

Myles Walton '97

JOHN BOYNTON YOUNG ALUMNI AWARD FOR SERVICE TO WPI

Myles Walton, you are a role model of alumni engagement and leadership. The WPI Alumni Association is proud to honor you for your many contributions as a key volunteer.

Your commitment to WPI began when you were a student. Judging from your record of activities—Theta Chi fraternity, Skull and Tau Beta Pi honor societies, myriad intramural sports, several music groups, and a host of residential life leadership roles—it would have been difficult to go anywhere on campus without meeting you. Through your involvement with the Student Alumni Society and as past president of SAS, you learned the value of alumni engagement in the life of WPI and have carried those lessons with you since graduation. Indeed, in a letter to WPI you noted, “I really appreciate the opportunity I had to work with the Alumni Office while at WPI and hope to remain an active alumnus.”

In the years since earning your degree in mechanical engineering, you have lived up to that aspiration. Early on, you were a member of the Alumni Association's Class Board of Directors

and served as chair of your class. You've been a member and past chair of the Annual Fund Board, have been a judge for IQP awards, and have offered up your home for new student barbecues.

You have remained active in the leadership of the WPI Alumni Association, serving on the board of directors and now as president-elect. And there is hardly an alumni event in the Northeast where you are not in attendance. All of this time you have given to WPI while earning your master's degree and PhD in aeronautics and astronautics at MIT, building your career, and starting a family.

You have shown your commitment to WPI financially, as well. You are a longtime member of the President's Circle, WPI's leadership group of annual donors, through which you support a Global Projects Annual Scholarship.

Myles Walton, in gratitude for your leadership and contributions of time, talent, and treasure to this remarkable university, the WPI Alumni Association is pleased to present you with the John Boynton Young Alumni Award for Service to WPI.

