



40 Prospect Ave, Princeton, NJ 08544

**Princeton Prospect Foundation Meeting**  
**Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013**  
**Vice President: Zinan Zhang**

Community Service and Engagement

Thanks to our Community Service Chair, Brittany Ko '15, Colonial has continued to increase its community service and engagement efforts.

For the month of September, members participated in a Beach Clean Up with the Sierra Club as part of International Coastal Clean Up Day.

For October, we will be having a clothes drive and sending a group of members to volunteer at the Community Park Elementary School Garden Day on October 19<sup>th</sup>.

The officers are also thinking about implementing a mandatory community service event for the officers each month as a means of fostering more civic engagement in the members.

Sustainability

In order to be environmentally-friendly, we have continued to order smaller plastic cups and recycling plastic cups.

We have also optimized the use of our food compost bin to reduce waste.

Academics

We have continued our Professor Dinner Series to enhance the connection between members and professors on campus. Professors who accept our invitation come to the club in the evening to give a talk and host a discussion over dinner with interested members.

So far this semester, we have had two professors participate in the dinner series: Professor Alain Kornhauser (ORFE) and Professor Robert Pringle (EEB). We have professors lined up for every week of this semester.

We have also started two language tables this semester: German and Chinese. We are in the process of starting a French and Italian table.

## House/Technology

Thanks to a generous contribution from Colonial alum Eric Schmidt '76, we have completely renovated our computer cluster.

Another main room of the club, the Elk Room has also gone significant renovation over the summer.