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To my fellow classmates,

Welcome to Reunion 2013! Risa Levine, Robin Sherman, their committee and the staff in the Alumni office have been working hard to plan a great weekend. So I will take this opportunity to thank them on your behalf and mine.

You see the results of my contribution in your hands. While a time consuming project, putting the book together was also a great deal of fun, especially reading each of the forms as they came in. Indeed, in this Facebook age, there were times when I felt frustrated that I could not 'like' your comments or some of the beautiful family photos sent in. But as I would not have had the pleasure of preparing this book without all that great material, I personally thank each of you who took the time to fill in a form or send in photographs.

I am not going to editorialize on the data in this book. That would spoil all the fun. You can come to your own conclusions and use them as conversation starters while you are here at Reunion. For those of you who will not be with us this weekend, it is not too late to join the conversation on our class Facebook page at:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/Brandeis-83-30th-Reunion/442288315820293

And please be sure to check this page after Reunion for pictures from the weekend.

I do want to say a word about the maps you will find scattered throughout this book. These show every city where a member of our class can currently be found. They were made using a private mapmaker app and no names or street addresses were included in the data set. Like me, you may be pleasantly surprised to learn that there is another member of our class in your hometown. However, you will have to use other Alumni sources to find out just who that person is.

But that's enough from me; now turn the page and enjoy!

Michele Payson Rosenfield '83

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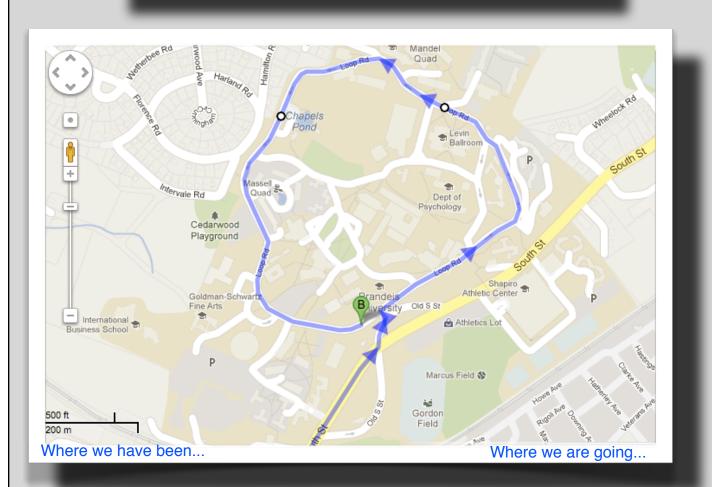
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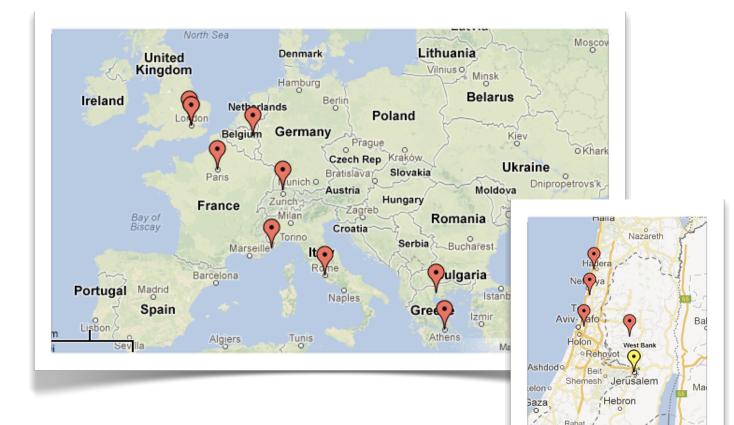
### Part I: The Road We Have Traveled



The stops we have made along the way...

### Where we can be found...

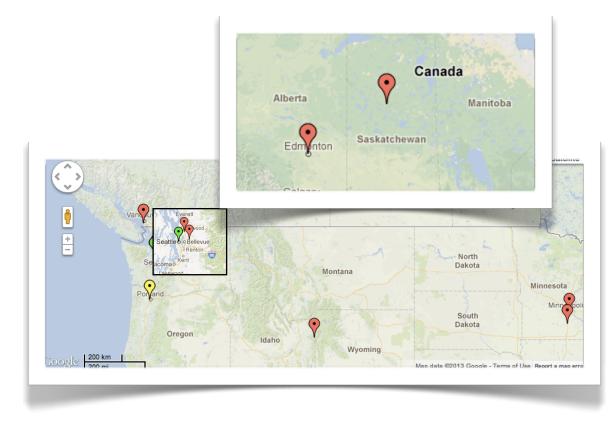




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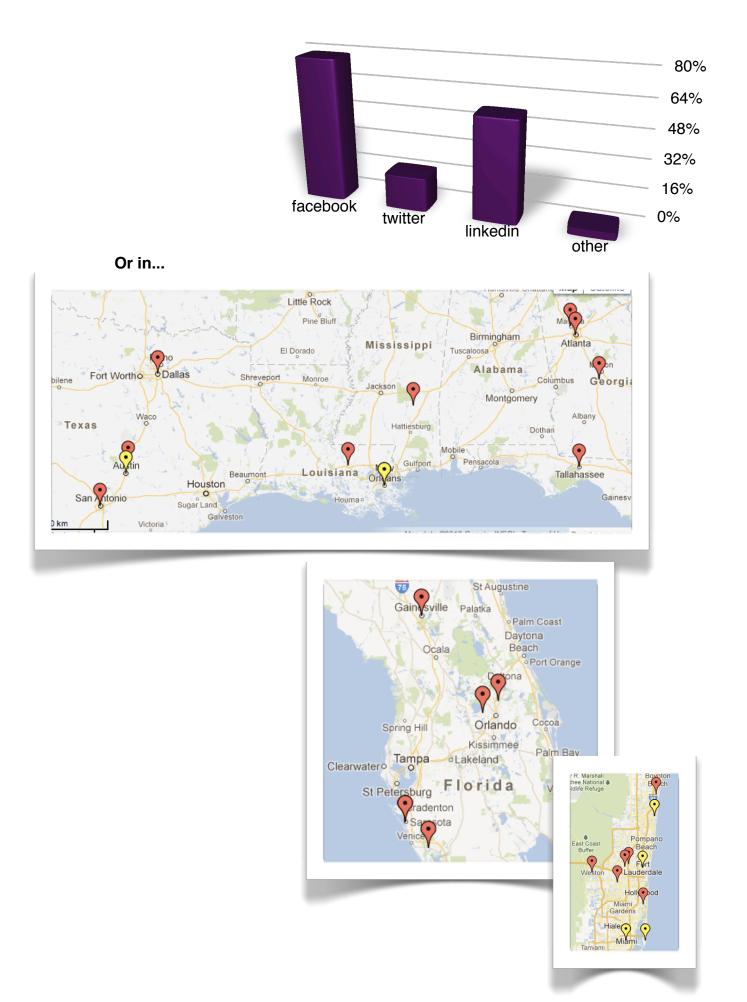
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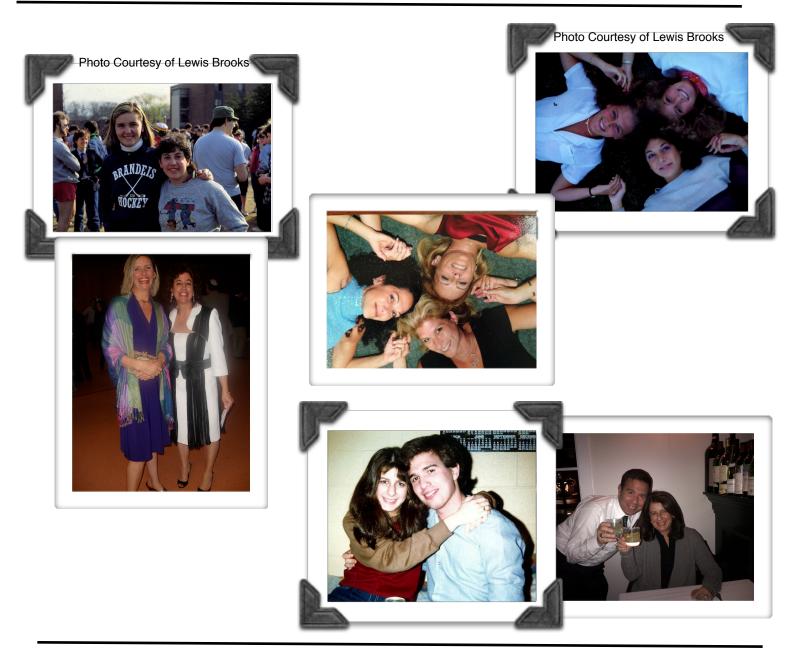




I can be found on...









### What spot on the Brandeis campus are you, or would you be, most interested in (re)visiting? (If you have recently been on-campus, answer this question as you would have just prior to your visit)

My dorm room, but I forgot the name of the building My freshman dorm (Scheffries). Reitman The Castle East dorms New dorms Renfield Hall, my first-year residence The Castle. Renfield Dorm Reitman. Sheffres. Renfield Dorm East dorms Reitman! I keep hearing that Rosenthal is now the party dorm. Sachar The Stein New Library **Slosberg Music Center** Plaza outside NEIS building The Stein and North Ouad **Student Center** Shapiro Hall and Berlin Chapel Levin Ballroom Student Center (then called Usdan) The science library and chem labs. Perlman Lounge. Massell Pond. The old Justice office. Cholmondeley's Spingold/Laurie dorm outside Spingold grad housing

The Castle. As so much of the University has been so nicely renovated, I would like to see if the castle is, well, a Castle?

The Castle, with my kids (which we did and it was great fun!) It would be fun to visit the suite I lived in Freshman and Sophomore year in East.... I still remember dragging the telephone down the hall from the common area into my room. One phone for 10 girls to share... now there are 10 phones in every suite!

The Castle in general, and Chumley's in particular. Also the WBRS studios. Whatever happened to all that vinyl????

Berlin Chapel, for two reasons. First, Anne Exter '80 and I married in the chapel in August 2012. Second, I became more in tune with my spirituality during services in Berlin Chapel while studying at Brandeis.

My room in Cable. I will admit it. I carved my name and class year towards the back of the top shelf in the closet. I've always wondered if it survived and whether anyone somehow saw it and joined me.

The high rock above the science quad. I used to go up there and blow bubbles in the sunshine.

The Whole campus is so special to me; Massell Quad, Sherman Cafeteria where Jonathan served on the Kosher Line (and made me sing for my food), Usdan, Chumley's,... not one place in particular

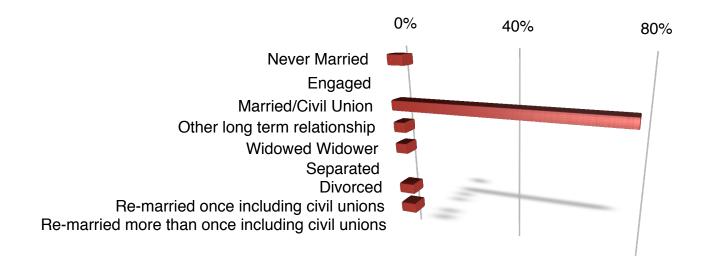
My freshman dorm room in Cable. The stacks in the basement of Gerstenzang. First floor Reitman in North Quad. Top of Rabb Steps overlooking Campus. On the Rabb steps, to look at Usdan and Scheffries.

Chomondeley's, the venue where my band Rave debuted in 1978. Rose Art Museum Art Studios Usdan East Dorms Theater I would be interested in seeing the campus in general as I am sure that much has changed in 30 years.

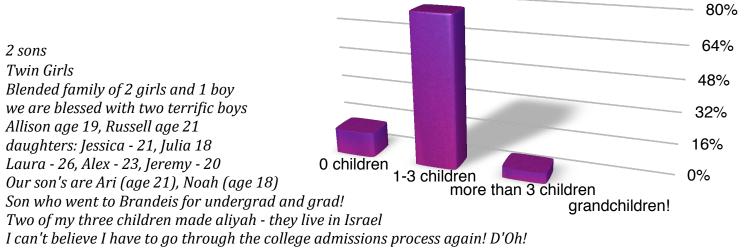


### No one spot - miss it all.

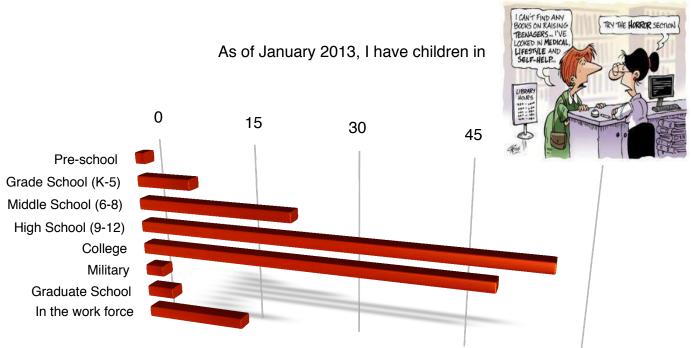
Single parent family Met at Brandeis Married a Brandeis Grad! My wife is Anne Exter '80 Married to David YS Moy '81 Still married to Eugene Gurvits '81 Married for 13 years Just celebrated our 22nd anniversary! Married 23 years to Benjamin Dulman I've been married to fellow Brandeis Alum, Jonahtan Lightman for 25 years



My family has ...

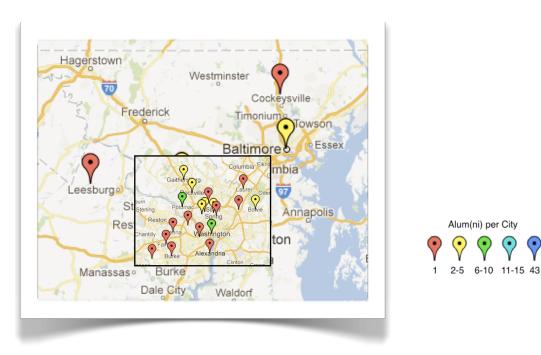


We have 3 children. My son, Sammy, will be 19 in June. Ariella will be 17 in May and Joseph turned 14 in January.



Allison is a freshman at Wash U in St Louis, Russell is a senior at Duke (graduating May 2013) Ari attends Arizona State and Noah will attend U.C.San Diego Brandeis P'16 Daughter in Brandeis Class of 2016

All 3 will be in college this Fall!



### What fact or story about your years at Brandeis would most surprise, or entertain, your children, friends or co-workers today?

I have one daughter at Brandeis and another starting in the fall -- I have probably shared too many stories already.

I've told my kids about the "Screw Your Room-mate" dances. They thought it was an absolutely brilliant concept. It's impressive something we did socially at Brandeis stands up to the test of kids who go Michigan and Tulane.

That we actually had fun at brandeis --- sorry, my kids don't think of the brandeis of today to be a "fun" school. Also that there was a campus bar -- college campus' today don't have that since the drinking age was changed from 18.

#### I got drunk on the weekends regularly.

Some of my dating and girlfriend stories, none of which are fit to print.

### Driving to Mardi Gras senior year

The social event called "screw your roommate"

#### Usdan Lives

They have heard it many, many times but I cannot repeat it here - "Who called the f'ing pigs?" The fact that there was a campus bar (The Stein) and that at 18, we could all gather and get a drink on campus and play a good game of quarters!

That I tried to take up jogging around the peripheral road. I can't jog a block. That I went to see The Opening of Misty Beethoven.

### What happened in the '80s stays in the '80s.

Having Dinner with G. Gordon Liddy Smoking Pot with Timothy Leary

### That I played varsity soccer.

I was the pinball champion at the Stein, probably my sophomore year!

Stories of how I coped with dorm food which were so different from my native South Asian food. Love of snow and snowfall.

### I received every single Amnesty International publication in a big UPS shipment to start a human rights library

I'll never forget singing in my Shapiro dorm room, freshman year, with a dear friend from Israel playing guitar, and lots of new friends coming in to sing along. We later performed at Chumley's which was very special.

I think my friends of today experience me as being a pretty confident person who's comfortable in her own skin, something I definitely wasn't when I started at Brandeis. I think the 4 wonderful years I spent at Brandeis really helped me become the person I am today. I will always have a special place in my heart for Brandeis.

My onging study of violin and playing a recital my senior year. (A thank you shout out to Judy Eissenberg!)

My semester aboard in Europe, traveling for 7 months, backpacking, Eurail pass and meeting so many people.

Putting a dorm-mate's bed into the janitor's closet

The night several of my friends and I walked into Steve's Ice Cream in Davis Square dressed in long gowns and suits/tuxes, with several of the guys also wearing swords. The looks we got!

I was extremely shy growing up and didn't have a lot of friends. When I got to Brandeis, I decided to try to be more outgoing. During Playfair, the leader encouraged people to yell out "I want a standing ovation" at any time in. I gathered all my courage and did it. I was terrified but everyone cheered and clapped. It literally changed my life. For the next few weeks, people recognized me and would come over to talk to me. I made several friends. To this day, no one would realize how painfully shy I was since I'm such an extrovert now.

That I was a manager of the Hockey Team (even though it was only a club sport), and dressed up as Moe the Owl. (Although that second part doesn't really surprise anyone.)

I won the bet with my roommates that I could eat Macaroni and Cheese every night for a week. And I still love it!

Tied to a tree by Brad Towbin on my birthday & made into a chocolate sundae!

Was busted by campus police for making out outside on a grassy area of campus. Was hauled into the Dean's office.

#### My on-air personna as a (very) late night DJ on WBRS ....

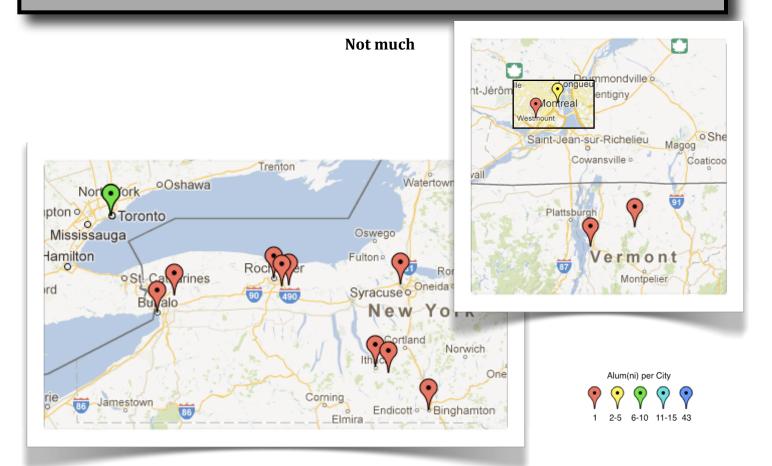
That I was the cause for the stop sign being put up on the peripheral road right before you reach USDAN.

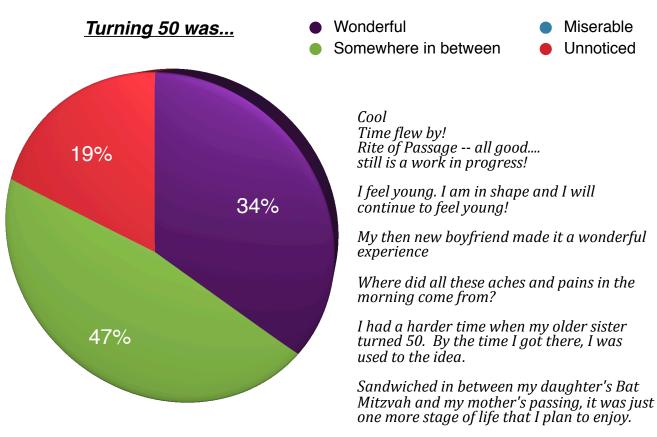
#### My kids love that I lived in a castle!

As a sophomore I heard very loudly as if on a pa system -at the Usdan Student Center when I was going downstairs to check my mailbox- " This is the man you are going to marry." Re: A senior I just met in Soc 101 who later dated and did married! I thought about it for a few seconds and thought what was that! I forgot about it and then 6 years later before we actually did get married, I remembered that foretelling message at the student center.

The story of how I started dating my husband, Gene Gurvits '81.

The crazy, silly, wacky times I had with my friends.





Had a huge party to celebrate turning 50 and getting passed some health issues.

It seemed freakishly unreal. I didn't feel that old, but I remember that as a kid when my dad turned 50 I thought it was weird that people lived to be 1/2 century old.

*My* husband planned a surprise trip to Florence, Venice, Paris and London. As such, turning 50 was fabulous but, after a celebration like that, 51 was a little disappointing!

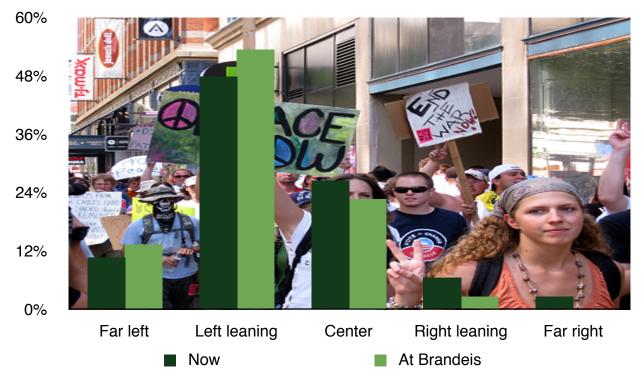
*My* 50th birthday occurred at a time of career transition for me, and there were many changes in my life. It has all turned out incredibly well.

I had a big party to celebrate by 50th. My entire family flew from the East Coast to San Diego for the weekend. It was wonderful. They missed my 40th party because of 9/11 and their flights were cancelled.

The number bothered me a bit but I'm also enjoying a happy marriage, kids of an age that don't require physical presence and oversight every waking moment and a satisfying career that comes with our age.

Still going strong! 50 is the new 30

### Politically, I Consider(ed) Myself...



As Winston Churchill said, if you are a conservative at 20, then you have no heart. If you are a liberal at 40, then you have no brain. (This was submitted by a classmate and is not an editorial comment).

*Editors note*: While as a group we have shifted ever so slightly to the right, there are in fact individuals among us who have moved further to the left.



### Are you active in..

Active at Young Israel of Brookline Mass.

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Involved in my synagogue, charity activities, as well as on the Board of the Divorce Center, Parent education Committee Chair, and Mass Collaborative Law Council

I'm almost through my 18th year on the soccer field, none in judge's robes (but more than a few games in a referee's uniform).

# What about your current life/ lifestyle would most surprise the person you were 30 years ago?

Everything. None of it is what I expected.

My 20 year old self would be very surprised that I have found a career that was based on something I learned when I was 13.

I just don't think I could have ever imagined I would have the life I am having. It's pretty ordinary but it's still so different from what I grew up in.

I have a classic car collection. That I only work part time. I married my next door neighbor - and we still live in Cleveland. Founded a software company I live without a pancreas and surrounding organs Becoming a Sufi spiritual healer and teacher Extensive business travel worldwide Being divorced, being gay Love to go to be early

I am so happy to be married to Jonathan for over 25 years after our Brandeis and Hebrew U. years together. We have raised 2 wonderful sons, despite a lot of health-related adversity. All of the challenges that we have faced would have been daunting and unbelievable 30 yrs ago. The fact that we have weathered these things and are a strong family is nothing short of amazing.

I became an empty nester this year with my youngest heading off to college. Now my oldest is graduating college -- very strange that he is standing in the shoes that I was 30 years ago. A whole cycle has passed with a new generation, and yet it seems like yesterday. And their world is so very different than ours was.

Stress

Technology That I don't work any more. I made a career out of financial services I have become my parents I am global traveler. My golf handicap index.

There is a lot more mundane stuff in my life that I thought I was special enough to avoid. Ha! My family and I are very connected to our synagogue, the Flemington Jewish Community Center. I'm not quite as messy as I used to be but am still fighting my disorganized nature. I thought that the quality of my artwork would speak for itself and that I wouldn't have to work quite so hard to keep selling.

The most significant surprise would be that I am a living a Modern Orthodox lifestyle; being Shomer Shabbat, sending my children to Orthodox Day Schools, and living in a neighborhood in Los Angeles, "Beverlywood," where almost everyone else is doing the same.

#### My level of religious involvement. I am more observant of Jewish rituals That I'm living with someone and not keeping kosher That I play ice hockey. That I am a solopreneur

Nothing! Had a successful business career & now am living the dream in California... hiking, cycling,running, golf, tennis, skiing... and loving it!

I am a world traveller, having visited over 40 countries. 30 years ago, I had never even been on a plane. Visiting the mountain gorillas in Zaire (now Congo) was amazing.

I could never have imagined that I would have chosen to work in the financial services field. This was not even a remote consideration for me when I attended Brandeis.

That my son is now attending Brandeis and my daughter is living and getting married in Israel.

Have 2 children, and really into them. Spend a lot of time at their school and supporting Waldorf schools around the world. I'm not a workaholic the way I was at Brandeis. Have many strong interests outside of work.

That I teach at the college level and that I am totally content and fulfilled doing so.

For better or for worse, not much! However, I am surprised, and I do regret, that I have not stayed in better contact with my Brandeis friends.

That I elected to stay home with my children, despite my training as a lawyer. Best decision of my life.

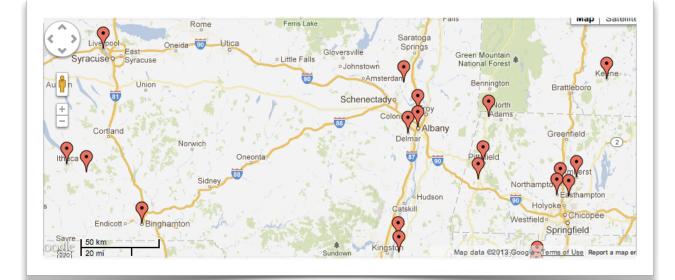
That I'm willing to be seen driving a minivan. The horror. The horror.

How active I am physically. How much I love to dance. How much being in shape is important to me and how much time I spend, hiking, biking, dancing, etc,

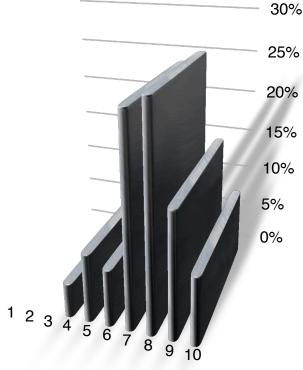
How young 50 is today in health and looks -- much different than I imagined it would!

I no longer drink and think 11pm is SOOO late! Sex is not the most important part of a relationship.

### How normal it is.

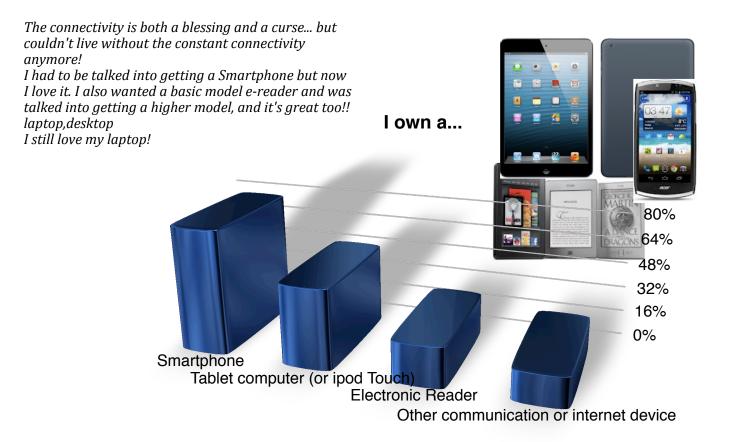


### How technologically literate do you consider yourself?

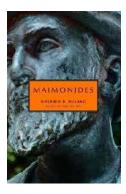


As a marketer I've been fortunate to keep up to date with social media. It really surprises my kids when I know things about it that they don't know!

*My children would probably make a strong case* that "5" is quite an exaggeration.



# What was the last book you really loved, had an impact on you, or that you just want to recommend to your classmates?



Unbroken. Maimonides by Sherwin Nuland Under The Dome The Kite Runner Bruce Springsteen-Uncut The Celestine Prophecy Game Change The Secret by Rhonda Byrne The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks Francona, The Red Sox Years Desperate Networks by Bill Carter Layoff: American Dream Interrupted I would recommend The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo trilogy.



I love Ken Follett's books and have read them all. **The great escape, nine jews who fled Hitler and changed the world** Kati Marton **Carly's Voice** by Arthur Fleischmann (Brandeis Class of '84) and Carly Fleischmann **Lean In** by Shery Sandberg, Conscious Capitalism by John Mackey and Rajendra Sisodia **The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks,Before I Go To sleep, Unbroken, The Thirteenth Tale** I recently read Junot Diaz's **The Brief, Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao**, which I thought was brilliant. **The Plot Against America,In the Garden of Beasts,The Journal of Helene Berr** (sorry,I can't limit myself to just one!) Any of the Dresden File books by Jim Butcher. I highly recommend them, starting with the first book, **Storm Front**. **10 Green Bottles** -- I had no idea that jews took refuge in Shanghai during the Holocaust - fascinating true story **Inside Outside,The Art of Fielding,Tender Bar**,and anything by Umberto Echo, Michael Chabon or Kurt Vonnegut **10 Green Bottles**, by Vivien Jeanette Kaplan -- a true story that chronicles the life and journey of a family during the Holocaust, who fled Vienna and took refuge in Shanghai. I had no idea that so many Jews had escaped via this

route and found the story very interesting and enlightening. A great read. **Team of Rivals** by Doris Kearns Goodwin. It's hard to overstate the political genius, compassion, and toughness embodied in Abraham Lincoln. And I have to say that for modern day Republicans to try and claim him as one of their own borders on the preposterous.



Second Person Singular by Sayyed Kashua Defending Jacob (William Landay); 19 Minutes (Jodi Picoult); Journey to Know the Truth: Healing A Broken Heart Tony Quiet Americans by Erika Dreifus The Art of Fielding by Chad Harbach Steve Jobs by Walter Isaacson "How to be a Woman" by Caitlin Moran My Life by Keith Richards The Glass Castle by Jeanette Walls. Steve Jobs by Walter Isaacson Silver Linings Playbook

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# How closely is your current occupation related to your major at Brandeis?

Very

Exactly Quite close Very closely Extremely close Very related and exact Very closely related. Very close. Alas.

Becoming a lawyer was definitely related to my major at Brandeis, which was Politics. It really couldn't be closer -- I was a Politics major and I'm working in, um, politics. I would not be the only Politics major who attended law school.

> Somewhat closely related. Moderately.

> > Hardly Not at all Not at all Not at all. None at all.

Not at all -- econ major w an mba in finance, who worked on wall street for many years until choosing to stay at home to raise family and started a creative home business -- making montages and videos for bar/bat mitzvahs!

Pretty Close! Studied political sociology for social change and community transformation. Did organizing, community development and planning or education via non-profits and government then later personal and community transformation via spiritual healing, alternative medicine, art and choosing sustainable green energy. Real change has to start within first....

Not at all. I was a Computer Science major. After a successful 10+ year run in software and business, I attended Boston Univ. Law School. Some of my legal work involves technology and licensing.

Very closely. I majored in Computer Science and Economics. I work for a major wireless company managing Engineering research projects.

Not really related but still enjoyed it very much. From American Studies to a post-Baccalaureate premed program to medical school to an orthopedic surgery residency to a sports medicine fellowship.

I was a NEJS major and I am a Bar/Bat Mitzvah tutor, so it is very related.

Not related - I was a music major at Brandeis, and my occupation is Software Engineer.

It is related in the general field but sharply distinct in the day to day work

My minor in legal studies and my internship in Boston when I was a senior led to a career as an attorney.

Not at all. I got laid off when my son was in first grade, and since then I have had several parttime office jobs, preferring to spend the time as a stay-at-home mom.

Very Close! Biochemistry Major to Biology Teacher. (Worked in Biotech prior to teaching)

**Computer Science major - now on the business side of the technology.** 

My CoSci major is definitely a factor in my current work, although only one of many.

30 years ago, I was working on Wall Street and obtaining an MBA in finance. I went from having a very analytical job to a very creative job -- making videos and video montages for bar mitzvah's and weddings -- who would have thought? I nevered considered myself creative 30 years ago -- and now I couldnt see myself any other way!

I still consult on Chemistry (my major) but my main tasks have nothing to do with it.

Economics major who took a lot of psychology and sociology courses. All of them very related to being a financial advisor and writing about the psychology of money.

I use the skills and strategic frameworks learned from being an economics major. I run a business, so as an economics major it is not that far off. However, I never imagined I'd be an entrepreneur while I was at Brandeis.

As a biology major, I knew I would pursue a healthcare profession. Practicing Specialty Optometry has been a wonderful career that I am still very passionate about.

At Brandeis, I majored in Economics which is not, in anyway, related to my current occupation as a writer and communications consultant. However, while pursuing my graduate degree in Middle Eastern Studies, I was very fortunate to have the opportunity to co-author a book on the Middle East with my Academic Advisor ("The Powers in the Middle East: The Ultimate Strategic Arena") and since my focus was on "Asia in the Middle East," my Economics degree came in handy for that.

My work as in currency derivatives on wall street was somewhat related to my major in math. somewhat as i was economics major

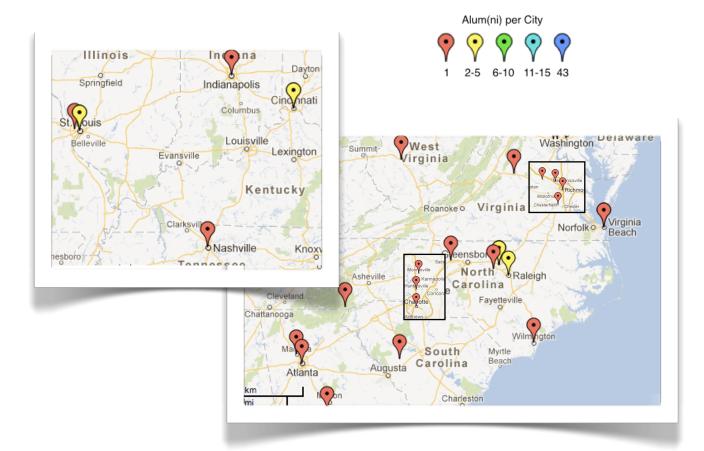
I was a psychology major at Brandeis and loved working with children at Lemberg Day Care. Now, I work with children, adults, individuals, teens, seniors, couples and families.

I started as a psychology major, graduated a politics major and went to law school. Divorce mediation is a great blend of psychology and law! And, of course, both psychology and legal thinking are useful for raising a child, especially a teenager :)!

I was an American Studies major. My current occupation is far more related to my major than any other job/occupation I have held.

Well, I teach a little economics with my history...







## What song(s) would you consider a 'must have' for a reunion playlist?

Whip It,My Sharona,Just about anything by the Stones, Springsteen or Billy Joel. Maybe some Donna Summer for nostalgia purposes. And who can forget Graham Nash playing at Brandeis? I wanna be a lifeguard.

Little Red Corvette.

Wish Upon A Star Earth Wind and Fire.

I Want You To Want Me - Cheap Trick - the song that was blaring out of Reitman upon my arrival two days ahead of everyone else freshman year. The Tide Is High - Blondie - a Marybeth favorite My Sharona and anything from The Wall - music that reverberated in the Reitman basement all freshmen

year.

My Sharona. My Sharona.

Kodachrome -- always makes me think of a Lewis Brooks slide show -- hard to get the image of the roll film going down the toilet out of your mind...

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Kodachrome -- always think of Lewis Brooks. Kodachrome by Simon and Garfunkle. Another One Bites the Dust.

Boy in the Bubble by Paul Simon.

Imagine.

Rock Lobster.

Every Breathe You Take by The Police.

Anything by The Police.

Africa (Toto); Der Kommisar (After the Fire).

You've Got a Friend, Sunshine on My shoulders (John Denver), We are the Champions and Bohemian Rhapsody(Queen), Carole King's "I feel the Earth



Move", Somewhere over the Rainbow, Halleluya (Israel Eurovision song winner from that time), I Can't Smile Without You (Manilow). All my life. (Beatles)

Start me up, Rolling Stones. "This Is It" by Kenny Loggins ( a little embarrassing to say so, but...!)

"Breaking Us in Two" by Joe Jackson. Athena by The Who Five Years by David Bowie.

Suite Judy Blue Eves.

Imagine,Born to Run,Thunder Road,Jungleland,Magic Carpet

Ride,Born to be Wild,L.A. Woman,The End,Break on Through to the Other,Side Black Magic Woman,Europa,The Grand Illusion,Come Sail Away,Baba O'Riley,Won't Get Fooled Again, Who Are You,I Wouldn't Want to Be Like You (Alan Parson's Project),Anything from Dark Side of the Moon and The Wall (Pink Floyd),Theme from Midnight Express (Chase),Take the Long Way Home (Supertramp),Like a Rolling

> Stone,Shelter from the Storm,Tangled Up In Blue,Subterranean Homesick Blues,Rainy Day Women #12 & 35,Forever Young.

I've Got a Feeling / Tonight's Gonna be a Good Night (Black Eye Peas)
 Oh what a night (Frankie Valle and The Four Seasons) 3) Do you believe in love (Huey Lewis)

Anything Springsteen, Southside Johnny, The Cars, The Knack, The B-52s, Kodachrome! Many Years Ago by Robin Lane and the Chartbusters.

Turning Japanese by the Vapors. My Sharona by the Knack.

Last Train to Clarksville, Brown Eyed Girl

867-5309,Songs by Talking Heads,Wanna be Starting Something,Gloria,Rock the Casbah,My Sharona, Songs by REO Speedwagon,Angel is a Centerfold,Edge of Seventeen.

Any Billy Joel, Elton John, and probably some Michael Jackson.

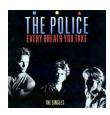
Rose Royce's "Wishing on a Star", to be immediately followed by the Barbara Streisand/Donna Summer

song "Enough is Enough?".

"Last Dance" by DOnna Summer,"We are Family" by Sisters Sledge.

Is the theme song from "M\*A\*S\*H" or "Hill Street Blues" available?



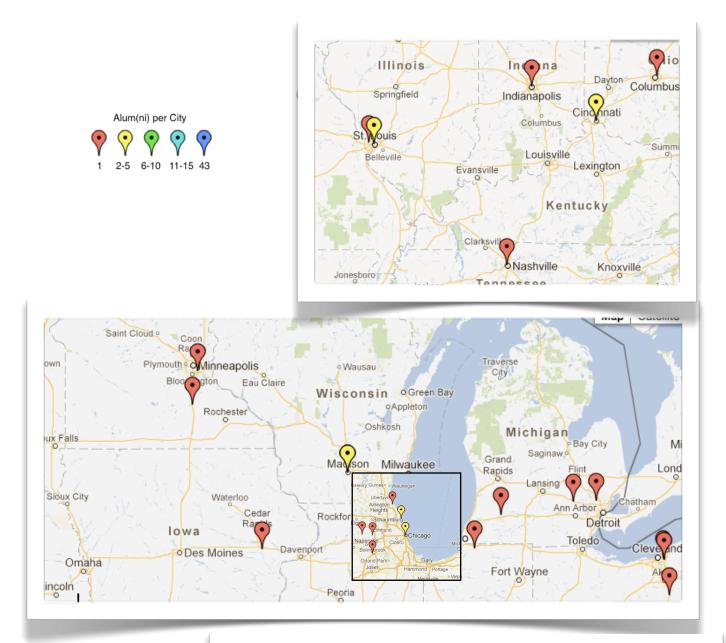




# If we could create a Brandeis '83 Time Capsule what would you put in it?

The Justice. A Brandeis baseball Jersey, A program from that Dr Dirty guy who played Usdan Lives, what was his name? The Justice, 1982(??) Valentine's day edition with the relatively new "un-ads". A photo of the Fall '81 Jacob Hiatt program group. A landline telephone! A photo of me and a classmate with matching outfits taken by Ralph Norman (Long-time Brandeis photographer) at a dance marathon in Levin Ballroom. He had my friend take my sneaker off and pretend to rub my feet! Class of 1983 "Meet book" Professor "Grade book" Stu's blue Tokie from Freshman vear Pictures of the archaic computer center. My friends, especially my mod-mates Everything that the programming board did (PROBO) A tape of any Dj on WBCN from 1983. Youthful energy All the bad moustaches Theta Sigma Bill paraphenelia My red Skylark The Green Monster. A John Anderson bumper sticker. "Larry Bird" shorts and tube socks. Milk crates filled with LP's huge stereos Hot air popcorn popper A set of D&D dice and a menu from Hula Hula (which no longer exists) Anderson for President bumper sticker Materials not fit to print Brandeis '83 Class just after the IBM Personal Computer (PC) was born on Earth! 1) Lewis Brooks slide shows. 2) Copies of the Justice, ideally with some of my sports stories covering the men's and women's soccer teams. 3) A picture of the kosher line at Sherman. 4) A picture of Brandeis' PDP-10 computer, made by Digital Equipment Corporation. The notes that I use in my laboratory notebook. The textbooks. The daily update called FOCUS The prices of beer at the Stein Pictures of the 1979-80 Brandeis Israeli Dance Group, Jonathan's Theta Sigma Bill T-shirt, my study carrol from the Gerstenzang basement, Red and Green trays to slide down the hill next to the library, our yearbook. My judge's wig, with the spiked-punch stain from the drink tossed at me when we pulled down the judge effigy from a Babson frat house before our senior year game. Anything from the Bonder Museum. My Friends, Student Senate, Tandy Goldenberg, watching Hill Street Blues, Swim Team. Bruce Springsteen ("The River") concerts, New York Islanders four Stanley Cups in a row and watchin them eliminate the Bruins in Boston Gardens. Watching on TV 1980 Lake Placid Olympics Miracle on Ice. My trusty typewriter that I used for every paper, including my senior thesis! An ERA YES button, a loaf of challah with an attribution to the Women's Coalition who sold it every week in Usdan While I'm not certain about everything that I would put in, two items would definately be my Braunstein Weekend Tshirt and a Brandeis University sweatshirt (both of which I still wear to the gym). The t-shirt with one star which was handed out during Bronstein Weekend, after Brandeis was rated one star for social life in some book. \* Program from debut concert of Brandeis Jazz Ensemble, which was founded by '83 class members.

The memo boards we all had on our doors.





# Which Brandeis memories still make you smile after all this time?

Waiting on line for a telephone

Hot Subs Cold Subs Bagels and Soda! A Lewis Brooks Slide Show. JJ A Gordie Fellman class - or better yet, office hours.

Anything that happened in the mods, especially our Summer Birthdays party.

I smile every time I think of my life spent in the triple on the 3rd floor in Scheffries with my roommates.

The first Brandeis mens volleyball team, always fun, never victorious.

Oh, so many. I just brought my middle son to look at the school and I smiled all the way. The stairs up to Raab that I always had to drag Marlene up. Marybeth and Michele's window in Sheffres with the stuffed animal hanging from the shade. The balcony outside Levin, where we burned a kerosene-soaked Babson "beaver" and nearly burned the terrace the soccer team was standing on. Bronstein Carnivals.

1) Great life long friends, including Susan (Denker) Katz '84, Herb Weinberg '84 2) Thoughts of late nights at the Justice (and elsewhere)

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All the good times with friends -- hanging out in the dorms, going in to Boston or Cambridge, Walden Pond, the Castle, playing Mr. Peanut in East freshman year, taco day at Sherman, the dishroom at Sherman, Peter Woll's lectures when we'd get him off track and he'd just talk politics, Prof. Jerry Cohen's class on the 1960s, Prof. Allen Grossman's laug

John Jamoulis - "JJ" to everyone else - he always made me smile, even when we argued over everything!

Friendships. Volleyball intramurals. Rosenthal suite life. Late nights at the Boston Phoenix preparing The Justice for publication each week. Friday night Trad services at the chapel, followed by dinner. JBJ's history of the musical theatre class!

Remembering Jonathan and Anne Picker serving on the Kosher Line. Wonderful Trad Shabbat Friday night services and dinners. Performing with the Brandeis Israeli Dance Group. So many! My first year in Renfield-my friends from then are still my friends today; the amazing relationships I had with a few of my profs who made such an impression on me; great concerts and lectures at Brandeis and in the Boston area; hanging out in Boston and Cambridge, etc.

New Years Evening and Day at The Su Sokols house with many people sleeping over, the ice skating rink they created. Going out to eat in fancy restaurants in Boston. Hanging out in Bronstein Lives Weekend Porno Movie Weekend Intramural Softball NP Brown Shows

Beating the seniors to win the intramural softball championship as a freshman. Jumping rope in the showers. Wild parties in Reitman. YTB

Graduation with Baryshnikov walking right next to us in the outdoor amphitheater. Friday night moves at Usdan.

In addition to the wonderful friends, terrific teachers and overall fabulous experience, there is one memory that still makes me smile. When I was deciding where to go to graduate school, I met with Dr. Sachar to get some much needed advice. After discussing the merits of each of the three schools, he said to me, "Well, Cheryl, there's one thing that we haven't discussed." I said, "What's that Dr. Sachar?" and he replied, "Well, if you go to Columbia, you'll meet one type of boy, if you go to U Chicago, you'll meet another and the same for George Washington University." Despite having founded a university and his many other accomplishments, he was still a Jewish parent concerned about what "type of boy" I was going to meet! Graduation trip to the beach and doing mushrooms with friends & hanging out in the dunes.
Playing D&D with friends in Castle Commons, • watching the mens fencing team compete at Harvard,
• snowball fights and cooking lobsters in the Rosenthal courtyard, • evenings with friends at Cholmondeley's and The Stein

When the librarian at Goldfarb told me and Howard Levine that "there's no laughing in the library." My housemates in 3rd year: Bruce, Bill, Judy, Joe and Howard. I have so many funny stories from the 6 of us that I've been telling my daughter since age 4. (she's now 9 & knows the stories better than I do.) 1) Hearing loudly at the student center one day over the noise of many students milling about " This is the man you are going to marry." re: a senior I just met in Soc 101 who I did later marry! 2) Doing my work-study job at the Classics Dept with the nicest people- Stasia S and one of my favorite teachers Pat Johnston 3) Walking around campus with a classmate with our jackets backwards and hoods covering our faces so it looked like we were walking backwards and forwards at the same time

Cable lounge with friends. **Everything I did with PROBO** Getting a hamburger sub at the sub shop near the train station Corny as it sounds, my professors (most of them anyway) Soccer team pouring a bucket of white paint all over Rubenstein 6th floor suite. The weekend when John Valby would entertain us. The hours of experiences in Spingold. Morrie Schwartz Life in the Mods. Quat at Usen - Freshman Year. Mod 8 - all that I can remember. Living in the mods winter break 1982 Playing frisbee still makes me smile. Friendship International Club meetings and parties Playing in a band in front of a sold out crowd at the Stein. That i made such nice friends so quickly freshman year. Memories of my friends make me smile. Road trips with my firends. My friends

Time spent hanging out with my friends. Dancing at the Stein. Working in the drawing and sculpture studios. My class with Carl Belz. My class with Stephen Whitfield. My theater classes. All of my Art History classes- a visual feast! Spending time in the cafeteria then going to the library. Taking breaks and walking around the library. Dancing, lots of dancing- silly, in the dorm and in my apartment, let loose, goofy dancing. Listening to music with the lights off and thinking "deep thoughts." Discovering new music. The smell of lilacs in May.

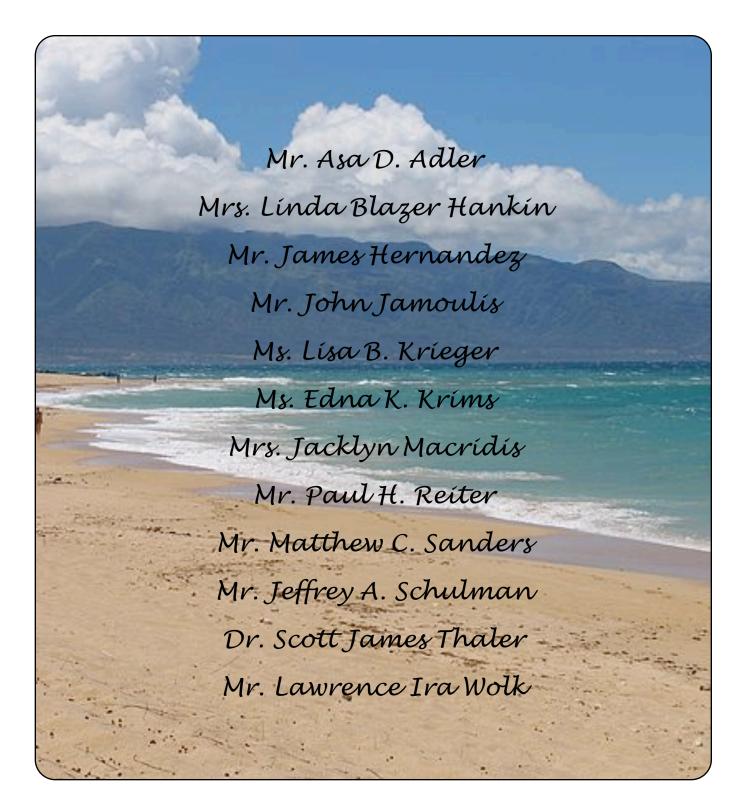
Bronstein Weeked, Emily Dudek erasing and writing at the same time, Sandwichman, Booze Cruise, Steve's Ice cream, Louie D's Cabaret, Studying in the stacks at Gerstenzan

Almost all of them. We were so young and naive; not like today's college kids. Most of them. After this much time, even the sad memories make me smile.

> All of them! They all do

### In Loving Memory

Let us remember those classmates who are no longer with us, but will always be a part of us.





#### Fuchs, Lawrence H. "Larry"

The Meyer and Walter Jaffe Professor of American Civilization and Politics at Brandeis University, died on March 17, 2013 at the age of 86 at his home in Canton, MA. He was a longtime resident of Weston, MA. Fuchs was born to Frances Scheiber and Alfred Fuchs in New York City, on January 29, 1927. He served in WWII as a Navy medic. During his 50 years at Brandeis University, he established himself as a renowned authority in the emerging field of American studies. He was a beloved teacher, mentor and dean of the faculty who chaired the American studies department for over 25 years. Fuchs was deeply committed to his family, teaching, scholarship and public service. He was the first Peace Corps director in the Philippines and Executive Director of the Select Commission on Immigration and Refugee Policy. Fuchs worked tirelessly to advance civil liberties, racial equality and human rights. He authored 10 books encompassing American political behavior, ethnicity and acculturation. Larry's wife of 42 years, Betty Corcoran Hooven Fuchs, died in October 2012. He leaves his brother, Victor; four daughters, Janet Fuchs, Frances Fuchs, Naomi Fuchs and Carol Hooven Byrne; three sons, Michael Hooven, Fred Hooven and John Hooven; nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Donations in his honor may be sent to: Jewish Family and Children's Services, 1430 Main Street, Waltham, MA 02451 www.jfcsboston.org; The Human Rights Campaign, 1640 Rhode Island Ave. NW, Washington, DC, 20036 http://www.hrc.org/the-hrc-story/about-us; the Larry Fuchs Fund to support American studies at Brandeis, Brandeis University, 415 South St., Mailstop 122, Waltham, MA 02453 or online (https://alumni.brandeis.edu/makingyourgift/tribute); Facing History and Ourselves, 16 Hurd Rd, Brookline, MA 02445, USA, http://www.facing.org/ A public memorial service will be held at Brandeis University's Sherman-Hassenfeld Auditorium on April 21, 2013 at 10:30 AM.





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### Part II: Who We Are Now







I feel tremendously fortunate to be living the life that I am. Growing up in Swampscott, Massachusetts, my goal was to marry an Iraqi Jew, born in Iran who was a British citizen. And that's just what I did! While I'm obviously kidding about that being "a goal," I recognize how lucky I am, particularly after 20+ years of marriage, to want my

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daughter to marry someone just like her dad. My children are really wonderful individuals and, so far at least, they've conducted their lives in a way that makes my husband and I very proud. Finally, while I still consider myself living in exile from Boston, after 21 years Los Angeles is beginning to grow on me.







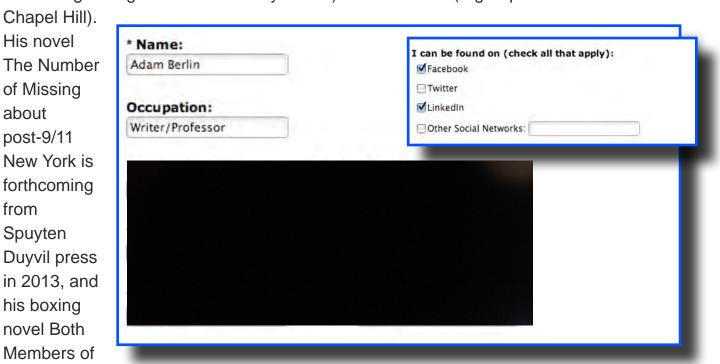


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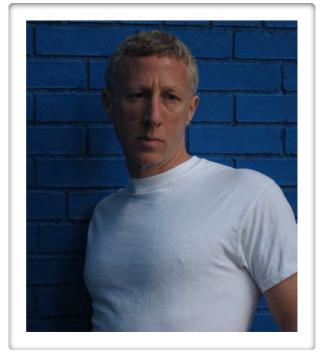




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the Club, which won the 2012 Clay Reynolds Novella Prize, is forthcoming from Texas Review Press in 2013. His stories and poetry have appeared in numerous journals. He teaches writing at CUNY's John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York City and co-edits J Journal: New Writing on Justice.







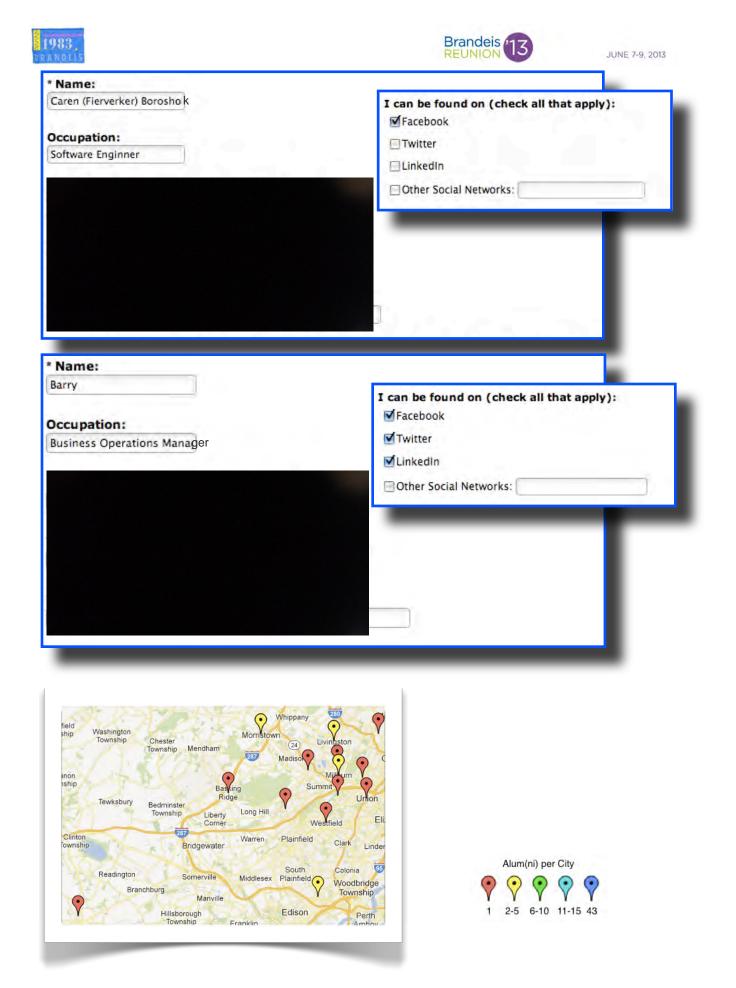
After my husband died of cancer, I didn't really think that I would find someone again; but I have a wonderful boyfriend (strange term at our age), actually I should say partner. He's not a person who my younger self would have been attracted to, but we are right for each other at this stage of our lives.

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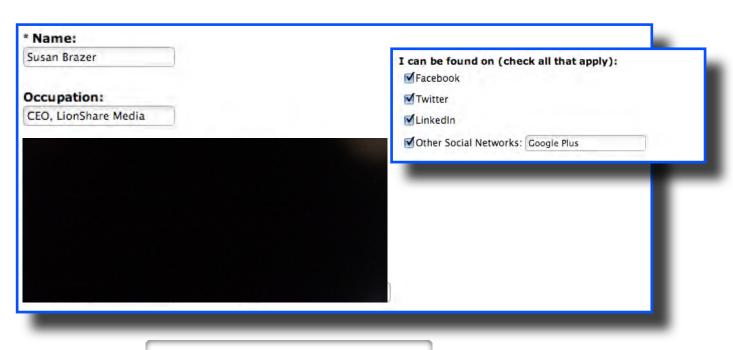




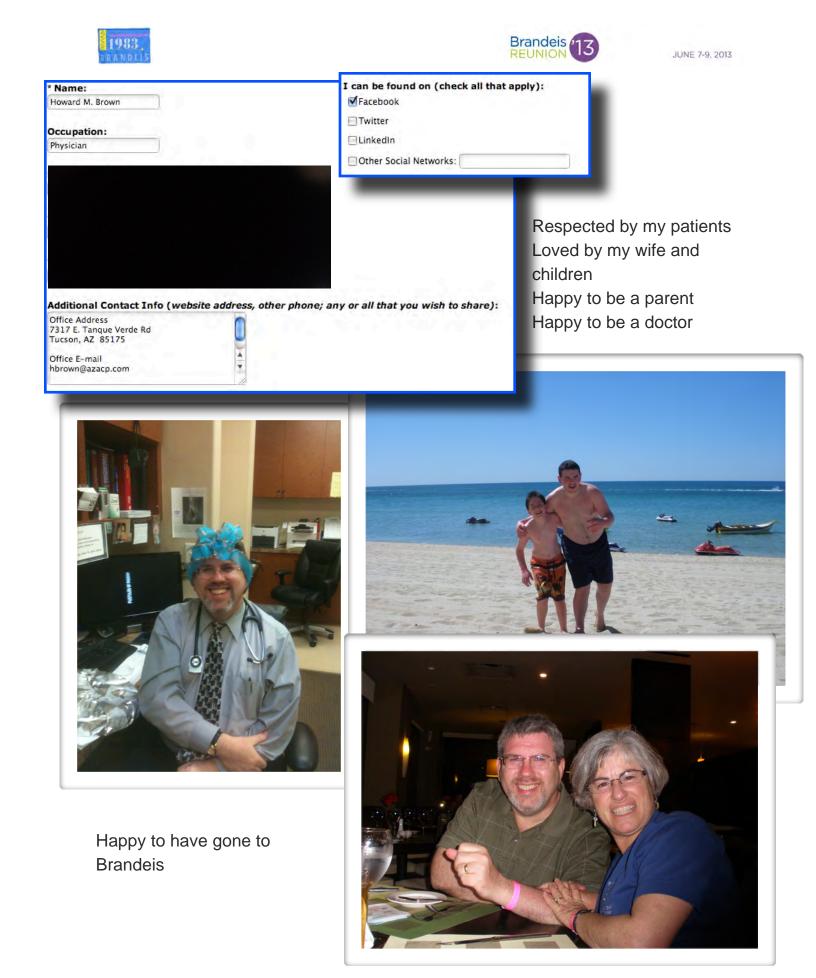






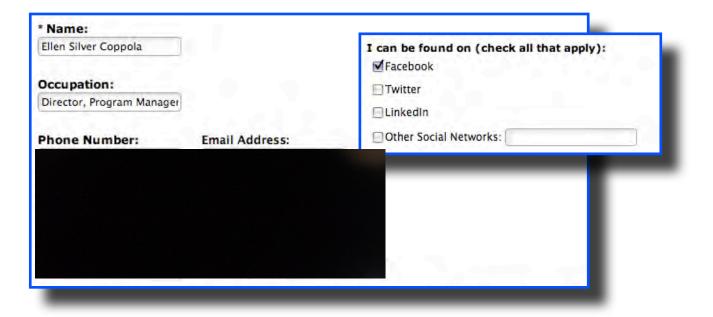






















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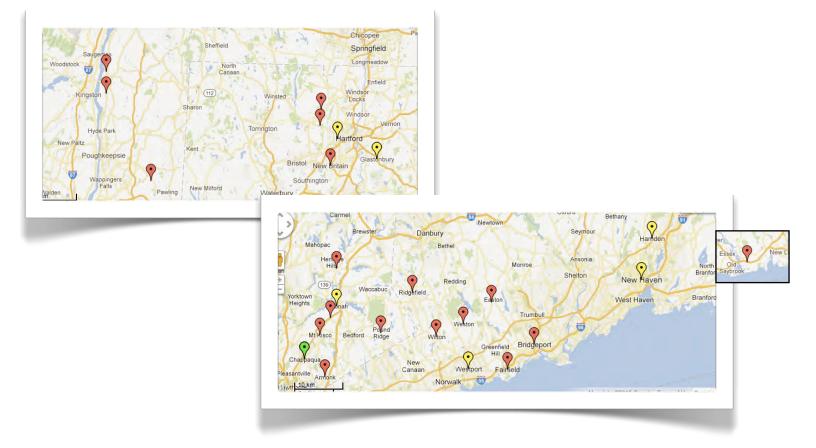




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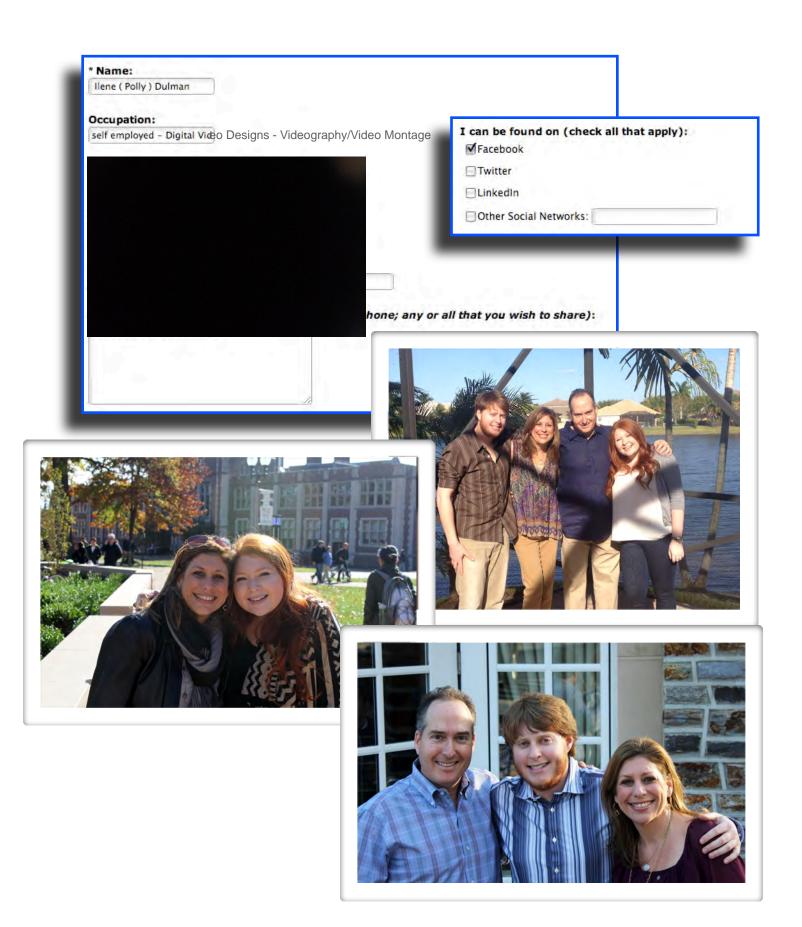
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I am a creative executive, dedicating my professional life to helping musicians and songwriters realize their creative vision and teaching and mentoring young people who wish to realize a dream of a career in music, either as an artist or as a business person....all while being a dedicated wife, mother and friend.













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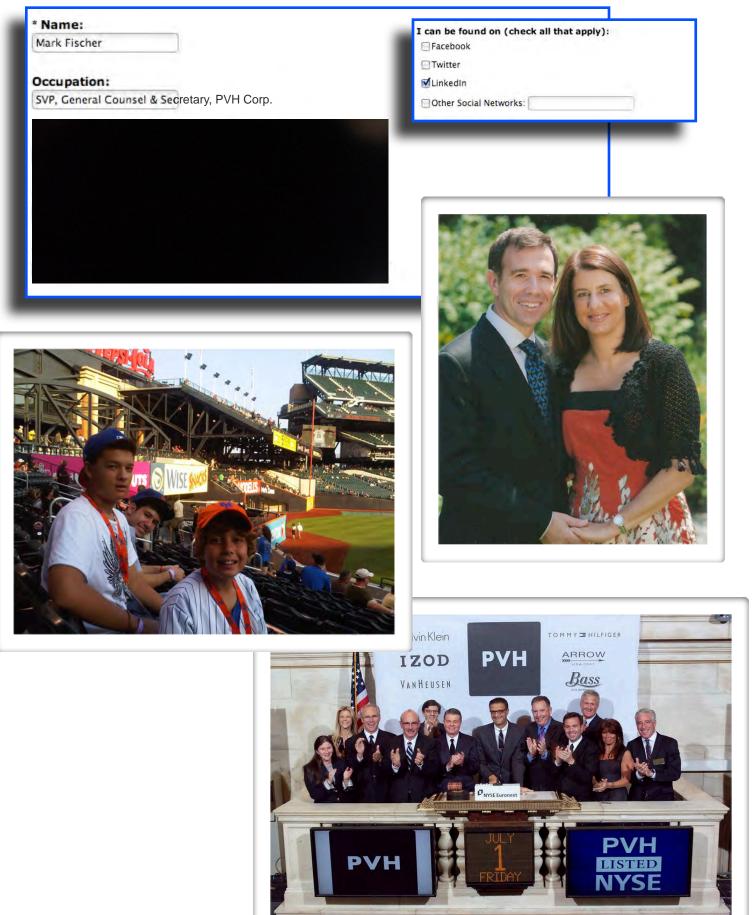


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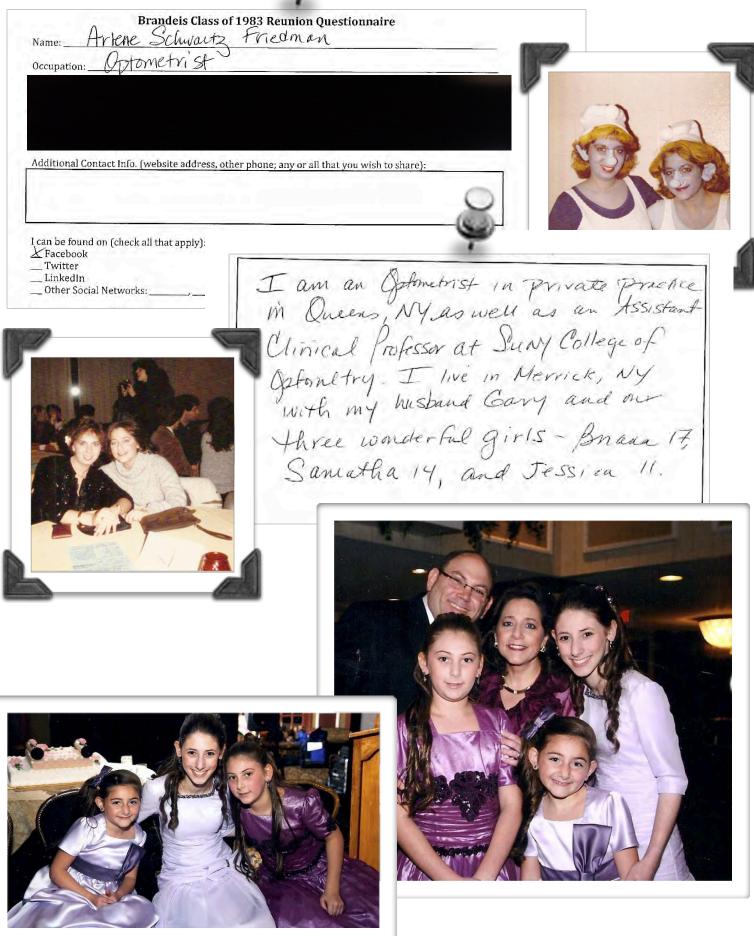


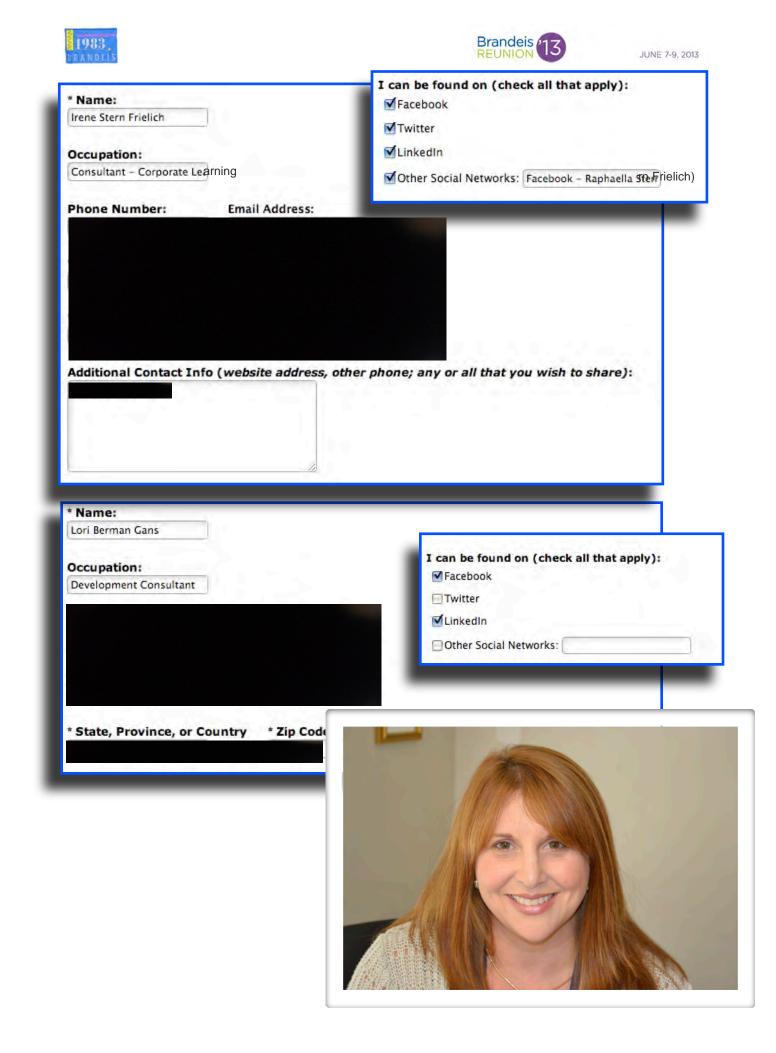






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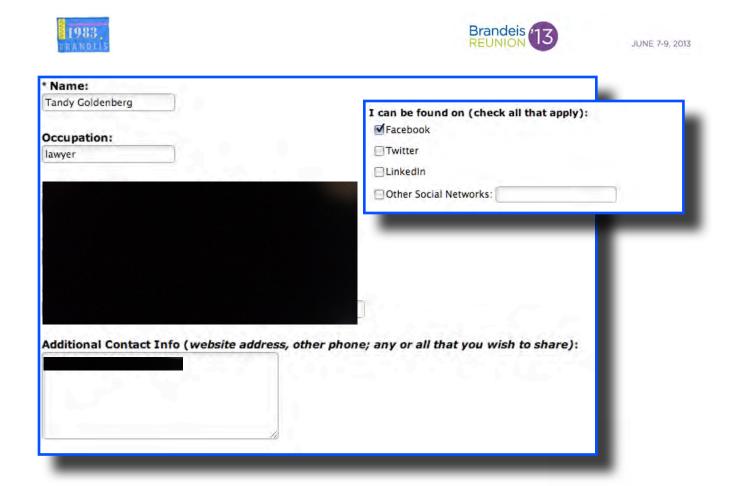


I am an Orthopedic Surgeon in private practice, married with two wonderful boys and living in Scarsdale, NY. My boys are involved heavily in athletics and i have enjoyed coaching them in Scarsdale Little League and Youth Hockey. Our

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family enjoys an active outdoors lifestyle with hiking, biking, fishing, kayaking, water sports and skiing out west a few weeks each year. I still enjoy photography, though it is all digital now as well as listening to music on Hi Fi A-V. I enjoy driving high performance cars and have taken a few high performance driving courses to do it better. We enjoy going to rock concerts preferably in smaller venues but still really liked the recent 12-12-12 Sandy relief benefit concert. Going to sports events is also fun for the family. We have 3 dogs and the boys have lots of other pets.





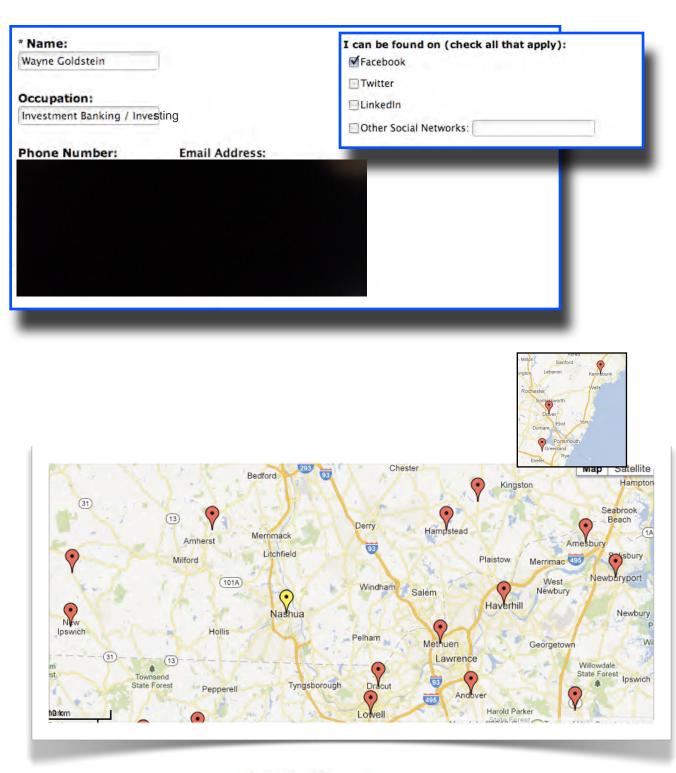
I am someone who: -has led a happy and meaningful life (so far!); -has raised two amazing girls; -has been married to a great guy for almost 25 years; and -has incredible

friendships. -got an incredible education (both academic and emotional) at Brandeis!















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Gene Gurvits '81 and I have been married for nearly 30 years. We got married three weeks after my Brandeis graduation. We have three wonderful children who are doing very well. Laura (26) is studying to be a registered dietitian, Alex (23) is living in New York and working in the film industry, and Jeremy (20) is a sophomore at the University of Maryland. Up until Jeremy left for college, I was mostly a stay at home mom. I worked one day per week at a synagogue, tutoring Bar/Bat Mitzvah students. After Jeremy left and the nest was empty, I was facing a difficult decision of what to do with myself. I decided to see if I could increase my tutoring hours and apply to other synagogues. Since I do not live far from Brandeis and I did not have a resume, I decided to make an appointment at the Hiatt Career Center. They were extremely helpful and before I knew it, I was working many more hours per work, but not too many. I have the perfect schedule. I have the first part of the day free to go to the gym and meet friends for coffee or lunch. (I also have time for household chores.) Then I go to work for a few hours. Most nights I am home for dinner with Gene. I am very happy with my new career and although I miss the noisy, busy household with the kids, I also enjoy peace and quiet with Gene





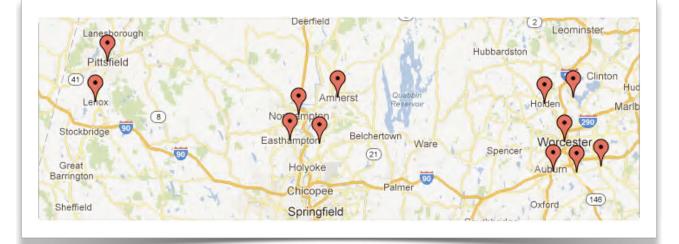
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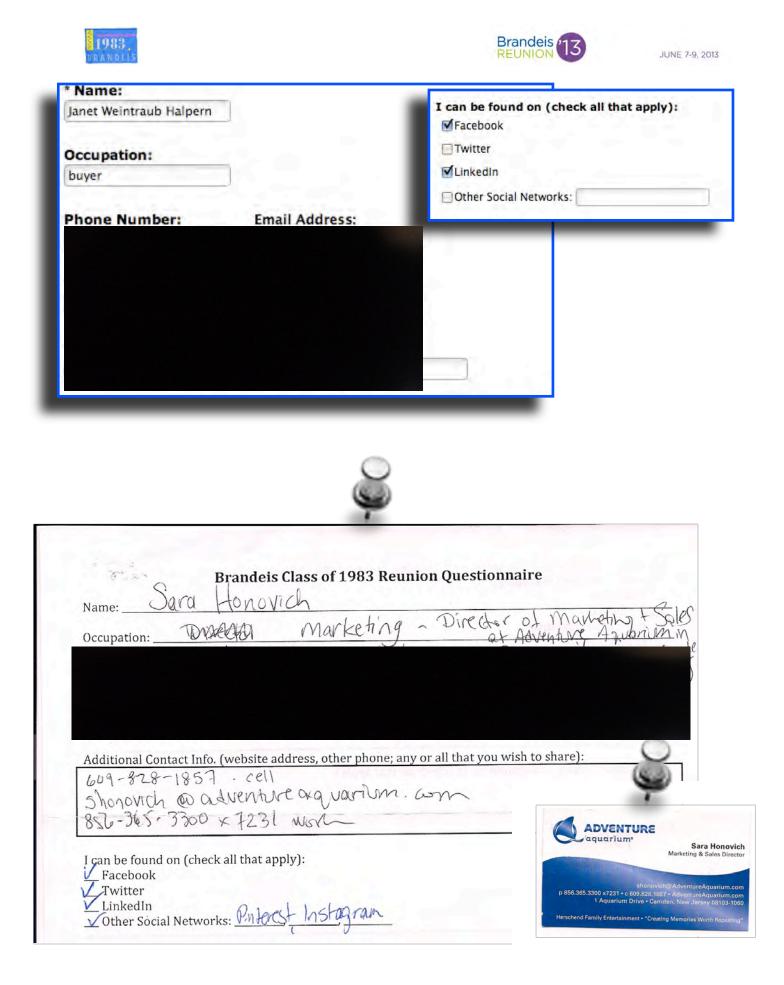
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## Who am I now?

Many things! I have been an independent consultant for 18 years, some lean, some fat. I am married (25 years this year) and have two kids (a girl and a boy – everyone was satisfied) and a cat. We've lived in the same house most of our married life, and I'm active in my community, which I see as a series of Venn diagram circles – I'm in a lot of circles (church, local museum, other local groups). I serve on a few local boards, have served on others. The logical thinking I developed with my Philosophy degree from Brandeis has given me wonderful skills that I use both professionally and in my community. Professionally I am an Associate Fellow in the Society for Technical Communication. I'm also a second-degree black belt in Kyuki-Do, and a quilter. I still read a lot.

Life is good, and I hope it is for the rest of you.

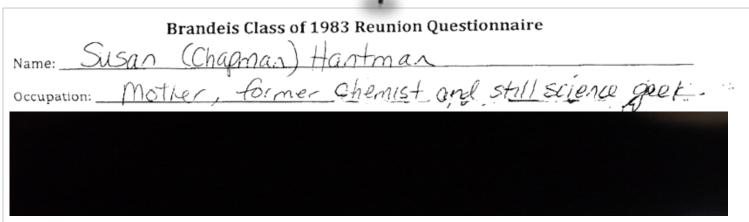














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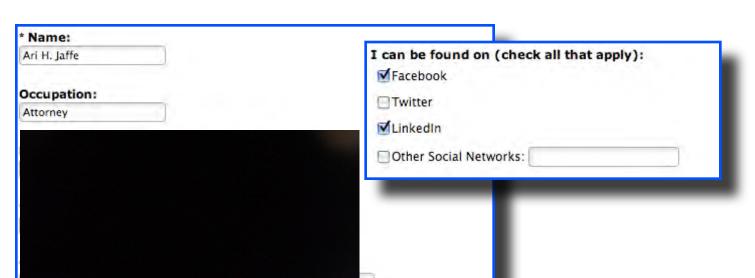




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I'm in love with a fabulous woman. Anne is smart, thoughtful, kind and loving. We were introduced by Ruth Gold (picture #1, left), who once worked at Brandeis. I have 3 sons. Reuven finished the Technion in Israel and started

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in the Israeli army this year. Natan is studying medicine, also in Israel. Elan is a junior in Brookline (Mass.) High School.





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to China Merke ('83), Father to an extremely sociable but studious daughter Hannah and 114 year old son Jacob with a voracious appetite who loves to watch the Walking Dead while juggling. A am also a guitarist, composer whose music can be heard at www.broadjam.com Inickkushner and with videos at www.youtube.com Inkushner







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Aside from being in relationship for over 30 years to a '81 grad, mother to two awesome adult sons, board member and trustee at some non-profits, I am also a consultant, spiritual healer and artist. I have two businesses- one is called Lumina Healing Services thru which I do individual and organizational consultations for personal and professional wellness; jewelry and floral designs using healing colors and materials and space clearings and arrangement. My second business as a Viridian Associate- healing the earth by educating consumers and/or making residual income om the side. I feel blessed to help those who have difficult challenges find healing and creative solutions and those who lost hope or spiritual connection find love and God again. Brandeis opened my mind and heart to so many wonderful ideas and people which created a rich and deep foundation for what I enjoy today.

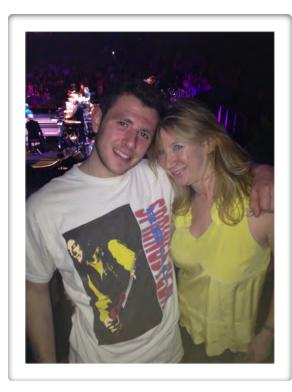




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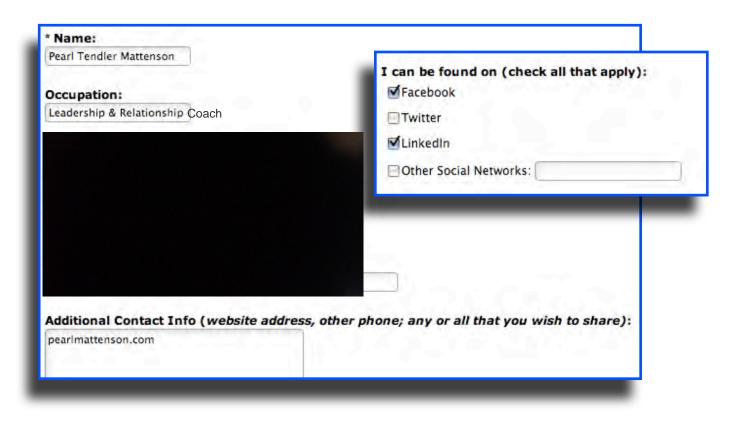
A politically and communally active New York lawyer, who fantasizes about throwing it all in and becoming a waitress on St Barths.

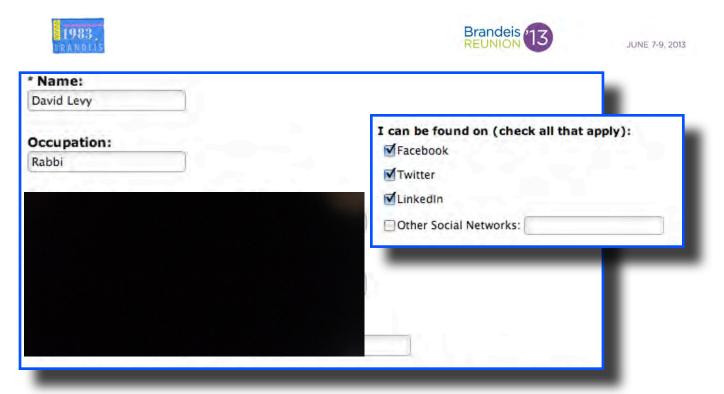




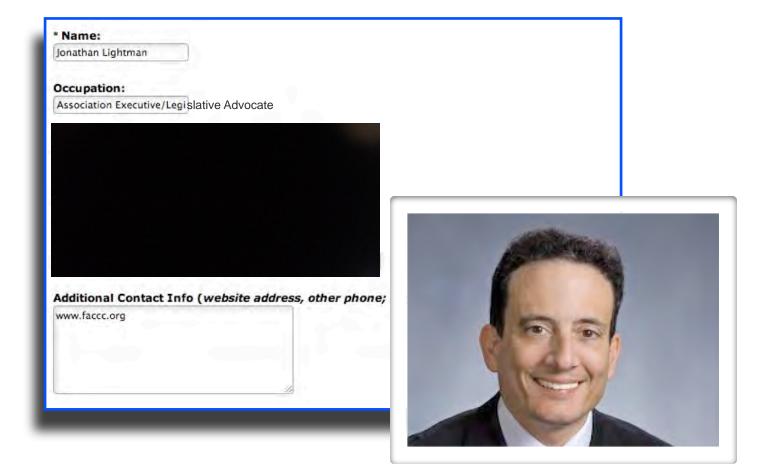
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Choosing to stay in Massachusetts after graduation has led to a very full personal, community and professional life. It's my privilege to be working in a field that provides career guidance to both adults in transition as well as teens and young adults -- both in direct service and in grant oversight.



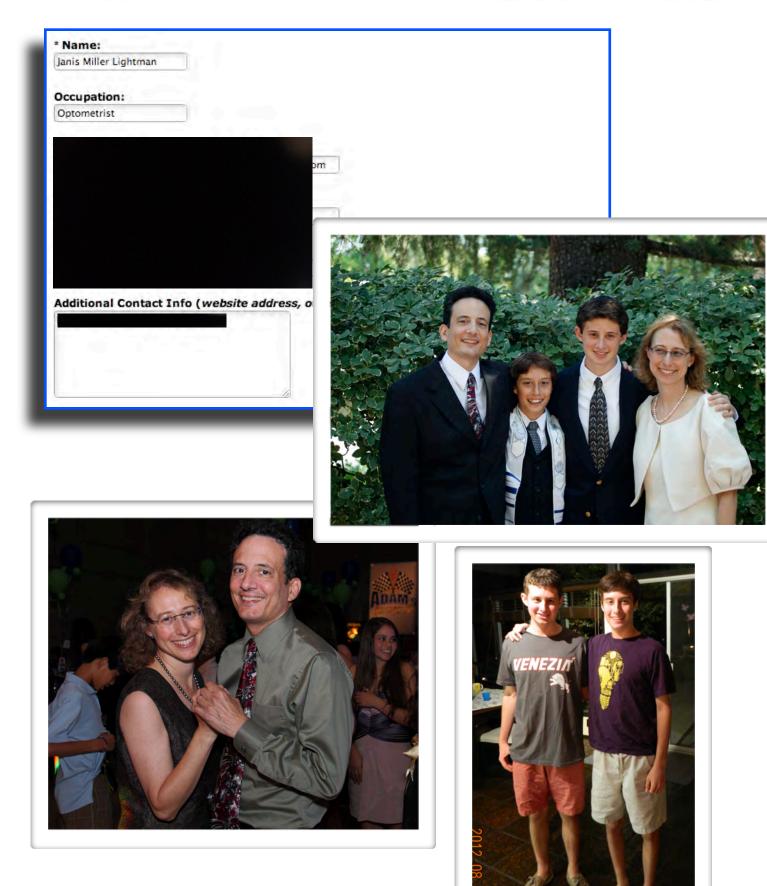


Just someone who is still trying to make a difference in the world and a father excited to have one of his children become a Brandesian.







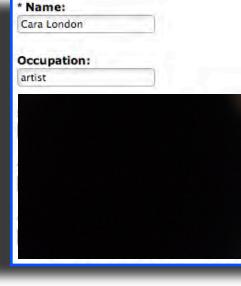


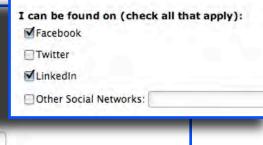




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I am an artist and teacher. I am devoted to my family and community. My children are now in high school and we are now looking at colleges. Both of them





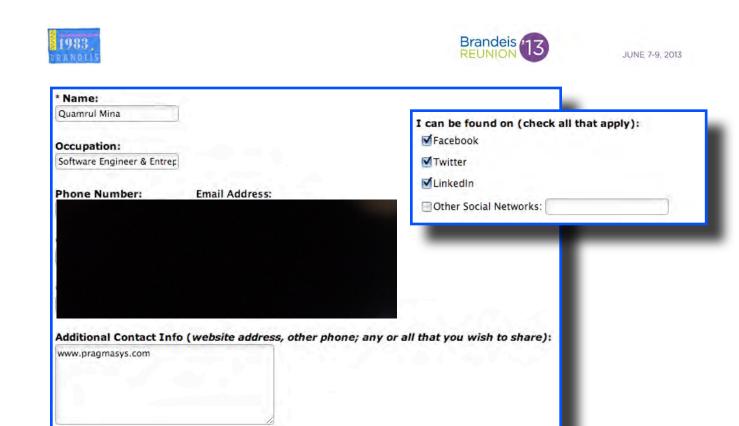


are interested in Brandeis, which is very gratifying. My husband, Eric, is a scientist and composer of musical theater. We are passionate about our kids and our work. I have an MFA in sculpture but paint more than I sculpt. I love drawing and color. I paint with oils and acrylics, mostly. Over the last few years, I have found a new medium: painting on silk scarves with gorgeous dyes. The silk has been a great way to bring art to a broader

audience. I teach drawing, painting and sculpture to all ages, from very young children to adults. I help to run a cooperative gallery, SOMI, in Flemington







My American dream came through Brandies University and Wien Scholarship Program. I am indebted to both.

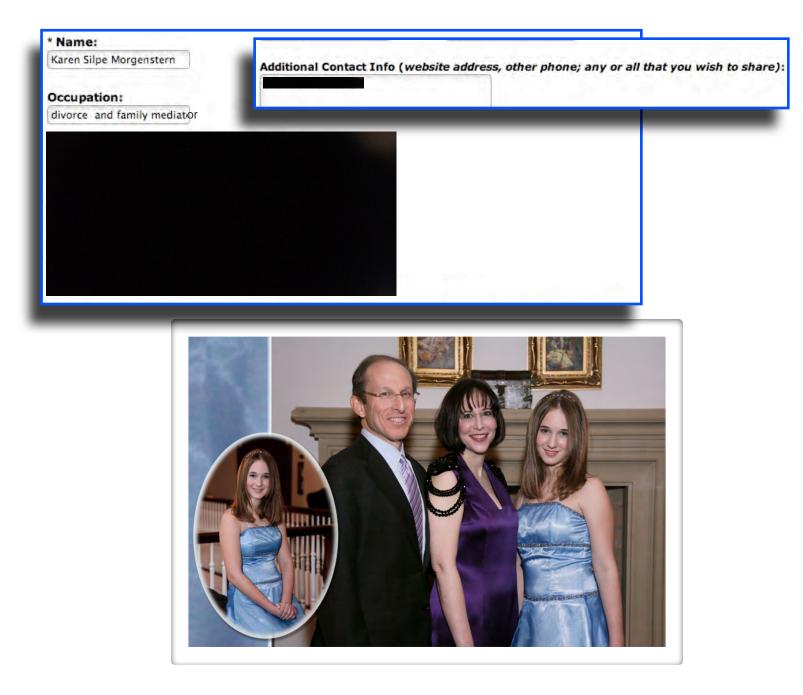
Moreover, becoming a global software entrepreneur was my goal and I have achieved it for the most part.

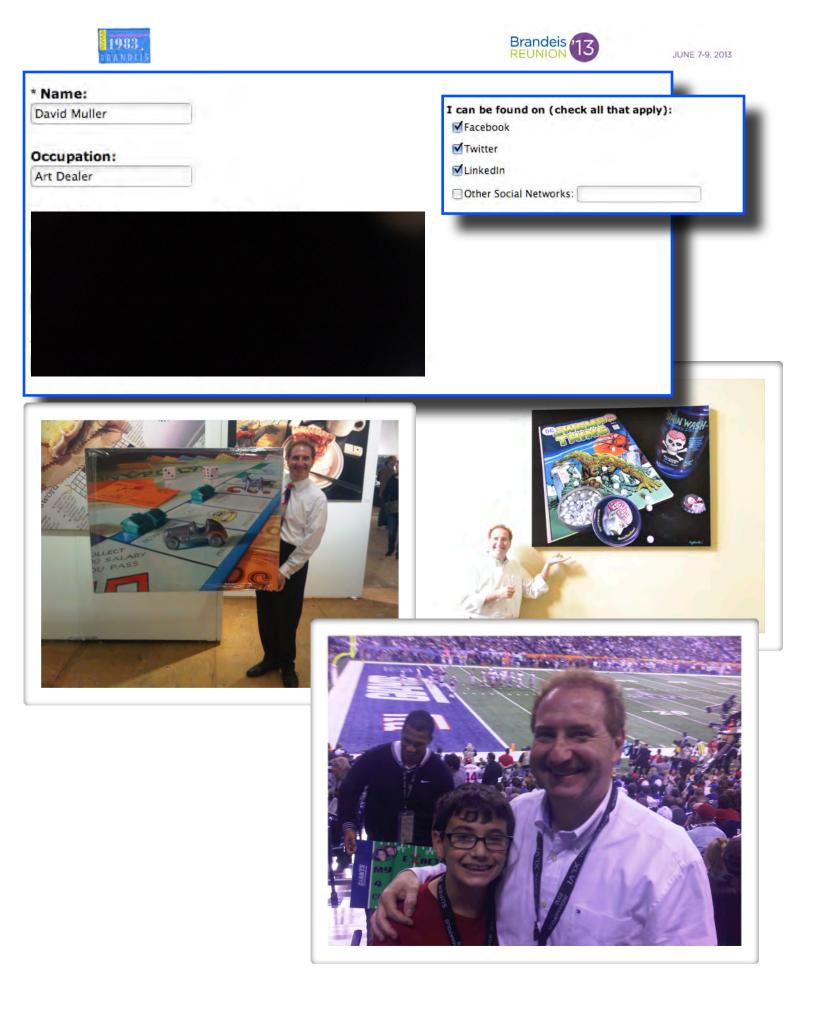






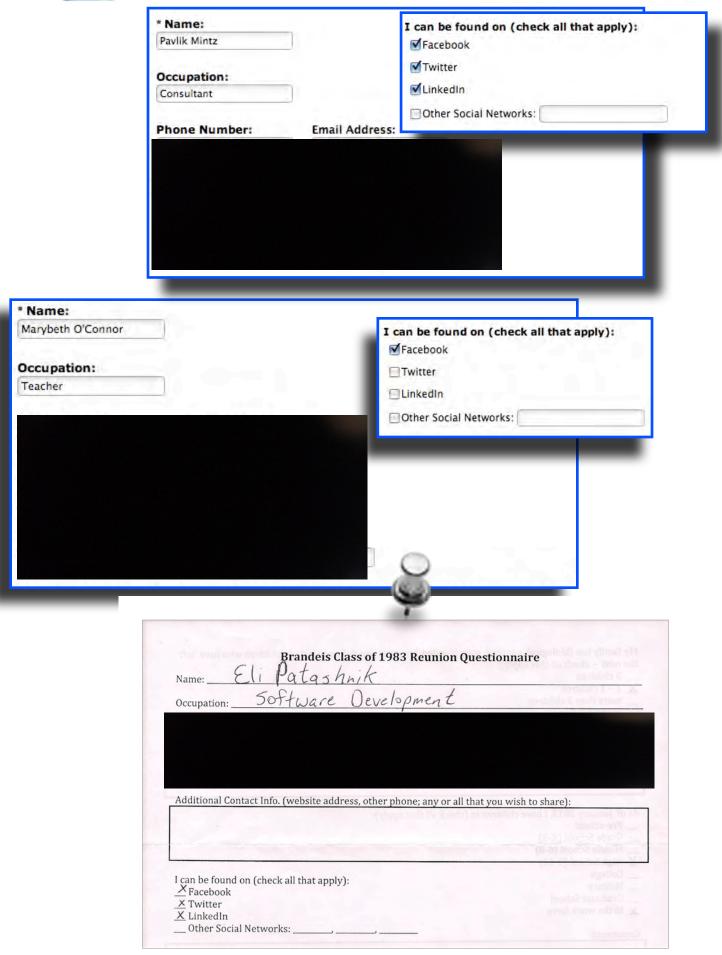






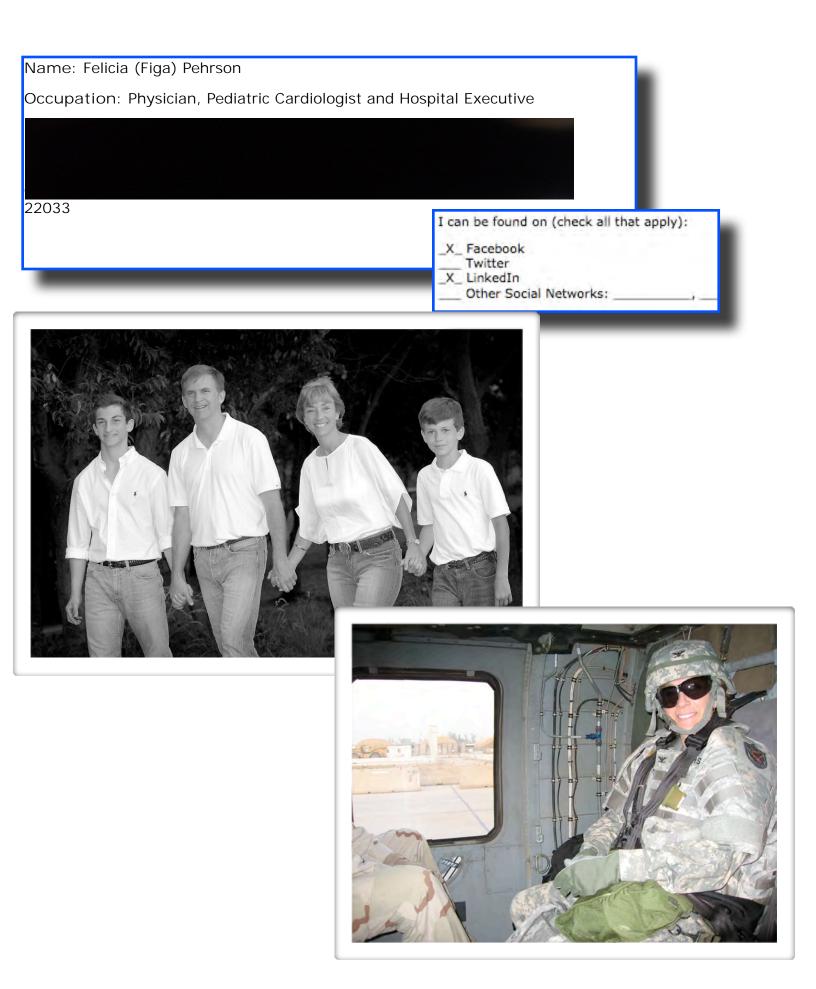










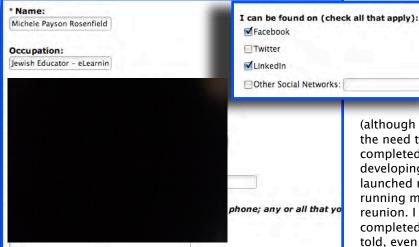






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1. I had really been hoping that no one would tag me because this activity initially intimidated me.

2. I am too ballsy to be intimidated by anything for very long before I attack it back.
3. Being 40 something has been way more fun than being 30 something ever was.
4. I thought that 30 was cooler than 29, 40 was cooler than 39, and now that 50 is starting to loom around the horizon I still think that 50 seems cooler than 49. There is just something about the zero's that speaks to a fresh new beginning where the 9's just seem old and tired.

5.I have always thought it a bit silly to make a fuss out of birthdays. Aging is so much better than the alternative.

6. I am in awe of the amazing people that are Simon and Daniel, despite or maybe because of all their academic issues.

7. I am proud of Mark and I because both of these boys are happy, healthy well adjusted kids, with rock solid self esteem.

About four years ago, there was a meme floating around facebook where, once you were tagged, you had to list 25 things about yourself, and then tag other people. When reading over the list of things I wrote, it felt really approriate to include it here

(although edited for space considerations). I only feel the need to add to it that since that time I have completed my Masters in Jewish Education and am now developing online adult education courses. I have just launched my new website, and if all goes well, I will be running my first course online a few weeks after this reunion. I have also run several half marathons and completed my first sprint triathlon (although truth be told, even though its sounds more impressive, the triathlon is way easier on my body).

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8. I continue to have faith that there is mench lurking inside of Benjamin and I look forward to the day when I get to meet him.

9. I LOVE the fact that none of my kids are particularly bothered by what 'every one else is doing', or what other kids think of the things that are important to them.

15. I hate cooking.

16. When I am about halfway done with the book I am currently reading, I start to think about what book I want to read next.

17. I no longer have patience for NYC. Give me a house on the beach or in the mountains with a room full of books and a high speed internet connection and I am in heaven.

18. I only picked computer science as a major in college because I had no idea what I wanted to do and my mother suggested it.

19. The only thing I did know was that I did not want to be a doctor. Why? Because if you were Jewish and your strengths were science and math then everyone assumed you would become a doctor.

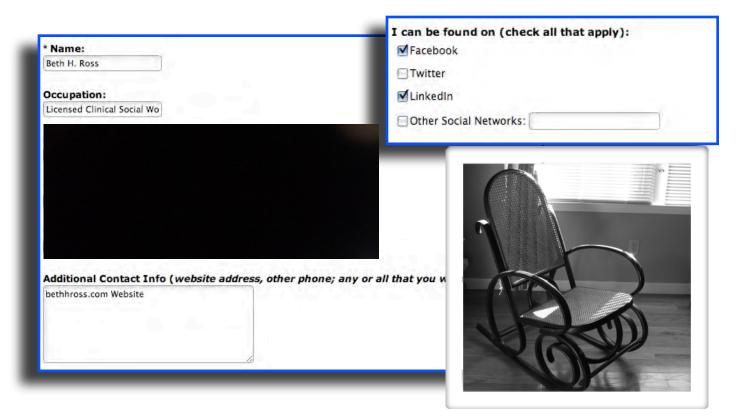
20. The fastest way to get me to turn left is to tell me that I have to turn right.

24. Going back to school in my 40's was one of the best gifts I ever gave myself.

25. I do not regret any of the places I have been in my life because every one of them has brought me to exactly where I am now; and that is a pretty awesome place to be.







I am a high energy person who is grateful for my family, my good friends, and for my health. I am very active, dance, hike, bike and am always up for a new adventure. I recently took a photography class and love having a creative outlet! Dancing to live bands or DJ's is my therapy! I try to maintain a positive spirit despite the difficulties life sometimes throws at you.



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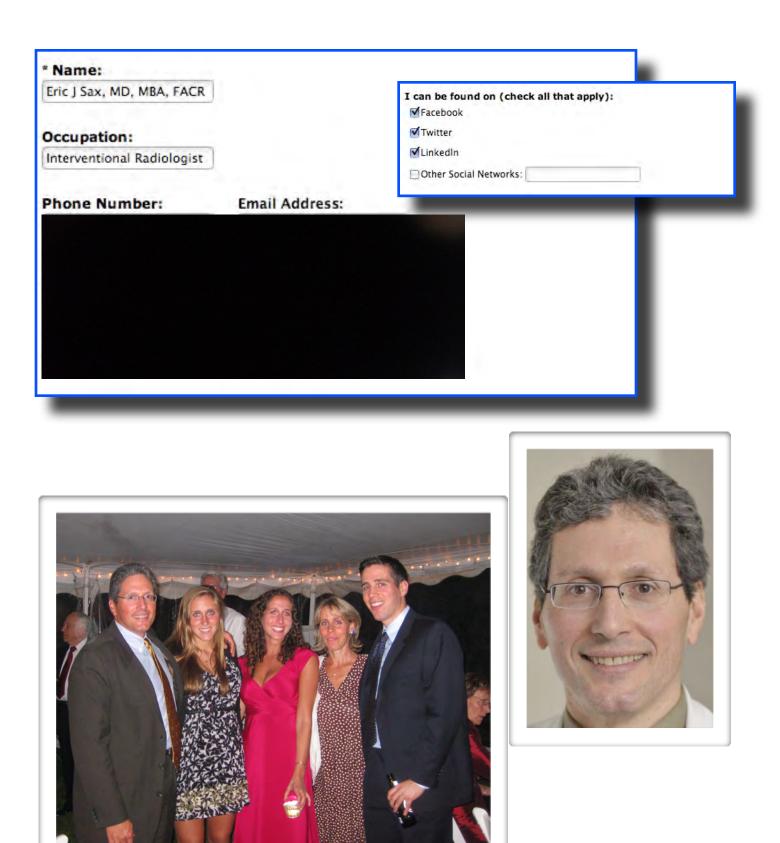
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I am considered by some to be an internationally recognized distinguished medical researcher with 250+ publications and 20 patents. My best accomplishment is my family as attached.









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My personal mission is to help us all wake up and see our lives from a whole new perspective. My mission for Abacus, my company, is to Provide Transformational and Sustainable Financial Advice. As a father, I'm doing rites of passage work with my son who is 13. I'm in a weekly men's group that supports my own rites of passages.

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I'm pretty much the same person that I was 5 years ago. Not a lot has changed--except it has gotten better.

We are 5 years older, wiser, stronger, and I am most fortunate that my family

is happy, healthy, and together. Right now my older daughter is with her 8th grade class touring Israel, having, as she puts it, "the most amazing adventure of (her) life." I am so blessed because the next line of her posting said that she can't wait to tell me all about it





and that she loves me "soooooo much!!!!" My younger daughter, almost 11, can't wait to travel as well, but also can't imagine being in Israel without me. I am currently taking a break from my dissertation and teaching undergrads in the gerontology program at UMASS Boston. My students are engaged, diverse, and most often older students age 25-75. It makes teaching challenging, but on the other hand, remarkably rewarding. When I began I wondered if doing the same thing year after year would become tiresome, but it hasn't. I

enjoy each class I teach more each year. I look forward to seeing everyone at our 30th Reunion, and if you can't make it, at our 35th Reunion. Be well. Stay in touch. Robin

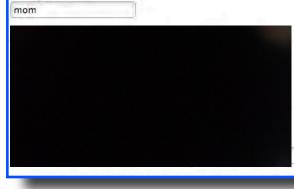




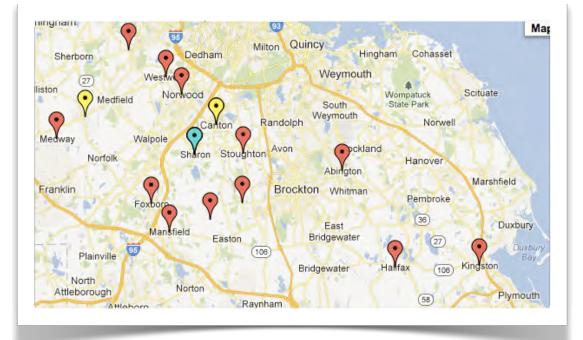
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I am a better friend than I was and would love to catch up with as many of my Brandeis friends as I could. I am a very happy aunt (and am missing the reunion to go to my niece's graduation from college). I consider myself to be an art photographer and general crafter. As for work - I work as a healthcare and not-forprofit lawyer, having recently opened up my own practice after working as in-house counsel to a number of hospitals for many years.