

The Third Annual
Stevens Awards *Gala*

March 28, 2015



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New York, NY

Inaugural Stevens Awards Gala
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Dear Stevens Alumni and Friends,

I am pleased to welcome you to the third annual Stevens Awards Gala, a spectacular celebration of the remarkable talent, accomplishments, and contributions of members of the Stevens community. Tonight we recognize the far-reaching influence of our university and the profound impact of our community members locally and around the world.

Among our honorees tonight are global business leaders, humanitarians, philanthropists, technology innovators, celebrated authors, eminent academics, successful entrepreneurs, and those who have provided dedicated service to Stevens. The eleven distinguished alumni being recognized tonight epitomize what it means to be a part of this incredible community. It is with great pride that we honor their achievements this evening.

We are also coming together tonight during a period of tremendous progress and growth for Stevens. Over the past two years, we have made incredible strides in all areas of the university due to the unwavering support of each and every one of you. You are providing the energy and momentum that will continue to propel Stevens forward.

On behalf of the entire Stevens community, thank you all—honorees, guests, sponsors, and friends—for your participation and support of this evening's event, and for your ongoing dedication to Stevens.

Per aspera ad astra,

Nariman Farvardin
President



Awards Dinner Program

Welcome and Introduction

CHRIS CIMINO, MASTER OF CEREMONIES
NEWS 4 "TODAY IN NEW YORK" METEOROLOGIST

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JENNIFER BEHNKE

Meine Lippen, sie küssen so heiß, Fritz Löhner-Beda



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KRISTIE DAMELL / BETHANY REEVES

It's Never That Easy/I've Been Here Before, Maltby and Shire

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ART HARPER '78

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A Message from the President

NARIMAN FARVARDIN

Alma Mater

THE PRESIDENT'S ENSEMBLE

After Party, Dancing & Cocktails

Terrace Foyer, Second Floor



2015 Honorees



Distinguished Alumni Award

Academia and Government

ELIZABETH E. BAILEY M.S. '66, HON. D.ENG. '00



DR. ELIZABETH E. BAILEY M.S. '66, Hon. D.Eng. '00 is the John C. Hower Professor Emeritus of Business Economics and Public Policy at the University of Pennsylvania's prestigious Wharton School. She has performed decades of research on economic regulation and deregulation, contestability theory, market

structure, and corporate governance and social responsibility. Dr. Bailey joined Wharton in 1991, serving as a professor and as chair of the Department of Business and Public Policy before retiring in 2010.

Prior to Wharton, Dr. Bailey served as a professor and dean of the Graduate School of Industrial Administration at Carnegie Mellon University from 1983 until 1991. She also taught as a visiting scholar at the Yale School of Organization and Management and served as a trustee of the Brookings Institution, with which she was associated for more than 25 years.

A trailblazer in academia, Dr. Bailey earned an undergraduate degree in economics from Radcliffe College in 1960 prior to earning her master's in mathematics from Stevens. She

then became the first female doctoral candidate in economics at Princeton University, completing her Ph.D. in 1972.

In addition to her academic leadership, Dr. Bailey has served leadership roles in the corporate and public sectors. In 1977, President Jimmy Carter appointed her as the first female commissioner of the Civil Aeronautics Board, where she played an instrumental role in the deregulation of the U.S. airline industry. She held that title until 1983.

Dr. Bailey served as vice president of the American Economics Association from 1981 to 1983 and was head of its Committee on the Status of Women in Economics. She was also an active member of the Eastern Economics Association, serving as president from 1998 to 1999, and was chair of the National Bureau of Economic Research from 2005 to 2008. She has served on the board of directors for numerous corporations, including TIAA-CREF, for more than 25 years. Dr. Bailey is the author of numerous journal articles and was inducted into the prestigious American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 1997. She is also a former trustee of Princeton University.

Dr. Bailey enrolled at Stevens to earn her master's degree while employed at Bell Laboratories, where she worked from 1960 until 1977. She began at Bell Labs as a computer programmer, rising through the company's ranks to eventually become head of its Economics Research Department.



Distinguished Alumni Award

Business and Finance

GUSTAV H. KOVEN III '65



GUS KOVEN '65 HAS SPENT nearly 30 years in the venture capital and corporate development communities, holding high-level positions with a number of leading investment firms and developing and deploying extensive knowledge of strategic investments and acquisitions throughout the technology

sector. He is a founding partner and managing director of Brown Savano Direct Capital Partners. When founding the partnership, Mr. Koven pioneered a new type of investment fund: one that provides partial liquidity and asset diversification to individual shareholders in market-leading venture capital-backed private companies. The partial liquidity is provided to company founders, angels, strategic investors and active or departed employees.

For 10 years, Mr. Koven served as a partner in a number of Edison Venture Fund partnerships. Prior to his work for Edison, he was president of Chase Manhattan Capital Corp. and Chase Manhattan Investment Holdings, where he managed Chase Manhattan's venture capital business. Mr. Koven

was also a managing director of Knickerbocker LLC's private equity investment program, where he managed both direct investments and private equity/venture fund Limited Partnership commitments. He began his career in a corporate development role with Union Carbide Corporation.

Mr. Koven has served on the boards of multiple technology companies and has extensive expertise managing strategic investments and acquisitions in technology industries, including leveraged buyouts and both early-stage and expansion-stage investment. Since 1999 he has served on the board of AuthenTec, a company acquired by Apple in 2012 for \$350 million to help create Apple's Touch ID security system for mobile devices.

In addition to his bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Stevens, Mr. Koven also holds an MBA from Columbia University. He remains nostalgic about Castle Point, a place even more special to him given his family legacy: three other Koven family members are Stevens alumni, including his father Gus Koven Jr. '31. Mr. Koven and his artist wife of 47 years, Liza, are the proud parents of three sons, including Jamie Koven, who won two World Championships in the sport of rowing and represented the United States in both the 1996 and 2000 Summer Olympic Games. Mr. Koven himself was a member of the Yacht Club on campus.



Distinguished Alumni Award

Engineering

GERARD J. FOSCHINI PH.D. '67



GERARD J. FOSCHINI PH.D. '67 spent over 50 years working at Bell Laboratories specializing in the field of communications science research. He has performed extensive research on both point-to-point and network communication systems for wired, wireless and optical applications.

Dr. Foschini is most renowned for his contributions to the science and technology of multiple-antenna wireless communications. These contributions have made a lasting impact on modern technology including cell phones, wireless devices and Wi-Fi. His investigations were initiated with his colleague Mike Gans on the fundamental bit rates possible for wireless communications employing schemes using multiple antennas at both the transmitter and receiver. The two researchers determined that surprisingly high bit rates are possible in strongly scattering environments that were initially thought to be problematic. Devising a diagonally layered space-time presentation of a vector transmit signal, Dr. Foschini showed that a one-dimensional signaling scheme could achieve much the same rate as more complex, higher-

dimensional methods. Dr. Foschini's many patents include one for the diagonal scheme and several others related to innovative wireless multiple-input, multiple-output (MIMO) communication techniques. This prize winning work helped to underpin much of today's wireless communications research and development.

Dr. Foschini joined Bell Labs in 1961. He retired in 2013, at which time he held the position of Distinguished Inventor in Bell's Wireless Research Laboratory at Crawford Hill, in Holmdel, New Jersey. He has taught at Princeton University and Rutgers University and published more than 100 papers. Dr. Foschini was elected to the National Academy of Engineering and is a Fellow of both the IEEE and Bell Labs. In 2002, he received the Thomas Alva Edison Patent Award, an honor given to New Jersey residents who have changed the world with their inventions. He also received the 2000 Bell Labs Inventor's Award, the 2006 IEEE Eric E. Sumner Award, the 2008 IEEE Alexander Graham Bell Medal and the 2010 IEEE Communication Theory Committee Technical Achievement Award.

Prior to completing his Ph.D. in mathematics at Stevens, Dr. Foschini earned a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from New Jersey Institute of Technology and a master's degree in electrical engineering from New York University.



Distinguished Alumni Award

Arts and Humanities

RICHARD REEVES '60, HON. D.ENG. '87



AUTHOR, HISTORIAN, TEACHER, political commentator and telejournalist Richard Reeves '60, Hon. D.Eng. '87 has enjoyed a long and accomplished career. Among his books are a trilogy on Presidents Kennedy, Nixon and Reagan. He currently serves as senior lecturer at the University of Southern Cali-

fornia's Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism and as a member of the Advisory Board for Stevens' College of Arts & Letters.

Mr. Reeves, who wrote for the *Stute* newspaper on campus, began his professional career in journalism at age 23 by founding *The Phillipsburg Free Press* in Phillipsburg, New Jersey. His journalism career has taken him from the *Newark Evening News* and the *New York Herald Tribune* to *The New York Times*, where he served as chief political correspondent. Mr. Reeves' first book, *A Ford, Not a Lincoln*, was published in 1975. Among 18 other books, he later authored a biography of Ernest Rutherford, the Nobel prize-winning physicist born in New Zealand who became the preeminent experimental physicist of his time. Mr. Reeves' forthcoming book, *Infamy*,

will tell the story of the internment of Japanese and Japanese-Americans during World War II. Named a "literary lion" by the New York Public Library, Mr. Reeves has been both a Pulitzer Prize finalist and a Pulitzer juror; won numerous print journalism awards; and authored hundreds of magazine articles.

Mr. Reeves has also won all of television's major documentary awards: an Emmy for *Lights, Camera...Politics*; a Columbia-DuPont Award for *Struggle for Birmingham*; and a George Foster Peabody Award for *Red Star Over Khyber*. In the fall of 2014, he narrated the video *Stevens & Sons: America's First Family of Engineers*, a documentary about the university's founding family appearing in a current exhibition at the Hoboken Historical Museum through July 25, 2015.

Mr. Reeves served as the Goldman Lecturer on American Civilization and Government at the Library of Congress in 1998, giving a series of lectures later published by Harvard University Press under the title *What the People Know: Freedom and the Press*.

Mr. Reeves was a founding member of the Stevens chapter of Theta Alpha Phi, an arts honor society, and was a member of the Stevens Dramatic Society. He has appeared in two feature films, *Dave* and *Seabiscuit*. Mr. Reeves was also a member of the Gear & Triangle and Khoda honor societies. He received an honorary doctorate from Stevens in 1987.



Distinguished Alumni Award

Community or Humanitarian

JOSEPH J. KAMINSKI '60



FROM THE STEVENS CAMPUS to South Africa and beyond, Joseph J. Kaminski '60 has made a powerful, positive impact on the lives of many — from helping them meet the basic needs of life to opening a door of opportunity, particularly for young people.

Mr. Kaminski and his wife, Judith, established the Kaminski Family Scholarship in 2005. Since then, several outstanding Stevens students have benefitted from these scholarships, which are based on academic merit and financial need, with a preference for graduates of Brooklyn Technical High School, where Mr. Kaminski also graduated. For Mr. Kaminski — the first in his family to graduate from both high school and college — the scholarship that now bears his name is especially meaningful. He has also provided assistance beyond financial support to countless Stevens students by serving as a mentor, sharing career advice, writing letters of recommendation, and offering encouragement and inspiration.

Directly and through the Kaminski Foundation, which was established by the encouragement of his wife Judith to give back to the community, he and his family support a number of programs locally and internationally. In South Africa they have funded schools, healthcare initiatives and clean-water facilities. At the Itlhokomeleng Home for the Aged &

Disabled Persons in Alexandria Township, South Africa, they funded facility improvements and musical recording equipment. In appreciation, the township named a local community center in the Kaminskis' honor.

Closer to home, the Kaminski Foundation supports diverse organizations including the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater in New York City, the Boys & Girls Club, Lehigh Valley Health Center, Baum School of Art and the Allentown Symphony. The Kaminskis have also opened their home and provided much-needed encouragement and guidance to young people from the Boys & Girls Club.

During his professional career, Mr. Kaminski enjoyed a long and prestigious tenure with Air Products & Chemicals, a manufacturer of industrial gases and chemicals. He joined the company in 1965 and held such positions as vice president of international operations, vice president of strategic planning, and president of Air Products Europe. He retired in 2000 as executive vice president of the company and a member of its board of directors, later serving on the boards of companies based in Japan, South Africa and Mexico as well national and local nonprofit organizations.

In addition to his bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Stevens, Mr. Kaminski earned an MBA from the prestigious Amos Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth College. While at Stevens, Mr. Kaminski was a brother of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity, an athlete on the baseball and basketball teams, and a member of Gear & Triangle, an honorary, non-secret society founded at Stevens in 1919 on the principles of honor, fellowship, and spirit.



Lifetime Service Award

ROBERT L. KLEIN '42, M.S. '43



MORE THAN 70 YEARS AFTER his graduation from Stevens, Robert L. Klein '42, M.S. '43 is still faithfully serving his alma mater.

For more than 30 years, Mr. Klein has served as the Class of 1942's secretary for *The Stevens Indicator*, writing engaging and informative logs and never missing a

deadline. His devotion to this class log has been legendary. Mr. Klein, who wrote for the *Stute* newspaper when he was on campus, often talks to classmates by phone, collecting updates, dispensing encouragement and health tips, and fostering camaraderie. His classmates refer to him as the "glue" that has kept this tight class together for decades and deepened friendships many years after graduation.

Mr. Klein has attended nearly every five-year class reunion since 1947 and, for decades, helped to organize both Hoboken reunions and smaller local reunions in Florida, where he resides. His most recent reunion effort was particularly special: during Alumni Weekend 2012, Mr. Klein and six

of his 12 living Class of '42 classmates returned to Stevens to mark their 70th reunion.

Mr. Klein founded and continues to support the Class of 1942 Scholarship, which aids high-achieving Stevens students in need. He is a longtime supporter of the university and a member of both the Edwin A. Stevens Society and the Stevens Legacy Society, prestigious groups of alumni and friends who give generously to the university annually and long-term. He has also served as a volunteer caller for the annual Stevens Telethon for many years.

During his professional career, Mr. Klein, a member of the Tau Beta Pi and Gear & Triangle honor societies, served as president of Windalume Corporation, a manufacturer of aluminum windows. He also served as vice president of Ameray Corporation, a manufacturer of X-ray protection materials, and as director and secretary of Morris Cablevision.

Mr. Klein, who played tennis at Stevens, launched a second "career" at the age of 55, when he began competing in tennis tournaments. He competed nationally for nearly 40 years, retiring in 2014 ranked 1st in Florida and 5th nationally in the over-90 age group. He still enjoys tennis, plays bass clarinet, and sings with his local church choir, a return to his artistic roots at Stevens, where he was a member of the Glee Club and the Dramatic Society.



Young Alumni Achievement Award

MOUSHMI PATEL CULVER '00



MOUSHMI PATEL CULVER '00, associate vice president of the corporate strategy office for the pharmaceutical firm Merck & Co., has achieved steady success in her career with the company, earning seven promotions in 14 years. In her current role, she manages the development of enterprise-level strategy, track-

ing execution and creating explicit linkages with current and future business plans of Merck's divisions, franchises and functions. Working with Merck's Chief Strategy & Business Development Officer, CFO, and Executive Committee, Ms. Culver ensures alignment on strategy development, ongoing assessment, and implementation while helping to identify and mitigate financial, scientific, capacity, customer and reputation risks. She also works with a corporate planning team to help ensure alignment between enterprise strategy and business development, mergers and acquisitions, and licensing activity.

Previously, Ms. Culver served as chief of staff in the Merck Manufacturing Division, a role in which she managed performance metrics, planning, business communications, project execution, and strategic coordination while working directly with the president of the division and his leadership team who manage more than 60 manufacturing and distribution sites and approximately 20,000 employees worldwide.

Ms. Culver joined Merck in 2000 as part of a two-year rotational program during which she held engineering and business roles, and she was later appointed as a staff engineer

in Merck's Sterile Process Technology and Engineering group. She worked in Global Procurement for most of her subsequent tenure, eventually leading to a position where she led a global team based in Asia, Europe, Latin America and North America. Ms. Culver has experienced many sides of the business, supporting multiple divisions including research, finance, corporate strategy, information technology, human resources, manufacturing, and global sales and marketing.

Ms. Culver has long volunteered time to mentor and provide career coaching for young women with the goal of developing young female leaders. Merck honored her with the 2004 Global Procurement Senior Vice-President Customer Service Award in recognition of the exceptional feedback received from Merck customers and colleagues about her responsiveness, flexibility and professionalism. In 2009, she won Merck's Global Procurement Senior Vice-President Footprint Award, awarded to a single individual in the organization who has demonstrated leadership and commitment and "left an indelible mark for others to follow." Ms. Culver graciously returned to Stevens in March 2014 to offer current students advice on their careers and lives at the annual Alumnae of Distinction panel sponsored by the Stevens Alumni Association.

In addition to her bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from Stevens, Ms. Culver also holds an MBA from Lehigh University. While at Stevens, she was a member of the Tau Beta Pi engineering honor society and participated in the co-op program where she received the Edwin A. Stevens Society Outstanding Co-op Student Award in 2000. She later married a Stevens graduate, Nicholas Culver from the Class of 2001, and they have two sons.



Outstanding Contribution Award

JOHN H. TAN '87, M.ENG. '89



JOHN H. TAN '87, M.ENG. '89 has mentored more than 100 Stevens students in their pursuit to become engineers. A frequent advisor to senior design projects and an enthusiastic cooperative education recruiter, Mr. Tan has worked to give students exposure to the world of professional engineering

since 1999. As a representative of the Louis Berger Group, his former employer, he provided Stevens students with access to career-shaping professional development opportunities through both cooperative and internship programs. His efforts were instrumental in helping to establish a close and ongoing relationship between Stevens and the Berger Group, which has facilitated not only mentoring opportunities but also support for Stevens senior design projects.

Mr. Tan is humble when discussing his mentoring efforts, stating that he mentors simply because he enjoys giving back to the next generations of engineers and providing them real-world experience in the field. He has long worked closely with Stevens' Office of Co-Operative Education to ensure Stevens students receive access to internships and career opportunities during their Stevens years as well as post-graduation. Many of the senior design teams he has worked with have been recognized for excellence.

During his engineering career, Mr. Tan was closely involved with a number of important regional transportation projects including the award-winning Trenton-Morrisville Toll Bridge Widening and Rehabilitation Project, the preliminary engineering and final design of the New Jersey Turnpike Interchange 6 to 9 Widening Program, and the Secaucus Interchange Ramp Viaduct over New Jersey Transit's Main Line and its neighboring wetlands. His efforts on the Secaucus Interchange project earned him the Louis Berger Group 2003 Technical Excellence Award. His experience includes management, design and project quality assurance for the New Jersey Department of Transportation, the New Jersey Turnpike Authority, the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, and the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, among other agencies.

After 25 years with the Berger Group, Mr. Tan accepted an opportunity with Naik Consulting Group PC in 2014, joining the group as vice president and director of structural design services. There he works to support the firm's overall growth opportunities through strategic planning, supervision, QA/QC and client liaison activities. He has continued to mentor Stevens students and create opportunities for students in his new role with Naik.

While he was a student at Stevens, Mr. Tan, whose undergraduate and master's degrees are in civil engineering, served as a Resident Assistant and Stevens Ambassador. He was a member of the Glee Club, American Society of Civil Engineers and the Tau Beta Pi and Gear & Triangle honor societies, and he competed on the school fencing team.



Friend of Stevens Award

THOMAS H. SCHOLL



A SUCCESSFUL ENTREPRENEUR, venture capitalist and technology innovator, Thomas Scholl has been acquainted for decades with some of the nation's leading engineers. When his friend Dr. Nariman Farvardin became president of Stevens Institute of Technology in 2011, Mr. Scholl joined the Board of Trustees

and has been a great supporter of Stevens ever since.

In 2012, he established the Thomas H. Scholl Lecture Series by Visiting Entrepreneurs, which features notable entrepreneurs whose successful business performances have impacted the global economy. Directly involved in more than 40 startups as founder, chairman, CEO, board member or investor, Mr. Scholl continues to guide his namesake event. To date, four lectures have been presented within classroom settings where students and faculty interact informally with the speaker.

In 2013, Mr. Scholl became Chair of the Stevens Board of Trustees Research Enterprise & Technology Commercialization committee. He previously served as a partner at Novak Biddle Venture Partners in Bethesda, Maryland. NBVP was established in 1997 to provide equity financing and assistance to the management of young information technology com-

panies; it is backed by several of the nation's most prestigious limited partners with over \$580 million in capital under management to date.

Mr. Scholl founded Telogy Networks in 1990, a leader of embedded communications software for mobile and IP networks. Telogy's award-winning products propelled technology clients such as Cisco, Motorola, Samsung, Nortel, Alcatel and NEC in their own growth. In 1998, Motorola purchased Telogy's digital cellular technology and development team. The following year, Texas Instruments acquired Telogy — by this time the industry leader in embedded VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol) software — subsequently selling well over one billion VOIP “sockets.”

Prior to NBVP, Mr. Scholl was the co-founder and chairman of Cognio, a developer of dynamic spectrum management and MIMO antenna technologies for WIFI applications. The company was acquired by Cisco in October 2007.

Mr. Scholl received his B.A. in philosophy and literature and an Honorary Doctor of Letters from Purdue University. He holds six patents and is a member of IEEE and ACM. In addition to continued service on the Stevens Board of Trustees, he is Chairman of the Board of Visitors for the University of Maryland's A. James Clark School of Engineering and a recipient of the inaugural Glenn L. Martin Medal. In 2011, Mr. Scholl was awarded the Venture Capital “Friend of the Entrepreneur” award by *Washington Business Journal*.



International Achievement Award

ART HARPER '78



ART HARPER '78 IS A PROVEN leader in global business who helped oversee the manufacture and distribution of many of the consumer plastics used in everyday life, such as those in appliances, water bottles and iPods. During a two-decade career at General Electric and its divisions,

Mr. Harper completed successful assignments in Hong Kong for GE Plastics Greater China and in Belgium as vice president of global manufacturing for GE Plastics and GE Plastics Europe, India, and Africa. At GE, he served as a senior vice president as well as President and CEO of GE Equipment Services, a \$6.5 billion global business. In this capacity, Mr. Harper was responsible for a portfolio of seven global businesses with operations in approximately 20 countries.

GE Plastics took Mr. Harper nationwide and worldwide to California, Massachusetts, the Netherlands and China. At GE Equipment Services, he headed one of four divisions when GE Capital split into four units. He oversaw GE Plastics Europe, Middle East, India, and Africa. After graduating from Stevens, Mr. Harper spent the first six years of his career at

Conoco. He later joined DuPont in various sales and marketing roles.

In December 2005, Mr. Harper retired from GE to found GenNx360 Capital Partners, a private equity firm focused on investing in industrial and business services companies in the U.S. middle market. The firm has approximately \$1.1 billion of capital under management and a team of dozens of investment professionals in the United States and India. Mr. Harper currently serves as a director at the agrochemical and agricultural biotechnology company Monsanto.

A strong believer in giving back, Mr. Harper sits on the boards of several nonprofits focused on improving the lives of minority children. In 2005, *Black Enterprise* named him one of the "75 Most Powerful African Americans in Corporate America," and that same year he received the Award for Professional Achievement by the 100 Black Men of Stamford, a group dedicated to improving the educational and economic conditions of those in need. He has also been recognized by the Boy Scouts of America Greater New York Councils for his philanthropy and volunteer work.

During his time at Stevens, Mr. Harper, who graduated with a degree in chemical engineering, was a member of the Black Student Union and the Gear & Triangle society, and he contributed to the Stevens radio station, WCPR.



Charles V. Schaefer, Jr. Entrepreneur Award

FRANK FAWZI '84, M.M.S. '87



FRANK M. FAWZI '84, M.M.S. '87 is the current CEO of IntelPeer, a cloud communications platform company based in San Mateo, California. He joined the company in 2006 as a board member and became CEO in 2007. Under Mr. Fawzi's dynamic leadership, his capacity to attract exceptional talent, and

his ability to raise venture funding, IntelPeer has grown dramatically. Mr. Fawzi has been a guiding force in driving the company's efforts to become a leading innovator of communications services and applications. IntelPeer provides on-demand cloud-based IP communications services for unified communications systems, contact centers, service providers and enterprises using its CoreCloud communications platform. The company has received numerous awards for its products, customer service and leadership over the past five years, including being named to the prestigious *Inc.* 5000 list as one of the fastest-growing U.S. companies.

Throughout his career, Mr. Fawzi has embodied the style of Stevens entrepreneurship: a desire to identify a market need, develop a solution, and demonstrate success throughout the process. He credits his success to Stevens in many ways, from the culture of hard work on campus to the rigor

of its broad academic life and the practical experience he learned working with professors to design and implement software programs, a lesson in starting from scratch with an eye toward innovation.

Mr. Fawzi began his career as a software developer with the Merrick Corporation and later joined AT&T Bell Laboratories, working in various divisions of AT&T during an era of exciting innovation for the telecommunications giant. At AT&T he served as lead data communications architect on a team responsible for the company earning a \$1.4 billion contract from the Internal Revenue Service.

From 1991 until 2001, Mr. Fawzi founded and built CommTech Corporation, an early leader in the communications software sector. CommTech was eventually acquired by ADC, a leading provider of broadband solutions for the telecommunications industry. Mr. Fawzi served on the Communications Board of the New Jersey Technology Council, which recognized CommTech's success by naming it the top mid-stage New Jersey company of the year in 1997.

Mr. Fawzi has participated in the prestigious Wharton Executive Management Program at the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School. Mr. Fawzi earned both his bachelor's and master's degrees from Stevens in Computer Science and Management Science, respectively. While on campus, he was a member of the Scuba Diving and Philosophy clubs and a member of Tau Beta Pi, the only engineering honor society representing the entire engineering profession.



Legacy Award

CHARLES STEWART MOTT 1897, HON. D.ENG. '37



“Let us be known by our deeds”

— so goes the motto of one of Stevens’ most accomplished alumni: engineer, entrepreneur, public servant and philanthropist Charles Stewart Mott, Stevens Class of 1897.

Mott was born in Newark in 1875, the descendant of farmers – “sodbusters” – he fondly called them. His father

owned and operated manufacturing businesses in the beverage and bicycle industries. He graduated from Stevens High School in Hoboken in 1892 and enrolled in the mechanical engineering program at Stevens, taking time to study fermentation in Copenhagen and Munich.

Shortly before Mott graduated from Stevens, the Spanish-American War erupted, and Mott fought as a gunner on the *U.S.S. Yankee* as it bombarded Santiago, Cuba. After the war, Mott finished his degree and went to work for his family’s beverage company and then for its bicycle wheel business – but an emerging technology would soon tickle his engineering interest and stir an entrepreneurial impulse.

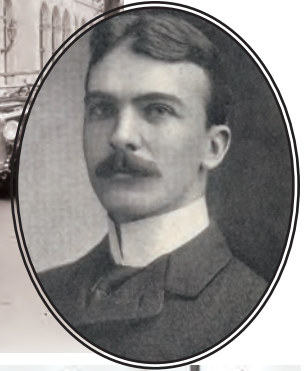
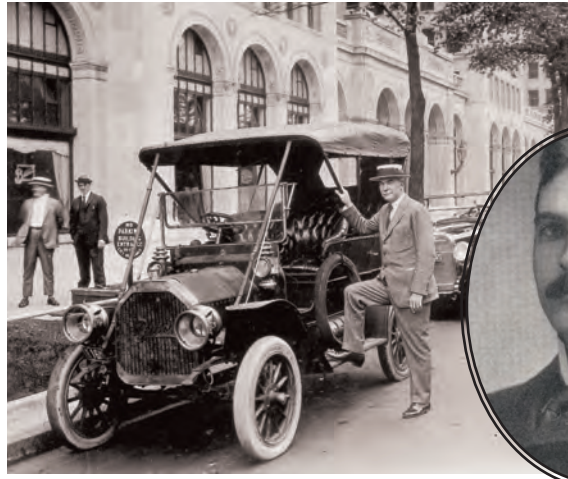
Mott took control of the wheel business soon after his father died in 1899, retooled it to produce axles, and moved it to Flint, Michigan in 1906 to be near the new automobile manufacturing companies that were starting to transform America. Two years later, General Motors acquired 49 percent of the stock of the Weston-Mott Company, leaving Mott in control of his company but tied closely to the future of General Motors.

Mott served on GM’s board of directors from 1913 to 1973,

an expansive era when the company became one of the world’s most profitable. In 1916, Mott became a vice president of GM and in 1921 he was made chief of the advisory staff of the corporation, serving in both those capacities through 1937. Pierre S. DuPont, GM’s president during much of Mott’s tenure as vice president, called him a “tower of strength.” Mott was adept at recognizing talent, hiring future president William S. Knudsen and encouraging head engineer Charles F. Kettering, who helped develop the electrical starter and leaded gasoline. While at General Motors, Mott promoted several technological improvements, such as the use of common bodies, to streamline model production. His engineering mindset contributed to his reputation as a formidable and shrewd businessman.

Mott’s shares in GM became valuable enough to make him one of the wealthiest men in America, and he parlayed his success into public service and philanthropy. He won three terms as mayor of Flint, and true to his calling as an engineer he focused on paving the growing city’s dirt roads and pumping its wastewater into new sewers. He continued his military service as a home front quartermaster during World War I and as a civilian adviser to the State of Michigan during World War II. Mott was very proud of his service and cherished his lifetime membership in the American Legion.

In 1926, Mott established the Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, which has since given hundreds of millions of dollars to local, national and international causes. After a chance meeting during a Rotary luncheon, Mott became intrigued with Flint Board of Education Athletic Director Frank Manley’s idea of using the city’s schools beyond regular school hours. Manley proposed that schools offer recreational activities for children, adult learning programs, meeting spaces for com-



munity groups and many more uses. In 1935, Mott provided funding to create five “community” schools. The idea quickly took hold and today, the Mott model of community education has become a blueprint for public benefit worldwide.

In addition to funding in its home community of Flint, the Mott Foundation supports nonprofit programs throughout the United States and, on a limited geographic basis, internationally. Grantmaking is focused in four programs: Civil Society, Environment, Flint Area and Pathways to Opportunity. Foundation offices are located in Flint, metropolitan Detroit, Johannesburg and London. With year-end assets of more than \$2.7 billion, the Foundation made 400 grants totaling more than \$101 million in 2014.

Mott, who bought his first car in 1901, a Remington for \$364, became a founding member of the American Automobile Association when his New Jersey club merged with eight others in 1902 to create the national organization that services over 54 million drivers today. Among many other group associations, Mott was an Elk, a Moose, and a Rotarian. He also served over 33 years on the Board of Trustees at Stevens,

chairing the Finance and Investment Committee. Before and during that time, Mott was a generous benefactor of Stevens.

With vigor, Mott enjoyed a lifetime of hunting, fishing, tennis and other outdoor pursuits, and he maintained a lush estate, named Applewood, that today still amazes visitors as a finely landscaped oasis in urban Flint. As he grew older, Mott seemed even livelier. In his late seventies he volunteered as a carpenter to build new houses for survivors of a tornado. At age 80 he earned the International Big Brother of the Year Award, which he accepted in a ceremony with President Dwight Eisenhower. He was still driving his own car at the age of 93.

Charles Stewart Mott died at age 97 in 1973. He was the last survivor of the great era of pioneering auto titans. In addition to his own charitable foundation, many of his six children and his wife Ruth also started foundations, lasting testaments to Mott’s benevolent influence. Indeed, for a man who wished to be known by his deeds, the Mott name has spread far beyond Newark and the halls of Stevens to stand for ingenuity, enterprise, generosity and so much more.



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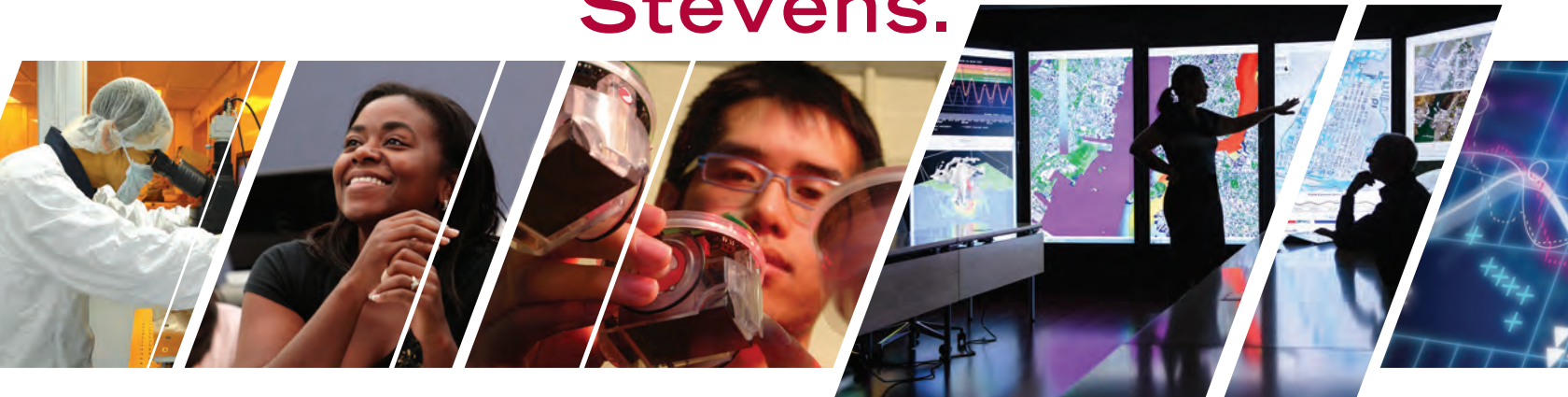
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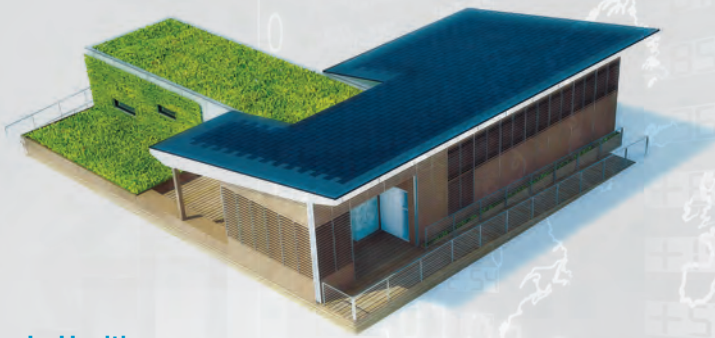
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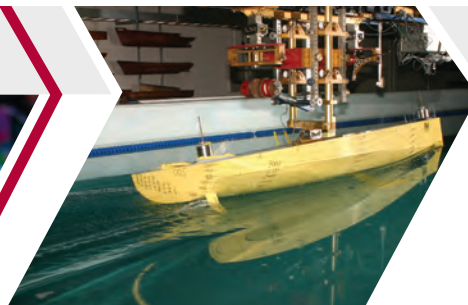
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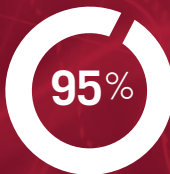


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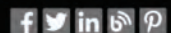
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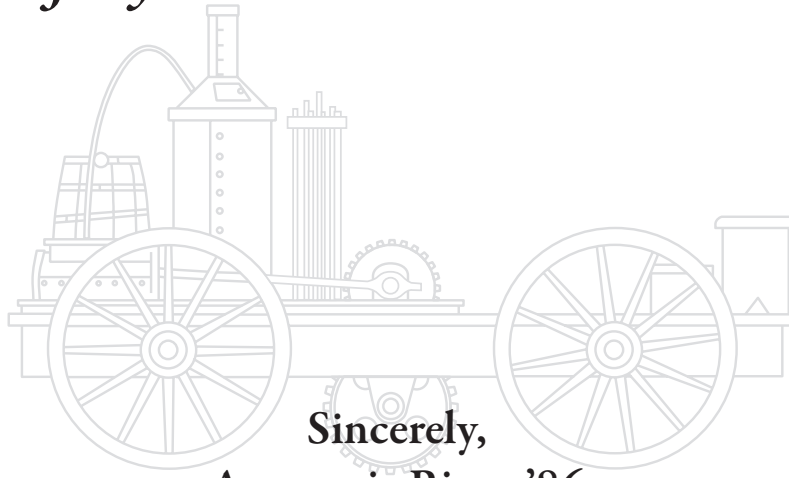
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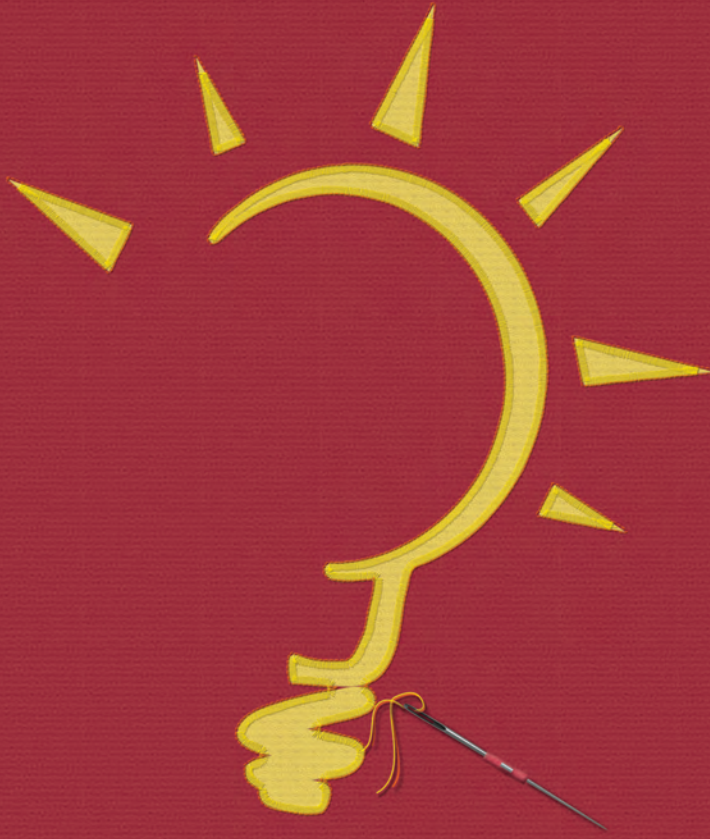
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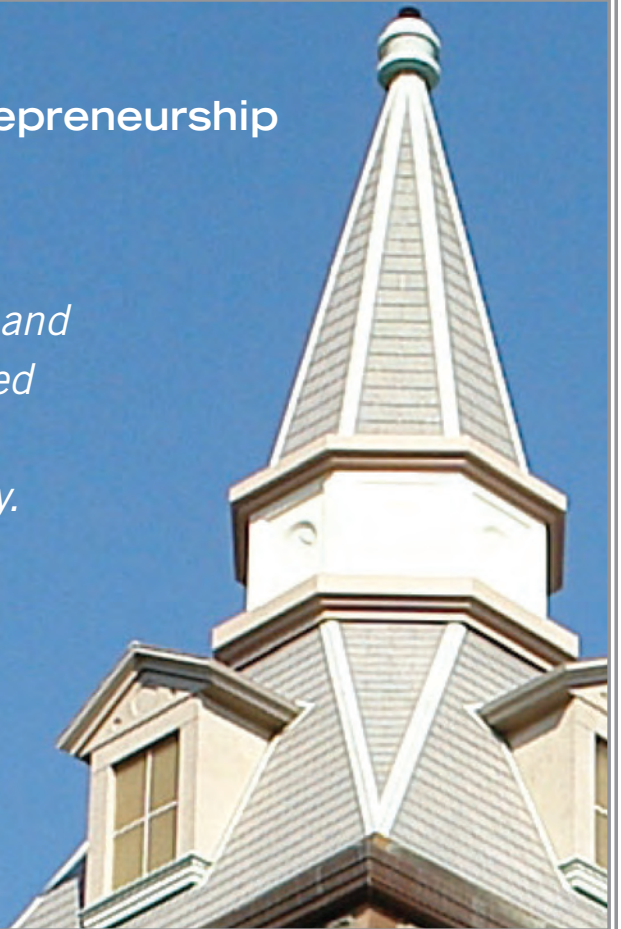


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Alma Mater

Where flows the Hudson River
Out to the mighty sea
On Castle Point so proudly
Stands there in majesty
Stevens, our Alma Mater
Homage to thee we pay
With loyal hearts and voices
True to the Red and Gray.

Though years our paths may sever
And best of friends may part
We'll ne'er forget fond mem'ries
Treasured within the heart
Our thoughts will turn to Stevens
And with our comrades be
Stevens, fair Alma Mater
Loyal and true to thee.

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