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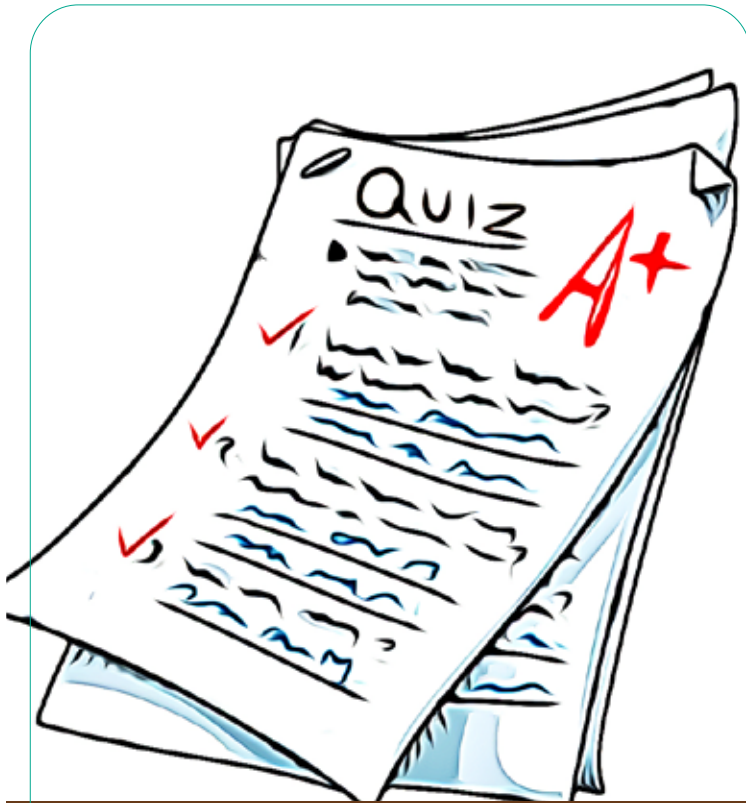
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Welcome to the family of Lehigh alumni!

This Little Brown Book should harken back to your first year on campus. You may remember the Little Brown Box that outlined all of the traditions and history that students come to love. Now that you are soaring away from South Mountain, know that there are always Lehigh alumni near at hand and many groups and events to help keep you connected, grow professionally, support the university's mission, and assist current and future students.

How might you best plug in? Take our sorting quiz!





Sorting Quiz!

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Let the sorting begin, and let's see where you land! Your answers to the next three questions will determine how to best demonstrate your Lehigh pride!

Question 1

To advance as a professional, which is most important to you?

- A. Lehigh alumni in your field
- B. Your Lehigh friends and their networks
- C. The educational approaches you learned at Lehigh

Question 2

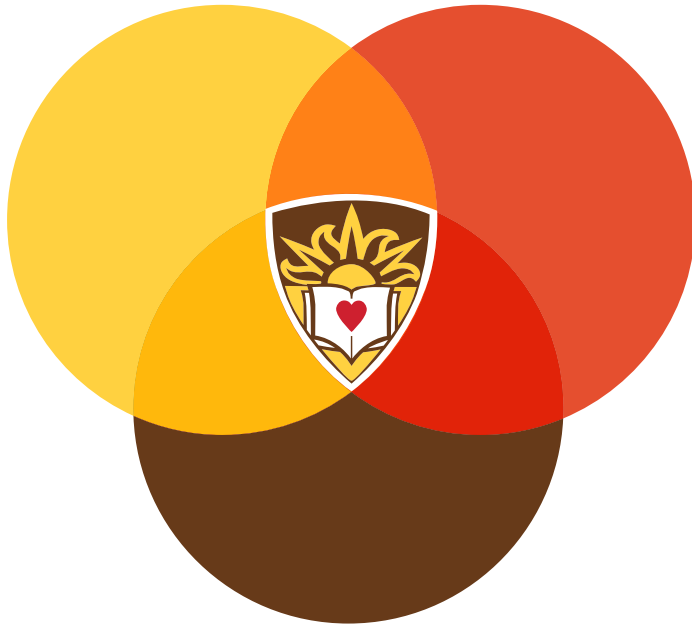
To stay connected with Lehigh, you'd rather...

- A. Meet and greet
- B. Have fun
- C. Get involved

Question 3

How would you like to best demonstrate your pride in Lehigh?

- A. Mentoring others
- B. Honoring our traditions
- C. Participating in activities



Sorting Results

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If you answered A to all or most of the three questions, welcome to Blazing Suns. Turn to the yellow pages of the book to learn more about what you will love to do as a Lehigh alum.

If you answered B to all or most of the three questions, welcome to Crimson Hearts. Turn to the red pages of the book to learn more about what you will love to do as a Lehigh alum.

If you answered C to all or most of the three questions, welcome to Book Binders. Turn to the white pages of the book to learn more about what you will love to do as a Lehigh alum.

If you answered with some As, Bs, and Cs, welcome to Hufflepuff. Just kidding, that's a different school. Truth is you don't have a house, so you now have to read all the pages. Sorry, not sorry.



Blazing Suns

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Blazing Suns

You shine brightly. You seek the blaze and the glory. You want to accelerate the value of your Lehigh degree and leverage the Lehigh network to grow and advance in amazing ways, both personally and professionally. You will stand out thanks to your ability to tap into the professional and regional networks out there. Go get 'em, Mountain Hawk, and start soaring.





Professional Networks

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Professional Networks

Looking for Lehigh alumni who share your professional passion? Of course, you are! Here are a few professional networks where you can connect with others who share that passion and with students interested in your field.

LEHIGH LAWYERS ASSOCIATION

Based on the common bonds of a Lehigh education and the law, this organization seeks to develop a social, business, educational, and professional network; help us remain connected to Lehigh; and give back to Lehigh by supporting its faculty and students.

LEHIGH REAL ESTATE ALLIANCE

Connect with real estate professionals and graduates of the Goodman Center for Real Estate who believe in helping each other thrive.

LEHIGH WALL STREET COUNCIL

Alumni in the financial services industry create a community that provides networking, volunteer, and career opportunities.

LEHIGH WOMEN'S PROFESSIONAL ALLIANCE

Since 1971 with the first class of female undergraduates, few things are more powerful than women helping women — except, maybe, the Lehigh alumnae network. Join forces with like-minded Lehigh alumnae whose mission is to help women thrive personally and professionally.





Professional Networks Part Deux

Ummm, we have so many Lehigh professional networks that we need a second card.

LEHIGH ALUMNI SUSTAINABILITY ALLIANCE

A group of alumni, faculty, and staff committed to sustainability — and its economic, environmental, and social aspects — who work in a variety of professions and industries.

LEHIGH HEALTHCARE ALLIANCE

Connect with alumni working in health sectors and develop your professional network, mentor students passionate about a career in healthcare, and support the College of Health.

LEHIGH INNOVATORS ALLIANCE

For all who have an entrepreneurial mindset. Cultivate big ideas in life and work and promote the advancement of all industries through innovation.

LEHIGH PROFESSIONAL ARTS ALLIANCE

Put your passion for the arts back into the spotlight with alumni who work in or are passionate about fields such as visual art, theater, music, dance, design, and architecture.





Soaring Together

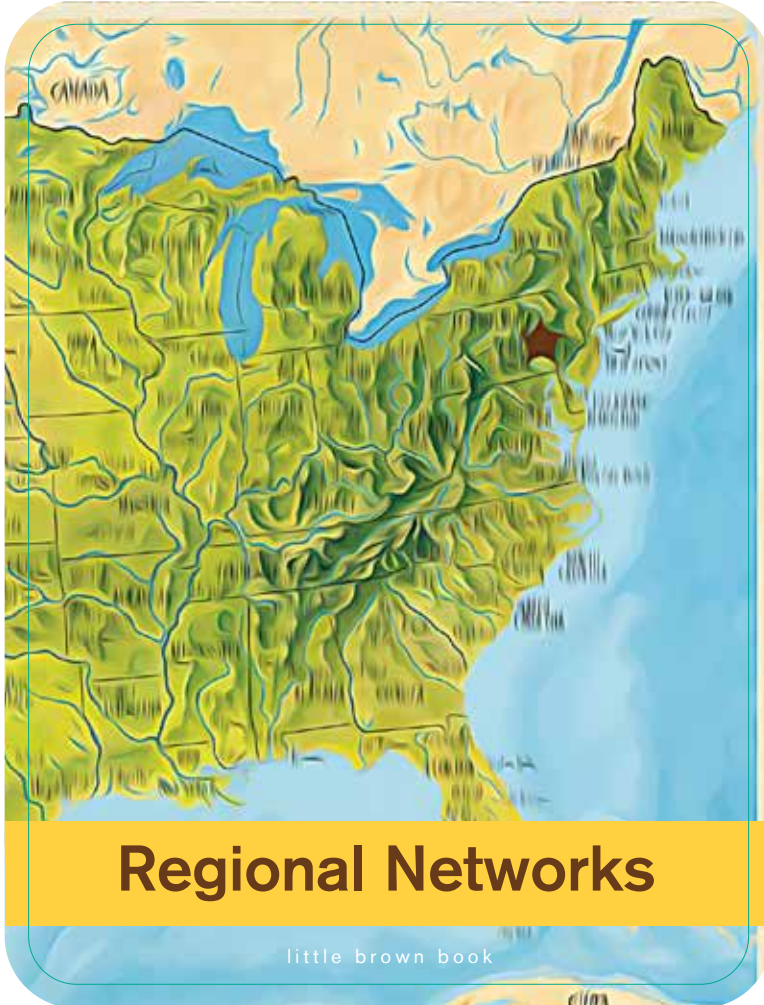
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Soaring Together

Be inspired. Expand your network. Advance your career. Reconnect. Soaring Together, Lehigh's celebration of 50 years of undergraduate coeducation, has invigorated our community of alumnae across the country. Lehigh women have been gathering to celebrate how they changed the university and how they are changing our world. That transformation is being felt on campus as the university is taking action to ensure talented Lehigh students have every opportunity to achieve their goals through a full-tuition scholarship program that includes mentorship and experiential learning opportunities.

Join **LEHIGH WOMEN'S PROFESSIONAL ALLIANCE** Work alongside like-minded Lehigh alumnae whose mission is to help women thrive personally and professionally.





Regional Networks

Find your network of 85,000 alumni across the globe and get connected! Our regional groups are great places to meet alumni in your cities and neighborhoods, enjoy fun activities, and expand your professional network.

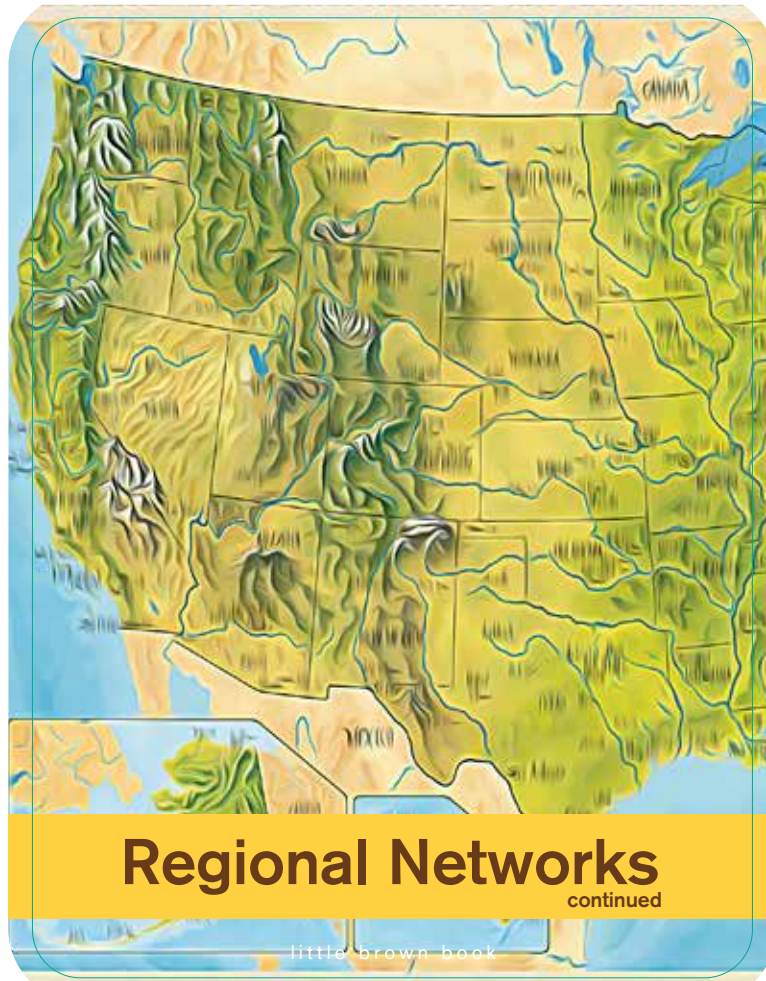
East

- Lehigh Valley
- Baltimore
- Boston
- New Jersey
- New York City
- Philadelphia
- Susquehanna Valley
- Washington, D.C.
- Westchester/Fairfield Counties

Midwest

- Northern Ohio
- Pittsburgh
- Chicago





Regional Networks continued

Come on! With 85,000 alumni, you know we are spread across the globe.

South

- Atlanta
- Houston
- Tampa Bay
- The Carolinas

West

- Arizona
- Denver
- Portland
- San Francisco
- Seattle
- Southern California

International

- Asia
- London
- India





Dinners for 12

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Dinners for 12

Share lively conversation, a love of Lehigh, and a good meal with fellow alums!

Alumni are welcome to join traveling Lehigh staff and faculty when they are in town or host their own Dinner for 12 with their local Lehigh network.

Dinners for 12 can be in person or virtual and focus on a topic of the host's choice. Dinners should include intentional conversation or themes and updates about Lehigh.





Crimson Hearts

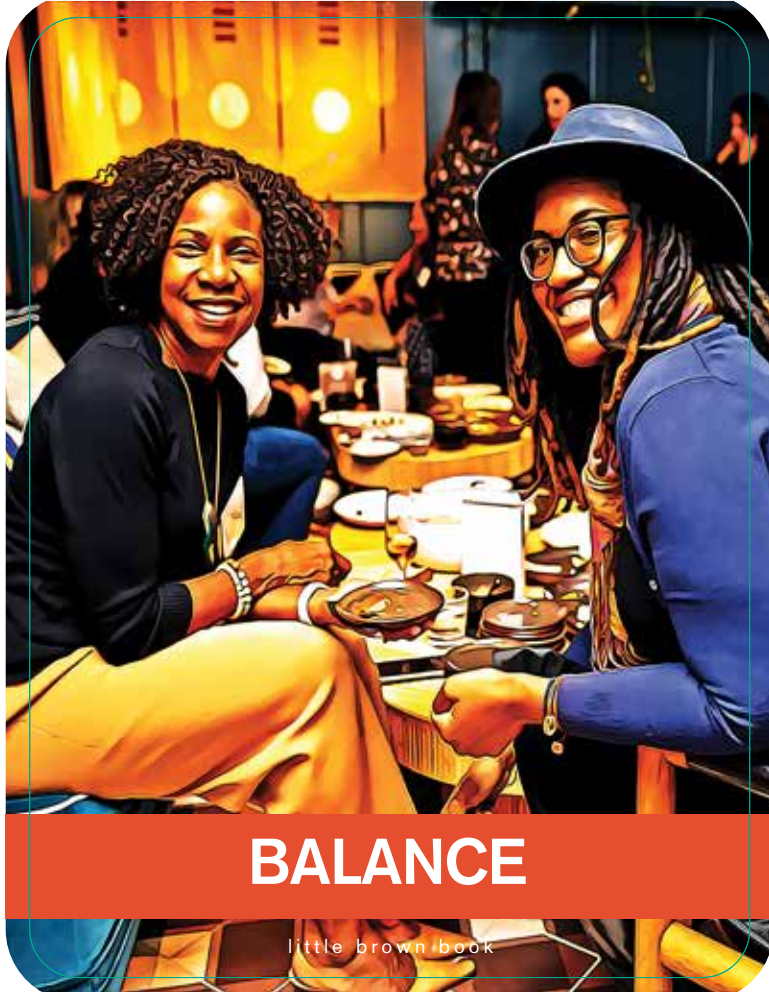
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Crimson Hearts

You connect deeply. You seek friends and fun. You know both of those elements can help to form a family. It is exactly the kind of thing you did on South Mountain as you found close friendships and wide circles, whether on a team, in a dorm, as a member of a group, or as a leader of a program. Because of those strong bonds, you hold a torch for all things

Lehigh —
the place,
the people,
and the
traditions.
We tip
our dink
to you.





BALANCE

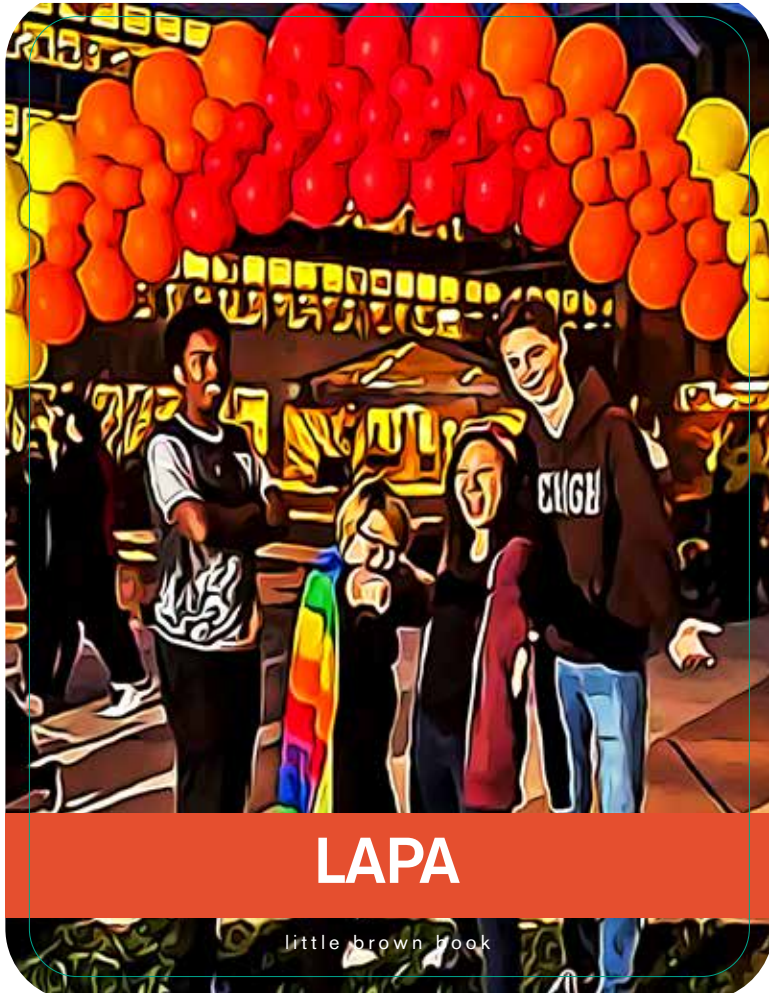
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BALANCE

Be a part of an equitable and inclusive community!

Black And Latinx Alumni Network for Community and Equity (BALANCE) not only facilitates relationships among Black and Latinx students and alumni, but it also encourages alumni engagement with the university's diversity and inclusion initiatives.

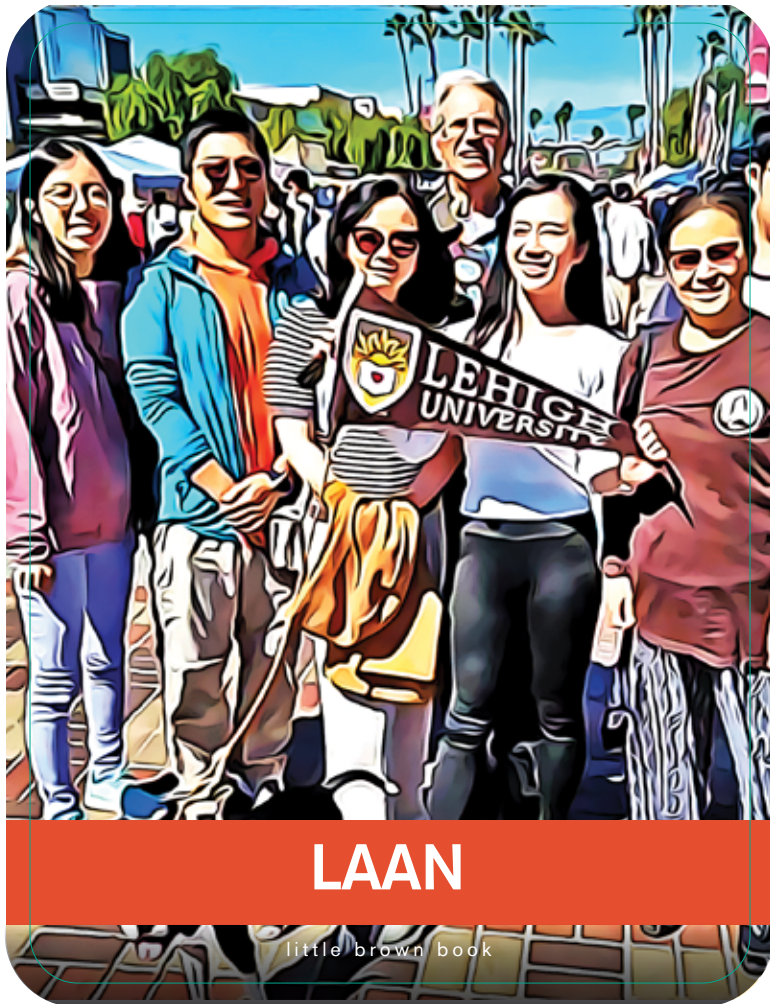




LAPA

Lehigh Alumni Pride Association (LAPA) exists to bring together Lehigh alumni who are members of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, intersex, and asexual community (LGBTQIA+) and allies. We focus on keeping you connected to one another and to Lehigh to foster an inclusive environment for all gender identities and sexual orientations.





LAAN

Lehigh Asian Alumni Network (LAAN)

Join us as we strive to bring together the Asian Lehigh alumni community by celebrating a shared identity while supporting career development, networking, social connections, and community engagement.





More Friendship Groups

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You played with the Marching 97.

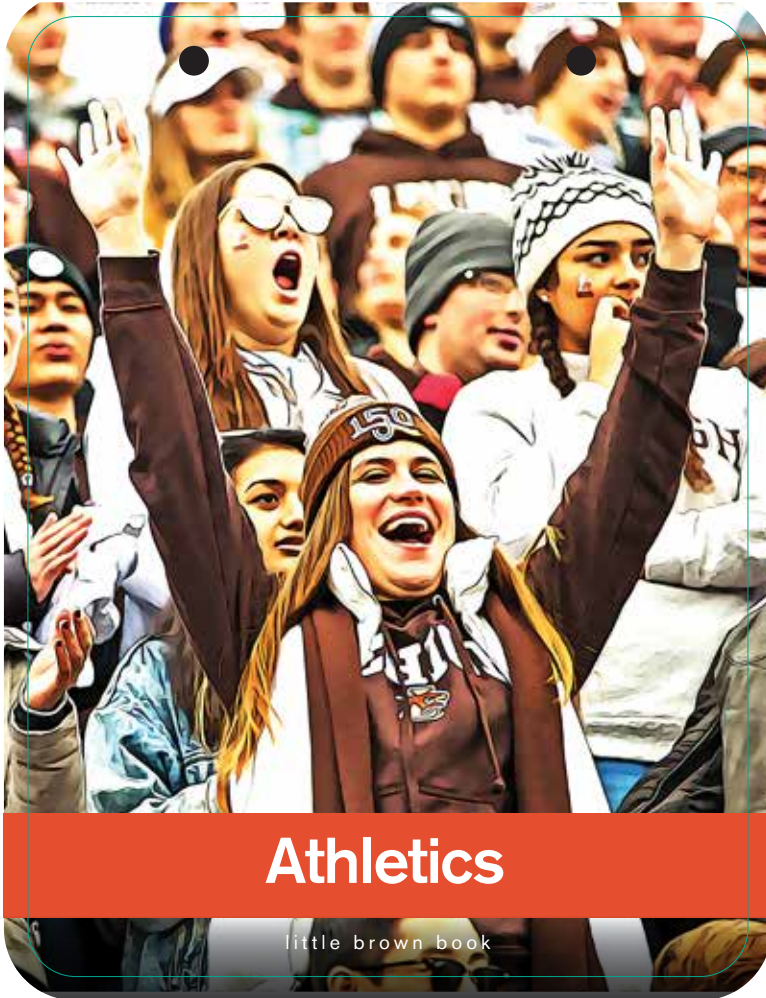
You were a member of a fraternity or sorority.

You wrestled or were a huge fan of the sport.

Well then, we have more groups for you! Each is dedicated to a specific talent or pastime.

Learn how you can participate in events, attend reunions, advise students, and support what brought you so much fun and fulfillment while on campus.





Athletics

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Athletics

Paint your face. Wear your gear. Sing The Old Silver Goblet!

Yup, you are still raising hell!

Cheer for your favorite Lehigh athletic teams by tuning in for a game or come back to Goodman Campus to watch the action live.

Bring the old gang with you.

Check out the Lehigh Athletics schedule to see when a team is playing in your area, or connect with your local regional network to be notified about alumni outings to local games.





Book Binders

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Book Binders

You see potential. You seek growth and impact. You know that education is a key to success and use it to advance your thinking and then apply it at work, in your home, and across your community. You share that passion by laying the groundwork for others, giving of your time and talent to help nurture them. We see your service and salute your Asa-like qualities.





Young Alumni Council

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Young Alumni Council

Thirty to forty members from the 10 most recently graduated classes serve on the Lehigh Young Alumni Council. Each member acts as a bridge between the university and other young alumni, advising and supporting Lehigh as well as inviting those who've graduated within the past 10 years to stay in touch with Lehigh and its mission.





Lehigh University Alumni Association

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Lehigh University Alumni Association

The mission of the board of directors for the Lehigh University Alumni Association is to tap into the power of our 85,000 alumni, provide connections to one another and Lehigh, and unleash the excitement for all that is possible.





Alumni Volunteers for Admissions

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Alumni Volunteers for Admissions

Exceptional students are the foundation at Lehigh. You can help ensure that foundation is solid by joining hundreds of other alumni in the Alumni Volunteers for Admission program. Young alumni are a powerful influence on prospective students as you interview applicants, connect with admitted students, work college fairs, and serve on informational panels. It's all the stuff that helped you decide that Lehigh was the perfect fit for you.





Career Support

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Career Support

Now that you are finding footing and success in the working world, there is so much you could do to help students back on campus who are seeking their own career success!

- Post a job
- Recruit students
- Attend a career expo
- Join Lehigh Connects
- Post a project on Lehigh Connects
- Host an intern
- Let a student shadow you at work
- Write a guest blog

All of it can help a student explore what's possible and find a path.





Mountain Talks

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Mountain Talks

Missing learning in the classroom? We bring the classroom to you! Listen to Lehigh faculty and alumni experts share the latest and greatest in their area of expertise. Can't make the live event? No worries! Watch Mountain Talks via event recordings.





Alumni Book Club

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Alumni Book Club

Every three months, read a book voted on by members and then hop online to discuss it with fellow alumni, faculty, staff, and friends. Read at your own pace and contribute to the discussion as you wish unless you love the book and want to become a discussion leader.





For One. For All.

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For one. For all.

Some activities and events transcend sorting, like our strong Lehigh traditions and ongoing connection with you. Here's the kind of stuff that everyone should want to participate in and will appreciate is available when you need it. It's a great way to embrace what you loved about your Lehigh experience and remain engaged with a place that still cares about you even after you have left South Mountain.



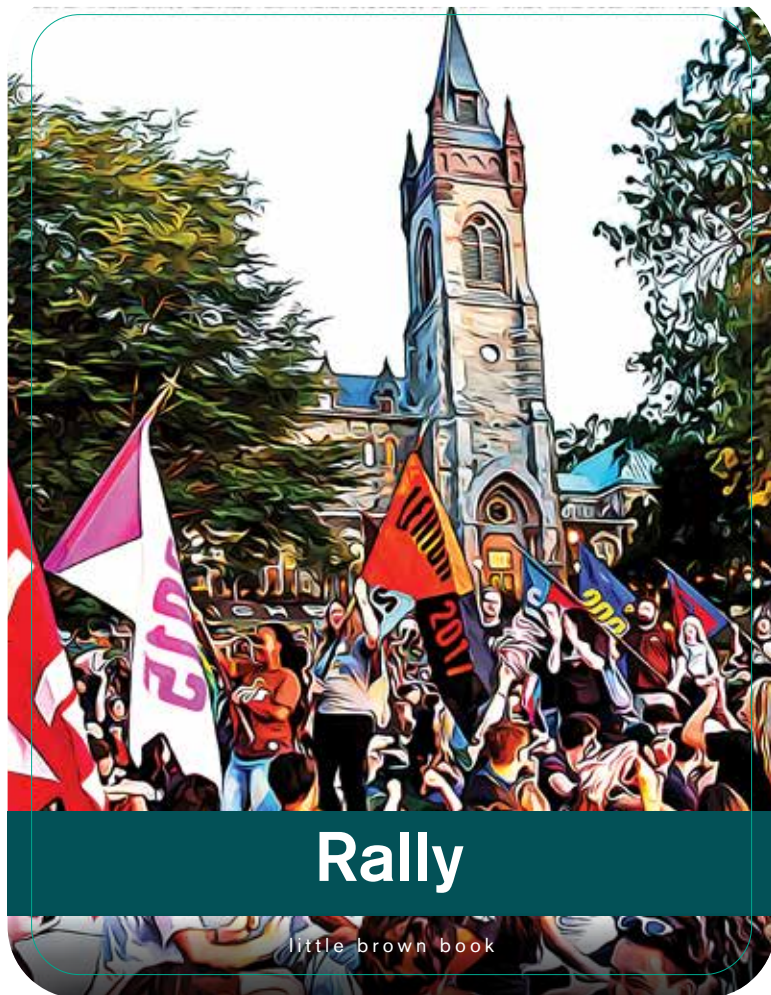
Sendoffs

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Sendoffs

Each year, alumni and parents across the country host student Sendoffs to welcome incoming students and families to Lehigh. You have lots of good advice to share about career, campus, and community. Maybe you'd want to attend or host a Sendoff in your area!



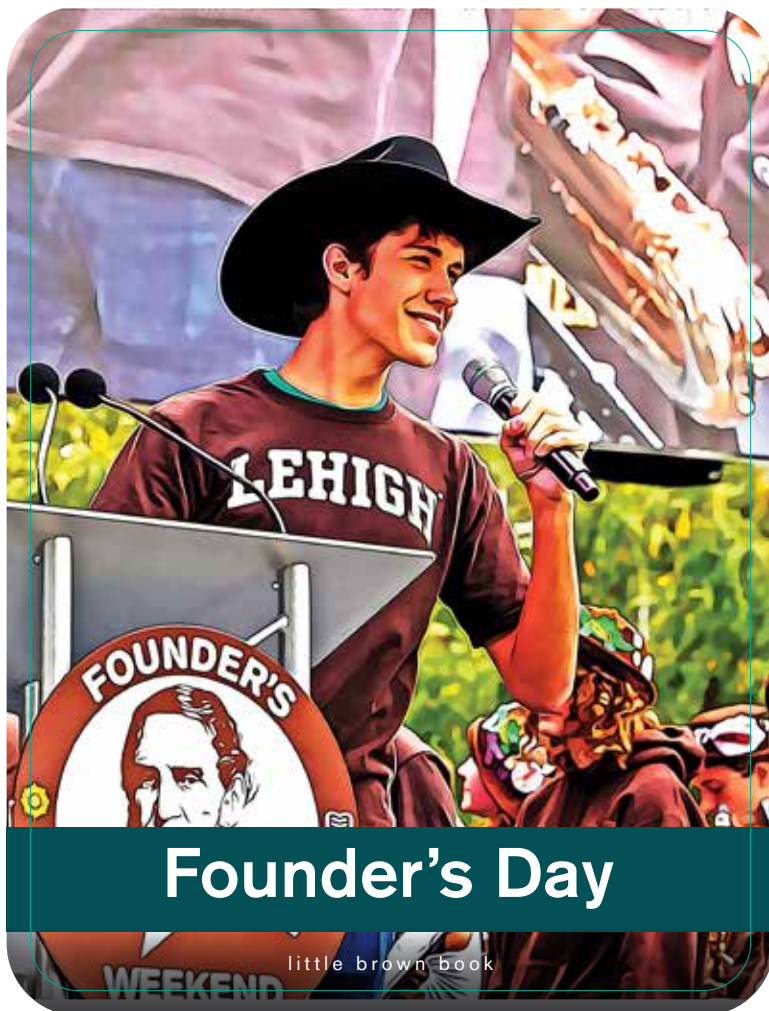


Rally

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Remember that night during orientation when you saw your class flag for the first time and were adopted by a Lehigh class from 50 years ago? Relive it! Come back to campus and carry your flag in the parade. Or stream the Rally as students continue this long-standing tradition.





Founder's Day

Thanks, Asa Packer, for your vision and clout and financial investment that founded Lehigh back in 1865. He, like you, was educated, an entrepreneur, a philanthropist, and a force of positive societal change. Remember the fun you had on campus to celebrate our founder. Tune in that day and raise a toast!

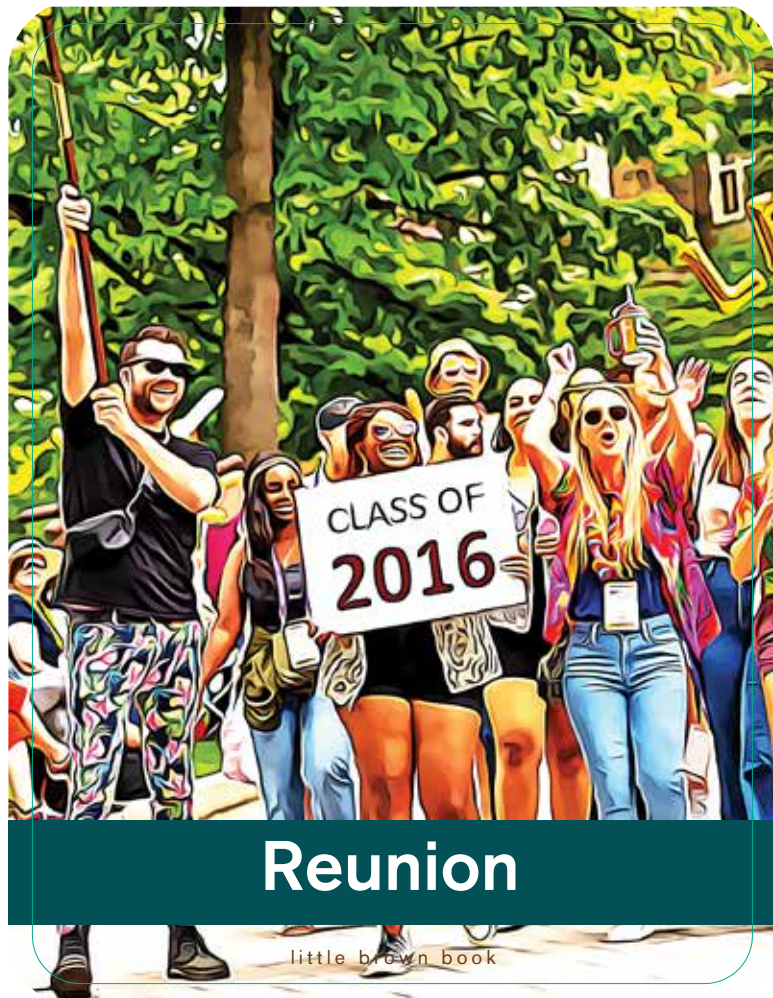




Rivalry Week

Tailgate? Telecast? You have to do something to honor the Bed Races, Eco Flame, and bed sheet insults that make up Rivalry Week. As for the Lehigh-Lafayette game, come home and watch it at Goodman or find a local telecast party and cheer on the Mountain Hawks with other Lehigh alumni. Then sing a few rounds of the alma mater, Rearing and Tearing, or The Old Silver Goblet!

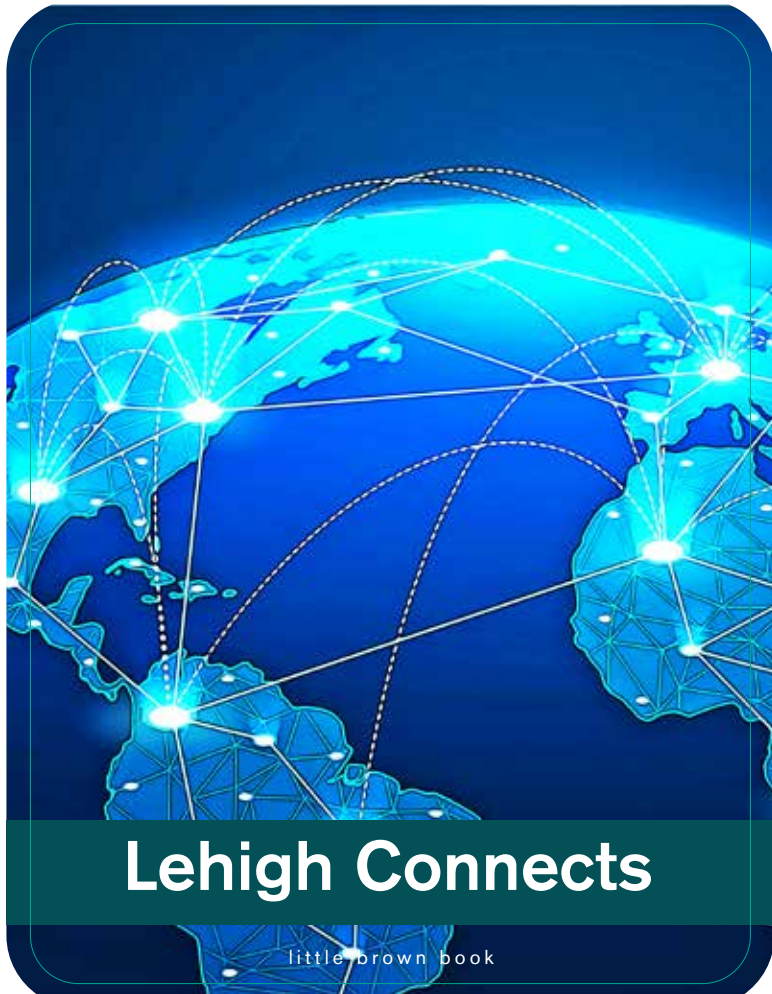




Reunion

Head back to Lehigh for this annual event to meet and mingle with fellow alumni, tap into that Lehigh spirit, and relive the glory days. Staple events for this weekend are designed for both young and more seasoned alumni, including Hawktoberfest, Historic Parade of Classes, Class Celebrations, the State of the University and more!





Lehigh Connects

From mentorship opportunities and career advice to job postings and professional connections, Lehigh Connects is the exclusive platform for Lehigh alumni. Network there with classmates and assist current students as they tap into their passions.





Alumni Support

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Alumni Support

We need it, and here's why.

Yes, we have a billion-dollar endowment, but it isn't a giant piggy bank we can use for anything and everything. The endowment — much of which is earmarked for specific uses by donors — is an investment. Each year about 15% of that investment is used in the budget to fulfill critical needs like student scholarships, professorships, and research. The remainder continues to grow so it can support Lehigh well into the future.

Our mission is made possible by your investment. That's why we want you informed and involved as an alum. Then you can see all we are doing and find ways to support it.





Perks

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Perks

PENN CLUB

Join the Penn Club of New York and unlock numerous benefits such as its affordable overnight rooms, Palestra Fitness Center, and access to over 150 exclusive reciprocal clubs around the world.

INSURANCE

The Alumni Insurance Program from Meyers & Associates brings you attractive policies that cover not just you, but also your spouse or domestic partner, children, parents, and siblings.

LICENSE PLATE PROGRAM

Show every driver on the road that you're Lehigh for Life with a specialty Lehigh license plate! Available for Pennsylvania and Maryland drivers.

LIBRARY SERVICES

Dig into the alumni archives to view Epitome, Bulletin, and The Brown and White as well as student publications, photographs, and more.

ALUMNI TRAVEL

Grab some friends and your passport and let Lehigh show you the world. The Lehigh Alumni Travel Program offers a wide variety of trips to destinations near and far.





Walk the Walk

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Walk the Walk

If you are going to walk the walk as an engaged alum, then you need to talk the talk. Here are some fast facts to help you share the Lehigh story.

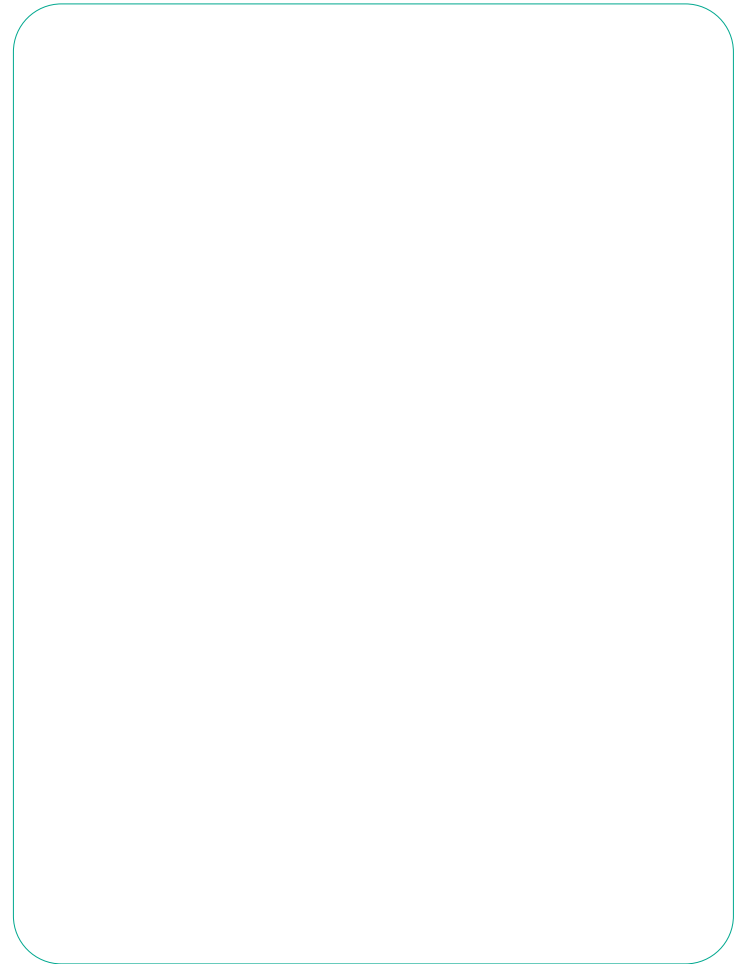
- 85,000 alumni in the Lehigh network - 11,600 young alumni (graduates of the last decade)
- \$76,000 average starting salary for 2023 graduates
- 95% of Class of 2022 were employed, continuing education, or pursuing military/volunteer service within six months of graduation
- 257 young alumni are current volunteers
- 2212 (or 19% of) young alumni attended events/ programs in the last 3 years
- 3,100 (or 27% of) young alumni have made a gift in the last 5 years
- Lehigh ranked #14 for 2024 ranking of best colleges
- Ranked as top university best value school

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Lehigh Alumni Sorting Quiz and Connectivity Creator

Helping you discover ways to extend
your South Mountain experience





Contact our office to get connected!

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Email us at alumnirelations@lehigh.edu to connect further! Stay up to date with upcoming young alumni events alumni.lehigh.edu/young-alumni

- Keep in touch, update your contact information
- Follow us on instagram [@lehigh_youngalumni](https://www.instagram.com/lehigh_youngalumni)
- Submit class notes to your Class Correspondent

