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Joining the Columbia Mailman School of Public Health Alumni Board is an opportunity for me to give back to the institution that shaped my career. The merger of alumni of the former Columbia University College of Pharmaceutical Sciences with the Mailman School Alumni Association in 2000 makes this possible.

I received a BS from Columbia's College of Pharmacy in 1962 and an MS in 1966. Faculty and mentors at the College led me to a Ph.D. program at the State University of New York at Buffalo. I graduated in 1969. I gained a greater understanding of the importance of public health to pharmacy practice from my faculty and administrative positions at Temple University, University of Houston, and the deanship at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. In 2006, I retired from UGA. At retirement from UGA

in 2006, I took the position as founding dean at New York's Touro College of Pharmacy. The designed curriculum included public health content at a level found in MPH programs. In 2014, I returned to UGA and the College of Public Health and served as interim department head of Health Policy and Management from 2015 to 2020.

It is such an honor to join the Board, especially during this exciting time of our Centennial celebration. I look forward to working with my Board colleagues to advance the mission and community contributions of the Mailman School of Public Health.