In order to celebrate the life and achievements of recent generations of Pembroke students, the Governing Body determined in 2017 to hang a selection of photographic portraits in the Hall. Changing each year, the alumni represented have been chosen by the Art Committee in consultation with all Fellows.

This year, to celebrate the 40th anniversary of women admitted co-educationally to Pembroke College, our six portraits feature distinguished alumnae from a variety of fields. We hope that these images will provide a lively picture of the many walks of life in which these alumnae have prolifically determined their place in the wider world.

Photos, with thanks to: Keith Barnes (Katie, Karen and Roz), Studio Mona (Monica), Linda Nylind (Katharine) and David Myers (Carina)

WEST FACADE

Monica Juma (m.1995 - Politics)
Ambassador Monica Juma, (DPhil, CBS) is the Cabinet Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Kenya. Her career spans public, research and academia in Kenya, Africa and the world. She served as Principal Secretary in the Ministries of Foreign Affairs; Interior and Coordination of National Government; and Defence (2013-2018); Ambassador of Kenya to Ethiopia, Djibouti, African Union, IGAD and UNECA (2010-2013); on the United Nation Secretary General's High-Level Panel on resourcing for the United Nations Security Council’s mandated Africa Union peacekeeping operations (2008-2009); developed seminal peace and security policy document for Africa (2005-2010); was Executive Director at the Africa Institute of South Africa (2005-2010) and Research Analyst with the International Peace Institute (2000-2001).

Katie Razzall (m.1989 - Philosophy & Modern Languages)
Katie is an award-winning British investigative journalist and television news presenter. She covers social affairs and politics, and has reported on many of the iconic events in recent UK history including Brexit and the Grenfell Tower fire. In 2014, BBC Newsnight hired Katie as its Special Correspondent and in 2019 she was promoted to UK Editor. Before her move to the BBC, Katie worked at Channel 4 News for 15 years. She reported on the 2004 Asian tsunami from Sri Lanka where she was on honeymoon. She is married with two children.

EAST FACADE

Karen Jones (m.1996 - Medicine)
Karen is a Sport & Exercise and Emergency Medicine doctor, working at University Hospitals Coventry & Warwickshire and, as Club Doctor, for Premiership side Gloucester Rugby. She has always had a love of sport, helping Pembroke Women’s to their first Headship in Summer Eights in 2000 and rowing for Oxford University. In 1999, Karen turned her hand to rugby, winning three Varsity Match blues. In 2004 she joined the England Women's Rugby team, gaining 32 caps. As captain, she helped Worcester RFC Ladies top the English Women's Premiership in 2013. Karen began to focus her sporting interest onto her career in 2009 when she undertook an MSc in Sport & Exercise Medicine at UWC.

Katharine Viner (m.1989 - English)
Katharine is editor-in-chief of the Guardian, a position she has held since 2015. She joined the Guardian as a writer in 1997 and became deputy editor in 2008. Katharine launched Guardian Australia in 2013; and was editor of Guardian US. She holds honorary degrees from the University of Glasgow and City University New York. Katharine gave the 2013 AN Smith lecture at the University of Melbourne, discussing journalism in the age of the open web. Her 2016 speech, Truth and Reality in a Hyper-Connected World, was part of the Oxford University Women of Achievement Lecture Series. She was awarded the 2017 Diario Madrid prize for her long read How Technology Disrupted the Truth.

Roz Kaveney (m.1968 – English)
Roz Kaveney is a British writer, critic, and activist, best known for her critical works about pop culture and for her poetry including a verse translation of Catullus. Her novel Tiny Pieces of Skull won the 2016 Best Trans Fiction Lambda Literary Award. Kaveney attended Pembroke College from 1968 where she read English and won the Charles Oldham Shakespeare prize. Kaveney is a regular contributor to The Times Literary Supplement. She is also a founding member of Feminists Against Censorship; a former deputy chair of Liberty, the National Council for Civil Liberties; and is active as an advocate for trans civil rights.

Carina Bauer (m.1995 - PPE)
Carina is the CEO of the family owned IMEX Group, which runs the two largest global tradeshows for the business events industry. Having started her career as MD of Goodbean Coffee, she joined the IMEX Group in 2002 and was promoted to CEO in 2009. Throughout her career, Carina has been an active member of the industry serving on numerous Boards and advisory groups. She has been recognised as one of the most influential people in the sector by meetings industry publications, as well as being a winner of the 'Spirit of Collaboration Award' and 'Inspirational Women Awards' by industry organisations. She lives in Brighton with her husband Tom (m.1995 – Law) and their two boys.