

Princeton Quadrangle Club
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Club Life

Quad continues to be an environment that fosters social and intellectual growth among members. We seek to offer our members not only a space where they eat and relax, but where they can also study and work with friends. Our range of weekly activities include member's nights, study breaks, and late meal where members can come together and build a sense of community while participating in events such as laser tag and pool tournaments. Our officer corps' web-based feedback forms allow us to hear anonymous concerns, suggestions, and questions from our members to ensure that we are best satisfying their desires for food, events, and life around the club. Quad has also undergone recent renovations, making the club more aesthetically pleasing and functional for our members to enjoy.

Community Service

Quad's commitment to serving our community remains strong. Our new community service chair has worked to plan member's breakout trips to local service opportunities, including an upcoming excursion to clean hiking trails with Friends of Princeton Open Space. We are also in the process of planning our annual Quad Auction in which members auction off gifts showcasing their own talents to raise proceeds for organizations and causes close to our hearts. Last year's auction resulted in over \$1000 raised to be split between Womanspace and helping pay for the medical bills of our fellow club member Jacob Kaplan, who passed away after a hard battle with cancer in December. In addition, we continue to participate with other clubs for events intended for all University students, such as Truckfest and Trick-or-Feed.

Outreach

Outside the four corners of Quad, we continue to work to build relationships with our alumni, student groups on campus, and professors. Our newly instituted Outreach chairs are also continuing efforts of creating mentorship programs with current members and alumni, and

monthly propeller talks we co-host allow for more opportunities for our members to connect with alumni in a less formal setting. Our connection to campus through our members (who hail from groups including Naacho, Expressions, Sympoh, Lobster Club, VTone, and the Princeton University Band) is strong. This connection is further fostered through our commitment to welcoming these groups into Quad, both through inviting them to lead workshops for our members and offering our space as a performance venue, as is the case with PUP's production of Sex on Broadway.

Sustainability

One of the most exciting changes Quad has seen in its officer corps this year is the installment of our sustainability chair, Nico Viglucci '19. Already committed to creating a more sustainable world through his project of converting an old bus into a versatile home with minimal environmental impact, Nico has been hard at work trying to make Quad green. We are working to bring composting back into the club, and consistently encourage our members to recycle and minimize their waste with reminders posted around the club. Later this spring, a committee of members hope to bring life back to our greenhouse in the backyard and are looking into partnering up with the Princeton University Botany Club to further expand these efforts.

Education

We aim to provide a rich academic atmosphere for our members to learn from and grow with one another. Our libraries and other spaces around the club are consistently filled with our members working together. We've continued to improve our study spaces to increase their capacity with the addition of bigger, more work-conducive tables and more chairs. We initiated a club-wide spreadsheet through which members can see who is in their class to facilitate the creation of study groups and note sharing, and continued the tradition of providing a designated quiet work space for seniors to work on their theses. Several times a week, members take part in and lead language tables to practice their French, Portuguese, Japanese and Spanish with one another. Our partnership with the Princeton Area Alumni Association allows our members to take part in monthly propeller talks, where speakers share their research in biotechnology, robotics, and other STEM fields. We continue to partner with the Sexual Harassment/Assault Advising, Resources, and Education (SHARE) office on campus, and educate our members on interpersonal violence intervention and prevention.

Technology

Over the past semester, Quad has expanded the capabilities of its Tech and Game Rooms in order to meet the needs and wants of our members. We provide printing through the University PawPrint system, charging stations for phones and computers, and televisions and gaming systems for entertainment. Our TV room features a new television equipped with streaming services such as HBO Now, Netflix, and Hulu for members to enjoy. Our game room features all major gaming consoles, as well as a large library of games. The Princeton Quadrangle Club website has been redesigned this past year, and features information for current and potential members such as weekly menus and officer bios.