

# Beyond the ND Bubble

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In 2017, the Notre Dame Alumni Association completed a months-long strategic planning process for young alumni and current student engagement. As part of the execution of that plan, the Alumni Association, in partnership with the Senior Class Council, introduced a new large-scale, life skills event on Feb. 11th, 2018. Life Beyond the ND Bubble is designed specifically for graduating seniors who will be leaving Notre Dame at the conclusion of the academic year. It aims to prepare them for life in the “real world” through a variety of expert speakers and useful resources. From a strategic standpoint, it also allows the Alumni Association, which generally doesn’t have a large role in student life, to introduce itself and its programming to our soon-to-be alumni.

Not knowing how this new event would be on a snowy Sunday afternoon, more than 400 seniors braved the weather to hear from subject matter experts addressing topics like personal finance,


the value of failing forward, an overview of the choices one makes involving insurance and benefits packages, and how to find an apartment or home. The lineup of speakers included a keynote address from legendary former head football coach Lou Holtz and an inspiring talk from South Bend Mayor Pete Buttigieg about “finding your why.” Many alumni and faculty members also spoke.

Life Beyond the ND Bubble was an overwhelming success. The event returned in 2019, drew an even larger audience, and will function as a key plank of the association’s current student engagement plan for the foreseeable future.



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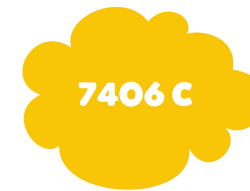
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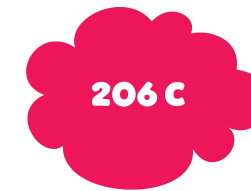
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*W-2, W-4, W-what?*

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**THE DAHNKE BALLROOM (DUNCAN STUDENT CENTER)**

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**LOU HOLTZ MIGHT GIVE ME A PRIZE?**

*Yes! All attendees who register by January 31 will be eligible to win one of 10 \$20 Amazon gift cards. The winners will be announced by Lou Holtz at*

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**LIFE BEYOND THE ND BUBBLE IS HERE! JOIN THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION THIS SUNDAY, FEB. 11, FROM NOON-6 P.M. IN THE DAHNKE BALLROOM ON THE 7TH FLOOR OF THE DUNCAN STUDENT CENTER. HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW...**

**WE'VE GOT PRIZES. WHO WANTS ONE?**

You already know about the **lineup** -- Lou Holtz, Mayor Pete, and all of the other amazing speakers. You already know about the Room of Requirement, the delicious food, the wine tasting. But have we mentioned the thousands of dollars worth of prizes?

Throughout the afternoon (think every half hour), a new winner will be announced. We're talking incredible ND swag for your apartment (**like this clock**). We're talking \$50 gift cards to the Bookstore. And for those of you who visit every table in the Room of Requirement before the end of the event, we're talking the chance to win an exclusive experiential prize, like a complimentary wine dinner at the Morris Inn or a free photoshoot on the football field with a University photographer. There are tons of opportunities, but you need to be there in person to win!

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**SIGN UP**

## WHEN? WHERE?

Sunday, Feb. 11 Noon-6 p.m.  
The Dahnke Ballroom  
Duncan Student Center

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More information is coming soon. See you on Feb. 11!

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## WHERE TO MEET US

Life Beyond the ND Bubble is taking place in the Dahnke Ballroom. When you arrive at the Duncan Student Center, just take the elevators (either elevator bank works) up to 7, where Alumni Association staff members will be ready to greet you. If you're taking part in the wine tasting, make sure to bring your license.

## IT'S JUST LIKE TAILGATING

You can park in the lots south of Notre Dame Stadium and Purcell Pavilion. There is a women's basketball game scheduled for 1 p.m., but if you arrive on time, you'll beat the crowds. If for some reason the lot fills up, park over at the Library or in one of the other student lots. We promise the walk will be well worth it.

## QUESTIONS?

For full details, go to [Bubble.nd.edu](http://Bubble.nd.edu) or email Jackie Thomas at [jthoma16@nd.edu](mailto:jthoma16@nd.edu).

The Notre Dame Alumni Association has had a ton of fun putting together this first-of-its-kind event for your class. We can't wait to see you there.

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*Attention Class of 2018:*

**PLANNING FOR RETIREMENT. FINDING AN APARTMENT. NETWORKING AT WORK. STICKING TO A BUDGET. AVOIDING SOCIAL MEDIA EMBARRASSMENT. ADULTING CAN BE HARD. COME LEARN WITH US.**

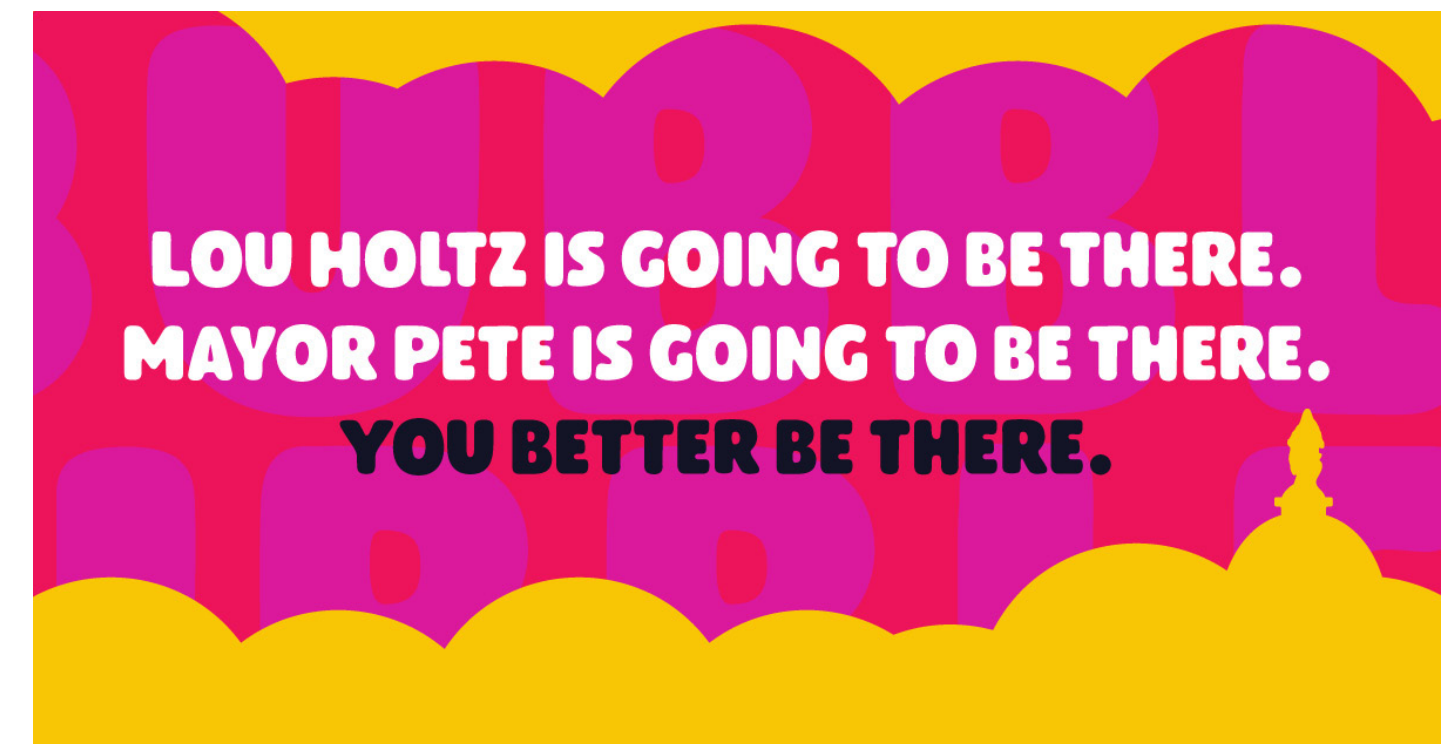
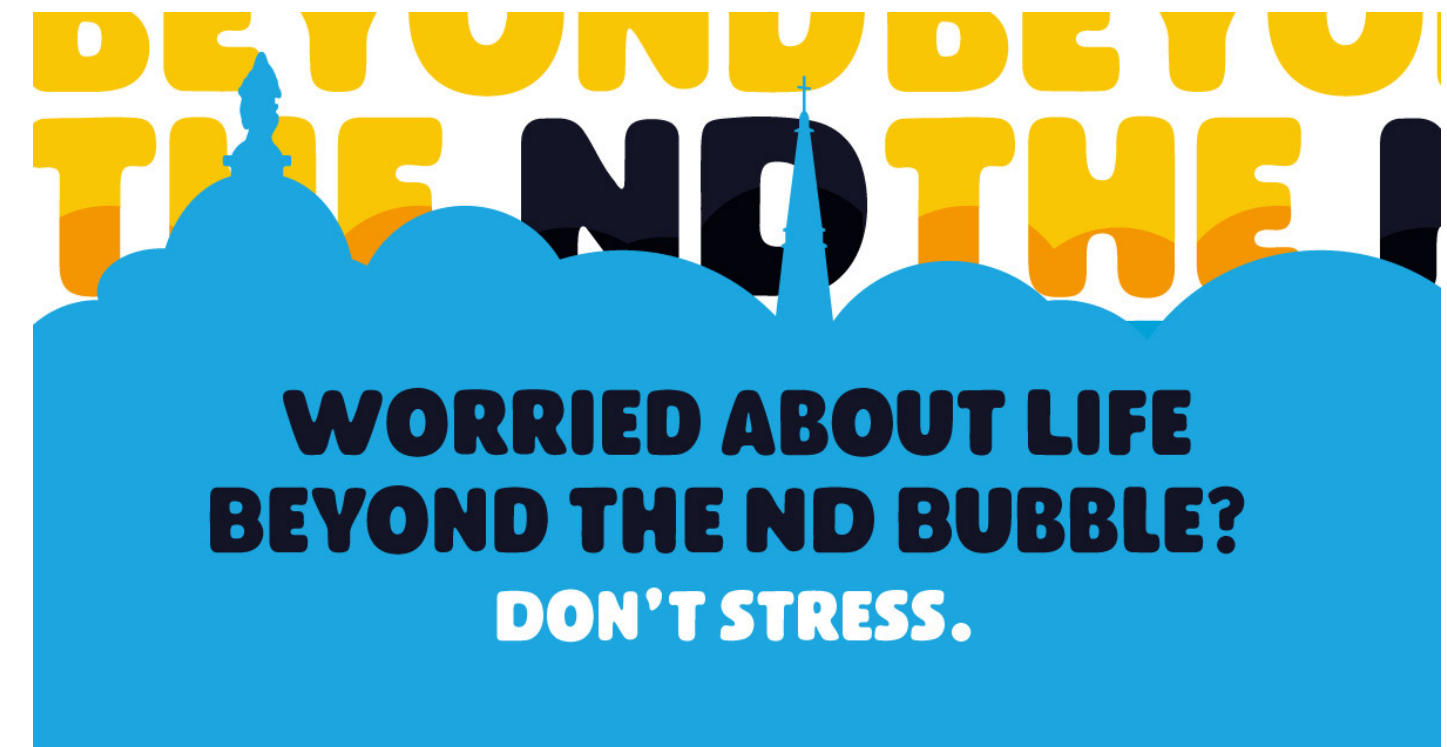
*Register by Jan. 31 for great early bird prizes!*

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The Senior Class Council helped us drive their fellow seniors to the event through their Facebook and Instagram channels. The Alumni Association produced and designed social media copy and graphics for them to use.



Print & Signage

# Beyond the ND Bubble

# Passport Book & Tickets



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**LIFE BEYOND THE ND BUBBLE 2018**

*Dear class of 2018,*

It can be scary. It's definitely sad. Maybe you just try not to think about it.

I remember what it was like, hoping the passage of time could somehow slow down as graduation approaches. You want to savor every moment you have left with these wonderful friends in this special place before you have to move on to life's next chapter.

But here's the good news: This is just the beginning. Your connections to Notre Dame, and to each other, last a lifetime. And the Notre Dame Alumni Association is here for you.

Our clubs worldwide will help you get off to a great start in your new community, and we will challenge you to stay involved. We will rekindle your memories at your five-year Reunion, and help you celebrate Notre Dame traditions for years to come.

Today, we'll help get you ready to take those first steps away from Notre Dame, but here's our promise: No matter how far you travel from campus and no matter how many years pass, we will always be here to keep you close to Notre Dame and to the friendships and memories that made your time on campus so special.

All the best,  
Dolly Duffy '84  
Executive Director  
Notre Dame Alumni Association

*Presented by the Notre Dame Alumni Association*

Sunday, Feb. 11  
Noon to 6 p.m.

Dahnke Ballroom  
(Duncan Student Center)

*A special thank you to the Senior Class Council and the Office of Student Affairs for their support and contributions to this event.*

**STAGE SCHEDULE**

	MAIN STAGE	ROOM OF REQUIREMENT
Noon - 12:30 pm	Room closed	Room open
12:30 - 1:10 pm	This Is Just the Beginning: Your Future with Notre Dame Dolly Duffy '84, Alumni Association	Room open
1:20 - 1:50 pm	Winning Every Day: Life Lessons from the Great Lou Holtz Lou Holtz, former ND Football Coach	Room open
2:00 - 2:30 pm	Don't Turn Down Free Money: A Guide to Retirement Planning Carl Ackermann, Mendoza College of Business	Room open
2:40 - 3:10 pm	It's Not Just for Landing Jobs: Networking in Your New Workplace Lou Nanni '84 & Dolly Duffy '84, University Relations	Room open
3:20 - 3:50 pm	Ask an Alum: A Candid Panel Discussion with Three ND Grads Chris Chung '12, '19 JD/MBA; Nicole Junnunen '99, Mars; and Joe Siler '97, Booz Allen Hamilton	Room open
4:00 - 4:30 pm	Learning to Fall Forward in Our Rapidly Advancing Technological World Bryan Ritchie, IDEA Center	Room open
4:40 - 5:10 pm	Think Before You Snap: Living Responsibly on Social Media Derrick Mayes '96 & Paul Berrettini '96, 5.0 Communications	Room open
5:20 - 6:00 pm	An Introduction to Wine Appreciation (And Tasting) James Bent '06, E. & J. Gallo Winery	Room closed

**FLOORPLAN**

**ROOM OF REQUIREMENT TABLING PARTNERS**

Visit our tabling partners in the Room of Requirement to get all of your questions answered. From securing housing to finding Notre Dame in your new town and from tips on budgeting to learning about different types of insurance, we have you covered. You'll find helpful partners eager to answer your questions. Stop by each table for prizes and giveaways!

**PRIZES**

**YOU HAVE THREE WAYS TO WIN GREAT PRIZES THROUGHOUT THE DAY!**

**Early Bird Prizing**  
If you registered for the event by January 31, you have a chance to win one of 10 \$30 Amazon gift cards. Winners will be announced in the first hour of the event by Coach Lou Holtz! *Must be present to win.*

**At the Break Prizes**  
At each break listen to our overhead announcements. We'll draw two lucky prize winners from the list of attendees. Prizes include items to use in your new home, such as kitchen appliances, ND merchandise, and more! *Must be present to win.*

**Bubble Passport Prizes**  
Get your Bubble Passport stamped at each of our tabling partners in the Room of Requirement and turn it in at the Prizing Headquarters by 5 p.m. to be eligible to win one of the following prizes. Will be announced at 5:10 p.m. *Must be present to win.*

**1.5-hour private cooking lesson**  
Morris Inn's Culinary Academy  
Sunday, April 8  
(for you and a guest; must be 21 years of age)

**1-hour VenueND photo shoot**  
on ND Stadium Field  
Friendship Photos by ND University Photography Team  
(for you and three of your friends)

**Networking with Notre Dame Alumni**  
lunch with Dolly Duffy and Lou Nanni

**1-hour VenueND photo shoot**  
Big Idea—lunch with Bryan Ritchie

**Exploring Your Big Idea**  
lunch with Bryan Ritchie

**Multi-course wine dinner**  
Morris Inn's Wine Academy with Castello di Ama wines  
Monday, March 19  
(for you and a guest; must be 21 years of age)

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**VENUEND**

**SHORTCUT KITCHEN & SNACKS**

Throughout the day, Notre Dame chefs will be preparing simple, make-at-home entrees on both the north and south landings. Come learn how to tackle meals without a meal plan, and take away recipe cards for later use.

The chefs will be available to answer your questions about kitchen essentials and nutrition.

*You have been provided four entree tickets redeemable in either Shortcut Kitchen and two snack tickets redeemable at the snack station in the hallway.*

**BUBBLE PASSPORT** Complete by 5 p.m.!

Get each square stamped in the Room of Requirement and then visit the Prize HQ to enter to win one of six great prizes!

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*Stay in touch.*

Meet young alumni (like you!) [my.nd.edu/clubs](http://my.nd.edu/clubs)  
Connect with your local ND club when you know where you are moving. Your new Notre Dame family awaits!

Expand your ND network [IrishCompass.nd.edu](http://IrishCompass.nd.edu)  
Sign up for IrishCompass today to network with alumni and be mentored by ND professionals.

Grow your ND faith community [FaithND.edu/Scripture](http://FaithND.edu/Scripture)  
Join the thousands of alumni who pray together daily through FaithND's Daily Gospel Reflection.

Stay curious [youtube.com/ndalumniweb](http://youtube.com/ndalumniweb)  
Subscribe on YouTube to stay informed and continue your ND learning journey.

Tell us where you are headed [my.nd.edu/directory](http://my.nd.edu/directory)  
Keep your contact information current and find alumni new and old through our directory.

Reunion 2023... the countdown is on! [my.nd.edu/reunion](http://my.nd.edu/reunion)  
Make a commitment with your friends to come back and re-live the memories in June 2023!

Get involved... as a young alum!  
Watch for exciting opportunities to get involved with ND through new young alumni programming launching this summer.

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**SHORTCUT KITCHEN TICKET**

*Good for one free entrée while quantities last*

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**SNACK TICKET**

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# Main Stage Backdrop





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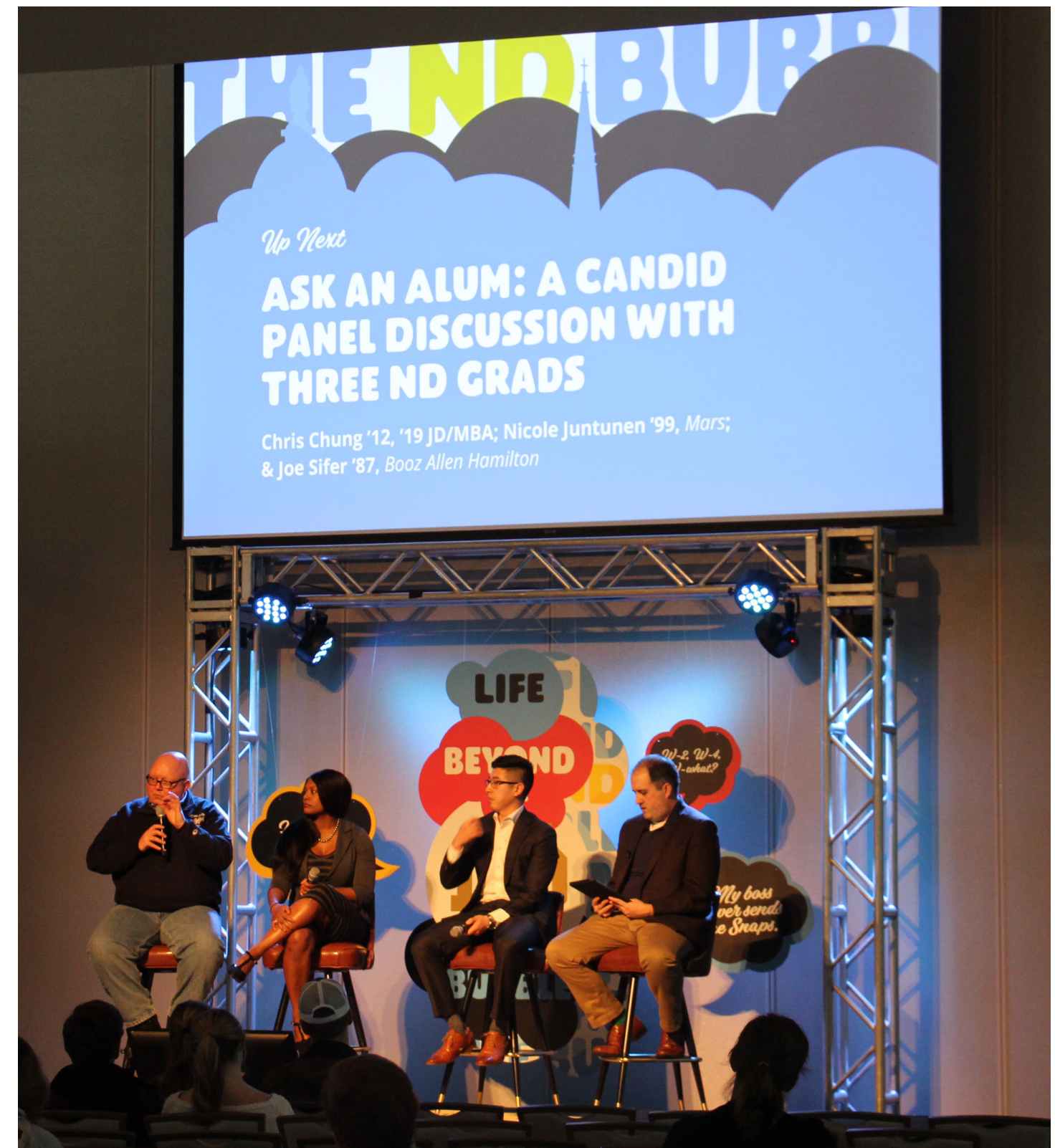
Caitlin Smith and Kiley Cox '16, Dawn McKenna Group

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## PASSPORT PRIZE 1

# 1.5-hour private cooking lesson

### MORRIS INN'S CULINARY ACADEMY

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

*(for you and a guest; must be 21 years of age)*


## PASSPORT PRIZE 2

# Networking with Notre Dame Alumni

### LUNCH WITH DOLLY DUFFY '84 AND LOU NANNI '84



**THE ND BUBBLE**



**SHORTCUT KITCHEN**

*Cooking Tips & Entrée Samples*  
*Tickets Required*

**NOON TO 2:00 PM**  
**ASIAN STIR-FRY**  
STIR-FRIED VEGGIES WITH RICE

**2:30 TO 4:40 PM**  
**HAND-BREADED CHICKEN TENDERS**  
WITH DIPPING SAUCES & CHOPPED SALAD

While supplies last.

**12:30-12:40 PM**  
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*Dolly Duffy '84, Alumni Association*

**12:40-1:10 PM**  
**WINNING EVERY DAY: LIFE LESSONS FROM THE GREAT LOU HOLTZ**  
*Lou Holtz, Former Notre Dame Football Coach*

**1:20-1:50 PM**  
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*Pete Buttigieg, Mayor of South Bend*

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**BUBBLE MAIN STAGE**  
*Presentations*

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Main Stage Setup





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Individual Room Setup





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Tabling Partners & Student Engagement

