

The Hosea Ballou Medal

The Hosea Ballou Medal was established by the Board of Trustees in 1939. It may be awarded by the Board to “recognize members of the Tufts community who have rendered exceptional service for the institution.” The medal has been awarded 19 times since the Trustees established it in 1939.

1939	Frank W. Durkee, A1888, H1921
1940	Alfred Church Lane, H1913
1941	Vannevar Bush, E13, AG13, H1932
1944	Arthur Lamb, A1900, AG1900, AG1904, H1920 Raymond Bliss, A1909, M1910, H1943
1947	Samuel Capen, A1898, H1921
1948	Charles Neal Barney, A1859, H1909
1949	Harold E. Sweet, A1898, H1955, E32P
1950	Herbert C. Hoover, H1920
1959	Robert W. Meserve, A31, H1979, A62P, A66P, A72P
1973	Allan MacLeod Cormack, H1980
1978	Jean Mayer, H1993
1992	Bruce Reitman, A72, AG83
2006	Linda J. Dixon, J63, F99
2009	Adele Fleet Bacow
2012	William E. Gehling A74 AG79 A05P
2015	Robyn L. Gittleman, AG69, A85P
2017	Jeffrey A. Summit, AG88, AG95, A03P, A05P Corporal
2018	Michael W. Lyons, TUPD
2019	Thomas S. McGurty
2019	Dean Alan D. Solomont, A70, AO8P
2021	Gerald “Jerry” Sheehan, A07P, AG09P
2022	Celeste Mahoney, A13P, AG17P
2022	Harris A. Berman, MD, FACP, Awarded PosthumouslyEric
2022	Eric C. Joihnson
2024	James M. Glaser, Ph.D., A14P, A17P
2024	Mary R. Jeka

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