

C&GHERALD THE CASQUE & GAUNTLET SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

HOMECOMING 2024 | ANNUAL DUES AND DONATIONS



Perfectly gloomy fall weather at the top of Mount Gile in Norwich



C&G Homecoming 2024 was held at Still North Books and Bar in Downtown Hanover.



A Letter from Our Student-Alumni Liaison

LETTER FROM HAN VALE '20

Homecoming earlier this month was a wonderful opportunity to connect with students and alumni. Our event at Still North Books and Bar was very well attended, and students had an air of lightness and joy about them. Among socializing, Arthur Phoebe Yuen '25 was coordinating her team of Aegis yearbook photographers to make sure to capture the bonfire at its highest blaze. For the first time in recent years, C&G sponsored a bonfire board! While I made the rounds connecting with students, I bonded with Garry Hook '25, our Merlin on the many beautiful hikes in Washington state and Seward Park in Seattle. I'm sure you will hear it soon from students themselves, but I was deeply impressed by the many projects our C&Gs are taking on. For some, investing in student comedy in the Jack-o, to creating an in-depth film project about LGBTQ+ farmers with a senior fellowship opportunity.

The next day, I made good on my promise to hike Gile -- though I was the only C&G present. Maybe in the future we won't be such a fair weather bunch...nevertheless, I took a moment at the top to reflect on the organization over the past few years. Our many challenges, and many successes, and all that have kept these lines of fellowship unbroken over so many years. May our organization continue to grow and thrive, and become stronger. Viva!

Many fields,

Hanover Vale '20



Annual Dues and Donations

GOAL: \$10,000



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO THE LIFE AND LONGEVITY OF CASQUE AND GAUNTLET SENIOR SOCIETY. WE ARE ABOUT \$6,000 FROM OUR DUES AND DONATIONS GOALS FOR 2024-25.

Annual Dues and Donations

WE NEED YOUR HELP

Recognizing the need to stay ahead of rising costs and keep the organization sustainable for the long term, We are asking you to support current and future C&G delegations by making a generous contribution beyond our standard dues. Standard dues are \$25 for the delegations of 2019-2023 and \$50 for delegations before 2019. Here are the leadership levels of giving for this year's contributions solicitation:

• Order of the Round Table: \$250

• Order of Merlin: \$600

• Order of Excalibur: \$1,000

• Order of Arthur: \$1,500

• Order of The Grail: \$1,886

In 2023, we had 20 C&G alumni who each contributed \$250 and up, with five of those making individual contributions of at least \$1,000. We need more of you to join the others who gave at the leadership levels for C&G to maintain a healthy balance sheet year-to-year. Here is the link to the form where you can pay by Zelle (preferred method), PayPal, or a check in the mail.

Thank you for supporting the C&G Senior Society!



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Save the Date Spring Feast 2025

Saturday, May 05, 2025



From left to right: Doug Chia (President) '93, David Kotz '86, Tig Tillinghast '93, Han Vale (Student-Alumni Liaison) '20, and Monique Roy (Vice President) '00

EXCITED TO GET INVOLVED?

C&G has many ways to connect with students and create a community with fellow alumni! Our next events are a meetup for cocktails in NYC, tapping the '26s, Spring Feast 2025.

LINKEDIN NETWORKING

We invite you to join the C&G Facebook and LinkedIn groups!
These groups are great forums to stay connected and up-to-date with our C&G community around the world, whether you're looking to meet up with fellow Knights or for career mentoring and networking. We're currently growing those spaces and would love to open them to C&Gs of all decades! The Alumni Engagement Team (Han V, Juan Q, and Brandon Z) is working on a mentorship and career connections program to be shared more broadly next year, so stay tuned!

https://www.facebook.com/groups/307748775933892 https://www.linkedin.com/groups/2821470/

We're currently looking for alumni in specific fields/industries who are willing to connect with students in the Class of 2025 delegation (more info on LinkedIn)!

WEBSITE AND COMMUNICATIONS

The Communications Team (Secretary and Historian) could use help building, editing, and updating the C&G Society Website. We use WordPress and would be grateful for any help you can give.

Feel free to contact Ned Ward '89 (Sir Gawain) at alumnirecords@casqueandgauntletsociety.org for more details.

Many Fields Many Crowns