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PARENTS & FAMILIES NEWSLETTER

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Carleton Summer Send-Off Events Continue Through August 26

From now through August 26, we have 16 events coming up all over the country that all members of the Carleton community are welcome to attend. Each event will be co-hosted by alumni, current students, and current parents, and will give you a chance to (re)connect with the Carls in your area.

[Learn More and Register Today](#)



Help Carls Explore This December

Workplaces and short-term housing are needed for the Career Center's [Externship Program](#), November 27-December 15. We are actively recruiting organizations to host Carls to job shadow and/or complete project work. Carleton families and friends are also invited to welcome an extern for a homestay during their externship. Hosts should post their externship opportunities by August 25.

You can learn more on the externship [website](#) or fill out our [interest form](#) to get started. If you have specific questions, reach out to externships@carleton.edu.

[Learn More and Register](#)

Interested in Volunteering?

Carleton parents and guardians can be wonderful ambassadors and advocates for the college, helping us to secure internships and externships for students, hosting events across the country, and serving as resources to parents of prospective students. If you're interested in volunteering, let us know by filling out the survey [here](#). To reach the survey, look up your record and then scroll down to the section labeled "Volunteer Opportunities."

[Volunteer for Carleton](#)

Alumni Spotlight

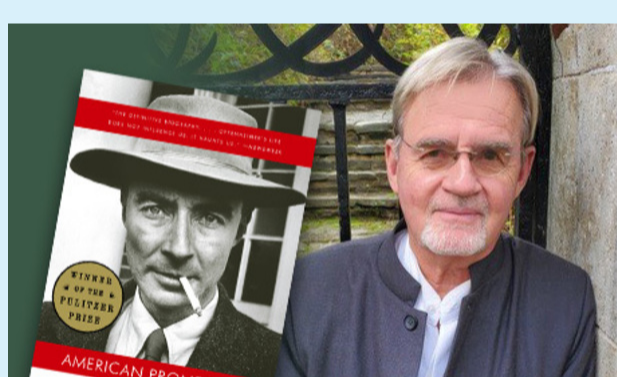
John Harris '85 Named Top Editor at Politico

Politico has announced that its [top U.S. editor would be replaced by one of the publication's co-founders, John Harris '85](#), who will also take on additional responsibilities for the media outlet's international editions. Harris was also featured by the *Observer* in a piece titled ["Who is John Harris, the Not-So-New Top Editor at Politico?"](#)



Kai Bird '73 Contributes Guest Essay to The New York Times

Kai Bird '73—winner of a 2006 Pulitzer Prize for his and Martin J. Sherwin's biography, "American Prometheus" which in turn inspired Christopher Nolan's 2023 film "Oppenheimer"—[published a guest essay](#) in *The New York Times* titled "The Tragedy of J. Robert Oppenheimer."



Carleton Young Alumni Feature: Eve Liu '20, Freelance Photographer



Campus Scenes



Our usual invasive-species-munching goats are relaxing elsewhere this summer, so this week we've got sheep taking care of some plants by Lyman Lakes!

Useful Links

- [Parent/Family Gateway](#)
- [COVID-19 campus updates](#)
- [Weekly Convocations](#)
- [Campus Calendar](#)
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