

ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE

ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 2021

PRESENTED TO



Judith Richmond Walters '66

JUDITH RICHMOND WALTERS, CLASS OF 1966, the Alumnae Association is pleased to honor you with the Achievement Award. This award is presented to alumnae whose accomplishments and service to society exemplify the values and virtues set forth by the College.

Judith, as a noted and respected scholar your research on the role of dopamine in the brain has advanced understanding of the causes of movement disorders.

After completing your postdoctoral work at Yale University, you joined the faculty of the department of psychiatry at the Yale University School of Medicine. Later you moved to the experimental therapeutics branch in the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, where you now serve as chief of the neurophysiological pharmacology section. Your laboratory explores the causes of movement disorders such as Parkinson's disease, Tourette Syndrome and ADHD through investigations of the role of dopamine in basal ganglia-thalamocortical function. Under your direction, the laboratory has contributed numerous publications to leading journals in your field.

Celebrated as an outstanding mentor for female scientists, you encourage work-life balance in your laboratory, supporting those who work for you to pursue careers in science while also having a family.

Judith, for your outstanding accomplishments, the Alumnae Association is honored to present you with the Achievement Award on this, your fifty-fifth, reunion.

MARIA Z. MOSSAIDES '73
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