

# *IN PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE*

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

## **Class of 1987**

*2012 Class of the Year  
25 Years Out and Younger*

When considering all alumni class activity during the past calendar year, the Class of 1987 stands out among the crowd, offering a portfolio of excellence that truly circled 'round the girdled earth.

Members of the Class of 1987 Executive Committee are to be congratulated individually and as a whole for their work for Dartmouth and for their class during the past 12 months. You worked effortlessly and seamlessly together to help strengthen your ties to the each other and to Dartmouth. You worked together to achieve a 25th reunion that not only brought your classmates together for a great party, but served to strengthen your class and its ties to the College for the years to come.

- You celebrated the 10th anniversary of your dynamic “87th Night of the Year” mini-reunion; gathering in locations that ranged from San Francisco to London.
- Like proud parents, you celebrated the graduation of your very first Class of 1987 scholar, through a scholarship that has now reached endowment status.
- Your reunion committee worked hard and played hard to create a fun-filled and enriching weekend that strengthened your unity as a class. So strongly are your bonds to one another that it was overheard at your reunion that “we are never alone in this world as long as two '87s remain.”
- Your DCF giving team was unstoppable! The class exceeded its dollar and participation goals, with 52 percent of the 1987s contributing more than \$5.1 million to Dartmouth and winning the Class of 1953 Award for greatest number of donors in a reunion year.
- Your newsletters are riveting and enticing and prompt classmates who have not been involved to take a moment and catch up on class news.
- Your presence in social media is to be commended. Your executive committee offers a full suite of channels to stay connected to each other, through platforms on Facebook, Twitter, and Linked In.
- Your class president set goals and offered a clear direction and vision as to how your class should function, and worked tirelessly with the executive committee to make sure no matter where a member of the Class of 1987 was located, he or she felt included.

Dartmouth Class of 1987, you have worked hard as individuals and as a team throughout the past year. The ripple effects of your efforts will be far reaching in the good they achieve for your class and for Dartmouth.

Congratulations and thank you for all of your efforts and your achievements.

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