of Harvard University Alumni Clubs of Asia (AHUACA), where he organized several important conferences. In 2002, he became president of the Harvard Club of Malaysia, where he had been deputy president since 1983. Lin has also been a leader within the Harvard Graduate School Alumni Council, serving as chair from 2002 to 2005, and was a member of the visiting committee for East Asian studies from 2003 to 2006.

Barbara J. Lukaszewicz, M.P.A. ’78, of Ottawa, has dedicated countless hours to the Harvard Club of Ottawa since becoming a member in 1978. She has served as president and treasurer, and worked on the local schools and scholarships committee. She spearheaded a strategic plan to redesign club events to better meet the intellectual and cultural needs of alumni, as well as their busy schedules, and in one year, membership soared from 50 to 125 members.

In addition, Lukaszewicz served as HAA regional director for Canada from 1989 to 1992 and mentors executive members of Ottawa’s Harvard University Club.

Regina T. Montoya, J.D. ’79, of Dallas, has served the HAA in multiple roles: as vice president (1995–1998), as an elected director (1988–1991), and as a member of the nominating committee (1991–1994). She has also been active in the Harvard Law School Association as a member of its visiting committee, reunion gift committee, and Committee of Five.

Sanford J. Sacks, M.B.A. ’66, of Scarsdale, New York, is a past co-chair of the HAA’s University-wide alumni outreach committee and was an HAA appointed director for the Business School (HBS) from 2006 to 2009. Acclaimed as a “star volunteer” at HBS, he has served multiple terms as chair of reunion and annual giving for his class and set new participation records in every year but one for the past 13 years. A former member of the HBS Alumni Association board of directors, Sacks is also a member of the Harvard Club of New York City and the HBS Club of Greater New York.

Nancy-Beth Sheerr ’71, of Gladwyne, Pennsylvania, was a principal architect of the Harvard-Radcliffe merger and the creation of the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study. She chaired the Radcliffe College Board of Trustees from 1990 to 1999 and has been a member of the Dean’s Advisory Board for the institute since 1999. A current member of the HAA awards committee, she was an HAA regional director for the Greater Delaware Valley from 2006 to 2010, an HAA-appointed director for Radcliffe from 1972 to 1974, a member of the HAA schools and scholarships committee, and former chair of the HAA’s recent graduates committee. Sheerr is past president and current board member of the Harvard-Radcliffe Club of Philadelphia, an active class reunion committee member, and past class president.

**Aloian Award Winners**

Each May, the HAA selects two rising seniors to receive the David and Mimi Aloian Memorial Scholarships. The criteria require recipients to have shown solid leadership in contributing to the quality of life in the Houses, traits embodied by the Aloians, who served as masters of Quincy House from 1981 to 1986. David Aloian ’49 was also executive director of the HAA.

Michael Baskin ’11, of Dunster House, and Ryan Schell ’11, of Pforzheimer House, were honored at the fall dinner of the HAA’s board of directors in October.

Baskin, of Boston, is known as “Eco-Mike.” As Dunster’s Sustainability Representative, he inspired fellow House members to a record 91 percent participation rate in Harvard’s Sustainability Pledge that has yet to be broken; as social chair of the Dunster House committee, he planned events that were both fun and sustainable. As a First Year Outdoor Program trip leader and leader trainer, he helped plan and lead week-long wilderness orientation trips that promote the development of social support and self-awareness. Additionally, he co-facilitates discussion groups as part of the Freshman Dean’s Office’s “Reflecting on Life” program.

A dedicated member of the Dunster crew, Baskin created new cheers to motivate the Dunster House boats, helped design the team’s website, and has never missed a practice.

Schell, of Troy, Michigan, is co-chair of the House committee, where he manages a $25,000 budget and works with administrators and fellow students to address University-wide issues and plan campus events. He also devotes significant time to Habitat for Humanity and piloted the organization’s first two-week-long international home-building project, which took place during last year’s January intersession. Schell is the program coordinator for the Mission Hill After School Program (MHASP) and encourages other undergraduates to participate. Last year, to the delight of everyone in the House, he brought some MHASP children to Pforzheimer House for a sleepover.

Michael Baskin (below) and Ryan Schell