

#### **WELCOME CLASS OF 2028 PARENTS**

To The
Second Annual Global Parents Network
Reception

Hosted by Global Parents Council

August 30, 2024



## **Inaugural Global Parents Council**



Inaugural Members of the GPC at the First Annual Global Parents Reception

**China:** Xingwang "Peter" Peng & Zhongzong Xu (Par BUA'19; Questrom'22)

**Egypt:** Bassel Saad & Dalia Doss (Par Questrom '26; SHA 27)

Hong Kong: Lincoln Chan (Pardee'94) & Mika Yamaguchi (Par Questrom'27)

**India:** Milan & Saloni Chokshi (Par Pardee'27)

India: Vikas & Aroma Jain (Par Questrom'26)

**UAE:** Amer Sharaf Alhashmi (CAS'00, MET'02) & Fatma Khoory (Par CAS'27)

**UAE/UK:** Utsav & Manjari Mehrotra Seth (Par CAS'23; CAS'26, Pardee'26)

**UK/Lebanon**: Malek (ENG'92) & Maria Sukkar (Par COM'23; ENG'25)

Philippines: Alfonso & Geraldine Anggala (Par Questrom'26),

**Switzerland:** Alexander & Alexandra Classen (Par CAS'26)

Turkey: Demir (CAS'93) & Aslıhan Sabancı (Par CAS'26; CAS'27)

Taiwan: Erwin Shyu (Questrom'80) & Tina Fan (Par CAS'25)



Yoona Lee and Parents at the First Annual Global Parents Reception



Parents at the First Annual Global Parents Reception

# New Members of the Global Parents Council

- Abdullah Almarzouq & Zainab E. Jaafar (Parents CAS'25, Questrom'25; Questrom'27), Kuwait
- ❖ Nitin (Questrom<sup>G</sup>'02) & Ayushi Chaturvedi (Parents CAS'27), India
- ❖ Mehmet & Sirin Ekame (Parents ENG'27), Spain

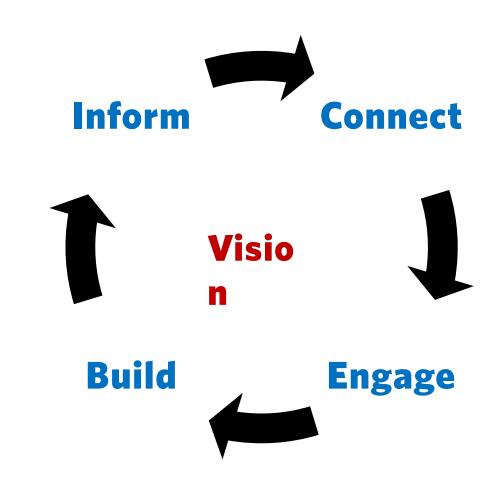
We welcome you to join the Global Parents Council!

Global Parents Reception in Bangalore, India



Global Parents Reception in Beijing, China

#### What is the Global Parents Network?





Global Parents Reception Event in Dubai, UAE

#### Inform - on student experience

In partnership with the Dean of Students, the deans and faculty of our 17 schools and colleges, our students and our global alumni community

Offer virtual and in-person events to provide:

- Information about life on campus
- Information about the student academic and research experience
- Updates from our deans and academics
- Stories from our alumni

#### **#ProudtoBU**





#### **Admissions: Class of 2028**

- Applications received for 2028: 78,769 (15,507 are non-US citizens) with a 10.5% admit
- 58 % of the class comes from Early Decision (ED)
  - 34 countries
- Average GPA 3.9-4.0 (predominantly A range)
- Approximately 3,300 2028 undergraduate students
  - 24 % on incoming freshman are international students from 78 countries



Global Parents Reception in Mumbai, India

# Connect - with our 385,000+ alumni (39,000+ international)

Coordinate with the Global Leadership Development Team

- Gain access to our network by participating in our events
- Get involved with our International and Parents
   Councils
- Get invited to our networking events, international and regional forums, academic and professional workshops, panels and symposia.

# BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Global Parents Reception Event in Shenzhen, China



Global Parents Reception in Geneva, Switzerland

#### **Engage – in impactful BU leadership roles**

Provide access to BU Leadership should you choose to step into leadership roles to make an impact.

Special invitations to in-person events globally hosted by our:

- University's International Advisory Board
- Deans of our 17 Schools and Colleges
- University President and Provost

Invitations through the Global Leadership Development team to:

- Speaking engagements
- Host a Dean or the President for a dinner or luncheon



Global Parents Reception in Mexico City, Mexico

### **Build - an active global parent community**

In partnership with our Global Parents Council members, Global Leadership Development team and our international alumni

- In-person parent gatherings across the globe
- Annual Family and Friends weekend in October on campus
- Communication updates from our Global Parents Council
- Summer Sendoffs for incoming freshman
- Prospective Students Receptions in partnership with Admissions



Global Parents Network Event in London, UK

#### Please Join the Global Parents Network!

- Support with an annual gift for on-campus initiatives led by our Dean of Students
- Host and participate in parent events in your city
- Serve as a Global Parents Council member for your country
- Promote and host our Prospective Student Receptions coordinated by the Office of Admissions
- Host Summer Sendoffs in your city
- Meet with the GLD team when they visit your region and learn about how to take on leadership roles



Global Parents Network Event in Istanbul, Turkey

#### To Join the Global Parents Network

- Visit our website:
  - https://www.bu.edu/alumni/giving/whogives/global-parents-network/
  - Or search "BU Global Parents Network" and click "Join Now"
- Email us at <u>bugpn@bu.edu</u>
- Look for a thank you email with all the necessary links

#### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Virtual**

 Global Parents Network Virtual Session: Student Housing Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 AM (EDT)

Global Parents Network Virtual

Session: Educational Resource Center Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 AM (EDT)

#### **In-Person**

Family & Friends Weekend

Friday, October 18th - Sunday, October 20th

 Global Parents Network events in India, Thailand, Spain, the UK & Turkey this Fall

#### **Global Leadership Development Team**



Juhi Ginger Dagli Associate Vice President Middle East, Africa, South Asia & Europe



Tuoyang Mu Associate Director China, Singapore, Hong Kong & Taiwan



Yoona Lee International Development Officer Thailand, Japan, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Vietnam & Philippines



Kati Reusche International Development Officer Canada, Latin America, Puerto Rico



Brianna Buck Associate Director International Programs



Niamh Henry Development Associate

#### **International Alumni Engagement Team**



Kate Loftus
Director
International Alumni Network



Ya Su Associate Director International Alumni Networks

