



Dear [first_name],

We are excited to share details about a Wonderful Wellesley Weekend in February with two events held by Wellesley in Entertainment and by WCAA & WCLA with special guests from the college. We hope you will join us!

***Best wishes,
Your WCLA Board***

Upcoming Events

Events below are listed in chronological order.

Wellesley in Entertainment presents

**"In Conversation: Holly Goldberg Sloan & Amy Holden Jones
talk about writing, entertainment, and life"**

Holly and Amy, both Wellesley alums, have between them careers spanning screenwriting, feature directing, commercial directing, editing, script supervision, and book writing. Among Holly's writing credits are *Angels in the Outfield* and *Made in America*. Amy co-created the show *The Resident*, which recently premiered on Fox. She also wrote *Mystic Pizza*, *Indecent Proposal*, and *Beethoven*. Their full bios are available at the ticket link below. Please join us for a memorable afternoon!

This event is a fundraiser for the WIE's annual screenwriting competition for Wellesley seniors.

Date: Saturday, February 24th, 2018

Time: 3pm - 4pm

Location: Open Space Cafe (access theater through cafe storefront)

[457 N. Fairfax Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90036](https://www.wellesley.edu/entertainment/2018-02-24-wellesley-in-entertainment-presents-in-conversation-holly-goldberg-sloan-amy-holden-jones)

[Buy Tickets](#)

Ticket pricing:

WCLA Members: \$10

Non-Members & Guests: \$15

Wellesley College Alumnae Association and the Wellesley Club of Los Angeles

2018: Building Your Career for Success

[Missy Siner Shea '89](#), Executive Director of the Wellesley College Alumnae Association, and

[Christine Cruzvergara](#), Associate Provost & Executive Director for Career Education, are visiting Los Angeles for a career event featuring an intro to the Hive, the college's new networking platform, and a panel conversation with LA alumnae:

[Kate Erickson '05](#): TV Writer; President of Wellesley in Entertainment

[Rachel Nguyen '90](#): Director, Future Lab, Renault-Nissan-Mitsubishi Alliance

[Dr. Sandra Salazar '99](#): Family Medicine Physician; Cerritos Community College Board Trustee

[Chris Miller '66](#) (moderator): President, Miller Marketing and Communications

Date: Sunday, February 25th, 2018

Time: 3pm - 5:30pm

Location: Home of Erika Spitzer '06

[Click here to RSVP and buy tickets](#)

Ticket pricing:

Young Alum Member (Class '13-'17): \$5

WCLA Members & Young Alum Non-Members: \$10

Non-Members & Guests: \$20

Lifetime Members: Free

Walk-in registration will be available at the door for \$20 (cash or check)

Online RSVPs close on Saturday, February 24th.

For questions, please contact [Lori Dreischmeier](#)

Wellesley-in-Pasadena Club and the Harvard Club of Southern California Annual Lunar New Year Celebration

Welcome the Year of the Dog at the annual dinner co-hosted by both clubs. The guest speaker will be Jade Chang, author of *The Wangs vs. The World*, a comic debut novel about the Asian-American immigrant experience.

Date: Sunday, March 18th, 2018

Time: 6pm - 9pm

Location: Golden Dragon Restaurant (Chinatown)

[960 North Broadway](#)

[Los Angeles, CA 90012](#)

[Event Registration](#) (registration deadline: 3/16/18)

Ticket Pricing (includes a 10-course Peking Duck dinner):

Members: \$30

Non-Members: \$35

For questions, please contact [Jeannie Park](#).

Get Involved

The Hive

Join the networking platform: <https://hive.wellesley.edu/>

Wellesley Latina Network (WLAN) and Wellesley Club of Los Angeles

To get involved with WLAN and support Latina/Hispanic admission/recruitment, college connection and alumnae community at Wellesley College and in the alumnae network,

please contact [Brittany Lamon-Paredes '15](#).

Wellesley Entrepreneurs' Group

If you are an entrepreneur, or interested in becoming one, and would like to join a monthly meeting of the Wellesley Entrepreneurs group for Southern California, please contact [Steph Hsieh](#) or [Karen Jordan](#).

Please Support our Club

Support a Potential Wellesley Student, Sponsor a Book Award!

The [Book Award Program](#) is an excellent bridge between Wellesley College and prospective students. Sponsor a future Wellesley student by submitting a high school you'd like to nominate

by Monday, February 26, 2018.

To sponsor an award by fundraising \$30 for a bright young student, please purchase the Book Award [here on the WCLA website](#).

WCLA Membership

If you live in the Los Angeles area, please consider becoming a member of WCLA or renewing your membership. Membership provides discounted event tickets, and of course, the chance to support your local Wellesley Club including valuable programs such as lectures with visiting Wellesley professors and faculty, alumnae career panels, recruitment in local high schools and college fairs, and the annual Book Awards.

Lifetime Membership: One-time cost of \$500

Annual Membership Dues:

Recent Graduate (Class of '17): \$0

Young Alumna (Classes of '13-'16): \$25

Regular Membership: \$50

Annual memberships are valid for one year from the date of purchase. Recent Graduate and Young Alumna membership levels are updated at the end of each academic year. Dues can be paid [online](#). Please be sure to log in to the WCLA site first.

If there are issues with logging into the system, you can first try the reset app which can be found [here](#).

If you need further technical help with your login, please use [this form](#).

You can also mail a check to Brenna Vredeveld, one of WCLA's Co-Treasurers.

Contact her at bvredeveld@gmail.com for the mailing address. Please make checks payable to

Wellesley Club of Los Angeles, include your graduation year and specify as "membership dues".

Alumnae Networks

Facebook Community: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/WellesleyClubLosAngeles>

Wellesley Club of Los Angeles homepage: <https://losangeles.alum.wellesley.edu/>

Wellesley Hive: <https://hive.wellesley.edu/>

WCLA Board

Please welcome our newest Board member, Lian Jue!

Co-Presidents: Lori Dreischmeier & Erika Spitzer

Vice President: Leah Tran

Social Media Chair: Sophie Nitkin

Communications: Alexandra Nagourney, Lian Jue

Admission Reps: Rebecca Nounou, Katie Barsotti

Co-Treasurers: Brenna Vredeveld, Henrietta Wong

Book Awards Chair: Brittany Lamon-Paredes

Wellesley in Entertainment Rep: Michelle Lirtzman

Young Alumnae Chair: Rachel Thommen