

# **Princeton Prospect Foundation Meeting**

## **IVY CLUB**



### **Update Compiled By Gonzalo Mocerrea, Vice-President**

#### **Community Service**

- A holiday gift drive and canned food drive to deliver to the Trenton Food Bank, and a holiday money collection to donate to our staff
- Several members are in charge of coordinating and modeling in Fashion Speaks, a fashion show with proceeds going to Eden Autism Services
- Raised ~\$1,000 to benefit a local nonprofit, that seeks to combat animal abuse and promote environmental awareness
- Took part in the street-wide TruckFest event to help support food security charities in the Trenton and wider New Jersey area

- Helped coordinate ESL program and curriculum for eating club staff
- Many Ivy members are involved in community service through their athletic teams and other affiliations

## **Intellectual Growth**

- Continued strong attendance of Ivy Roundtable Series, which see various business leaders, Ivy alumni, and professors come to have dinner with members followed by a one-hour presentation
  - In the past year, Professor Ruha Benjamin visited Ivy to speak in the Roundtable Series.
  - Professor Benjamin is an assistant professor in the Center for African American Studies, as well as a Faculty Associate in the History of Science Program.
  - In the the past, Ivy has hosted some shining stars: Anshu Jain [Co-CEO of Deutsche Bank], The Warwick Rowers [Raised over \$300,000 for Sports Allies], Chris Dercon [Director of the Tate Modern] & Arun Goel [Wine Connoisseur of Varsity Liquors]
  - As well as a few of our very own: Caroline Shifke '12 [Former Ivy Club President], Danny Shea I'07 [editorial director at HuffPost Live] & Isabel Wilkinson I'08 [Fashion & Arts Editor at The Daily Beast]