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### INVENTOR OF THE YEAR

Hayatt Onyuksel, professor of pharmaceuticals and bioengineering, was recently named UICs 2003 Inventor of the Year. Onyuksel has eight patents and two start-up companies to her credit. She is the first woman to receive the award since its creation in 1985, and the third pharmacy faculty member to be so recognized. Read more about this honor and her accomplishments at UIC News:

<http://www.uic.edu/casp/depts/paff/uicnews/articledetail.asp?id=7695&catID=2>

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### ASIAN STUDENT-ALUMNI DINNER

The Pharmacy Alumni Association and Asian Pharmacy Association are co-hosting a dinner for Asian alumni and students on Saturday, April 26, at Dragonfly Mandarin (1206 N. State) in Chicago. A reception begins at 6p.m. and dinner at 7p.m. The cost of alumni and guests is \$37. For more information, contact Amy Schuppert in the Pharmacy Alumni Office at (312) 996-3376 or [pharmacy@uic.edu](mailto:pharmacy@uic.edu).

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### SNPhA ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

On Saturday, April 26 the UIC chapter of Student National Pharmaceutical Association (SNPhA) will host its Ninth Annual Awards Banquet at the Hyatt at University Village (625 S. Ashland Avenue) in Chicago. The evening will include an address by Dr. Clara Awe on the evolving roles and responsibilities of the pharmacist in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. Cocktails are at 6:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. The cost is \$45.00 for alumni and guests. To register, please contact SNPhA Vice-President Kate Onwunghai at [konwun1@uic.edu](mailto:konwun1@uic.edu).

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### DONOR HONOR ROLL DEADLINE

In preparation for the next issue of the UIC Pharmacist magazine, the University of Illinois Foundation is preparing a list of donors to the College of Pharmacy. This list will be published in the Spring/Summer issue of the alumni magazine. To make sure you are included, call Jeff Larson in the Pharmacy Development Office at (312) 355-0833, or make a donation online at [www.uic.edu/pharmacy/alumni](http://www.uic.edu/pharmacy/alumni) before April 30, 2003. This year, new donors to the Pharmacy Annual Fund will have their donations matched by Wyeth, thanks to the assistance of R. Duane Tackitt, BS 63, Wyeths Director of Global Professional Affairs.

Thank you for your support!

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### COLLECTING CLASS NOTES

Please send your news (employment changes, family events, volunteer activities, new degrees and other items) to the Pharmacy Alumni Office at the address below, or fax to (312) 996-3272 or e-mail at [pharmacy@uic.edu](mailto:pharmacy@uic.edu). Or use the online form at [www.uic.edu/pharmacy/alumni](http://www.uic.edu/pharmacy/alumni)

Your news will be published as a class note in the UIC Pharmacist (as appropriate).

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