

STRENGTHEN YOUR HARVARD NETWORK USING THE ONLINE ALUMNI COMMUNITY!

The online alumni community, the only verified network of Harvard alumni, is available to Harvard alumni and now, current students. Create your profile, build your Harvard alumni network, and include key words if you'd like students to be able to find you for mentoring purposes.

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

- Visit community.alumni.harvard.edu.
- If you haven't claimed your HarvardKey, you need to do that first at key.harvard.edu.
- For technical support, contact the Harvard Alumni Association Help Desk at haa_alumnihelp@harvard.edu.

WHY SHOULD I CREATE ANOTHER ONLINE PROFILE?

- The online alumni community is open to GSD alumni *and* alumni from all other Harvard Schools. Find alumni in your area for projects with expertise in different areas using the search function.
- Your privacy is maintained by sending messages through the community.
- Students can now join the community, start to build their connections and find alumni for advice and mentoring.

A search in the online alumni community for "GSD Alumni Council Networking," filtered for by school for the 'Graduate School of Design.'

The screenshot shows the Harvard Alumni website interface. At the top, the Harvard Alumni logo is on the left, and a search icon is on the right. Below the logo is a navigation bar with buttons for 'Make a Gift', 'Connect', 'Volunteer', 'Ways to Give', 'Programs & Events', 'Stories', 'Schools', and 'About HAA'. A secondary navigation bar shows 'HOME / CONNECT / ALUMNI SERVICES' and a user greeting 'Hello, Ms. Abby P. Suckle'. The main search area displays 'Menu' and 'People' with a search box containing 'gsd alumni council networking'. On the left, a sidebar titled 'Harvard Community' lists options like 'My Profile', 'My Contacts', 'Email Forwarding', 'Email Preferences', 'Alumni Class Notes', and 'Discussion Forums'. Below this is a 'Popular Filters' section with 'School' set to 'Graduate School of Design' and 'Class Year' set to 'e.g. 1975'. The search results show '3,561 results for' with filters for 'View: 10 per page' and 'Sort: Relevance'. Three profile cards are visible: 1. Mr. John A. di Domenico, MAU 1979, Long Island City, NY, Mentor. 2. Mr. Nathan Savidge Peters, STUDENT, GSD 2018, Council Bluffs, IA. 3. Ms. Allyson Clare Mendenhall, AB 1990, MLA 1999, Director of Legacy Design at Design Workshop Inc., Denver, CO. Each profile includes a photo, name, affiliation, location, and last login status.

HOW DO I USE THE HARVARD ALUMNI DIRECTORY?

- Visit community.alumni.harvard.edu and log in with your HarvardKey.
- Build a robust profile so fellow alumni and students can find you.
 - Include a photo and descriptive narrative in the “about me” field.
 - Join Career Networking in the “Career” area. You can select to network with students, alumni, or both.
- Participate in Discussion Forums.

Sample alumni profile from
GSD Alumni Council Chair
Allyson Mendenhall AB '90, MLA '99



Ms. Allyson Clare Mendenhall
AB 1990 MLA 1999
Denver, CO
Director of Legacy Design at Design Workshop Inc.



ABOUT ME

Allyson Mendenhall is the Director of Legacy Design at Design Workshop, an urban design, planning and landscape architecture firm. She plays a leadership role on the firm's Management Team focused on firm-wide strategy and operations across all offices. A LEED-certified licensed landscape architect, Ms. Mendenhall leads the firm's sustainability and quality management processes. A graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Graduate School of Design (GSD), Allyson is Chair of the GSD Alumni Council. She also serves as the GSD's Appointed Director to the Harvard Alumni Association (HAA). She is a member of the Board of Directors of the Landscape Architecture Foundation and is a Mayoral Trustee of the Denver Botanic Garden. She is a recurrent speaker at the annual meeting of the American Society of Landscape Architects, of which she is a member. Allyson lives with her husband (Elliot Hoyt AB'90) and their two children in Denver, Colorado.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Email Addresses

Send an email to Allyson

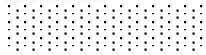
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Addresses and Phones

HOME



BUSINESS



CAREER

Overview

Industries

Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services – Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services

Specialties

Landscape Architecture, Urban Design, Urban Planning, Project Management, Quality Management, Sustainability

Experience

Career

Director of Legacy Design at Design Workshop Inc.

EDUCATION

Harvard

Harvard College

AB | 1990
English and Amer Lit and Lang
Cum Laude General Studies
Dunster House

Graduate School of Design

MLA | 1999
Masters In Landscape Architecture |
With Distinction

HOW CAN I CONNECT WITH HARVARD AND GSD ALUMNI AND STUDENTS?

- To find fellow alumni, search the directory by industry, specialty, company, Harvard School, class year, and more. You can also use filters and search by keywords.
- Use the email button in each profile to reach out to alumni and fellow students. Be sure to use a short and professional message, and be aware that solicitation of any type is prohibited.
- If you include any of the following terms on your profile somewhere, GSD students will be able to find you for specific purposes:
 - Career mentor
 - IDP mentor
 - Academics/thesis advice
 - Admitted student advice

