## ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE

## ALUM VOLUNTEER LEADERSHIP AWARD 2022

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MELISSA TESS IBARRA, CLASS OF 2012, the Alumnae Association is pleased to honor you with the Alum Volunteer Leadership Award. This award honors a recent graduate who has demonstrated strong leadership, consistent effort over time and active involvement in one or more areas of service, resulting in a meaningful accomplishment for the Association and/or College. Volunteer effort may be on behalf of classes, clubs, global regions, groups, the Association or the College.

Melissa, your leadership in planning the 2021 Latinx Alum Conference created opportunities for meaningful connections between Latinx alums and students.

As the key architect and leader of the conference, you developed an inclusive, state-of-the-art program that connected alums and students around unique perspectives and experiences of the Latinx community and supported the Alumnae Association's focus on diversity, equity and inclusion. Your efforts earned rave reviews from attendees, staff and speakers, who remarked on your effective leadership and "ability to craft a conference effortlessly in a calm, efficient manner."

Melissa, for your strong leadership, the Alumnae Association is honored to present you with the Alum Volunteer Leadership Award on this, your tenth, reunion.

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