

HCPA SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

Meet the Candidates!

Hello and Nyob Zoo, HCPA Community!

Elections for Hmong College Prep Academy's Board of Directors are coming up, and we would like to introduce you to our candidates running for seats on the board. Learn more about each candidate below so you are ready to cast your vote online or in person when voting is open from May 27 - May 29!



SONYA ZUKER

Running For: Parent/Community Seat D

Born at the end of the Vietnam War and adopted from Saigon by a Korean-American family, she brings a powerful perspective as a bi-racial refugee and lifelong learner. Her experiences with identity, racism, and cultural duality fuel her commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion in education. With advanced degrees in education and a focus on inclusive learning environments and organizational change, she has dedicated her career to creating supportive spaces for students. Running for re-election on HCPA's Governing Board, she is passionate about educational equity and building strong, inclusive school communities.



GE VANG

Running For: Parent/Community Seat G

Ge Vang, an HCPA alumni (Class of 2008), is seeking re-election to the Board of Trustees, where he currently serves as Finance Chair. He holds a Business Finance degree from the University of St. Thomas and works as a Claims Tech Data Analyst at Prime Therapeutics. Ge brings experience in business management, accounting, and community program coordination. Passionate about education and community involvement, he is dedicated to supporting HCPA's mission and continued growth. A resident of North St. Paul, he has also coached volleyball at HCPA and looks forward to continuing his service on the board.



JOSEPH NORBY-WHITE

Running For: Teacher Seat A

With seven years of teaching experience, including four years at Hmong College Prep Academy, Joseph serves as a High School Biology and Human Anatomy & Physiology teacher. In addition to his classroom responsibilities, he coaches the robotics team and contributes as a member of the school's governance committee. Joseph states that the most rewarding aspect of his work at HCPA is building meaningful relationships with students and supporting their academic and personal growth.



Elections will run May 27 - May 29, 2025. Call 651-209-8002 or visit hcpak12.org for more information.