

# Distinguished Achievement Citation

Lloyd A Horrocks

Class of 1953

Today, Dr. Lloyd Horrocks is being recognized by Ohio Wesleyan for his pioneering research and for his many years of devoted service to students in the field of biochemistry.

Dr. Horrocks is known around the world as a leading researcher on the effect of brain lipid metabolism and specific nervous system membranes in various neurological diseases. He has written or coauthored more than two hundred works that have explored the structural role of phosphorus containing substances in living cells. He has been honored with a number of grants from the national institutes of Health and served as a Macy Faculty Scholar at the Center for Neurochemistry in Strabourg, France and as a fellow at the National Institute of Neurological diseases and Blindness at the University of Birmingham in England.

In addition to his research, Dr. Horrocks has served as mentor to number of doctoral and post doctoral students in the field of medical biochemistry. Since retiring from the department of medical biochemistry at Ohio State, he has continued to work on researching a number of diseases including Alzheimer's Multiple Sclerosis, and the influence of specific blood enzymes in spinal cord trauma. Recently he has also established a company that is exploring the use of omega-3 fatty acids in enriching milk, eggs and meat. It is hardly surprising that this technology for enhancing foods was developed in Korea by one of his former students.

It is with tremendous pride that we applaud Dr. Horrocks and honor him with the Distinguished Achievement Citation.

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