

## *IN PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE*

*Dartmouth College  
Recognizes with Deep Appreciation  
the Extraordinary Achievements of*

**Philip C. Kron '60**  
*2012 Gift Planning Chair of the Year*

Phil Kron'60, we recognize you as a dedicated and energetic voice of Dartmouth among the alumni and officers of the Class of 1960.

While it is rare to present this award twice to the same individual, your dedication, creativity and personal touch in a tireless effort to recruit Bartlett Tower Society members from your class was unmatched again this year. Thanks to your broad outreach initiatives and targeted personal follow-up with your classmates, your class gained 8 new Society members last year and added 3 more this year for a running total of 57. Your "interim" goal of 60 Society members from the Class of 1960 is now within reach.

Through your personal commitment and volunteer service since 2008 as Gift Planning Chair of your class, as well as your willingness to lead by teaching your peers about the importance of thoughtful estate planning, you have reinforced the financial and philanthropic benefits of gift planning for the individual and for Dartmouth. In addition to this post and the numerous volunteer and leadership roles you have held previously, you currently serve your class as Co-Head Agent. This double duty illustrates an understanding of the importance of outright support today as well as commitments for the future. You have deftly balanced the call for both forms of support without sacrificing one in favor of the other.

And so, in grateful recognition of your long and devoted service to the Class of 1960, to Dartmouth, and especially its Gift Planning Program, the Association of Gift Planning Chairs is proud to recognize you as **Huius anni principe captatorum**, or **Gift Planning Chair of the Year**, and the thirty-sixth recipient of **The Ford Whelden 1925 Award**.

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*Vice President, Alumni Relations*

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