



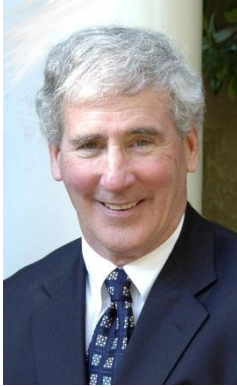
2015 Alumni Medalist Award Reception Ceremony

Columbia University

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The 2015 CAA Alumni Medalists



William V. "Bill" Campbell '62CC, '64TC, is Chair Emeritus of the University's Trustees and is the Chair of Intuit Corporation. He has served as Intuit's President and CEO (1994-2000), and formerly was President and CEO of GO Corporation; Founder, President and Chief Executive Officer of Claris Corporation; and Executive Vice-President of Apple Computer. Mr. Campbell joined Apple Computer from Kodak in 1983 where he was General Manager of consumer products for Kodak Europe. Prior to joining Kodak, Mr. Campbell was Vice President at J. Walter Thompson in New York. He recently retired from the Board of Directors of Apple, Inc. after 17 years of service. Mr. Campbell served as a Trustee of Columbia University for 12 years, 9 as Chair of the Board. He has been co-chair of the Campaign Volunteer Leadership Committee, where he served on the Executive Steering Committee, and co-chair for Athletics. He was a founder of the Columbia Alumni Association (CAA), and a member of the advisory group of the Columbia Entrepreneurship initiative. Mr. Campbell received the Alexander Hamilton Medal in 2000, the John Jay Award in 1991, and the Alumni Athletics Award in 1988. He was captain of the 1961 Ivy champion football team, which was inducted into the Class of 2010 Columbia University Hall of Fame. Mr. Campbell served as the head football coach at Columbia from 1974 to 1979 and is a director of the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame. He is the father of James ('04CC, '08SIPA) and Margaret ('13CC).



Dr. Thomas J. Connolly '77DDS, '80PD is in private practice with his daughter, Dr. Julie A. Connolly '97CC, '01DM, '01PH, '05DM, specializing in Periodontics and Dental Implants in New York. He received his DDS, Periodontal and Implant training from Columbia's College of Dental Medicine (CDM). Upon graduation, he received awards in Periodontics, Oral Surgery, Operative Dentistry, and Endodontics & General Dentistry. He has served on the CDM's volunteer faculty in their pre-doctoral program as well as teaching periodontal residents microsurgery. Dr. Connolly continues his involvement with CDM in their ethics and mentoring programs. As President of the 1852 Society and the recent Capital Campaign at CDM, he has been instrumental in helping secure the school's financial future. He was awarded the Distinguished Alumni Award from CDM's

Periodontal Division. He has recently served on the Columbia University Medical Center Board of Visitors and the Columbia University Executive Steering Committee. Dr. Connolly currently serves on the Board of Visitors Columbia CDM. His two other daughters are also graduates of Columbia: Lauren DiProspero '09TC and Alyssa White '11GSAS and '14LAW.



Angela Clarke Duff '70NRS worked in a variety of clinical settings in her community after graduation. As her family grew, she focused on raising four children and a myriad of volunteer leadership roles in school and civic settings. A current member of Columbia Nursing's Board of Visitors, Angela served two terms as a director of the School's Alumni Association from 2006-2012. She has been a member of the Reunion Planning Committee and co-chair of the Distinguished Alumni Awards Committee since 2011. Angela has represented the School of Nursing on the Alumni Trustee Nominating Committee since 2008. She has been active as a class and fundraising volunteer at the School for several decades. Beyond Columbia, Angela is a volunteer at the Metropolitan Museum of Art where she has been a guide since 2000. From 2002-2004 she served as

Executive Assistant to the Chair of the Volunteer Organization, a 1200 member group that serves the needs of that institution. Since 2002 Angela has served as president of Friends of Station Square, a non-profit organization devoted to the preservation and beautification of Station Square in Forest Hills. She also served on the Policy Committee, a fundraising arm of the Civil Support Division of the Legal Aid Society. Her daughter is a graduate of the School of Nursing Class of '96 and '00. Angela particularly values her connection to the School of Nursing because of the numerous opportunities to witness the growth in programs and stature the School has made in educating extraordinary Columbia nurses for today's health care needs.



Robert L. Kahan '69CC joined Montgomery Securities as a partner (1982) in San Francisco. He became Senior Managing Director and member of the Executive Committee with Montgomery Securities (1985-98) and in 1995 it was sold to Nationsbank. Previously he was with Goldman Sachs as vice president in New York (1973-1982). As a student, Bob was a sports and newscaster at WKCR, calling the exciting basketball games of the great 1968 and 1969 Columbia teams and reporting the historic events of the campus political disturbances of that same era. Bob was one of the first donors to the new football stadium fund in 1985 and for his 20th Reunion he endowed a scholarship that supports a needy Columbia College athlete in his late father's name, Theodore Kahan '20CC. He co-chaired the special West Coast John Jay Awards Dinner held in San Francisco in 1997. He

later endowed a chair in his father's name in the Humanities Core, and also endowed the Bob Kahan Sports Studio at WKCR in Lerner Hall. With the advent of internet streaming, he remains a loyal listener and viewer of Columbia sporting events. He has been active in the Alumni Recruitment Committee, and as a mentor, hired four summer interns who went on to success at Bank of America Montgomery.



Allison Cooke Kellogg '72IF, '73SIPA is Director of External Relations for McKinsey & Company's Financial Services Practice. In 2006, Mrs. Kellogg served on the Steering Committee to plan SIPA's 60th Anniversary celebration. Following the success of this event which drew alumni from all over the world, Mrs. Kellogg and a small group of alumni created the SIPA Alumni Council. She chaired the Governance and Nominating Committee, which oversaw the creation of the Council's governance structure. In 2014, the Council created the first SIPA Alumni Association in the history of the school. Mrs. Kellogg serves as a member of the Executive Committee of the Association. She is also serving her second term on Columbia's Alumni Trustee Nominating Committee (ATNC) as the SIPA representative, and currently chairs the committee. Mrs. Kellogg is the President of the Board of The Pearl Theatre Company, a classical theater company in New York City. She is also co-chair of the Strategic Planning Board Committee for the New York Junior League.



Daphne Fodor Philipson '69BC, '74BUS retired from E. M. Warburg Pincus & Co. in 1999 as a managing director and began her volunteer work with Barnard as a BAAR, interviewing prospective students and attending high school college fairs. She has served on the Fellowship Committee that awards stipends to alumnae who wish to pursue projects after graduation and helped to kick start Project Continuum. She was her class fundraising chair for many years and chaired the Annual Giving Committee for two terms and has served on the Board of the Alumnae Association, of which she is currently Treasurer. Six years ago she became a founding Director of the Athena Center for Leadership Studies with which she is still active. Being involved with Barnard's amazing alumnae has given her the honor of making Barnard friendships across class lines. Whether it is with those who graduated ahead of her, or after, she is honored to have worked with so many outstanding women to advance the college's goals.



Miguel Schloss '69BUS is President and CEO of Surinvest Ltda., Chile and Board Director of its two real estate investment subsidiaries. Formerly he was Executive Director of Transparency International (TI) in its formative years and presently serves on several corporate and NGO governing boards, worldwide. He served as an external member of Quality Assurance Panel of the World Bank, serving as head of five divisions: Telecommunications and Mining (global), Industry and Energy (Africa), and Country Programs (Latin America), and eventually becoming Director, Strategic, Corporate & Budget Planning. Miguel is a dedicated member of the Business School and University communities. As the founder and president of Columbia Business School Club in Chile in 2005, he has been instrumental in broadening the institution's global footprint, fostering meaningful connections among Columbians, and forging vital ties between the University and important members of the Chilean community. He has hosted several Business School admissions receptions in Santiago, Chile. Miguel has also been deeply involved in efforts to establish a University-wide alumni club in Chile and has recently shared his insight at a joint CAA/Columbia Business School Alumni Club of Israel event in Tel Aviv entitled, "Israel: Business Viewpoints from Latin America," (2014). He has also been a guest speaker at the Beijing, China and Taipei, Taiwan alumni clubs.



Roxann Sherri Smithers, Esq. '99CC, '02LAW, a native of Akron, Ohio, has been on the board of the Columbia Club of Atlanta since 2002 and served as president since 2007. Roxann is on the CAA Board and chairs the Associations and Clubs Committee. She is on the CCAA Board, a member of its Power Network Committee and served on the 2012-2013 Taskforce for Alumni Engagement. Roxann is a member of the CLS Alumni Association. Roxann rounds out her alumni engagement as a member of the ARC and the BAC (2007 BAC Graduation Keynote Speaker). While at Columbia, Roxann was a Kluge Scholar and received the Houghton Room Prize and Alumni Award. She was President of the Black Students Organization, a member of the Students of Color Leadership Committee, and the Black Law Students Association. Roxann worked in the Center for Career Education and Student Enterprises (the New York Times Agency). Roxann resides in Atlanta, Georgia where she founded Smithers Thornton & Ume-Nwagbo, LLC, a full service firm for start-up, small, and mid-size companies. She was named a Super Lawyers Magazine Georgia Rising Star in 2012, 2014, 2015. Roxann chairs Children's Burial Assistance, Inc., is a Trustee of Providence Missionary Baptist Church, and is on the Board of Governors of the City Club of Buckhead.



Susan C. Waltman, '77LAW is the Executive Vice President for Legal, Regulatory, and Professional Affairs and General Counsel for the Greater New York Hospital Association, which represents the interests of 150 hospitals and health care systems across the New York region. In that capacity, Ms. Waltman is responsible for the legal, regulatory, and professional affairs matters involving GNYHA and its affiliated companies as well as oversees GNYHA's emergency preparedness and response activities on behalf of its members. Ms. Waltman is exceptionally proud to be the third generation in her family to graduate from Columbia Law School, following in the footsteps of her grandfather Harry R. Waltman, '17LAW and father Albert Redpath Waltman '49LAW, and even more proud that her son, Michael Barry, graduated from the Law School in 2013. Ms. Waltman currently serves on the steering committee of the Law School's Board of Visitors, has served on the board of the Columbia Alumni Association, participated in the development of the CAA's Strategic Plan, and has co-chaired numerous Law School reunions. Ms. Waltman's greatest commitment to Columbia however is with respect to mentoring, advising, and supporting its amazing students and to promoting alumni engagement, given the immense benefits received by all who are fortunate enough to have attended Columbia University.



Lauren L. Wong '76SEAS is Chair Emerita of the Columbia Engineering Board of Visitors ('BOV'), and a member of the Society of Columbia Graduates. Lauren was a silent contributor to Columbia Engineering after completing her MBA degree in Finance from NYU's Stern School of Business. She re-engaged with Columbia Engineering when she was elected to the Engineering Council. Lauren served as a member of the BOV Executive Committee for several years and chaired the BOV Committees on Nominations and Finance, as well as co-chaired the BOV Committee on Development and Alumni Relations. In addition to her continued support for Columbia Engineering, Lauren enjoyed meeting and engaging with students at various alumni-students events and panels, and prospective students at Egleston Scholars receptions. She also participated in Alumni Trustee Nominating Committee meetings. Lauren is a managing principal at Tandem Capital Management. She previously was a securities analyst at Oppenheimer & Co, and prior to that, was involved with pension and foundation investments at AT&T's Investment Management Organization. Lauren holds the designation of Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) from the CFA Institute. Her son, Ben Sheng, is a senior at Columbia College.