

Dr. Julian Harris is founding President of CareAllies business, a group of market leading population health management and home-based care companies focused on helping providers and payers improve the quality and affordability of health care across the country. Julian joined Cigna, CareAllies' parent company, in 2015 to lead US strategic operations planning and internal investments in technology and innovation. He launched and became President of CareAllies in 2016. Julian is also an Adjunct Associate Professor at the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, a Fellow in Health Policy at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University, and a Trustee of the New York Academy of Medicine.

From 2015-2016, Julian also served as an Adviser to Google Ventures. Prior to GV, Julian led the health care team in the White House Office of Management and Budget (OMB). As the government's chief health care finance official, he oversaw \$1 trillion in spending and policy for a range of coverage programs, including Medicare, Medicaid, Marketplaces, the CMS Innovation Center, and the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program. Julian led OMB's engagement with agencies on initiatives as diverse as launching the Precision Medicine Initiative, establishing the FDA's regulatory approach for biosimilars, and developing Medicare Accountable Care Organization (ACO) and bundled payment models.

During his time as chief executive of the \$11 billion Medicaid program in Massachusetts, Julian led the development of an ACO program and built value-based payment and a focus on behavioral health and social determinants into the country's first Medicare-Medicaid duals demonstration. Julian trained in internal medicine and primary care at Harvard Medical School's Brigham

& Women's Hospital and worked as a hospitalist physician at Cambridge Health Alliance. Earlier in his career, Julian worked in global health and has done research, clinical, policy, and consulting work in over a dozen countries in Africa, the Spanish-speaking Caribbean, the Middle East, and Europe.

Julian graduated summa cum laude with a B.A. degree in Health Policy & Medical Ethics from Duke University, where he was an Angier B. Duke Scholar, and he holds a M.Sc. degree from Oxford University, where studied as a Rhodes Scholar. He is also a graduate of the Wharton School of Business and the School of Medicine at University of Pennsylvania. At Northside High School, Julian was Valedictorian, STAR Student, Student Council President, and Mr. Northside. He was also State 4-H President, Co-Captain of the Speech and Debate Teams, a 3-time All-State Champion in Extemporaneous Speaking, and a member of the Choral Ensemble and All-State Chorus. He attended Governor's Honors as well as the Telluride Association Summer Program (TASP) at Cornell University. Julian was also a National Merit Scholar, a Coca-Cola Scholar, a Discover Card Tribute Award National Scholarship Winner, and State Champion in the Optimist Club and Veterans of Foreign Wars public speaking championships.

Julian's wife, Dr. Michelle Lee, is a pediatric oncologist and Assistant Professor of Medicine at the Albert Einstein School of Medicine and the Children's Hospital at Montefiore Health System. Their son, Noah, age 8, loves karate, basketball, and writing and illustrating comic books. Julian's mother, Dr. Virgie Nobles Harris, taught English at Northside High School before pursuing a Ph.D. and joining the faculty at Fort Valley State University, where she headed the drama and communications department. His father, Leroy Harris, Sr., retired from Robins Air Force base and launched a second career as an entrepreneur and CEO of SES Corporation. His sister, Dr. Kathryn Harris-Stephens, now a senior pharmacy benefits consultant, and his brother, Leroy Harris, Jr., now a senior imaging equipment sales executive, also graduated from Northside High School.

## What does Northside High School mean to you?

I have so many special memories of Northside. My earliest memories are of walking its halls as a child after coming over from Parkwood Elementary with my siblings to meet my mom, Virgie Harris, in her English classroom, which we helped her decorate at the beginning of every year. My mom loved her students, and they loved her. In fact, as a little kid, I remember being slightly jealous that other kids loved my mom and vice versa, but that jealousy turned to a deep sense pride once I was old enough to know better.

Years later, after she'd gone on to do a PhD and teach at Fort Valley State, I also have great memories of watching my older brother, Leroy, play football at Northside and watching my older sister, Kathryn, win dramatic interpretation and speech competitions. We had one year together when I was freshman, my brother was a sophomore and Co-Captain of the football team, and my sister was a senior and student body vice president, and we felt like we ruled the world that year.

Beyond the family memories, I remember the incredible teachers who opened my eyes to new skills and ideas in ways that have continued to impact my life to this day. Mrs. Cook's Latin classes, helped me learn other languages. Mrs. Ogletree and Mrs. Adam's math classes and Mrs. Morrison and Burrell's science classes, helped me to get into medical school. Mrs. Hinckley's history class trip to Europe opened my eyes to the wider world and led to many subsequent trips abroad for work and play on 4 continents.

I also remember debate practice and road trips with Mr. Rogers, whose classroom was my home base at school, and fun times with the band and the choral ensemble. Dr. Stanley was also a constant source of support and encouragement, and she worked tirelessly to help me navigate the college application process.

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