



A Message from Your Alumni Board

Elizabeth Sprouse 17PH, is wrapping up her term as your RSPH Alumni Board President. In her latest message she welcomes all of our new graduates to our alumni community and shares updates on the Board's activities including how we're making our events more accessible to everyone, how we plan to better engage our international alumni, naming changes on campus that have occurred as a result of our DEI work, and more.

[Watch](#)



Welcome Class of 2022!

On Saturday, May 7, we gathered in person and over livestream to celebrate our newest class of graduates and Dean Curran's final commencement as dean of RSPH. This year, 584 MPH degrees were awarded—including 34 dual degrees and 42 PhD degrees. Rollins' alumni now number over 11,000 living and working in all 50 states and more than 104 countries. Please join us in welcoming all of our new graduates to our Rollins alumni community!

[Watch the Ceremony](#)



Alumni Spotlight: Katie Hills Uzoka, MPH

As the Director of International Disaster Response at the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) **Katie Hills Uzoka 14PH** oversees global humanitarian programming in Asia, Africa and the Middle East. Most recently she's been working to support the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine.

[Meet Katie Hills Uzoka, MPH](#)



Help "Seat" Our Future

Don't miss your chance to create a lasting legacy for future Rollins students through the Seating Our Future Campaign! With a one-time gift of \$500 your name -- or that of a colleague, loved one, or mentor – will be inscribed on a 5" x 1" plaque in our new tiered classrooms in the R. Randall Rollins building, when it opens this fall. Your gift to the Seating Our Future Campaign will support student scholarships at RSPH, unless otherwise directed. Hurry, seats are limited and selling fast!

[Purchase Your Seat](#)



Celebrating the Life of P. Dean Surbey

It is with deep sadness that we share the tragic news that our friend and colleague, P. Dean Surbey, passed away suddenly on Saturday, May 28. All are invited to join us for a celebration of his life at RSPH on Thursday, June 23, from 4:30-6:30 pm. Bright, festive attire encouraged.

[RSVP to Attend](#)

[Share Your Memories of Dean](#)

Careers & Networking

ICYMI: Watch the Programs You Missed

Did you know that all of our alumni programs are now being recorded and housed on our [resources](#) page? Watch any webinars you may have missed or liked so much they're worth another watch!

Hire a Rollins Student

Our Rollins Earn and Learn (REAL) program provides partners with the opportunity to hire an experienced graduate student for a fraction of the cost. Rollins School of Public Health pays 50% of the student's salary. [Learn more.](#)

Get Free Access to LinkedIn Course

Effective networking can be the difference between landing a job and landing a great job. And mastering LinkedIn can be a significant component to effective networking. However, the site isn't always the most intuitive. To help, **Emory is now offering all alumni a FREE 1-year subscription** to a complete, step-by-step online course on mastering LinkedIn! Simply click the enroll button and create your account [here](#).

Opt in to Stay Connected

Remember, we send news and event information based on your mailing address so keeping your contact information current is important! It's easy to

do and keeps you connected to those who can help you most in your career. [UPDATE YOUR INFO NOW](#)

News & Information

Class Notes

Our alumni are always doing amazing things in their careers and personal lives. [READ](#) what your fellow alumni are doing.

Faculty News

Rollins faculty are making headlines with their research and leading with their expertise. [READ](#) faculty accomplishments.

Upcoming Events

Looking for some fun, social ways to connect with your fellow Rollins alumni? Recently moved to a new city and need to make new friends? Living abroad and looking for local events? From professional webinars and virtual networking to happy hours and trivia, we've got a little something for everyone no matter where you live. Below are a few featured events:

Juneteenth Celebration
Thursday, June 16
12:00 - 1:30 pm ET
Online

Hear a panel discussion on the documentary "Power to Heal" and conversation about the historic struggle to secure equal and adequate access to healthcare for all Americans. [REGISTER](#)

Emory Chicago Network: Cubs vs. Braves Baseball
Saturday, June 18
11:30 am - 4:30 pm CT
Toons Bar & Grill and Wrigley Field

Join the Emory Chicago Network for their annual Cubs game tradition as the Cubs take on the Atlanta Braves at Wrigley Field. [REGISTER](#)

RSPH Alumni Reception at CSTE Annual Conference
Sunday, June 19
5:30 - 7:30 pm ET
Louisville, KY

Join your fellow Rollins alumni for a reception at the 2022 Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE) Annual Conference in Louisville, Kentucky. We'll mix and mingle at Gordon Biersch Louisville. All are invited!
[REGISTER](#)

Emory DC Network: Pride Celebration
Thursday, June 23
5:30 - 8:30 pm ET

Mission Dupont

Join the DC LGBTQ+ Network for a Pride month celebration at Mission Dupont! [REGISTER](#)

Emory Explores: NY Network Entrepreneur Panel

Thursday, June 23

6:30 pm ET

Beckett's Bar & Grill, NYC

Join the Emory New York Network and Professional Development Committee for the first entry in the Entrepreneur Panel Series. This first panel will be focused on entrepreneurs whose companies combine social cause and hiring. Your fellow alumni will share their insights, and then feel free to grab a drink and network. [REGISTER](#)

Emory Network Los Angeles: Eaton Canyon Hike

Sunday, June 26

8:30 - 10:30 am CT

Eaton Canyon Natural Area and Nature Center

Bring your friends and family to hike Eaton Canyon with Emory alumni in LA! [REGISTER](#)

Atlanta Young Alumni Family Picnic

Saturday, July 2

9:30 am - 12pm ET

Chastain Park

Start your long weekend off right and join the Atlanta Young Alumni for a family picnic at Chastain Park. Enjoy free breakfast, drinks, and yard games like Spikeball and Kanjam. [REGISTER](#)

Emory Boston Network: Family Fun Day

Saturday, July 16

1:30 - 4:30 pm ET

Boston Children's Museum

Join us for Emory Family Fun Day at the Boston Children's Museum! [REGISTER](#)

First Look: Emory Global Diabetes Research Center

Monday, July 18

4:00 - 5:00 pm ET

Online

Hear from a panel of faculty connected to the new center discuss their work and partnerships created to address the problem of diabetes and its associated complications through integrating innovative investigations into the causes and cures for the disease. [REGISTER](#)

Emory in San Francisco: Sailing Excursion

Saturday, July 30

12:30 - 2:30 pm PT

San Francisco Sailing Company

Enjoy a private sail through some of the Bay Area's best attractions with fellow Emory alumni. [REGISTER](#)

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