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Harvard Club of Ireland and HBS Club of Ireland: Non-Profit Fellowship

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Origin of the Non-Profit Fellowship

HCA Philanthropy Pty Ltd manages the educational and scholarship programs of the Harvard Club of Australia.

Two executive education programs are held each year in Australia in late July/early August:

- The Program for Leaders taught by Harvard Business School professors; and
- The Program for Non Profit Leaders taught by Harvard Business School professors.
- Email admin@harvardclub.org.au for the Topic and Dates.

The scholarships and fellowships include:

- **The Australia-Harvard Fellowship** – which provides funding to support the interchange of senior researchers between Harvard University and leading research institutions in Australia;
- **The Menzies Scholarship** – an annual award since 1967 of up to US\$50,000 to fund postgraduate study at Harvard;
- **The Non Profit Fellowship** – an annual fellowship that enables two Australian non profit managers to attend the "Strategic Perspectives in Non Profit Management" program at Harvard Business School;
- **The Roberta Sykes Scholarship** – funding to enable talented Indigenous Australians to undertake up to two years postgraduate study at Harvard University;
- **The Sir James Wolfensohn Public Service Scholarship** – funding for senior Australian public servants to attend an executive education program at the Harvard Kennedy School; and
- **The Public Education Foundation's Harvard Club of Australia Education Scholarship** – funding to enable two government primary or secondary school principals to attend a short professional program at the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

Funding for the scholarships and fellowships is generated by a surplus from the Leadership Programs.

How does it work?

- Former Presidents of Harvard Club of Ireland and Harvard Business Club of Ireland developed the Irish fellowship
- Based on the Australian Non-Profit Management Fellowship model
- Provides two fellows with the opportunity to attend an HBS Executive Ed programme
- Fellowship is funded by the alumni community in Ireland
- HCI and HBS Clubs identify Non-Profits and invite applicants (compliance with HBS criteria)
- Interviews and then awards presented

The Course

- ‘Strategic Perspectives in Non-profit Management’
 - The course explores crucial concepts and skills for non-profit leadership
 - Delivers the strategic perspectives, leadership skills and practical tools needed to drive change across the organisation
 - Presented jointly by HBS and the [HBS Social Enterprise Initiative](#)
- Two fellows are sent to HBS for the course in July
- Event around Fellows experience at HBS
- Plans to build on Fellowship Alumni with Harvard Club of Ireland panel/events

Strategic Perspectives in Nonprofit Management



Upcoming Session (1 OF 1)

Dates: 12–18 JUL 2020

Location: HBS Campus

Fee: \$6,500

The program fee covers tuition, books, case materials, accommodations, and most meals.

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[Admissions Criteria and Process](#)

List of Fellows

2016

- Madeleine Clarke, Genio Social Services

2017

- Darren Ryan, Social Entrepreneurs Ireland
- Hugo Jellett, Jack & Jill Foundation

2018

- Rosaleen Molloy, Music Generation
- Sharon Foley, Irish Hospice Foundation

2019

- Siobhan Walsh, Goal (International Aid Agency)
- Matt English, Special Olympics Ireland

Summary

High-impact programme for relatively little output to maintain

Raises awareness of the HCI, HBS Club and HAA in Ireland

Great way to grow member base and get companies involved

Opportunities for cross-Club (and SIG!) collaboration and knowledge-sharing

Harvard Club of UK (biggest club in EUR!) following in our footsteps; demonstrates that these ideas are scalable



Harvard Club of Seattle **Crimson Achievement Program (CAP)**

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Purpose

- The **Harvard Club of Seattle Crimson Achievement Program** provides high-potential high school students with the opportunity to gain **new learning**, receive **mentorship** support from Harvard students and recent grads, and participate in **enrichment opportunities** that support their path to college, starting with a **field trip to Harvard** and other Boston Area colleges.
- Drawn from school districts that serve predominantly low-income populations, CAP Scholars, in turn, invest in the success of their communities by providing at least **10 annual hours of service** that promotes the college and career readiness of other students in their district.

Field Trip to Harvard and other Boston Area Colleges



Academic Enrichment Opportunities



New Learning



Mentorship



Paying It Forward



*10 Annual Hours
of Service*

Community Impact



Crimson Connection



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Supporting Each Other



Opening eyes on higher education



Harvard Club of Seattle program brings ninth-graders to campus for a crash course in what it's like

Bacow urges high schoolers to pursue their educational dreams

Harvard President Larry Bacow shared his personal experience with students at Highline High School.

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Sustainability & Future Expansion





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Expanding Access and Deepening Impact: Harvard Club Partnerships with HGSE

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Professional Education at the Harvard Graduate School of Education



- Connects the teaching, research, and practice of our faculty with the field
- More than 100 unique in-person, online, and custom programs, led by HGSE faculty members
- Served over 12,000 educators in 2019
- Strong global participation, especially in online programs
- Several partnerships with Harvard Clubs who provide support for educators in their communities

Examples of Partnerships with Harvard Clubs

- **Harvard Club of Sarasota, FL:** Recognition of outstanding educators
- **Harvard Club of Naples, FL:** Fellowship program for administrators within a specific district selected by the Club.
- **Harvard Club of Delaware:** Multiple years of scholarship support to local teachers.
- **Harvard Club of New York:** Leadership for higher education administrators through HCNYS partnership with CUNY.
- **Harvard Club of Australia:** Scholarship funding and logistical support for new program hosted in Sydney for 170+ principals from across Australia and New Zealand.

The Principals' Center



- The Principals' Center was founded in 1981 to create learning experiences and foster a community for school leaders
- Effective school leadership is a key lever for school improvement
- The portfolio includes seven residential programs, a number of custom programs, and the Certificate in School Management and Leadership, an online program developed in partnership with Harvard Business School
- These programs reached nearly 2,500 educators last year
- The recent program in Sydney is one example of a Harvard Club partnership to build capacity and extend impact.

Spotlight Partnership: Program in Australia, January 2020

- Harvard Club of Australia had an initiative surrounding school leaders; Professional Education had preexisting relationship with Australian educators as a high number attended programs over the years.
- Club raised \$AUS300,000 in scholarships for school principals in regional/remote areas designated as high need.
 - 20% were specifically designated for schools serving 100% indigenous students.
- Every state and territory of Australia, plus New Zealand, was represented by the 172 school leaders who participated.
- Club was integral in aligning content to local context to ensure applicability and impact.

Spotlight Partnership: Testimonials



“The Leadership for School Excellence Program was one of the best professional learning programs I have undertaken. Interacting with principals across the states, territories, and New Zealand was the most powerful form of collaboration for me.

– Carol Daniels, participant

“The Harvard Graduate School of Education has facilitated professional learning in Australia and made the valuable learning and mentoring that they offer available to all Australian and New Zealand principals. This is the beginning of a wonderful partnership on Australian soil. Thank you to our Club for such a rich opportunity.” – Anonymous participant

Opportunities for Partnership



We customize partnerships to serve the Harvard Clubs and the local communities.

- Make HGSE programs visible in your local communities
- Provide financial support for educators in your local community to participate in our programs, in person and online
- Partner with local institutions to build leadership capacity
- Partner with other funders to create funding resources
- Bring a program to your local community

Paying it Forward

“I commit to supporting at least two of my colleagues to apply and attend this Professional Education program... **We are the change and our students and their families are relying on us to educate them so they can Change the World.** I will remember the Leading School Excellence Professional Education program and the participants as a highlight of my 34 years in education. Thank you, Harvard Graduate School of Education and the Harvard Club of Australia.”

- Robyn Verboon, Associate Principal of Ocean Reef SHS, Western Australia

Thank You & Please Connect with Us!

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