

Dorothea C. Wong '92

ICHABOD WASHBURN YOUNG ALUMNI AWARD FOR PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT

Dorothea Carraway Wong, you have built a career aiming for the sky. We are proud to honor you today for all that you have achieved.

Since graduating from WPI, you have become an aerospace industry leader. You began your career at Pratt & Whitney, a subsidiary of United Technologies Corporation and a world leader in the design, manufacture, and service of aircraft engines, industrial gas turbines, and space propulsion systems. Starting as a process development engineer, you entered a leadership program as the youngest member in Pratt & Whitney for this program and you ultimately progressed to director of Strategy & Development, responsible for driving Mergers & Acquisitions, as well, in 2007 for Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Engines. In 2008 you became director of Aerospace Supply Chain for UTC and in 2010 UTC appointed you director of Global Strategic Sourcing. In 2011 you were tasked to lead the supply chain integration for Hamilton Sundstrand, a subsidiary of UTC. Now you serve as director of Supply Chain Integration for United Technologies Aerospace Systems, due to the completion of the largest acquisition in Aviation history, with UTC



purchasing Goodrich.

Your leadership does not end with your profession. Despite the demands of a successful career and a young family, you have dedicated countless hours to helping WPI emerge as a premier institution of higher learning and research. As a WPI trustee, you help guide the university at the highest levels. You are chair of the Women's Program Advisory Board. You continue to be an advocate for WPI, mentoring WPI graduates and helping WPI garner support from corporate partners.

Among your many accomplishments, you hold five patents as a co-inventor in die casting, metallurgy, and laser technology at Pratt & Whitney. You have a master's degree in metallurgy from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and an MBA from Harvard Business School. Not the least of your achievements, you earned an impressive 11 varsity letters during your years as a WPI student athlete and set a record in the 4 x 800 relay in track, running the anchor leg.

Dorothea Carraway Wong, you represent the WPI of today and tomorrow. The WPI Alumni Association is pleased to present you with the Ichabod Washburn Young Alumni Award for Professional Achievement.