## Alumnae association of mount holyoke college MEDAL OF Honor 2022

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lona Gubow

**MONA GUBOW, CLASS OF 1972**, the Alumnae Association is pleased to honor you with the Medal of Honor. This award is presented to an alum for eminent service in promoting the effectiveness of the Alumnae Association and/or College. Significant leadership, specific accomplishments and stellar service have been consistent over an extended period of time and broad-based across multiple areas of involvement, which include classes, clubs, global regions, groups, the Association and the College.

Mona, your decades-long service to Mount Holyoke has helped to shape the College's past, present and future.

You currently serve as president and cornerstone chair for the class of 1972 in addition to serving as admission representative in both Michigan and Palm Beach, Florida. Previously you have served on the Alumnae Association's Classes and Reunion Committee and as head class agent.

Classmates and College staff alike remark on your leadership abilities, enthusiasm for and devotion to Mount Holyoke. As class president for the past ten years, you are the glue that bonds your class together, consistently connecting with your classmates through personal messages and leading the charge in planning frequent mini-reunions. You have been instrumental in raising money for The Mount Holyoke Fund and the sustainability boardwalk around Upper Lake.

Your ability to think creatively proved crucial during your term on the Classes and Reunions Committee in particular, evaluating the needs of the loyalty classes to help enhance their reunion experience. Your contributions remain valuable as current committee members follow examples and guidelines you put into place. Your desire to do the best for the College is well known. As one Alumnae Association board member noted, "Mona is the living embodiment of Mount Holyoke."

Mona, for your eminent service, the Alumnae Association is honored to present you with the Medal of Honor on this, your fiftieth, reunion.

Silen Hede Pace

ELLEN HYDE PACE '81 PRESIDENT ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE

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