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Class of 1905 Cup

Presented to the class that graduated less than 50 years ago and which has the largest percentage of returning members

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Presented to the class that graduated 50 or more years ago and which has the largest percentage of returning members

Class of 1922 Cup

Awarded for the largest overall number of returning classmates

Alumni Corporation Humanitarian Award

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Wm. Brian Little '64 Alumni Award for Distinguished Service

ALMA MATER

Following the program, there will be a torchlight procession from Memorial Chapel to Whitnall Field.

Please allow the 50th reunion class and their guests to exit the chapel first.

Alumni Corporation Humanitarian Award

Established in 2003 by the Colgate University Alumni Corporation to honor Jane Lagoudis Pinchin, the award honors Colgate alumni who have devoted themselves to improving the lives of individuals in local, regional, and/or national communities through their compassion, initiative, and commitment.

DR. C. MCCOLLISTER EVARTS '53

Mac Evarts, who received his bachelor's *cum laude* with honors in zoology from Colgate 64 years ago, has helped transform orthopaedic medicine, and in the process improved the lives of countless patients.

Mac is editor of the five-volume text, *Surgery of the Musculoskeletal System*, now in its second edition, a valued source for orthopaedic surgeons and students. Author of more than 200 articles in peer-reviewed journals, Mac is a member of the National Academy of Science's Institute of Medicine and has helped spur advances in medical education, research, care, and community outreach.

Now distinguished university professor of orthopaedics at Penn State University and the University of Rochester, Mac has held faculty and administrative positions at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation, where he chaired the orthopaedics department; the University of Rochester, where he was professor and chair of orthopaedics and later senior vice president for health affairs and CEO of the Medical Center and Strong Health; and Penn State Hershey, where he became CEO, senior vice president for health affairs, and dean of the College of Medicine.

After earning his medical degree at the University of Rochester, Mac served two years in the Navy, including a tour as medical officer aboard the aircraft carrier *Antietam*.

Mac's many recognitions include Distinguished Alumnus from the University of Rochester School of Medicine. During his career, he has served as president of five major medical associations, including the Hip Society and the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgeons.

Mac was instrumental in establishing the Hope Lodge/Hospitality House at Colgate Rochester Crozier Divinity School — the equivalent of a Ronald McDonald House for adults. And he helped create a walk-in clinic for Rochester's indigenous population.

A National Alumni War Memorial Scholar as an undergraduate, Mac endows a scholarship fund at Colgate. He belongs to the Willow Society and is a Member in Perpetuity of the Presidents' Club.

To Dr. McCollister Evarts' many distinctions, we are pleased to add the Colgate Alumni Corporation's Humanitarian Award.

Awarded in 2017

DENNISTON M. REID '94

Denniston Reid has devoted his life to improving educational opportunities for underserved students. As a teacher, administrator, visionary, and innovator, he has spent his life since Colgate helping young people to recognize and achieve their potential.

A campus leader, Cobb Fellow, and member of Konosioni, as a student, Denniston won the Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Award. That led to a Teach for America assignment in the Bronx, where Denniston prophetically told the *New York Daily News* on opening day: “I’m going to reach all the students in my class.”

Denniston came back to Colgate for three years as assistant dean of admission. Colleagues remember him as “a larger-than-life presence, teaching us to think differently” and engaging alumni to reach out to underserved populations.

He returned to the classroom in 2000 as a founding teacher at publicly funded Bronx Preparatory Charter School. *The New York Times* featured his work there; teaching math to sixth graders from poor black and Hispanic families, he helped their test scores to rise dramatically.

In the ensuing years, he has continued to create opportunities for disadvantaged youth in New York as a teacher and administrator. He’s currently Chief Schools and Innovation Officer for Excellence in Community Schools, a nonprofit that is expanding access to high-quality education in high-needs neighborhoods.

For years Denniston has run summer immersion programs at Colgate to introduce his students to learning at college. The STEM and Shakespeare Institute brings students to campus for a week doing college-level work taught by a residential staff, many of them Colgate alumni.

He and his wife, Charlene, are a powerful team; she is the founder and CEO of Excellence in Community Schools. The couple are parents of a daughter and son.

Denniston has a master’s from Teachers College at Columbia and is studying for a doctorate at Penn. He also makes time to serve Colgate — as a member of the Alumni Council, through the Alumni of Color Organization, as a speaker to the Office of Undergraduate Studies, and as a member of the Presidents’ Club. He has just been elected a university trustee.

Denniston Reid is a generous giver, and we are pleased to recognize him with the Alumni Corporation’s 2018 Humanitarian Award.

June 1, 2018

Ann Yao '80 Memorial Young Alumni Award

The Ann Yao award, established by the Colgate University Alumni Corporation in 1992, is presented to members of the fifth-year reunion class who have demonstrated remarkable and meritorious service to Colgate since graduation. The award winners exemplify the qualities possessed by Ann Yao '80.

WILLIAM J. CIVITILLO JR. '13

“Paying it forward for the greater good” has been William “Wiggs” Civitillo’s M.O. since high school. “I combined it with my mother’s advice to ‘Turn everything into an opportunity,’” he wrote in his college essay.

Fast forward 10 years and classmate and friend Jake Caldwell says, “Wiggs has never turned down an opportunity to do anything that was for the greater good of Colgate.”

A George Cobb Leadership Fellow and member of Konosioni as a student, Wiggs led the finance club, worked in student government, helped area residents with their income taxes, and revived the Senior Ball while benefiting a local nursery school.

As an alumnus working in New York, he networked with students and shared his expertise in banking and finance. And as a perennial Presidents’ Club donor and member of the Presidents’ Club Membership Committee, he is helping to build a base of support for Colgate among younger alumni, even as he studies for his MBA at Duke’s Fuqua School of Business.

“I’m motivated to give back to Colgate because I’m grateful for everything that I learned while I was there,” said Wiggs, who counts his Colgate friends among his best friends to this day.

Wiggs Civitillo’s enthusiasm — and support for Colgate — track the tradition and spirit in which this Ann Yao Memorial Young Alumni Award is given.

MARGARET D. DUNNE '13

There are those who answer the call of service. And then there’s Maggie Dunne, who has devoted her young life to improving the lot of one of America’s most economically oppressed peoples.

Beginning as a high school student in Scarsdale, N.Y., gaining momentum through her years at Colgate, and continuing to this day, Maggie’s programmatic and hands-on efforts on behalf of the people of the Oglala Lakota Nation on the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota are extraordinary.

Her work has received more recognition than can be reported here, and includes a Call to Service Award from President Barack Obama and a Point of Light Award from President George H.W. Bush. When *Glamour Magazine* awarded her the \$20,000 grand prize as a Top Ten College Woman in 2012, she used it to inspire Richard Branson and an anonymous alumnus each to match the prize, then gave it all to improve conditions at Pine Ridge.

Nine years ago, while still a student, Maggie started Lakota Children’s Enrichment, Inc. to empower Pine Ridge youth

through the arts, education, sports, leadership, and mentorship. She stepped down as leader a year ago to pursue graduate study at MIT, but continues as the nonprofit's board chair.

A *magna cum laude* graduate in Native American studies and religion, Maggie received the 1819 Award as the senior best exemplifying Colgate spirit and liberal arts values. She has served as a young alumni trustee on Colgate's board for the past three years.

Maggie Dunne is an inspiration and more, and we are pleased to recognize her with the Ann Yao Memorial Young Alumni Award.

June 1, 2018

LEIGH V. HERZOG '13

"Full of energy, but she doesn't overwhelm everyone around her," is how Leigh Herzog's dad Charlie, Class of '83, describes her.

"She's always been that way, focused on goals, but she does it with a smile on her face that makes everyone happy to be around her."

Leigh revealed in her college essay that she had "...inherited a heavy dose of the family zest for social situations." At Colgate she melded her determination and social skills as a Friend and Mentor for COVE, a member of the rugby team, an advocate for Alumni Connections, and sister of Gamma Phi Beta. There and on the Geneva Study Group, the political science major made friends who will be with her for life.

After starting her career at a private equity firm focused on health care, Leigh moved to the front lines and advanced quickly through management roles at two start-ups. At Prelude Fertility, she's director of operations for the leading-edge firm, providing counseling and services for aspiring moms and dads.

Leigh's enthusiasm and energy are great credentials for a Colgate volunteer, and she's taken to that role by fostering alumni professional networks, advocating for admissions, counseling students about careers, working with the Presidents' Club Membership Committee, and supporting women's rugby.

The Colgate Alumni Corporation is pleased to present the Ann Yao Memorial Young Alumni Award to Leigh Herzog.

June 1, 2018

Maroon Citations

Established by the Colgate University Alumni Corporation in 1955, the Maroon Citation is awarded annually to as many as 13 alumni and as many as three friends or employees of the university. Maroon Citation recipients are honored for their loyalty and commitment to Colgate and for their exemplary service to their alma mater.

TAYLOR L. BUONOCORE-GUTHRIE '08

Taylor Buonocore-Guthrie lives the principle of thinking globally and acting locally. During the decade since she earned her degree in history and psychology, Taylor has made a career of helping individuals and communities deal with world realities.

Directly out of college, Taylor deferred an offer from a consulting firm and traveled to Ecuador to join native people working to preserve the rainforest.

Then, she lived full time at an orphanage in Tanzania, developing local teachers and devising a curriculum in English for kindergarteners.

Back stateside, her work for Mercer Consulting overlapped with a fellowship with StartingBloc, an international effort that connects emerging leaders to drive social change.

Taylor spent two years in Mongolia working for the international mining concern Rio Tinto, bringing local leaders into the company's executive management at the Oyu Tolgoi copper mine.

Since 2014, as president of Born Free Africa, her goal has been working with African governments to eliminate the transmission of HIV from mothers to their children.

Busy. But not too busy to have two wonderful kids with husband Ryan Guthrie. Or to be an inspirational sister to Britty '12, MA'13 and to join a friend in launching Convers(ate), a tabletop game that "sparks authentic and meaningful conversation."

Amid all that, Taylor serves Colgate as president of her class, reunion organizer, career counselor to students, member of the Women's Advisory Committee, networker in the professions, and representative to the Alumni Council.

Taylor won the Ann Yao Memorial Young Alumni Award at her fifth reunion, and tonight we are pleased to present her with the Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

KELECHI A. OGUH '08

Kelechi Oguh models the giving alumna. It's a role she learned by benefiting from others who traveled this way before her.

"She's passionate about what Colgate has done for her, and about giving back," said friend and classmate Shevorne Martin, the current leader of Alumni of Color.

"Students always seek her out," said Veronica McFall '89.

At Sophomore Connections, Kelechi now gives students the same type of helpful guidance that she received as a senior attending Real World and hearing real estate executive Dan Hurwitz '86 describe his keys to success. Those insights shaped Kelechi's early real estate career.

As a member of the Colgate Real Estate Professional network, Kelechi organizes programs that offer the kind of career-building advice she received from Kevin Danehy '83, when she was a young alumna attending the inaugural meeting of the networking group in Kevin's office.

Through her participation with Alumni of Color and the new multicultural initiative, Mosaic, Kelechi connects with current students and shares reaffirming life stories, not unlike those she heard from alumni when she was an undergraduate.

"Kelechi exemplifies the next generation of alumni leaders," said Alumni Executive Secretary Tim Mansfield. And that helps explain how she came to serve on the Alumni Council as an Era VII representative.

Ten years after her graduation, Kelechi Oguh is committed to Colgate and Colgate folks, even as she is making her mark in the world. We are delighted to recognize her dedication with this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

SUSAN BECKER GOULD '03

In her volunteer work for Colgate, as in her career, Susie Becker Gould helps individuals achieve their full potential.

At PriceWaterhouseCoopers, Susie is human capital director in the New York office of the multinational professional services firm. At Colgate, she chairs the Alumni Council's Career Initiatives Committee, coordinating with leadership in the Center for Career Services and Thought Into Action to connect students with alumni worldwide.

Programs such as Thought Into Action, Learn 2 Earn, A Day in the Life, SophoMORE Connections, and the Fox Management and Leadership Program provide avenues for alumni to network with students and share career perspectives. As chair of the Career Initiatives Committee, Susie has been a tireless champion and advocate of engaging the alumni network as a key to student success.

A model of alumni involvement, she has sponsored internships, conducted mock interviews, hosted career explorations at PWC's New York offices, and advised students in programs on campus. A perennial member of the Presidents' Club, she makes time to serve on the club's membership committee, raising support from her class. And she is a regular presence at Colgate events on campus and in New York City.

Susie majored in Spanish literature with a minor in economics. Summer internships introduced her to the world of business.

To her professional and volunteer roles, Susie adds the responsibilities of mother. She and her husband, Bill, are the parents of Madeline, who just turned six.

As Susie Becker Gould celebrates the 15th anniversary of her graduation from Colgate, we are pleased to recognize her many contributions with this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

DR. KELLI WONG WILLIAMS '03

It is absolutely true to form that Dr. Kelli Wong Williams, pediatrician, allergist, immunologist, and clinical assistant professor at the Medical University of South Carolina, reaches out to her Colgate classmates with advice on how to treat their itchy babies.

"Of course she does," says class co-president, reunion co-chair, and life pal Amy Hargrave Leo. "She's Kelli Wong!"

Kelli is a rare combination of unbound energy and curiosity, universal ability, selfless humanity, and innocent humility. She's been everyone's smart, close, knowing friend for as long as we can remember.

Since being honored with the 1819 Award as the senior who best exemplified "the spirit that is Colgate," Kelli earned her medical doctorate and master's in public health from Tulane, completed a pediatric residency at MUSC and a fellowship in immunology at NIH, established her practice in Charleston, got married, and had two kids.

While doing that she volunteered in admission, served on the Alumni Council, worked with Amy to organize two class reunions, took part in local alumni events, and counseled students with an interest in medicine — most recently last fall as a panelist for the Wolk Conference on Medical Education.

At her fifth reunion, in 2008, Colgate recognized Kelli with the Ann Yao Memorial Young Alumni Award for exemplary service to the university. With this Maroon Citation, we certify that her record of service carries on unchecked, even as she continues to distinguish herself in her profession and in life.

June 1, 2018

GREGORY M. DAHLBERG '98

With 20 years of marketing experience and a willingness to help, Greg Dahlberg has become a valued mentor to the students, alumni, and Hamilton-community entrepreneurs who turn to Thought Into Action for insight and inspiration.

Founded nine years ago as an incubator where aspiring Colgate student entrepreneurs could pursue their nascent ideas with support, advice, and encouragement from alumni and parents, TIA thrives today with a vast and varied cadre of mentors — including Greg — available to provide counsel.

“Greg is top-shelf,” said Mike Sciola, associate vice president of institutional advancement. “He excels at blending big company resources with small company instincts. As a mentor and adviser, Greg provides invaluable guidance and the occasional kick in the pants that our student entrepreneurs need to move forward.”

Four years ago, when he found himself between professional positions, Greg applied marketing fundamentals to locate and secure his next assignment. He described that process in a helpful how-to article for the Phi Delta Theta newsletter, which was later adapted to the *Scene*.

Today Greg is the associate director of customer experience for Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals. He majored in economics with a minor in political science, and earned his MBA from Cornell. Greg and his husband, Jason Kadlec, are parents of a son, Colby Dahlberg-Kadlec.

On the Alumni Council, after serving the balance of an unexpired term, Greg has just been elected to his own term, an at-large position. In addition to his work with Career Services and TIA, he is a Presidents' Club member who has also been an active volunteer for the admission office.

As Greg Dahlberg celebrates his 20th reunion, the Alumni Corporation is pleased to honor his service with this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

ANDREW W. SWEET '93

Describing what inspired his leadership support for international studies at Colgate, Andrew Sweet said of his study group with Professor Yoichi Aizawa: “[M]y experience in Japan lit the fire of my curiosity to explore other cultures and ultimately led me on the path of my career in international business ... It is rewarding for me every day, and I hope to see Colgate students enjoy their own experiences.”

Andrew is a leading matcher of a challenge gift that establishes the Lampert Institute for Civic and Global Affairs as a centerpiece in the university's commitment to international engagement. He has also endowed a fund, memorializing Professor Aizawa, that provides financial aid for students who study abroad. Last year he created a scholarship fund in memory of his father.

Prior to joining the international private equity firm Bridgepoint Capital in 2017, Andrew was a partner of the Rhone Group for two decades, working in the New York, Paris, and London offices. From his international perspective, he's been an invaluable resource for students seeking internships and career advice.

He's also been a steadfast worker for his class, a leader on his class gift committee in years past, and a generous supporter of the Class of '93's 25th reunion gift. Andrew has been a member of the Presidents' Club virtually every year since graduation. He and his wife, Alexis, have two children.

Andrew has recently joined Colgate's Board of Trustees. He served earlier on the Alumni Council and is a member of the Bicentennial Advisory Committee.

As Andrew Sweet celebrates his first quarter century as a Colgate alumnus, we are pleased to recognize his service with this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

JOHN A. HAYES '88, P'19

John Hayes advises aspiring business leaders to be "net givers" in their communities and make the world a better place. He's a believer in loving what you do, working hard, and putting the team ahead of yourself as well as the importance of being humble and ethical.

Colgate, he says, taught him the value of intense personal relationships and being part of a community. A liberal arts education equipped him to think broadly and connect disparate points of view.

He lives that philosophy as the chairman, president, and CEO of the Ball Corporation, a Fortune 500 manufacturer with 18,000 employees at 60 locations worldwide. And he brings the same approach to his volunteer work for Colgate, including service on the Alumni Council and currently on the Board of Trustees.

He's living proof that you can be understated and genuinely friendly and very successful. Or maybe that you can be very successful *because* you are understated and genuinely friendly.

An English and economics major at Colgate, campus leader, Theta Chi, varsity golfer, and Konosioni member, he later earned his MBA from Northwestern's Kellogg School. He was a VP for mergers and acquisitions at Lehman Brothers before joining Ball in 1999.

Hockey has been a recurring theme in John's life. He and wife Susie were leadership donors to the Class of 1965 Arena. They are James B. Colgate Society members who underwrite student aid and generously support the Colgate Fund. Daughter Annie is a member of the bicentennial class of '19. Son Jack is a high school senior.

On this 30th anniversary of his graduation, we are pleased to present John Hayes with the Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

ROBERT G. RELPH JR. '78, P'09

“Determined.” “Winner.” “Leader.” “Honest.” “Generous.”

Colgate folks who have known Bob Relph since his undergraduate days paint a remarkably consistent picture of a man whose approach to football foretold an accomplished life.

As a junior, Bob won the starting quarterback position when Fred Dunlap '50 returned to campus as football's head coach. “Bob willed himself to do things he shouldn't have been physically able to do. He is an excellent leader and athlete,” said his coach.

Colgate was 18-3 during Bob's two years under center, including the Raiders' first-ever 10-win season (1977), and a 23-0 shellacking of Rutgers that is legend in the Maroon canon.

With a degree in English, Bob taught and coached high school football before moving to the college ranks as assistant, first at Davidson and then for two years at Colgate. “He could have been a fine head coach,” said Coach Dunlap.

Bob elected instead to apply his skills to the family business. He joined his father's insurance and benefits agency in 1985, and succeeded his dad as president and chief strategy officer. Bob has grown the practice as Relph Benefit Advisors, and joined 23 other firms to form the Alera Group, the nation's seventh largest independent benefits firm. Colgate is a client.

Bob and his wife, Dee, are members in perpetuity of the Presidents' Club, and provided leadership support for the Dunlap Head Coaching Chair, the lighting of Andy Kerr Stadium, the new football locker room in Reid Center, and Maroon Council.

Son Alex '09 followed Dad as a Raider quarterback. Tyler, Kayla, and Grace are all skilled athletes.

On the occasion of his 40th reunion, the Colgate Alumni Corporation is pleased to award Bob Relph the Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

WILLIAM J. MAHONEY '73, P'12,'14

Colgate recognized young Bill Mahoney's potential by admitting him as an Alumni War Memorial Scholar. He met expectations as a Dean's List student, who graduated *cum laude* with honors in German and economics. Bill is a Phi Gam who played on the golf team.

The Wisconsin native returned to the Midwest to earn his JD from the University of Wisconsin. While there, he married Colgate classmate Susan Venarde, who was studying toward an MA. Bill would go on to earn an advanced degree in international law from Georgetown before joining the legal firm Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy.

His 35-year career with the firm included four years as managing partner of the London office — Milbank, Tweed's second largest.

Throughout his distinguished professional career, Bill has been a Colgate stalwart. A generous benefactor of the Presidents'

Club, he is a member in perpetuity who has served on the Presidents' Club membership committee as well as co-chair (with Susan) for 1973's class gift committee. Bill has also been a leadership donor to the Trudy Fitness Center and the Robert Blackmore Memorial Media Center. He is a patron of the arts at Colgate, and helped underwrite the Global Leaders Lecture Series.

Bill and Susan are parents of Christopher, Class of 2012, and Kevin, Class of 2014.

On the occasion of his 45th reunion, and with sincere gratitude for his support of Colgate, the Alumni Corporation is pleased to present William Mahoney the Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

SUSAN V. MAHONEY '73, P'12,'14

She was Susan Venarde when she transferred from Northwestern to the newly coeducational Colgate in the fall of 1970. When she graduated three years later, *cum laude*, with a degree in fine arts and English, she became one of the university's first alumnae.

Colgate's women in those early years were pathbreakers who helped transform the university for generations of students who would follow — women and men.

Some of those women from the '70s have continued to influence the place for going on a half-century. Susan — who became Susan Venarde Mahoney when she married her classmate — is one of those visionary women.

Susan's continuing support for Colgate reflects her engagement over a 48-year continuum. She is a charter member of the Alumnae Leadership Council, mentoring students, supporting financial aid, and modeling alumnae volunteer involvement. She led in the creation of the Media Center that memorializes Robert L. Blackmore, professor of English and advisor to WRCU, where Susan was the first female DJ. She served on the steering committee for the Society of Families, and recruits members to the Presidents' Club, where she is a member in perpetuity. She is a patron of the arts, on campus and off. And she helped make the Trudy Fitness Center a reality.

Three Colgate men figure most prominently in Susan's life: husband and classmate Bill and the couple's sons Christopher, Class of 2012, and Kevin, Class of 2014.

With great appreciation we award this Maroon Citation to Susan V. Mahoney.

June 1, 2018

ALAN S. FRUMIN '68, P'07

The New York Times likened Alan Frumin's position of U.S. Senate Parliamentarian to "being the lawyer for both sides." Alan's thoughtful, understated approach to his specialized and demanding job, the *Times* added, was "like a cross between Bartleby the Scrivener and a Talmudic scholar."

Retired now, Alan spent his entire career as a procedural authority, first in the House, where he literally helped write the book on House precedents, and then for 35 years in the office of Senate Parliamentarian, serving alternatively as Chief or Senior Assistant. No one has ever matched Alan's cumulative years of service in the Parliamentarian's office, and his 19 years as chief is the second longest in history.

Colgate folks who venture inside the Beltway — and particularly students and faculty on the Washington, D.C., Study Group — know Alan as the ultimate Capitol insider. With unparalleled access, built on trust in all quarters, Alan's advocacy ensures study group participants will land choice internships, dine with senators, and interact with distinguished seminar guests, who have rare Washington insights. His tours of the Capitol are legendary.

An economics major at Colgate, Alan studied law at Georgetown. His wife, Jill, is an attorney with the FTC. Their daughter Allie — also an attorney — is married to 2007 classmate Benjamin Reschovsky.

In addition to the hundreds of hours he has volunteered to educate us about the government's inner workings, Alan has also loyally served his class and Colgate as an agent for the Colgate Fund.

As he celebrates his 50th Colgate reunion, we are pleased to recognize Alan Frumin with this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

ANDREW S. ROFFE '68, P'02

Andy Roffe's brother Ken credits Andy with being the glue that holds the family together. "He's calm and considerate and he always has the answer," said Ken, who preceded Andy in life and at Colgate by three years.

What Andy does for the Roffe family he has also been doing for his clients, his community, and Colgate for more than 40 years. With his degree in history and a JD from Columbia, Andy entered the law and soon gravitated to public service. First as an aide in the House of Representatives, later as legislative counsel in Westchester County, and eventually as executive counsel to the State Assembly Speaker, Andy built a reputation as a wise and trusted adviser.

Today, through his Roffe Group, Andy serves the government relations needs of a broad spectrum of clients. A Manhattan "Super Lawyer," he is also a partner of Robinson & Cole, and chairs the firm's administrative law group.

Andy's vast service to Colgate includes his unique role as the university's pro bono lobbyist in Albany. With wife Anna DeLuca, he is a Presidents' Club member who endows a scholarship in the family name. He's a leader in the Class of 1968 and co-chaired the class gift effort for this 50th reunion. He counsels students and alumni who have an interest in the law, and he serves with distinction on the Alumni Council. Son Michael graduated in 2002.

With deep appreciation for all that he means to Colgate, the Alumni Corporation is pleased to present Andrew Roffe this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

PETER C. BROWNING '63, P'01

When Peter Browning comes to campus to teach business case studies — as he will again this fall in the Fox Leadership Series — he uses cases that are taught about him at Harvard Business School and the University of North Carolina.

Harvard's case study centers on Peter's efforts to revive the vision of a vacuum-packed container business. The UNC case examines how he led a national company out of bankruptcy.

Peter's distinguished career has included leadership roles at three major businesses and serving on the boards of another 14 publicly traded companies. He was dean at McColl School of Business at Queens University in Charlotte, and he is managing director of an eponymous partnership that advises boards of directors. He has literally written the book and penned dozens of articles on board governance. He is a life member of the council at the University of Chicago's Booth Graduate School, where he earned his MBA.

Classmate and Phi Gam brother Art Irwin remembers, "Peter was the stabilizing influence on his fraternity by setting an example of prudence, maturity, and academic rigor." He also competed in track and cross country. His giving to Colgate has included support for track and cross-country facilities, which are dedicated to the memory of his father, Ralph, Class of 1937.

Peter and his wife, Kathy, are Presidents' Club Members in perpetuity, who endow scholarships and internship opportunities. Peter is father to three daughters and a son, Peter, Class of 2001.

On the occasion of Peter C. Browning's 55th Colgate reunion, we are pleased to present him the Maroon Citation.

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JOSEPH BELLO

Director of Planning, Design, and Construction

Joe Bello lives at that intersection between the gentle sensibilities of higher learning and the harsher realities of bricks and mortar. His job is to make sure that we realize what we conceived when we add to this iconic campus — and that those buildings happen on time, on budget, and up to specs.

Most people around the academy know Joe as a gregarious, knowledgeable campus presence. Contractors know him — and respect him — as the law on Colgate construction projects. He is the quintessential straight shooter: effusive in praise, precise in direction, withering when necessary.

In 25 years at Colgate, Joe has overseen more than \$250 million of major construction and renovation projects, ranging from the chilled water plant to such singular structures as Ho Science Center, Case-Geyer Library, Little Hall, Persson Hall, Trudy Fitness Center, the Colgate Bookstore, and Class of 1965 Arena.

A favorite moment? “When Helen Persson sang thanks to all of us at the dedication of Persson Hall. Under budget and two months early, it was flawless,” he said.

Joe is involved in more than the glamour projects, a colleague notes: “When a steam line implodes, he’s there in the trench with his boots on.” And he is the university’s articulate liaison, explaining capital projects to planning boards, public hearings, and permitting agencies.

A younger Joe considered turning pro as a bass fisherman, and in off hours you can still find him trolling Oneida Lake, or enjoying life with wife Karen and granddaughter Adriana.

It was our good fortune when Joe Bello instead chose construction management and Colgate, a fact that’s reaffirmed by this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

ANN-MARIE GUGLIERI

Chief of Staff and Senior Associate Athletics Director

With a work ethic that’s second to none, attention to detail, and Colgate Spirit, Ann-Marie Guglieri has won fans across the Raider community.

Ann-Marie joined Colgate as compliance officer in 2007. Her tireless approach and capacity to always take on more earned her promotions that led to senior associate and chief of staff to Vice President and Director of Athletics Vicky Chun ’91, MA’94.

Today Ann-Marie oversees all internal operations — including the budget — for a division with more than 200 staff that touches the lives of every Colgate student. Her work enhances the experience of athletes and fans at every level from varsity to recreational.

Taking the divisional lead on construction of Beyer-Small Field and Class of 1965 Arena, Ann-Marie ensured that no detail was overlooked in creating facilities that were on time, on budget, and — in Colgate’s timeless tradition — enriched the experience of Raider athletes and fans.

All-Big East in field hockey at Syracuse, Ann-Marie earned her Master’s at Springfield. Nationally, she chaired the NCAA’s Division I Women’s Lacrosse Committee in 2013 and 2014 and was named the Nell Jackson Administrator of the Year by Women Leaders in College Sports in 2014.

Vicky Chun says Ann-Marie could herself be an athletics director at any college in the country. She’s opted instead to remain Vicky’s right hand, and the two will move to Yale in July to oversee Bulldog athletics.

With deep appreciation for all that she’s given to Colgate and to Raider athletics, we present Ann-Marie Guglieri the Maroon Citation.

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TIMOTHY C. MANSFIELD

Associate Vice President, Alumni Relations

People are the center of Tim Mansfield’s universe, wherever life leads him. Students, alumni, townspeople, friends, and, above all, family are his constants.

With a bachelor’s degree from Le Moyne and a master’s in education from Providence, Tim arrived at Colgate in 2001 to work in residential life. His impact was immediate as he built trust and respect among students through his hard work in their interest, and he soon became director. Though he’d never belonged to a fraternity, Tim then agreed to take on the role of assistant dean and director of Greek life, where he once again earned the confidence of students and alumni while advancing programs in diversity, gender identity, sexual awareness, and drug and alcohol prevention. “Students loved him,” said his student affairs colleague Mark Thompson. “They felt like Tim was theirs, and they knew he had their interests at heart.”

Tim moved to alumni affairs a decade ago. His constituents are a little older now, but the same honest interest in others’ well-being continues to carry the day. With a dedicated staff, he manages a broad array of initiatives that engages alumni with Colgate across ages, interests, and locations. As executive secretary of the Alumni Corporation, he staffs the Alumni Council and coordinates one of the most ambitious programs of its kind in the country.

The Mansfield family, including wife Jenn and three kids born in Hamilton, are active members of the village community.

For all that he does to keep us together, the Colgate Alumni Corporation is pleased to award Tim Mansfield this Maroon Citation.

June 1, 2018

Wm. Brian Little '64 Alumni Award for Distinguished Service

The Alumni Award for Distinguished Service to Colgate is the highest honor the Alumni Corporation can bestow upon a Colgate graduate. Established in 1937, the award may be given only to alumni who have previously earned a Maroon Citation. The Alumni Corporation is proud to honor these deserving alumni.

STEPHEN R. HOWE JR. '83

Steve Howe had a remarkable record during his nine years on Colgate's Board of Trustees. And Colgate had a remarkable record during Steve's tenure, too, most notably in maintaining its string of consecutive balanced budgets and furthering its commitment to inclusiveness and diversity.

Despite taxing professional duties, it was the rare meeting when Steve was not at his seat with the Colgate board. As chair of the budget committee, he was deeply involved with fellow trustees and professional staff in balancing the university's complex \$194 million budget. As vice chair of the committee on nominating, governance, and trustee development, Steve helped identify, recruit, and educate new generations of Colgate stewards. He also served on the executive committee, and as a member of the audit, legal affairs, and risk management committee.

In each of those assignments, Colgate benefited from the expertise that distinguished Steve in his work as U.S. chairman and Americas managing partner of Ernst and Young. National organizations recognize Steve among the top 100 most influential people in accounting and corporate governance. Under his guidance, Ernst and Young has been recognized as one of the top 100 best companies to work for, and as a leader in workforce diversity. Last month, the Ireland Funds recognized Steve for fostering diversity and inclusion. That mind-set is an important influence on his Colgate service.

President of Beta as a student, Steve graduated with a degree in mathematical economics. His MBA is from NYU's Stern School. His other volunteer board memberships include Carnegie Hall and the Partnership for New York City.

With colleague and fellow alumnus Carmine DiSibio, Steve helps make Ernst and Young the number one hiring destination for Colgate students seeking internships and employment in the field.

With his wife, Kate, Steve is a generous supporter of the Colgate Fund, and scholarships in particular. Their giving also helped memorialize classmate Tighe Sullivan in the 1965 Arena.

Steve Howe is the genuine article, and we are pleased to honor him with the Wm. Brian Little Alumni Award for Distinguished Service.

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WILLIAM A. JOHNSTON '73

Twenty months ago, when he helped dedicate the Class of 1965 Arena, Bill Johnston told the athletes gathered there, "...it's up to all of you to generate memorable moments for the Colgate community to share."

Bill and his wife, Leslie, are lead donors to the facility. In addition to a championship-caliber ice hockey rink, it includes locker rooms and training facilities for the men's and women's varsity lacrosse, soccer, and hockey teams. The student-athletes who call that space home are competing at the highest level in their sports while leading the nation in academic achievement. Proving that when Bill talks, students listen.

Bill anchored the hockey blueline as a student and served as an athletic trainer in the off-season. A brother of DKE, Konosioni tapped him for his leadership and service on campus.

He graduated with a degree in sociology, earned his MBA at Syracuse, and entered a career in finance. Thirty-five years ago, Bill joined the leading global investment firm HarbourVest, where he was a managing director and is now senior advisor.

"Senior advisor" could also describe Bill's role for Colgate, where he has served on the Board of Trustees since 2010. On the board's endowment management and finance committee, he has been instrumental in guiding the growth of the university's resources. He is also a member of the board's committee on campus life and programs.

Bill cares deeply about students' academic and campus experiences, and invests in scholarships and the Colgate Fund. He is also a member of Silver Puck, and was a major donor to the Donald F. Vaughan Chair for men's hockey.

Bill and Leslie are members of the James B. Colgate Society, comprising the university's most generous supporters. The couple are parents of Tucker, Katherine, and Victoria.

On the 45th anniversary of his graduation, we are pleased to salute one of Colgate's greatest advocates (and defenders) — William Johnston — with the Wm. Brian Little Alumni Award for Distinguished Service.

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DR. ROBERT B. RAIBER '68, P'02

Bob Raiber's blood type is Maroon Positive. Runs in the family. His two-year-old grandson, Sam, already knows the words to the alma mater.

A pre-med biology major and brother of Theta Chi, Bob captained the wrestling team and played bass violin in the chamber orchestra. Dean William Griffith steered Bob toward dentistry, telling him, as Bob recalled in remarks to a career panel three years ago: "You like to work with your hands. Dentists have many opportunities to give back."

Bob earned his DDS from NYU in 1972, and has been giving back ever since — to Colgate, to his profession, and to society. He's held office in the American Dental Association and the New York State Dental Association. He was elected president of the New York County Dental Society the night before terrorists attacked the World Trade Center. At the medical examiner's request, Bob organized a small team of dentists with forensic training who worked around the clock for days x-raying and identifying 580 victims to allow for their immediate burial. They were still working when American Airlines flight 587 crashed in Queens and they were called on again to identify those victims.

When a colleague in Alaska alerted the American Dental Association that 100 native villages lacked any form of dental care, Bob not only volunteered to travel to remote Hooper Bay and treat the villagers, but also educated legislators in Washington, D.C., and researched solutions.

Since 2008, in addition to his private practice, he has been donating treatment for disabled, elderly, and medically compromised patients who don't qualify for Medicaid.

At Colgate, where Bob is a regular presence — often accompanied by daughter Emily, Class of '02 — he is a dedicated volunteer who serves on the Presidents' Club Membership Committee, networks with fellow professionals, counsels students and prospective students, served on the Alumni Council, and helps organize his class for reunions, including this 50th anniversary celebration.

The Colgate Alumni Corporation honored Bob with a Maroon Citation in 2008 and the Humanitarian Award in 2015. Tonight we are pleased to recognize his exceptional record of service with our highest honor, the Wm. Brian Little Alumni Award for Distinguished Service. He is the first alumnus ever to receive all three awards.

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COPELAND G. BERTSCHE '63, P'90

Co Bertsche's classmates, friends, and fellow Alumni Council members are familiar with his productive impatience. Put another way: he gets things done.

Co is completing eight years of service on the Alumni Council, first as an elected representative of alumni from his era, and subsequently as legal counsel. A fellow council member describes Co as, "always driving the what-more-can-we-do train in a friendly and positive way." He took over a full review of the council's bylaws, editing and rewriting sections of the guiding document during long hours outside of regular meetings.

He is also a leader for the Class of '63. He has chaired or co-chaired program committees for many class reunions, including the 25th in 1988 and the 50th five years ago. Encouraging classmates to return for this 55th, Co wrote, "the timing couldn't be more auspicious" with Bicentennial plans underway, three major buildings under construction, admissions thriving in its renovated home, and Brian Casey concluding his second year as president.

A longtime member of the Presidents' Club, Co has raised support for the university as a class agent and volunteer. He counsels students at Real World, and is a regular presence at Colgate events on campus and at home in northern New Jersey.

A German major who earned his JD from Seton Hall and an MBA from NYU, Co had a distinguished career in private practice and as a corporate counsel. Fifteen years ago, he launched a mediation and arbitration service that continues to provide wise counsel to clients to this day.

He also volunteers in and around his longtime home in Montclair, New Jersey, serving both on health care boards and as a trustee of Bloomfield College.

Co and his wife of 55 years, Andree, are parents of four daughters, including Torie, Colgate Class of '90, who's married to Thomas Bligh '88. Grandson Cole Bligh, a varsity swimmer in the Class of '21, has extended the Bertsche legacy into a third generation.

On the occasion of his 55th reunion, and in recognition of his spirited service to the university, we're pleased to honor Co Bertsche with the Wm. Brian Little Alumni Award for Distinguished Service.

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