Alumni Chapters
Handbook
Be part of a vibrant global community!

Our alumni form a vibrant global community in countries across the world. They are leaders, creators, educators, and change-makers working in every imaginable field in every corner of the globe.

As alumni, you gain a lifelong link to the college and one another. Many of our alumni play an important role in the life of the college and its student body by volunteering and giving back in many ways. We are extremely proud and thankful for the important contribution that our alumni volunteers make globally.

What is an alumni chapter?

Regional Alumni Chapters—sometimes referred to as “clubs,” “groups,” or “local networks,”—provide alumni with opportunities to connect and network with their fellow alumni wherever they live. Local chapters are an accessible, fun, friendly, and consistent point of contact for alumni. At the same time, they promote common alumni values and experiences abroad, while fostering new opportunities for social interaction, professional networking, and ACG mission engagement. Each chapter is unique! Up to now, ACG Alumni in six different countries/regions have already joined forces with the ACG Office of Advancement and have formed regional chapters in their areas.

What is the role of an alumni chapter?

Chapters foster a welcoming and inclusive environment. They rely on alumni volunteer support and often host events, facilitate networking, and act as a “point of contact” between ACG and alumni living in the areas where they operate. Alumni chapters support ACG and foster these connections through programs, such as social outings, networking, fundraising, events, and other meaningful activities.

What is the mission of alumni chapters?

With The American College of Greece Alumni Local Chapters, we hope to expand alumni engagement and meaningful connections with the school and with each other in the regions where they operate. In addition, chapters aim to support ACG goals and strategic initiatives to further advance the school’s mission, alumni, and community.
Why should you join an ACG alumni chapter?

- Chapters offer incredible networking opportunities
- You can reconnect with your alma mater
- They provide opportunities to give back in ways meaningful to you
- You can discover other alums in your city

Our goal is to eventually create a vibrant and engaged community of alumni within regions that foster networking, participation, and shared goals. We are looking to not only expand alumni engagement and meaningful connections but to support ACG’s goals and strategic initiatives to further advance the school’s mission, alumni, and community.

How can I join an ACG alumni chapter?

By visiting our website at: www.acg.edu/alumni/acg-alumni-chapters/, you will be able to find the regional chapter in your area and contact the local leaders via e-mail. If there is no Alumni chapter in your area and you wish to cooperate with us in forming one, please e-mail us at alumni@acg.edu. We will be more than thrilled to explore your idea with you.
"ACG Chapters provide the necessary platform for lifelong connection for all expat alumni. Our shared background and common experiences bring all of us closer to our roots, each other, and the school, irrespective of the country we currently live in."

**Dimitris Floros**
Leading Team Member Former UAE/GCC Chapter Member
Global Alumni Board member
Deree 2009

"The first word that comes to mind is support. That is what the Swiss ACG Alumni Chapter means to me. Offering and receiving nourishment to its members, to the school and to the scholars in need. It’s a chain and the bigger we help make it the higher the satisfaction for all of us."

**Kyriaki Matzoraki**
Swiss Chapter Leading Team Member
Global Alumni Board member
Deree 1994

"As the chairman of our alumni chapter, I am delighted to welcome all of you. Our chapter is dedicated to fostering connections and relationships among our members, and we believe that mentoring and networking are key to achieving this goal. Our vision is of a chapter in which alums can share their experiences and expertise, granting everyone the opportunity to expand their professional network. I truly believe that by working together, we can create a vibrant and supportive community of alumni who can help each other to succeed and thrive."

**Thanos Petsakos**
Deree Graduate School Chapter lead
Deree 2007
Deree Graduate School 2020