

## A COMMITMENT...TO A MENTOR

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Almost 20 years ago, while a student in the Henry W. Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication at the University of Georgia, I was fortunate enough to have been assigned a faculty advisor who would play a significant role in determining the direction of my life and my career. That man was Dr. Barry Sherman.

My understanding and respect for the power and influence of television developed under his instruction. My love of filmmaking was discovered in one of the many classes he taught. Excellence, the level of accomplishment being celebrated tonight, was a standard to which Dr. Sherman was most accustomed. As evidence, his care and nurturing of the prestigious *George Foster Peabody Awards* will reap benefits for the industry and artistry of television for decades to come.

As painful as his absence is, we will find peace in the realization that he will live on through his formative influence on many, many young lives. In tribute to his wise guidance, we will continue to seek *positive* and *productive* ways to utilize the power of this medium. We will aspire to *excellence*, just as he always encouraged. We will commit ourselves to being persons of *integrity* with a desire to serve others.

And each time we accomplish these things, it will be with deepest appreciation for the role that Barry Sherman played in making it possible and setting the example.



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