



The Cap and Gown Club of Princeton
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The Cap and Gown Club recognizes the importance of the cooperation of our Officers, Chairs and Graduate Board to provide a welcoming and inclusive environment for our members. The chairpersons have worked over the past year to improve the experience of the membership and increase the club's involvement in the community. We hope that Cap and Gown continues to be an inviting environment to our members and guests and serve as a place of growth for our members.

Community Outreach

Our Community Outreach Chairs Morgan Bell and Alison Shim took on leadership within the Community Service Inter-Club Council. Morgan became the Head of Causes and Alison became the Head of Communications for Truckfest this past year. They also spearheaded Cap specific initiatives by helping to raise money for another member's non-profit, HomeWork, and they set up a volunteer opportunity for HomeFront's Holiday drive.

Technology

Our technology chair is responsible for Cap and Gown's website and bicker site. Our Technology Chair, Ryan McCaffrey, worked on improving our bicker website for an easier bicker process. This included boosting security for the site, fixing the webcam issue, and being present to handle any malfunctions that may have occurred during bicker.

Cultural Enrichment

Our Culturally Cap Chairs, Andrew Wang and Reed Melchionda, have worked with the officers to continue to provide a welcoming and environment that foster's club spirit. This included events ranging from club-wide trips to Six Flags Fright Fest and to go

bowling, to smaller events that helped to produce a better and more inclusive environment within Cap, such as having two Members of the Week and Secret Santa gift exchanges.

Sustainability

Our Sustainability are responsible for educating the club about sustainable behaviors and implementing programs and improvements to make Cap and Gown a more environmentally conscious club. This past year, our Sustainability Chairs Nyema Wesley and Viviane Garth ran clothing drives for each semester, switched the club from styrofoam cups to biodegradable ones, and switched Cap's composting entity to a more environmentally friendly option.

Safety

Furthermore, this semester we implemented the position of Safety Chair. This chair is responsible for creating a schedule for members to be "on duty," meaning that they are The goal of this chair is to ensure that Cap and Gown continues to be a safe and welcoming environment for all of its members and guests.