

VOLUNTEER OFFICER EXPERIENCE

Friday, March 24, 2023
1:15-2:30 p.m.

VOX Conference

Inspiring and sustaining volunteer leadership and community virtually

Building Young Alumni Engagement For Club or Group

Whit A. France-Kelly

Assistant Director of Alumni Engagement

Bri Stein

Associate Director of Alumni Engagement

Agenda

G.O.L.D.

Young Alumni Events

- What is a Young Alumni Chair?
- Big Green Affair

How can Volunteer Engagement support you

Best practices

- Hannah Lang '21 - Dartmouth Club of Atlanta
- Akanksha Wasan '18 - Dartmouth Club of United Kingdom
- Q&A
- Open conversation

G.O.L.D. (Graduates of the Last Decade)

- Graduating doesn't mean losing touch, but instead opens up new opportunities and relationships as alumni.
- Dartmouth young alumni, or recent graduates of the last decade, like you, are **11,000+** strong and make up about **18 percent** of total Dartmouth alumni worldwide.
- Our goal is to help young alumni stay connected and engaged with Dartmouth regardless of location!

G.O.L.D. (Graduates of the Last Decade)

For recent graduates, here's how Alumni Relations foster connections with Dartmouth:

- Connect with their [class](#)
- Join your [local Dartmouth Club](#)
- Get involved with groups for [shared interests and identities](#)
- Meet up with local [Women of Dartmouth](#) group
- Engage with the [Dartmouth Connect](#)
- Attend [Dartmouth events](#) around the globe
- Volunteer to interview future students as an [Admissions Ambassador](#)
- Create connections in the [Dartmouth Alumni LinkedIn Group](#)
- Follow Dartmouth Alumni on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#), and [LinkedIn](#)
- Serve as [Young Alumni Chair](#) to plan regional events

Young Alumni Awards

Each year up to four alumni are selected to receive the prestigious [Dartmouth Young Alumni Distinguished Service Award](#), established by the Alumni Council in 1990 to **honor young alumni for outstanding volunteer service to Dartmouth College.**

Alumni are eligible for the Dartmouth Young Alumni Distinguished Service Award during **their first 15 years after graduation.** In selecting recipients, the Young Alumni Awards Committee uses specific criteria, including breadth, depth, length, and quality of volunteer involvement. If you know an alumnus you believe meets these high standards and should be considered for this award, **please email your nomination** to the [Volunteer Engagement](#) team.

Young Alumni Events



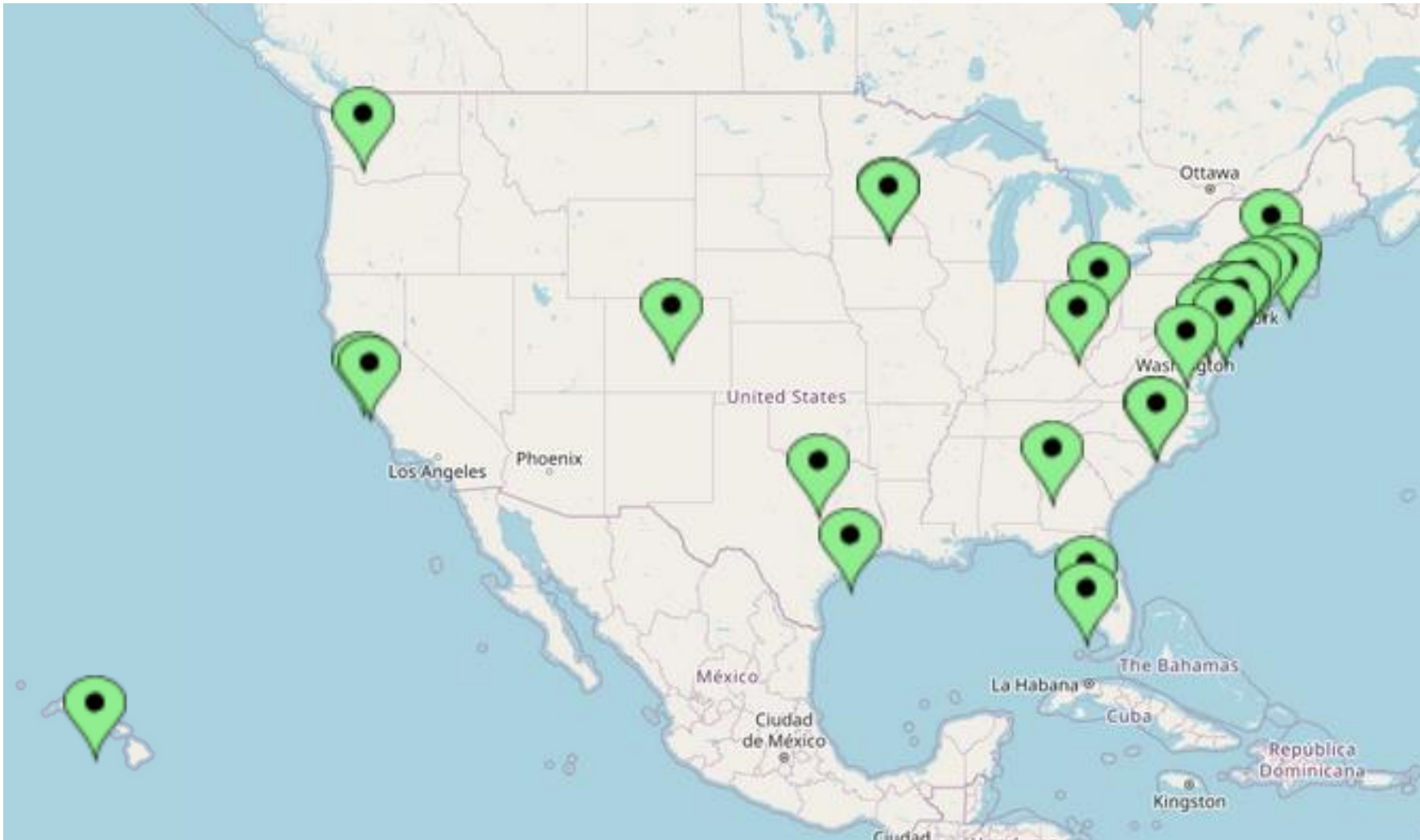
What is a Young Alumni Chair?

The Young Alumni Chair* (YAC) serves an important role within the regional Dartmouth Club. Each chapter is encouraged to have a Young Alumni Chair serve on its executive board or leadership team. The Young Alumni Chair(s) **fosters connections and sustain relationships between the club and Dartmouth alumni who have graduated within the past ten (10) years** to keep them engaged and actively involved with the club and the College.

This role coordinates events including, but not limited to, the Big Green Affair. YACs also assist in **encouraging young alumni participation in events** through direct outreach and working to make regional events more accessible (in terms of cost, timing, and activity) to a broader spectrum of the target recent grad alumni population. The YAC also acts to **shepherd the development of volunteers and future leaders** in ways that deepen their commitment and prepare them for active alumni leadership roles.

*It is suggested that young alumni chairs be alumni who have graduated in the last ten years and be in good standing with Dartmouth in addition to the regional Dartmouth Club this role supports.

Young Alumni Chair - Domestic



- Upper Valley
- Atlanta
- Boston
- Twin Cities
- New York City
- Providence
- San Francisco
- Hartford
- Raleigh-Durham
- Denver
- San Diego
- Honolulu
- Tampa
- Seattle
- Dallas-Fort Worth
- Silicon Valley
- Cleveland
- Columbus
- Washington D.C.
- Philadelphia

Young Alumni Chair – International



- Frankfurt, Germany
- London, England
- Hong Kong, China

Big Green Affair



During the month of September, Dartmouth clubs from around the world to simultaneously celebrate their love of Dartmouth! Meet up with friends, make new connections, and adventure together in YOUR city!

How does Alumni Relations support Young Alumni?

Recent Graduates: Funding Request Form & Reimbursement Request Form

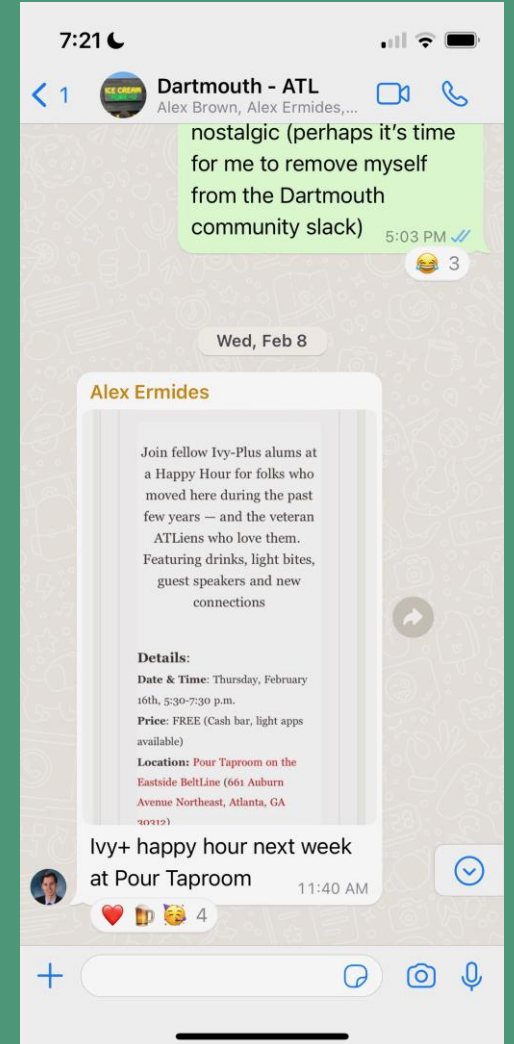
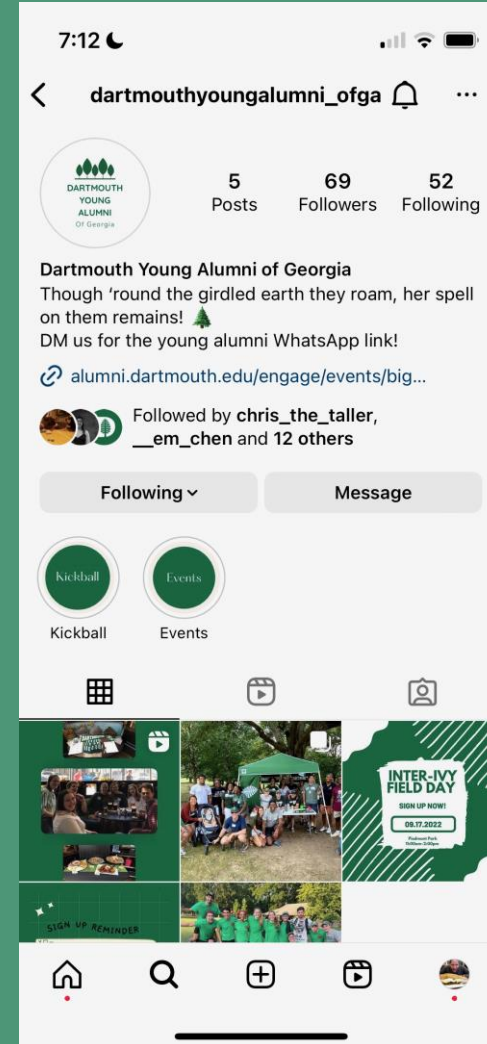
Dartmouth Alumni Relations provides meaningful engagement opportunities for all Dartmouth alumni to be involved with the institution and connected to each other. With this in mind, we are happy to provide financial support to those clubs, groups, and individuals hosting events intended to engage young alumni - those who have not yet celebrated their 10th reunion - through educational, career focused, civic, and social programming.

To request funding for your program, please submit the [Funding Request Form](#) at least 30 days before the start date. A member of the Communities team will be in touch to confirm funding or request additional information as needed.

Please note that those awarded funding must submit the [Young Alumni Funding Reimbursement form](#) within 30 days of your event. Reimbursement requires an itemized receipt, three to five photos of the event, and an attendee list to be submitted.

Hannah Lang '21 Dartmouth Club of Atlanta

About us!



Big Green Affair



- Considerations
- The Event

- Successes
- Modifications



Other events: Kickball, Holiday After Party, and more!



Dartmoose showing off our theme dress skills!



Holiday Party and ~YA After Party~

Akanksha Wasan '18

Dartmouth Club of United Kingdom



**Let's hear
from you!**

Contacts

- Bri Stein
 - Bri.Stein@dartmouth.edu
- Whit A. France-Kelly
 - Whit.France-Kelly@dartmouth.edu
- Hannah Lang
 - HMLang603@gmail.com
- Akanksha Wasan
 - Akanksha.Wasan.18@gmail.com



Dartmouth Alumni

Thank you for joining our session!

dartgo.org/volunteer.engagement

volunteer.engagement@dartmouth.edu