

ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE YOUNG ALUMNAE LOYALTY AWARD

Presented to

Rachel J. Schaefer '06



The Alumnae Association of Mount Holyoke College is pleased to honor Rachel J. Schaefer, class of 2006, with the Young Alumnae Loyalty Award. During the full and challenging years just following graduation, you always made time for Mount Holyoke and that commitment has only grown throughout this decade. Your volunteer service is exceptional by any standards but is especially remarkable for a young alumna.

Since graduation, you have earned a reputation as an enthusiastic and engaged alumna. Wherever you have moved for your paralegal career, you have sought out a Mount Holyoke alumnae club and contributed your talents. To date, the Baltimore Club, the Queens Club, and the Seattle Club all have been the beneficiaries of your dedication to Mount Holyoke. In Seattle, you now serve as Book Award Sponsor and Alumnae Representative Assistant; you previously excelled in these same roles with the Queens Club.

Along with your club involvement, you have been compiling an impressive résumé as a volunteer for the Class of 2006. Since graduation, you have helped lead the class as its vice president. You have contributed to fundraising efforts as both a class agent and Reunion gift caller. In 2010, you took on the duties of Reunion Costume Chair for this fifth-year celebration. You also were part of the group that organized the two-year reunion.

Along with assuming leadership positions, you always are willing to share your energy and ideas. You have a track record of getting involved and getting things done. You are always eager to meet other alumnae—they, likewise, value the chance to make your acquaintance. In all settings, you are a fine ambassador for Mount Holyoke.

You have embodied Mary Lyon's expectation when she said, "Let one efficient lady, in almost any place, either alone or with one or two to aid her, commence the work with decision, and with perseverance carry it through, and it will be done!"

With sincere thanks for your extraordinary efforts and for your ongoing volunteer service, the Alumnae Association recognizes you with the Loyalty Award.

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