AM **A Conversation with President Faust**
Science Center, Hall B
Join fellow Harvard and Radcliffe reunion alumni (30th, 40th, and 45th Reunions) for a discussion with Drew Gilpin Faust, president and Lincoln Professor of History, Harvard University. Moderated by Thomas Rosenbaum AB '77.
- NOON–1:30 PM **Lunch in the House of Your Choice (nametag required)**
Undergraduate House Dining Halls
Reminisce with your housemates and learn about current life in your House from undergraduates who live there now. Feel free to hop on the Harvard shuttle in the circle of Memorial Hall, Lamont Library, or on Mass. Ave. outside of Wigglesworth.
- 1:45–3:00 PM **Glimpses**
Science Center, Hall C
“Glimpses,” started by HR1981, is a way to get to know one another better. In five-minute quick peeks, classmates will present passions, life challenges, ambitions of world change, personal stories, jokes, and/or their surprise/delight/shock at where life can take us.
- 3:30–4:45 PM **Harvard Today: A Faculty Forum**
Science Center, Hall B
Join fellow reunioning alumni for a series of TED-style talks by prominent Harvard faculty members. These leading scholars will explore current advances in teaching and learning on campus. Moderated by Michael D. Smith, Edgerley Family Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences and John H. Finley, Jr. Professor of Engineering and Applied Sciences. Participating faculty include:
- Ali Asani AB '77, PhD '84, Professor of Indo-Muslim and Islamic Religion and Cultures
 - Peter Galison AB '77, PhD '83, Joseph Pellegrino University Professor
 - Laurel Thatcher Ulrich, 300th Anniversary University Professor

- 4:45–5:45 PM **Live Class Survey**
Science Center, Hall C
Class survey, with live music, audience participation, and prizes.
- 6:30–10:30 PM **“Time Warp” Cocktail and Dinner Party**
Harvard Museum of Natural History, 26 Oxford Street
Step back in time to the Mesozoic era, the Paleolithic era, and 1987! Enjoy a fun night at the Harvard Museum of Natural History, complete with fascinating exhibits, full bar, delicious dinner buffet, *Communal Solitude: A Slideshow Exhibit of Visual Art from HR87*, melodious music, and the wonderful company of your classmates. Casual dress.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

- 8:00 AM–6:00 PM **Reunion Registration Headquarters**
Ticknor Lounge, Boylston Hall
- 8:00–10:00 AM **Continental Breakfast**
Ticknor Lounge, Boylston Hall
- 9:00–10:30 AM **Finding Veritas: A Curated Conversation with Classmate Voices from Journalism, Government, Education, Science, and the Arts**
Science Center, Hall B
- 11:00 AM–2:00 PM **Tailgate Luncheon (ticket required)**
Gordon Indoor Track, Harvard Athletics Complex
- 12:00 PM **Harvard vs. Lafayette Football Game Kickoff**
Harvard Stadium, Harvard Athletics Complex
- 2:30–3:30 PM **Classmate Panel Discussions**
 - LGBTQ at Harvard: Then and Now (Emerson 210)
 - The Immigrant Experience at Harvard (Emerson 101)
 - The News: Let’s Talk (Emerson 108)
 - *Communal Solitude: A Slideshow Exhibit of Visual Art from HR ’87* (Emerson 104)
- 3:30–4:30 PM **Classmate Panel Discussions**
 - Face-to-Facebook (Emerson 210)
 - Our Aging Parents (Emerson 101)
 - “Who You Calling A Sellout?”—Art, Commerce, and the Little Matter of Making a Living (Emerson 108)
- 4:30–5:30 PM **Classmate Panel Discussions**
 - Life-Changing Pivots and Reinventions (Emerson 101)
 - The Museum All Around: Art and Design in Public Space (Emerson 108)
 - The Mortification of My Ambition (Emerson 210)
- 6:30 PM–12:30 AM **Discotheque: Saturday Night**
Northwest Labs, 52 Oxford Street
It’s like a night in the club for ’87, featuring the dance music that moved us through our school years. We’ll start with a cocktail reception, followed by a dinner and dessert buffet. Next, get your groove on and experience the power of *Booty Vortex*, Boston’s finest funk and disco, with 11 Keepers of the Groove! DJ “*Dance With Lance*” Kussell ’87 will also be in the house to spin our favorite tunes. Cocktails from 6:30 PM, dinner buffet opens at 7:30 PM, and dancing from 9:00 PM until late. Period club wear.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15

- 9:00–10:00 AM **Memorial Service**
Beren Hall, Harvard Hillel, 52 Mount Auburn Street
- 9:00–11:00 AM **Farewell Brunch**
Dunster House Dining Hall
End the reunion weekend on a high note. Join your classmates for a tasty brunch and a last burst of conversation. Bring your bags so you can linger longer at this final chance to connect before we reconvene in five years.