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2012–13 ALUMNI BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Matthew D. Lee has been elected to a two-year term as president of the board of directors of Philadelphia VIP, the pro bono arm of the Philadelphia (Pa.) Bar Association.

Robert Clifford was one of nine U.S.-based health workers to be presented with a REAL Award at the inaugural Patient Safety, Science & Technology Summit hosted in January by the Masimo Foundation in Laguna Nigel, Calif. The REAL Awards were created by Save the Children and Frontline Health Workers Coalition to recognize the life-saving efforts of dedicated health workers. Roberts, who is on the clinical teaching faculty at the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston, is chair of pediatrics at Roper and St. Francis hospitals. In recent years he has led medical teams to Thailand, Burma, Jordan and Iraq.

Teresa Skinner has become director of development with United Ministries of Greenville.

Mikee Johnson, president and chief executive officer of Cox Industries in Orangeburg, S.C., is the 2013–14 chair of the South Carolina Manufacturers Alliance, an organization of more than 200 companies. He is also chair of the State Workforce Investment Board and serves on the executive committees of the American Wood Protection Association, Treated Wood Council, Southern Pressure Treaters’ Association, and the Indian Waters Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Scott Medlyn of Alexandria, Va., was recognized by the University of South Carolina School of Law with a 2013 Complete Lawyer Award. The school’s Alumni Association presents the annual awards to alumni for outstanding civic and professional accomplishments. Scott is a major in the U.S. Air Force.

Democrat Mandy Powers Norrell of Lancaster, S.C., is a member of the state House of Representatives representing District 44, which includes southern Lancaster County. She serves on the Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs Committee. She is an attorney in private practice with her husband, Mitch.

Sandra Padgett Riddle started her own Tupperware business last October, and for the month of December was the 18th top selling consultant for Tupperware USA and Canada. Sandi and her family live in Goose Creek, S.C., where her husband, Charlie, is administrative battalion chief for St. Paul’s Fire District.

Brian Greenwood, a singer/songwriter in Los Angeles, has released a single titled “Malibu You,” available on iTunes and Amazon.com. Brian is working on an album and recently performed at such Hollywood venues as the Troubadour and Whisky-a-Go-Go. He was selected as a Spotlight Artist of the Month by Essential Pop magazine. Visit BrianGreenwood.com.

Lisa DeJaco, a partner with the Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs law firm in Louisville, Ky., has been selected to participate in the Bingham Fellows Class of 2013. Bingham Fellows is the leadership-in-action arm of the Leadership Louisville Center.

John Scott Gray is an associate professor of philosophy and humanities at Ferris State University in Big Rapids, Mich. During his sabbatical this spring he did research on American pragmatist John Dewey. He is co-author of Introduction to Popular Culture: Theories, Applications and Global Perspectives, published by Kendall Hunt.

Brett Lofts has become chief executive officer of The Crossnore School, a residential school in the mountains of western North Carolina that provides education, hope and healing for children who have been abused, neglected and abandoned. Visit crossnorschool.org.

BIRTHS: Jeff and Hattie O’Neill ’95 Bollerman, twins, a son, Malachy O’Neill, and a daughter, Honorah Halligan, January 7. Jeff is an investment banker at Houlihan Lokey and Hattie runs the New York office of Speakeasy Inc., a corporate communications consultancy. They live in Brooklyn.

Brady and Jennifer Gilbert, a daughter, Sophie Magnolia, May 15, 2012. They live in Travelers Rest, S.C., where Brady owns a computer business and is president of the Greater Travelers Rest Chamber of Commerce. He also serves on the board of the Greenville County Library System Chad and Katy Oliver Hutcherson, a son, Elliot Cash, May 29, 2012. They own The String Bean, a restaurant and retail market in Belmont, N.C. Katy is a risk officer for Wells Fargo Bank in nearby Charlotte.

Addison and Caroline Kocher ’00 Dana have moved to the Washington, D.C., area. Addison is chief investment officer for The Nature Conservancy, a nonprofit environmental organization. Visit nature.org.